

RIDGMONT LOWER SCHOOL, RIDGMONT, BEDFORDSHIRE

PTA COMMITTEE, MINUTES 11TH MARCH 2008

ATTENDEES

Mrs Tabby Woolard(tw), Mrs Serena Carr(sc), Mrs Martha Mackinnon(mm), Mrs Sam Bell(sb) Mrs Heide Swift(hs) and

APPOLOGIES

Mrs Hilary Higgs, Sophie Cheadle, Sarah Worth and Rose Stratford

MINUTES

All correct and signed by the chair

FINANCE

MM gave the total in the accounts as £2154.09. Since starting on the committee we have raised £895.46. The table top sale made approx £120.00. A huge thank you from all the PTA members to Sophie Cheadle who gave up alot of time her time to organise the event.

PLAY EQUIPMENT

Tw will speak to Mrs Clarke to confirm what piece of equipment she would feel would benefit the children most. Once that has been decided we can make a board to keep everyone informed of how much we have raised. MM to speak with the bank about a sign. Sc to formulate a letter to send out to the local businesses about funding/donations.

EASTER EVENT

Class one has to find x3 pieces of a puzzle, class 2 have to find coloured wool and class three have to make three phrases. The part time children's event will take place at 11am then receive their egg before going home. The rest of the school will take place at 14.00. Volunteers to help set the event up from 13.15. When the children have completed their tasks they will receive their egg. Sc to inform volunteers of when to come.

SUMMER EVENT

Two looked into prices for an ice rink but it worked out too expensive. Other ideas were asking the young farmers to come and shear sheep etc, bouncy castle, Sb gave names of previous companies we have used... Badge making, Sb to see if we can borrow a machine.

A.O.B.

It was highlighted that the school disco and mufty day was asking for too much money from families with more than one child. It was suggested that the ticket would remain £3.50 as it was providing entertainment for 2 hours and food. This would be bought in advance. Then mufty day would be a donation of 50p on the day as then the children can come to school in party clothes ready for the disco straight after school. The event would be open to nursery children but a parent must attend.

NEXT MEETING

Wednesday 9th April 19.30 in the Rose and Crown

