

MINUTES

Friends of Moulton Chapel School Meeting Meeting held on 13th May 2015 at 3.30 pm.

In Attendance

Mrs Williams, Mrs Groom, Miss Mackey, Mrs Matthews, Mrs Harrington, Mrs Casey-Lovell, Miss Meacher and Mrs Berry.

Apologies

Mrs Rogers and Mrs Haunch.

Approval of Minutes

The minutes of the April meeting were circulated, agreed and signed as a true record by Mrs Williams.

Matters Arising :

Benches for playground; Miss Meacher informed committee that since chosen company required up-front payment and School's local authority system wouldn't allow for this, a new company; 'Badger' from Huntingdon was approached for supply. The benches are £10 more expensive per bench but it was unanimously agreed that Miss Meacher should go ahead and get the benches ordered.

Treasurer's Report

Tulip Parade cake tombola; we took £59, purchased lollipops @ £12 and made a donation to the Parade of £5 so profits totalled £47.
Current Bank balance is £2690.

Tulip Parade stall feedback

Good considering the weather. Other stalls planning to come pulled out last minute because of the weather.

Pub Quiz Update

This is unable to go ahead next week as there are no available June dates. It was suggested that the Welcome event for new parents due at the beginning of new term would be a good opportunity to get these parents involved and look at new recruits instead. Miss Mackey and Mrs Groom would attend.

Summer Fayre

Bouncy Castle; Mrs Groom has contacted suppliers. Local company (Michael Hopps) required 60/40 split with approximate donation to company amounting to £80 and was supply only, so enquiries made with Graham Rolfe of Rolfe Fun. They are available on 4th July and can supply one inflatable full price with second at half price. They have public liability Insurance. We would also need to arrange insurance since we would be managing the inflatables. Leisure Insurance for Events provide this at £10 per day.

Inflatables available include a toddler size castle of 7sq feet @ £50, an 11 x 13ft @£60, a 16 x 13ft @£60, an adult size 18 x 16.6ft @£105 and an 11ft party slide @£65. The cheapest would be priced at half price.

It was suggested we look at maybe a castle and a slide but Mrs Groom/Mrs Williams would need to look into insurance first.

Mrs Berry suggested contacting the Parade organisers to see which local stalls missed the Parade with a view to inviting to the Summer Fayre. Mrs Berry will first investigate, then, depending on stalls, report back to committee before contacting.

Definite/ Arranged attractions:

Raffle, Bottle tombola, tombola, Teddy tombola, Cake stall, Envelope game, Refreshments, BBQ, Hook a Duck, Lucky Dip, Kickboxing Demo, Pilliary, Skittles, Face Painting, Yr 6 stall, Methodist Church stall, Dog Show, Multi sports competition, children's craft/painting competition, classic cars and inflatable goal.

It was agreed that this year we will do the refreshments ourselves instead of ice cream/ burger van, providing ice creams, ice pops and drinks etc. We will need to check School freezer capacity with Miss Meacher. Mrs Groom will enquire then shop for the refreshments.

It was agreed to purchase meat for the BBQ from the local Moulton Chapel butcher, and Mrs Williams will purchase 100 sausages, 100 burgers and rolls as per last year's quantities.

Mrs Casey-Lovell will contact potential local advertisers for the Summer Fayre brochure and Mrs Berry will arrange parents to man the BBQ.

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Purchasing BBQ -update

BBQ purchased at cost of £300 plus a cover £29.99. It is a 4 burner model and was reduced from £450.

Any Other Business

Miss Meacher informed committee that Panto details have been received. There will be tickets for 68 children and 14 adults, 8 of which are free, at a price of £8.50 per ticket. If we book early we may be able to negotiate free ice cream again. Committee agreed Miss Meacher should go ahead and book the tickets.

Year 6 leaver t-shirts need to be purchased for 6 leavers. They are priced at £9 each and the committee agreed Miss Meacher to purchase.

There will be a meeting for new parents on Thursday 21st May immediately after school and a Non Uniform day for raffle prizes was suggested for Wednesday 1st July.

Date of Next Meeting

Friday 5th June.