

Craigentenny Primary School
Parent Council Annual General Meeting
Wednesday 1 June 2016 at 6.30pm

1. Welcome and Apologies

In Attendance: Maria Gowans, Sarah Kinnaird, Tracy Rendall, Vicky Griffiths, Fiona Reilly, Margaret Blake, Laura Ingles, Danny Costello, Marianne Hopley, Katrina Sellar, Stephan Eisenhardt.

Apologies: Angela Boys, Susan Morrison, Jane Devine, Jo Thorpe, June Hill, Cllr Joan Griffiths.

2. Minutes

The minutes of the previous meeting of 20 April 2016 were agreed.

3. Matters Arising

Vicky will look into B and Q matter.

4. Chair's Report

No matters outstanding/no meeting attended etc.

5. Head Teacher's Report

Learning and Teaching –
Sporting events.

Bowling: Stuart Betts, parent of Aaron Betts P6 organised a Bowling taster session at Craigentenny Bowling Club for P6/P7 classes - the children all enjoyed this.

Rugby: P4/P5 tournament will be held.

Football: P2 which has been organised - weekly training.

Interscholastics: was held at Meadowbank Stadium, this was a great day for the children with individual and team events.

Theatre visits: these have gone well.

Poverty: Sarah Kinnaird will attend a Poverty input course, look to raise awareness in school at a later date.

51 x P1 pupils - roll for new intake
4 x new children in language class
1 class of P7 leaving

- standardise test almost complete
- surprise inspection visit for nursery possibly happening before the end of term
- leaflet handed out created for parents, plan to improve schools etc from the National Parent Forum of Scotland
- National Improvement Framework - P1, P4 and P7 testing for these classes
- one new probationer coming
- Ciara Bambrick new member of staff has been appointed
- 10 classes for new session August 2016

6. Treasurer's Report

PC - £147.20 Balance

PTA - £2014.82 Balance

Signatures being sorted out - cheques to sign for donation for defibrillator.

7. PTA

New members attended a previous meeting, new ideas were brought forward.

- Suggestions
- car boot sale
 - bake sale - Friday 10 June
 - Sports day 10 June
 - sponsor Zumbathon/Dance in new term

- donation to P7 leavers' to be made
- hardship fund - percentage of money

brought in PTA given to school to help fund families unable to attend trips etc

8. AOCB

P7 leavers' going to Foxlake on 16 June 2016 and cinema and pizza at school on 28 June.

Sports Day - 10 June - PTA will hold a stall for uniform etc.

Nominations for Parent Council reps:

- Chair - Tracy Rendall
- Vice Chair - Stephan Eisenhardt
- Treasurer - Margaret Blake
- Secretary - Katrina Sellar

Parent Teachers' Association

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Constitution remaining the same - agreed

Need to ask Councillors if they still wish to co-opt in?

New sign at front of school is being made at present

Open play/loose play article was brought up by a parent. We did apply for funding but we're not successful. Equipment like tyres, wood pieces, tunnels - these would need to be stored in containers.

Friendship bench, we have P6 'Craigey Crewe' who look out for pupils in the playground.

Last Friday of term 24 June - the class that wins Fruity Friday could they get an extra 5 minutes playtime on the equipment?

'Craigey's got Talent' - Friday 24 June.

Dates for 2016/17 Meetings to be confirmed after trialling morning meeting. Proposed dates as follows:

14 September 2016	-	8.00am
16 November 2016	-	6.30am
18 January 2017	-	8.00am
8 March 2017	-	6.30pm
26 April 2017	-	8.00am
7 June 2017	-	6.30pm (AGM)

Meeting closed at 7.25pm.

