Lindow PTA Annual General Meeting

Tuesday 2nd November 2021

Venue: Lindow School

1. Welcome and members present

Attendees:

Co-chair: Abi Cummings Co-chair: Rachel Hewitt Treasurer: Sara Bracken

Media Secretary: Tracey Wetnall

PTA Members: Sophie Bruce, Liz Bond, Viv McGuire and Michelle Vickerman.

Head Teacher: Zoe Wilson

2. Apologies for absence

Sam Roberts, Abbie Jackson, Kelly Foster, Lianne Linney, Amanda Atkinson, Louise Long and Sue Blake.

3. Treasurer's Report

Sara gave us the total amount raised this year which was £3165.15 which is pretty amazing considering we were unable to hold a Christmas or a Summer Fair!

4. Chair's Report

Abi ran through the events organized by the PTA from Sept 2020 – July 2021. Amazingly, despite the lockdown and restrictions we had still managed to run many events. This included dress down days, the school calendar (thanks to Mr Norris), the Christmas Bauble and Tea Light decorating competition, a virtual balloon race, a cookbook and the very popular 'Frozen Fridays'. Being unable to host a Christmas Fair we improvised with a festive raffle which was well received.

Abi thanked the current committee and the wider PTA team for a special year of thinking outside the box and creating new ideas as well as Miss Wilson, Mrs O'Rourke and Mr Wright for all their continued efforts and support.

Finally, it was mentioned that some of the current committee for 20/21 would be standing down for 21/22.

5. Head Teacher's Report

Zoe thanked the PTA on behalf of the school for their work over what has been another difficult year. She is looking forward to assisting us in our new approach to the Christmas Fair as we attempt to emulate the Christmas Markets in the playground.

She and other Lindow Staff Members have expressed that they would appreciate funds raised by the PTA to go towards outdoor electrical points, outdoor Maths areas and a historical timeline for the hall.

6. <u>Election of Committee</u>

Abi Cummings stood down as Co-Chair Kelly Foster stood down as Secretary Sara Bracken stood down as Treasurer Ali Lodge stood down as Creative Designer

New Committee Agreed: Co-chair - Rachel Hewitt Co-Chair - Viv McGuire Treasurer - Andrea Williams Secretary - Liz Bond Media Secretary - Tracey Wetnall

7. AOB

We planned to have another PTA meeting with the wider members to discuss the Christmas fair.