

Ben Rhydding Primary School PTA

18th March 2021

Held over Zoom

Attending

Jo Quaife, Carriane Bridgen, Emily Brewster, Jessica Morgan-Smith, Gillian Moffat, Anna Hepworth

Funding for library

- EB gave an update regarding how much we have available for the library. Up to £2k available - school to let us know if this is enough or if more fundraising is needed.

Grants

- EB gave JM-S details of a website that we can log into for a limited period to view a list of potential grants, grants usually ask you to apply for a specific cause so JM-S will look into this further when we have clarification of what we are fundraising for following the library refurbishment. This will include the grant Hannah Walton discussed with the Coop.

Current fundraising activity

- Quiz - 26th March, CB to organise, donations on ParentPay
- Recipe book - LW to organise, joint initiative with preschool

Future fundraising opportunities

- Film night - end of summer term
- Summer fair/enterprise afternoon - 9th July
- Auction of promises or virtual sponsored walk - summer term, event will depend on restrictions
- Bingo - summer term, either online or outside at school depending on restrictions
- Welcome back party - party at the Hollygarth in September to kick off 2021/2022 fundraising

Uniform update

- JM-S to speak to Mr Hartford about the possibility of a uniform sale in the playground in the summer term.
- JM-S to speak to Mrs Leach about making the uniform available to our vulnerable families.

Year 6 hoodies and celebrations

- AH to liaise we school regarding y6 hoodies
- PTA to contribute to current y6 celebrations
- Old y6 and reception celebration - CB to discuss with Mr Hartford.

Reception book bags and PTA letter

- EB to liaise with office

AOB

- JM-S talked about Moss & Moor and how they are helping preschool with their garden and asked if we would like some help at school. CB to discuss plans for the garden with Mr Hartford and feed back to JM-S.