

Eyam School PTFA AGM
HELD ON 14.10.2020 @ 8.15pm (Zoom meeting)

Present

Mrs Gilbertson - Head Teacher (OG)

Julia Pritchard- Chair (JP)

Katherine Hildyard – Treasurer (KH)

Jess Eades (JE)

Laura Hayfield (LH)

Louise Heath (Louise H)

Vikki Binns (VB)

Jayne Pritzlaff (JP)

Alby Atkinson (AA)

Sophie Bell (SB)

Kate Hadfield (KH)

Eleanor Ross (ER)

Apologies - Helen Everatt

AGM

1. JP read through the PTFA AGM 2019 official minutes.

ER supported the minutes as a true and accurate record.

2. Chair's report 2019/2020

Bonfire 2019 - Fantastic community event, our thanks to the Bonfire committee and Clare Hepworth, thank you to the parent volunteers and the wider community volunteers.

The Rat and lanterns were enjoyed by all and the event raised £6,438.

No event in 2020 and look forward to a great 2021 event

Christmas cards for 2020 have already been made and 2019 cards raised £336

Christmas Disco, hosted by "Mark the DJ" and helpers, the secret Santa room and Chill out room was a great success and raised £200.

The village Christmas market raised £101 with the children running a "Jam Jar" stall.

Christmas 2019 the PTFA supported the school councils request for their Christmas donation to Jam Tam school in Burkina Faso

The unwanted Christmas Bingo hosted by the Binn's family was a tremendous success and we look forward to the next one!

"The raise the Roof" campaign was headed by JE, but with lockdown this campaign was paused.

With many thanks to all the PTFA fundraising in previous years, we donated £20,000 to the school to support the build of our "new room"

This was achieved throughout lock down and the summer term, special thanks should be offered the Mr Barry Lomas, our community and premises governor.

He worked very hard on this project and attended school 2/3 days each week to check and advise.

Unfortunately, the window lintels needed to be replaced and added an additional £6,000 to the cost. The project was very well controlled but this was an unforeseen necessity.

OG is hopeful that the authority will contribute to this additional cost but as we don't want to take any money out of the school budget, the PTFA will attempt to fundraise.

Film club, much enjoyed and organised by KH and helpers, raised £57.00

Easy fundraising contributed £196

Thanks to SB, the school lottery raised £713.00

Eyam bags and postcards raised £27.00

Thanks to George at the "Coolstone", he is donating 25p to the PTFA from every cup of coffee sold.

Thank you to Pam Cocker, who has been a very active member of the PTFA for many years, always helped out at every event and organised the "rag

bags" and re-cycled hand uniform sales, which has raised great sums for the school.

Julia will organise a "Thank you" card and flowers from the children.

Finally, I would like to offer our thanks to Mrs Gilbertson, the staff and governors for having an inspirational attitude, adapting working practices and working out how the school could move on in such a difficult year. We can only imagine how hard you all have been working and we are proud to be part of the school team.

A special thanks for being the first school to attend White Hall on a non-residential two-day trip, such an essential milestone for our children.

The PTFA will continue to work with and support the school and finally, we need to move forward and consider how the PTFA can continue to fundraise and appoint a new committee.

3. Agenda

OG said she would pass back all our feedback to the staff at the school.

4. Treasurers report

Please see attached breakdown

PTFA accounts are independently reviewed by Mrs R Buckingham before submitting to the charity commission on an annual basis.

5. Election of Trustees

Chair - Not appointed

Treasurer - Not appointed

Secretary- Kate Hadfield

Class representatives -

ER - Reception and year 1

JP - year 2

VB - Owl Class

LH - year 5

KH- year 6

A discussion took place regarding how to encourage all parents to get involved.

Various options were discussed.

Any other business.

JP thanked all for attending

- "Raise the Roof" we will ask Clare Walsh to update the just giving page - Action JP
- Write an article for the next Parish Magazine, asking the village to support our campaign.
- Bonfire lanterns - a willow lantern craft kit will be distributed in return for a financial donation. Including a letter "Lets mark Bonfire"
- JE offered to design a half term walking treasure hunt to be included with the lantern kit.
- Christmas fundraising - A silent auction of our promises?
- LH offered to write to parents to see what they could offer and organise a sub group if the response makes the event viable.
- Sincere thanks were offered to Julia and Katherine

Date of next meeting 18th November 2020 on Zoom at 7.30 pm