

PARENT COUNCIL MEETING - MONDAY 24th APRIL 2023

ATTENDEES: Miss Walker Mrs Youngson Mrs Garden
 Claire Maitland Amanda Keith Kayleigh Simpson
 Jason Simpson Anne Bentley Gemma Gray
 Richard Menard (Troup Ward Councillor)

APOLOGIES: Angela Duncan Marie Alexander Louise Davidson
 Allison Hamer Vivienne Elphinstone

HEAD TEACHERS REPORT:

Local councillor Richard Menard joined us for part of our meeting tonight. He understands that the village park has deteriorated and although Aberdeenshire Council don't have the funds to repair this he has suggested that we use the Parent Council/School name to apply for funding/grants and along with a community fundraising effort we can hopefully secure money to revitalise this much needed facility.

There will be a meeting organised to allow all members/groups of the local community to attend where it is hoped a committee can be formed and we can share ideas of how things can move forward.

Proposed meeting date Wednesday 7th June 2023 – Sandhaven & Pitullie Hall

TREASURERS REPORT:

The bank balance currently stands at £6710.23

UPCOMING EVENTS:

- Summer Disco – 28th June
Disco for all ages from 6-7.30pm (nursery to be accompanied by an adult)
- Summer Raffle
All goods have been purchased and Claire Maitland will shortly put out for sale at £5 per number to be drawn before end of term. Donations for a bottle hamper would be much appreciated and can be dropped off at the shop, school or to Claire at 34 Pitullie.

- Miss Walker has asked the children if there is anything they would like for the playground (due to the demise of the swing park). The children voted and have come up with a list of toys/equipment they would like which the Parent council will fund.
- We have suggested upgrading the CCTV around the school, sadly due to ongoing vandalism. Parent council will get a price for this to bring forward to the next meeting.
- Jason Simpson has volunteered to run a bonus ball for the school, selling at £2 per number.

NEXT MEETING – Monday 29th May