

## **FRIENDS AT BECKSTONE**

### **Minutes of Meeting held on Monday 7<sup>th</sup> March 2016**

**At**

### **Beckstone Primary School**

**Present:** Helen Finlay (Chair), Helen Little (Treasurer), David Warbrick, Jude Yoxall, Alison Needham, Anna Bagley, Heather Hemsley, Philippa Vaghan

**Apologies:** Kathryn Walker, Lyndsay Scott, Linzi MacDonald, Bernie Cunningham, Danielle Millar, Maddie Mitchell.

Philippa Vaughan recorded the minutes of the meeting.

#### **Treasurers Report**

£1,000.00 claimed by Mrs Vaughan from Barclays Bank match funding from Mr McAllister attending Christmas Fair.

The account is looking very healthy £4070.03

Mrs Vaughan has been asked to purchase dictionaries for Y6 leavers.

Mrs Little has applied for two lots of Gift Aid dating back to 13/14 & 14/15!

#### **Events for 2016**

Mrs Finlay will purchase Easter Eggs for the egg decorating, Easter bonnets and egg dumping winners.

Bingo nights on 25<sup>th</sup> & 26<sup>th</sup> May.

School office to sell tickets at a maximum of 100 per night. £2.00 per adult £1.00 per child and £5.00 per family.

Mrs Finlay to purchase hotdogs, rolls and refreshments.

There will be a chocolate non-uniform day for the prizes on the 13<sup>th</sup> May 2016.

#### **Expenditure**

Mrs McKeating wrote a letter requesting on behalf of Y6 for a set of 16 'What Mr Darwin Saw' books at a cost of £100.00. – The FAB Group granted this money.

Mrs Vaughan asked the FAB Group if they would fund the total cost of transport for the summer trip totalling £2,895.00 - The FAB Group granted this money.

Mrs Vaughan on behalf of PE asked if the FAB Group would fund for every child to get a pedometer during health week at a cost of £400.00 - The FAB Group granted this money to be taken from the raffle at Sports Day.

Mrs Vaughan and Mrs Yoxall wrote a letter asking for £2,000.00 for new books for the reading bus. The FAB Group agreed that money that was made from the Readathon would go towards this.

Sheryl McKeating on behalf of Cookery Club applied for £150.00 to purchase a food processor. The FAB Group asked if Sheryl could write to local companies first to see if they would subsidise and if no successes re-apply to FAB.

#### **Any Other Business**

Nothing to discuss

#### **Date of Next Meeting**

Monday 13<sup>th</sup> June 2016.