

Rosehearty School Parent Council

Tuesday 19th September 2017

AGM

Present:- Mrs Birnie, Mrs Buchan, Vicky Irvine, Jenna McRobbie, Donna Marie Gray, Jemma McBride, Dee Noble, Ailson Pearson, , Darren Traves, Dee Noble, Sarah Pirie

Apologies:- Denise Stephen, Lynsey MacDonald, Janet Simpson, Michelle Bolt, Carole Short, Dawn Arnott, Alison Traves, Lynne Bruce, Vicki Wilkins, Sarah Black, Helen Sim, carole Short

Chairpersons report

Thanks to you all for coming and a warm welcome to all our new members. Thanks was extended to all that have help with fundraisers this year, discos, parties, book fayres, Christmas fayre and sports day it's all very much appreciated.

Our main fundraisers have been intoxicating tea Party, Ipad mini Raffle, and the buttery morning. Although parents have not supported many of these events, a good amount was raised for the school.

We have not spent much from this year's fundraising, and the school are currently making a list for the parent council to replace equipment within the school. WE have provided snacks and Dj for school discos. We also provided food/drink and selection boxes for the Christmas parties. We also paid for the ski trip, and another whole school trip is in the process of being organised.

The rag Bags continue to bring in a substantial amount of money and since Nov 2013 it has raised £3500. Jenna McRobbie expressed her enjoyment as being our PC Chairperson and looks forward to another successful year.

Treasurer's report

The treasures report was very detailed, academic year 2016/17

Were raised £4230.41 a difference of £488.35 less than the year 2015/16. This money came from Donations, Halloween Disco, Rag Bag, Buttery Morning, Ipad Mini Raffle, Car boot sale, homebake sale, Perfume Raffle and Aberdeenshire council Giving us a closing Balance of £5288.90, although about £3000 has been set aside for a whole school trip and £2000 for replacement of school equipment such as construction equipment such as knex, lego, wooden games and jigsaws.

Headteacher's report

Mrs Birnie thanked everyone for all the help and support provided from the PC. The school will continue to raise attainment levels, although the official results were good see the results below

	P1 Early Level	P4 First Level	P7 Second Level
Reading	72%	86%	87%
Writing	78%	86%	73%
Listening & Talking	94%	96%	87%
Numeracy	89%	93%	100%

There are new assessment standards being introduced this year from P1,P4 and P7 Children's University has changed onto a new system, which is still to go live. Although the old system will continue at this moment in time. The school have introduced a wider achievement tracker. The system tracks every individual in all levels in all classes, so the school can get it right for every child this is ongoing. From the improvement plan's they have improved how the school reports to parents. The 2+1 language scheme has been delivered within the school, seems to be going well but needs to be embedded yet.

The school will continue with getting it right for every child and focus on Dyslexia. The Curriculum national framework will continue to develop.

The early year's e profiling was very successful and will continue, the transition from a part time to full time Nursery has been fairly smooth and successful.

Thank you again for all your support, fundraising and Mrs Birnie was thankful for such a large supportive active Parent council.

Mrs Anita Buchan was also present at the PC meeting she expressed her delight that she has been appointed the acting head of the school. She very much look sforward to meeting all the children and families within the school. She wants parents to feel confident sending their children to a school where our children will be happy and grow into strong, confident well-rounded individuals. She gave us a brief rundown of all the activities that will be happening between now and the October break. Mrs Buchan looks forward to working with us all.

Election of new members: The committee member suggested that the committee remained the same this year as the school does have an unsettled future and keeping the parent council, the same would give the school a solid support system. To which all the committee member present agreed then Donna Marie Gray 2nd the decision.

Chairperson - Jenna McRobbie

Vice Chairperson - Jemma McBride

Treasurer – Dee Taylor

Secretary – Vicky Irvine