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**Minutes of PTA Meeting**

*7.00pm Wednesday 5th May 2021 at St Thomas’s School*

**Meeting opened 7.15 pm**

**Present:** Sally, Emma O, Josie Naani, Justin, Nic G, Kav

1. **Apologies:** Keri, Nic R, Shakil, Ange
2. **Confirmation of Previous Minutes** – Emma confirmed as read, seconded by Justin
3. **Correspondence In / Out**

In: Face book comms on messenger, fundraising offers

Out: Entertainment book comms, Pool Key.

1. **Co-Chair report (Emma O )**

No update this meeting due to start of term.

1. **Teacher’s Report (Sally)**

Back into term, everyone had a great break.

New Teacher in year 2 settled in well.

Reminder of talk at school – Nathan Wallis, tickets remaining.

1. **Treasurer’s Report (Keri)**

$10k donation to the board approved at last meeting – I will action that this week, now that I have access to the bank a/c back ☹

Income: I deposited all of the final Picnic payment $ - final profit number is $1728 vs $4121 in 2020 and $3582 in 2019 – lets call this the “Covid affect”

Sausage Sizzle Thurs 15/4 – we sold and cooked 448 bangers (thanks Justin) and made a profit of $564.56 – I expect this will be bigger next time as we had to buy sauce, tongs and trays this time which we won’t need to next time. Please let Nic R know I will now process her repayments for everything she bought – and apologies for the delay!

The office ladies also ‘found’ in the safe and additional $498 from last years A-thon! Which I have banked. Brings our profit up to $9638

No out-goings since last meeting.

**7. General Business:**

1. **Quiz Committee (All)**

Committee: Keri, Naani, Nic G, Kav

Date: Saturday 11th or 18th September

Drinks: Kegs, Early wine order and Pals

Theme: Oktoberfest

Food (Nanni): Pretzels and Sausages

Committee meeting in 2 weeks Tuesday 18th

1. **Athon Update (Keri/ Sally)**

Olympic A-thon

I have started to pull the questions together – see attached, feedback appreciated. Note Y3-6 & Y7-8 not finished! – We love it!!!

I’m waiting on Karen B to send me the class lists for numbers, so that I can get the pledge cards printed

We will need to push our original timings back by 1 week - distribute pledge cards and questions in Week 3 (Mon 17/5) sheets out, Week 5 (Thurs 3/6) testing, cash collection w/c Tues 8/6.

1. **Musical Showcase (Emma O)**

Emma will contact interested parents to work with Nic R in running this for 2021.

Term 2 date tbc.

**d) Sausage Sizzle (Justin)**

We would like to move to a Friday. New date of 2nd of July. Need more helpers next time, 4 minimum with Justin cooking. Would like to move Justin closer with BBQ.

Helpers @10am: Keri, Emma, Nic G, Josie tbc

**e) School Colour Fun Run (Josie)**

Cross country is in term 3, so possibly look to do prior to this. Possibly Sunday 22nd August, 10/10.30 start.

Bay Suburbs Zones Cross Country 23rd August.

Josie will look into details and report back at the next meeting.

Kim Chapman could help.

**f) Second Hand Uniform Sale and House Tees (Josie)**

Second hand Uniform: Yes, comms for donations Keri, Date for am and pm Friday 14th May. Josie to sort a room to store uniforms in-between sales.

Tees: Yes, lets place another order and carry some stock.

Please can the school utilise the house tee on sports days etc.

**g) Sleep out (Nic G)**

Definitely still keen for this in term 4.

Food: Sausages and Pizza

Movie: Possbly outdoors

Entertainment to keep kids happy: e.g. scavenger hunt, obstacle course

Will set a date closer to the time.

**H) Calendar Art**

Paper out term 2, art to be completed term 3.

Sally and Josie on this.

**I) Movie Night**

Keri following up on movies and dates.

**J) Iceblocks**

All year round on Fridays. Ange to run.

**7. Next PTA Meeting**:

**Meeting closed 8.40 pm**