



Putting Young People First



Minutes of Parent Council Meeting

Thursday 5th October 2023

Present

Prayer:

AGENDA

1. Office bearers

Following discussion, it was agreed that the named member below will take up the following position:

Treasurer – Anthony McBride

2. Depute Head Teacher Interviews

Pauline Boyce agreed to attend interviews for the Depute Head Teacher role on 09/10/2023 as Parents' Council Representative

3. Parent Council Agenda Items for Session 23-24

The following agenda items were agreed for the remainder of the session:

- 2nd November 2023 - Learning & Teaching Policy
 - (Josef Fuchs, Principal Teacher Learning and Teaching)
- 7th December 2023 – Partnership Programmes (Lisa Murphy, Partnership Manager)
 - Michelle Caldwell and Gemma McGowan requested the inclusion of the work the partnership base in preparing young people for interviews.
- 11th January 2024 – School Finance, Pupil Equity Funding (J McGhee & Carrie-Ann Mayberry, Business Manager)
- 8th February 2024 – Raising Attainment Strategy (Kevin Quinn, Depute Head Teacher S6)
 - Curriculum Design (Paul Scollin, Depute Head Teacher S3)
- 7th March 2024 – Self Evaluation and Parental Engagement (M. Keelan)
- 4th April 2024 – Extra-Curricular Leadership Roles, Relationships, Sexual Health and Parental Education (TBC)
- 2nd May 2024 – Reporting / Tracking Communication Strategy (K. Quinn)
 - Louise Docherty requested the inclusion of the school policy on social media – addition agreed by the Council.
- 6th June 2024 – Meeting Learners' Needs / Child Protection (Nicola MacLellan, Depute Head Teacher S5)

Mr McGhee agreed to include the school's Continuing Professional Development programme in one of the above meetings.

4. Promoting Positive Behaviour Strategy

Mrs Keelan presented an overview of the St Andrew's Promoting Positive Behaviour Strategy.

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Next Meeting - Thursday 2nd November 2023 at 6.30pm