

## MINUTES OF FRIENDS MEETING HELD ON THE 14<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER 2016 AT THE EARL SPENCER PUB

Present: Chair - Hayley Brockway, (HB), Treasurer - Yulia Shulgina (YS), Rhona Pryor(RP), Lucy Ward-Smith (LWS), Elaine Ewin, Tim Woodall, Glen Macfarlane, Emy, Lisa Sertin, Afua Apraku, Sarah Russell, Sophie O'Brien, Gary O'Brien, Nathalie Mathison, Melonie Salam, Nicola Wild

Apologies: Angela Parry, Rebecca Gregg, Lorraine March,

### TREASURERS REPORT

- YS informed the meeting that the last bank statement on the 30<sup>th</sup> August showed we had £9674.34 in the account. This included sponsorship money from Haart (£750.00) for the quiz night and £1,180.00 from Winchester White for the summer fair.
- The summer fair raised £4940.00

### YEAR 7 BBQ

- Date 23<sup>rd</sup> September 7-9pm an event for the new year 7 parents and their families to meet other parents and staff. The point was raised as to why the new year 12 parents are not included. A discussion followed with the decision to mention to the school of extending the invitation.  
Action HB
- LWS informed the meeting that the deadline for ticket request and order forms the 18<sup>th</sup> September and to date 60 families have responded
- Meat to be ordered from Robert Edwards butcher once final numbers are known. Action RP
- It was decided that a second BBQ was essential. HB to ask Simon Price if he would be able to borrow the BBQ from The Park Tavern. Action HB
- LWS raised the issue of a lack of help on the night. It was decided to ask school to send out a general plea via the school email and a plea to be posted on the Friends FB page. Action HB and LWS

### FUTURE EVENTS

-

- LWS informed the meeting that the next planned social event would be the welcome drinks for all parents in all years including years 12 and 13.
- This will be held at The Park Tavern on Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> September from 7.30pm. An area in The Park Tavern is to be reserved. Action RP
- A brief discussion about the next big fundraiser in November. Traditionally this has been a live band but this year it has been decided to have a disco. As the date for the event is the 25<sup>th</sup> of November the decision was made to name it The Countdown to Christmas Disco. Further planning for the event to be discussed at the next meeting.

NEXT MEETING: AGM 12<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER 7.30PM UPSTAIRS IN THE EARL SPENCER