Dollar Academy Parents' Association Monday 7th November 2022

Minutes of The Meeting

Present:

Elizabeth Porter (Chair/Thrift Shop Convenor),

Sheena Hall

Tony Mills Marie Munday Sheena Gray Pamela Corsar

Claire Johnstone Suzanne Edmond Claire Silcock

Shona Waddell

Lorna Cameron (Secretary), Simon Burbury (Deputy Rector)

Angela King
Craig Anderson
Laura Crouch
Suzanne Edmond
Morven Cadell

Apologies received from Mark Bancroft, Ben McCosh and Claire Silcock

1. Introduction, welcome

Elizabeth welcomed everyone to the meeting.

2. Minutes of the last meeting

Minutes of the last meeting (September 5th 2022) were reviewed and accepted.

3. Matters arising

- Minutes from the Meeting of 5th September can now be put on the website.
- All updates to the Constitution agreed at AGM made

4. Updates

Chairman's Report (Elizabeth)

- Elizabeth noted that the coffee mornings, both on the 1st day back after summer and for Form 1 school parents night worked well and thanked all those involved
- Again, Elizabeth thanked all those who attended the update on the Futures institute and a further Q&A session was to be held with the rector

Governors Report (Oli)

No update

Treasurer and Thrift Shop update,

- The Thrift Shop has the grand total of £18,666 in bank account
- £5,700 donated for the purchase of streaming/internet broadcast equipment and £750 donated for books, have still to be paid to the school.
- £3,326 to pay out on accounts for 80% of sales
- Total unrestricted balance is £8,890



• The Thrift Shop has been open 8 days so far this school year and has already taken £8,868 in sales

5. Events

- Jingle Mingle to be held 10th December in Marquee from 6:30 8:30pm
- Same format as 2021: snacks and drinks, entertainment to be provided
- Ticket price £5 per adult

6. AOB

- National discussion on education taking place Wednesday 9th and Saturday 12th November. School looking for volunteers
- Q&A session to be organised with DAPA and the Rector (post meeting date confirmed for Friday 11th November 2022)
- Bauble hats to be sold in TS (school happy for TS to sell these but to ask uniform sellers for quotes)
- Short notice requests on events held by the Charities commission. Request for a calendar of events for the year ahead

7. Date of next meeting

The next committee meeting will be held in January 2023.

The meeting closed at 2104 hrs.

Membership

Ben McCosh (on 2021 off 2024)

Suzanne Edmond (on 2019, off 2023)

Claire Silcock (on 2019, off 2023)

Elizabeth Porter (on 2020, off 2023)

Oli Pearce (on 2020, off 2023)

Lorna Cameron (on 2020, off 2023)

Morven Cadell (on 2020, off 2023)

Pamela Corsar (on 2021, off 2024)

Marie Munday (on 2022, off 2025)

Clare Seeruttun (on 2022, off 2025)

Sheena Gray (on 2022, off 2025)

Sheena Hall (on 2022, off 2025)

Laura Crouch (on 2022, off 2025)

Craig Anderson (on 2022, off 2025)

Tony Mills (on 2022, off 2025)

Clare Johnstone (cstother@yahoo.com)

Shona Waddell (on 2021, off 2024)

Mark Bancroft(on 2021, off 2024)

Lesley Shepherd (on 2022, off 2025)

Angela King (on 2022, off 2025)

Co-opted member

Rhona Nataraja (on 2022)

