ACS PTA Meeting – 8th July 2019

Attendees - Julia Milligan, Nadeene Stewart, Mrs Stray, Kairen Hesketh, Angela Skinner, Claire Toms, Karen Francis, Nami Nishino, Suzy Hope, Lizzi Hodgkinson, Richard Brown, Annie Horne, Irine Crick, Sophie Ashcroft, A Gizza, Amy Leary, Julie Fernandes-Tansley

Apologies – Katharine Rhodes, Susie Williams, Tina Batchelor, Sophie Attree, Nicole Ho

Approval of last month's minutes – everyone was happy with last month's minutes

Carried Over:

First aider training course for PTA. NS to check criteria for PTA insurance and what they need for first aid training – to be discussed after the summer break.

Draw for 200 Club

The first number was 17, and the second number was 7.

Event Round Up:

Half Marathon - Marshalling

- Good event
- Perfect number of volunteers
- Good & quite easy £ for the PTA. Maybe consider a second marshalling point next year.

Noted – bringing instruments – bells / tambourines make big impact & saves voice!!

School Fair

£4000 profit

Good steady stream of customers

V v hot meant people didn't linger

Time of day worked well

Student performances in good venue and well timed throughout event

Great prizes for silent auction

Great work all round!

Upcoming events

Coffee mornings

Macmillan coffee morning, preceded by nearly new sale with winter coat collection for inner London School – Karen (supported by Julia) coordinating

Halloween Disco

Thurs 24th October.

Yrs. 2/3 6 till 7pm. Yrs. 4/6 7.15 till 8.15pm.

Odyssey Takeover

Mon 4^{th} Nov. Seeking a school to share venue with – due to new cost of £1200

Quiz Night

Angela kindly agreed to do this again! Just after half term – probably 18th October.

Year 1 Film Night

Comedy Night / Wine tasting and Film Nights for the rest of the school coming up next term! (Agreed enough without Fun Day.)

Theatre Fundraising campaign

- Businesses being sought to sponsor in return for advertising Claire has put together a pack
- Claire has also put together a parent email to contribute through Just Giving (School, with new Charity Status set up on Just Giving.) There are a number of sponsorship options available.
- Silent Auction closes on Sports Day

Sports Day

Theatre Fundraising discussed. Agreed: Cook Book sales, Silent Auction & joining 200 Club!

Theatre Clearing

Current theatre being demolished and rebuilt over summer break. Team of volunteers moving PTA stock into outdoor bunker in the Playground.

Christmas Cards – or another version on...

Karen and Julia coordinating options.

Website Review

Nadeene encouraged PTA members to look at revamped pages to review and feedback

Class Rep WhatsApp

Shortly to become one-way information only – any replies will be via personal messaging.

Transition Day for New Parents to the School

Nadeene and Claire doing short PTA presentations a.m. and p.m. respectively.

NEXT MEETING – Wednesday 18th September 2019 – everybody welcome