



Baljaffray PTA AGM – Tuesday 10th October 2023

Attendees:

Charlotte Malone (CM)	Elizabeth Pirie (EP)	Malena Gormal
Sharon Low (SL)	James Spowart (JS)	Sweeny Nawalkaz (SN)
Adele Targosz (AT)	Gillian Clarke (GC)	Katie McDonald
Pamela Graham (PG)	Elaine Paterson (E Pat)	Gary Grainger
Hazel Lauchlan (HL)	Julie Wilson (JW)	
Julie Craig (JC)	Jane Cowan (J.CO)	
Asheligh McDermott (AM)		

Apologies:, Emily Dewar, Secretary, Sharon Middleton, Lynne McLelland Gemma Thomson, Louise Logan,

Feedback on Previous Events

Chippy Hike – Saturday 16th September

- Good feedback, really enjoyed.
- Not great monetary – could charge more next time. £2 charged for chips so only made £1 per person.
- 86 people attended.
- Mostly middle school
- For future – charge more potentially make it longer walk. Potentially look at June next year.

Movie Night – Friday 29th September

- Kids benefit from the social aspect of it. Well enjoyed.
- Pre made bags would be good for future events.
- Quite chaotic but feed back good.
- Sugarfree drinks consider for next time.

Upcoming Events

Halloween Disco – Friday 27th October

- CM has booked same DJ as we had for Valentine's disco and price confirmed at £200 (cash on night)
- Prizes will be needed for best dressed etc. (Pamela)
- Julie has produced a flyer.
- Looking for apples – JS will try to source apples
- Tickets are on sale... school will send flyer tomorrow.

- CM will do tickets.
- Sharon / hazel will replenish tuck/ Julie Wilson will check what is there.
- Sharon / Shirley will make up Halloween sweet bags.
- Pizzas to be organised. (James)
- Gillie Turner will do tattoos,
- Ashleigh will do tuck, other volunteers sourced via whatsapp.
- Ashleigh/ Hazel first aiders.
- Need to push on facebook.

Spooky Stroll

- Leading up to Halloween.
- Given a map with entry form - glow form? Cost £2
- 7 houses so far, need 13. Another push needed. Windows decorated, put a number in it. South Baljaffray.
- Volunteers in meeting, now at 13.
- Pumpkins with numbers.
- Saturday 21st to Friday 27th – Announce winners at Halloween disco.
- Prizes needed, 6 prizes (Pamela.)
- Promote this week – fbook and email) as holidays start this Thursday.

Christmas Fayre – Friday 24th November

- Time to be 18:30-20:30pm
- CM has met a few times.
- Good response to facebook requests for stall holders.
- Plenty of stall holders now –15 stall holders so far. Local choir offering to sing. Singergy.
- Crafts, geekaboo, soap, bowdicious, tropic skin care, bodyshop, interior cushions / vases etc, Usborne books, samosas, milena cakes, handmade wreathes, handpainted wooden gifts. Alibali beads, pets plus, animal xmas gifts. Sweenie doing savoury snacks. Melana may have contact who does bracelets.
- Theres a whats-app for sup-committee and all happy to be involved again.
- Julie Wilson to do flyer – again flyer drop to be done
- Stall price agreed at £15 for standard table and £25 for a middle table (larger due to dining tables being used)
- Ticket prices agreed as £5 (family of 2 adults 3 children), £2 child, £3 adult
- Santa's grotto – got 3 santas – JS agreed Gordon Turner.
- r. E Pat will ask for further suggestions
- Suggested stalls– Christmas headbands, recycled Xmas Jumpers and pygamas etc. clothes etc, tombola, Xmas hampers, Snow cones, lucky dip, sweets in the jar (PG agreed to organise again), guess the teddy bears birthday (EP and JS agreed to organise), make your own/decorate xmas decorations, hook a xmas duck. Water or wine stall (different from Tombola). Wheel of fortune, hook a duck, snowman matching game, Christmas tree advent calender, knock the elf off the shelf. Carrot on the snowman, pull the tinsel. Stocking filler stall. Raindeer dust/ santas supplies. Elf hats etc. (PTA to fund) animal balloon stall. Balloon head bands?? Find out more about this. Letters to santa? Marshmallow snowmen?
- Café – mince pie and cup of tea/coffee with ticket price.
- Tuck shop
- Will need a number of volunteers. P7 elves needed. Another santa needed.
- Pizzas
- Leaflet the flyers / promote on fbook community groups.

Christmas Fundraisers (December time) to be discussed at next PTA

- Christmas Teddy.
- Christmas Hampers
- Guess the sweets in jar, guess the candy canes.
- Winter Wander

Schools 50th Birthday.

- Design a mug / tea towels. – school will start design competition now
- Mural £1400 approx – school requesting pta fund.

Tesco Fundraiser –

2 Treasurers Update

- See report attached
- Need to push lottery and easy fundraiser. No further with card reader. Account needs updated may be end of year.
- Current accountant is a parent whose child is now in P7, this will be his last year. PTA needs an accountant to take over.
- Gambling licence – Adele has been following this up.

Facebook group

- Need to send a message, lots of people there who have left.

3 School Updates/Requests

- STEM – spheroindi £1500 consider fundraising/ coding for very young children / nursery / p1

50th Birthday Celebrations

- Possible mural as Mosshead have had done incorporating bees and date of school founded etc – approx cost £1400 – artist coming to discuss design and location. Once more info can discuss funding.
- Replacement of black curtain in hall discussed – AT will ask her mum as a dressmaker about cost etc
- Ideas for gifts for children to mark the occasion – mugs/bookmark/photo etc

4 AOB

Outdoor Shelter

- No update – hoping by Christmas.
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- Christmas tree – Hazel and Adele, Sweeny – Wednesday before xmas fayre. Check gazebos for santa. Booking system for santa needed. Gifts for santa.
- **Gambling Licence** – CM queried when renewal normally came in. SM thought it was sent to her last year in September so will look out for it.
- **Bike Shelter** – no update. Mrs Cowan will follow up.
- **Removal of Facebook Group members no longer connected to school** – a further request to remove yourself to be posted and a sense check amongst the committee of names people know are no longer connected to the school. Send group message

Next Meeting Date – Wednesday 1st Nov 6.30pm – Bearsden Academy

Please see below all future meeting dates, we look forward to seeing you there:

PTA Meetings
23/24

<u>Month</u>	<u>Day</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Location</u>
October	Tuesday	10th	6.30pm	Bearsden Academy Staff Room	Monthly Meeting
November	Wednesday	1st	6.30pm	Bearsden Academy Staff Room	Monthly Meeting
December	Monday	4th	6.30pm	Bearsden Academy Staff Room	Monthly Meeting
January	Tuesday	9th	6.30pm	Bearsden Academy Staff Room	Monthly Meeting
February	Wednesday	7th	6.30pm	Bearsden Academy Staff Room	Monthly Meeting
March	Monday	4th	6.30pm	Bearsden Academy Staff Room	Monthly Meeting
April	Tuesday	16th	6.30pm	Bearsden Academy Staff Room	Monthly Meeting
May	Wednesday	8th	6.30pm	Bearsden Academy Staff Room	Monthly Meeting
June	Monday	10th	6.30pm	Bearsden Academy Staff Room	AGM

