

Friends Of Lethbridge AGM

Thursday 15th October 2015 at Lethbridge Primary School

7-8.10pm

Present: James Heydon, Sharon Davison, Al Weir, Caron Short, Kerry Snell, Kate Widdows, Martene Davidson, Lorraine Simpson, Paul Castle, Claire Uphill, Violet McLaren, Jo Innes, Alison Fielden, Jo Sweeney. Introductions were made.

Apologies: Jackie Ware, Lisa Monis, Kate Went

Overview of Last Year's Events

- Becky Jackson took over management of the Summer Fete.
- Good staff involvement.
- A big thank you to the 10k committee for organising the Fun Run and the 10k which raise a lot of income for us.
- Year 1 and 2 Productions ran on the same day which significantly improved our café takings at that event: thanks to staff for considering this.
- We had interest from the school Governors: a representative attended one of our meetings and James went to a Governors meeting to discuss FOL.
- We ran our usual fund raising and non-profit making events with success. In addition we ran a competition to design a logo'd school T-shirt and had the winning design printed in a selection of sizes for children to wear when they represent the school at competitive events.

Treasurer's Report

Briefly, we had a total income of £20,182 this year. Expenditure was £18,935.

We purchased the following items:

The Explorer Dome	Dance Workshops International Week	
Bristol Zoo Coaches	3 Little Pigs Production	
Dictionaries	EYFS Lydiard Park Trip	
Ice Lollies	Junior Good Citizen Coaches	
Archaeology Workshop	Richard Jeffries Museum	
Year books	Coate Water Transport	
Gazebos	Dressing up cupboard	
Dance Workshop	Table Tennis tables	Maths Supplies

Our total assets remain at just over £20K. This year we plan to promote Easy Fundraising as total income from this was down £90 from last year.

Election of Next Year's Committee

Treasurer: Jackie Ware to continue as Treasurer. Nominated by James Heydon, seconded by Becky Stokes.

Secretary: Jo Sweeney, nominated by Becky Stokes, seconded by Sharon Davison.

Chair: James Heydon, nominated by Jo Sweeney, seconded by Kerry Snell.

AOB

- It was confirmed that the date for our Xmas Bazaar will be 28th November. James has agreed to manage the event (with lots of delegation hopefully!).
- Café's will run after the Year 1 & 2 Production
- KW suggested updating the school website (Friends area), this was agreed.
- James gave a breakdown and explanation of our events to newcomers (see diary of events separately).

Our meeting concluded at 8.10pm.