Thursday 10 November 2022, 7.30pm, Location: The Black Horse

1. Present

Leonie Emmott (LE), Clare Palmer (CP), Sam Brock (SB), Susanna Cooper (SC), Suzi Kindred (SK), Sara Mair (SM), Vicky Hearson (VH),

And Welcome to: Lucy Hemsley (LH)

2. Apologies - Clare Willis (CW), Sophie Conyers (SoCo), Karen Boardman (KB), Alex Gilbert (AG), Lizzie Haigh (LH)

3. Funding Requests

- A. Wildlife Area Lavender Garden Plants £100 Agreed
- B. Little Wandle Books Second Set £1000 Agreed
- C. Attendance Raffle No contribution for now, but will revisit it
- D. Xmas Books Agreed
- E. Celebrate Donations Made

Work more on the Facebook page to promote the donations we are making. Action: VH to help share the info / pics sent out on Twitter, where applicable.

4. Previous Fundraising Updates

A. Clothing Collection Bin

Agreed to make a collage of the entries. Action: CP to talk to CW about design.

B. Donut Days

Agreed to do next Donut Day on Thu 24 November 2022.

C. Dark Grove Disco 2022 Debrief

- Overall Profit: £445
- Food: Hot docs over pizza
- Activities: Lucky Dip at 50p
- Tell parents bring both kids to KS1 and KS2 events
- Midweek events need more helpers (set-up, run and tidy up)
- Action: Plan ahead with laminated sheets of prices

5. Future Fundraising Activities

- A. Cake stalls ideas to keep them going!
 - New regulations, must state ingredients ask people to print out the recipe they used, or we can't accept?
 - Leave all donations in the tin they came in, don't mix on plates
- B. Speed Quiz/Adult Only Event

Action: LE to chase Alan about Spring 2023 Speed Quiz date. To consider DJ Ollie for a Bingo & Disco adult only event.

C. Christmas Raffle

Next step is to stuff envelopes.

- D. Christmas event Tues 13 Dec
 - **Present Tunnel:** pre-wrapped presents at set price for kids to buy Xmas gifts for their parents.
 - Tuck Shop: Run by School Council
 - **Puddings:** Mince Pies
 - Merch: Clare W to help with Merch & Lucky Dip
 - Bar: Mulled wine, beer, luxury hot chocolate and hot drinks
 - Volunteers: Need 8 helpers for food and bar total

Action: Consider looking at Booker as School has a card.

E. Celebrating diversity event

Agreed not to pursue as already taking place in School.

6. AOB

Action: SC send email around needing more volunteers.Action: SB and SC to organise meeting with Vicky to show how to edit PTa webpage.Action: For next event that may need the kitchen, organise a walkthrough with Jo so that she can help show us where everything is.

7. Future Meeting Dates

Calendar of Events 2022/3

| Month | Event | Provisional Date | Notes |
|-----------|----------------------|--------------------|---|
| September | | | |
| October | Donut Day | Fri 7 & Fri 21 Oct | |
| | Fancy Dress Stall | Thu 20/Fri 21 Oct | |
| | Dark Grove | Mon 31 Oct | |
| November | Donut Day | Thu 24 Nov | |
| December | Christmas Raffle | Daily | |
| | Christmas Party | Tues 13 Dec | |
| January | | | |
| February | Valentines Bake Sale | | Half term is 10-20 Feb New regulations to consider |
| March | Speed Quiz | Fri 24 Mar | |
| April | Freezy Fridays | Weekly | |
| Мау | Freezy Fridays | Weekly | |
| June | Freezy Fridays | Weekly | |
| July | Freezy Fridays | Weekly | |
| | Grovefest | Fri 14 July | |

Calendar of Events 2023/4

| Month | Event | Provisional Date | Notes |
|-----------|----------------------|------------------|-------|
| September | | | |
| October | Donut Day | Тbс | |
| | Fancy Dress Stall | Tbc | |
| | Dark Grove | Fri 27 Oct 2023 | |
| November | Donut Day | Tbc | |
| | Speed Quiz | Fri 17 Nov 2023 | |
| December | Christmas Raffle | Daily | |
| | Christmas Party | ТВС | |
| January | | | |
| February | Valentines bake sale | ТВС | |
| March | | | |
| April | Freezy Fridays | Weekly | |
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| July | Freezy Fridays | Weekly | |
| | Grovefest | ТВС | |

Grove Fest Activities

| Category | Туре | Notes for 2023 |
|------------|---|----------------|
| Admin | Volunteers Sign-Ups St Nicks Recycling | |
| Acts | Young Voices Dance Class Ukulele Club DJ Ollie | |
| Activities | Inflatables Colour Run Tug-O-War Teachers in Stocks Nerf Shooting Range Wheel of Fortune Sweets in a Jar Teddy Tombola | |
| Food | Hot Dogs Pizza Candy Floss | |
| Drinks | Mocktails Bar Ice Cream Van Tuck Shop Bar | |
| Stalls | Strawberries & Cream Facepainting Nail Bar Merch | |