### **Colquhoun Park Parent Council**

## Minutes 27th August 2019

Present – A Brien, F Gilligan, E Dallas, C Higgins, L McIntyre, J McIntyre

Apologies – A Sommerville, T Carrick, V Morrison, L Hughes

#### **Headteacher's Report**

- Very positive start to this term in whole school.
- P1s have settled in very well. P7s have been excellent in their buddy duties.
- Meet the teacher visits will be held 6<sup>th</sup> September.
- Improvement in uniform standards has been noted. Possibility of alternative uniform supplies to be considered at a future meeting.
- Mrs Dhaliwal and Mrs Lewis will be going on Mat leave October and November this year!.
- School awarded 7<sup>th</sup> Eco Flag. A Templeman and O Fitzgerald will continue the Eco Committee. They are supporting Eco priorities by participating in the "Upstream Battle" program.
- ELCC currently has 14 members of staff. Building work has not yet begun, this is an ongoing issue. There will be a further update at AGM.
- The sports pitch is now finished and all children are benefitting from the use of this.
- There is a new school menu. This was discussed. The options on the new menu will always be what is served as planned. There will be no deviation from the menu.

#### Dates for diary:

18<sup>th</sup> September – AGM (J McIntyre will invite local councillors)

25<sup>th</sup> October – Non Uniform Day

26<sup>th</sup> October – Gardening Day

30<sup>th</sup> October – Halloween Discos (P1, P2, P3 5:15pm -6:15pm), (P4,P5,P6,P7 6:30pm – 7:30pm)

A Brien will check lets for AGM, Gardening Day and Disco.

A flyer will go out to parents tomorrow to give these dates.

### **Treasurer's Report**

- Current balance is £2192.18
- Summer Fair raised £1330.51. Profits and losses were discussed. Ideas for improvements for next time were discussed. Future fund raising ideas, such as a ladies night, were discussed.
- Disco lights to be purchased with PC money.

#### **Festive Friday**

Friday 29<sup>th</sup> November, after school. Coffee/Tea and mince pies, as well as various festive stalls.

# **Christmas Cards**

Pupils will complete their drawings before the October holiday. E Dallas will collect the Monday after the October holiday.

## **Next Meetings**

Wedneday 9<sup>th</sup> October, venue TBC

Wednesday  $6^{th}$  November , venue TBC