

Friends of Mugginton School (FOMS)

8th November 8PM - Zoom

Apologies from Lucy and Laura

ACTIONS from last meeting:

- a. DONE Patricia to pass log in Twitter information to Ammie.
- b. Lucy will take the list of event ideas to the children's council for them to add more ideas on events, vote on the best events and what are we fundraising for
- c. DONE Patricia to create calendar of events with rough dates
- d. Rudolph cards; Maggie chasing those owing us

AOB: message from Lucy: most hamper items have been donated already enough for 2 adult and 2 children hampers possibly more. Tickets to be sold in the Christingle

COMMITTEE

1. **More parent members for Committee (Rachel):** to be voted in when we have quorum
2. **Bank account (Maggie):** Maggie now has form to fill in, needs Rachels signature for online. Signatories (Maggie and Rachel) decided on AGM.
3. **FOMS PayPal (Lizzy):** deferred to after online banking
4. **Communication with school (Patricia):** Rachel to lead on Communication with Mr Green as she is there more often than Patricia.
5. **Insurance - public liability (Patricia)** Parent kind £72 per year: Zurich Insurance plc. includes £10m public liability insurance tailor made for PTA events and activities. **ACTION:** Patricia to sign us up.
<https://www.parentkind.org.uk/For-PTAs/Become-a-member>
6. **Pumpkin Gala Disco: lessons learnt & earnings (Rachel & Maggie):** we made £132.05 from the Gala Pumpkin. This was the first event for this year, and kids had a great time. Next events will start after school possibly 3:30pm to allow those not wanting to attend to go home and to make it easier to set up, or on a Saturday (but this might clash with many activities from the kids). As the event was organised in a short space of time due to the new committee we took many learnings.
7. **GUIDELINES** for future events:
 - a. The Committee and those helping make these events happen by giving their own time and trying their best to create a fun and enjoyable atmosphere for our children. Everyone is welcome to give their time, and effort for future events, come and ask!
 - b. Tuck shop means that sweets and other items will be sold. If your child is attending an event that advertises as Tuck Shop, and you are happy for them to buy from the Tuckshop please send them with some change. If you do not want your child to buy sweets please advise the person running the event.
 - c. Those running the event will try their best to cater for different dietary requirements but we might not be able to cater for all circumstances. If your child has an allergy please advise prior to the event.
 - d. With respect to siblings: those parents with small children who feel they need to be in the party to support their school child or are helping with the event are welcome to bring them to the party; however we ask you to supervise your toddler please. Those with older siblings we would ask if you could arrange for childcare, or if they want to help in the event they need to be supervised by an adult.

EVENTS IN NEXT MONTH

8. **Non Uniform day - for raffle donations:** Patricia had agreed with Mr Green for the 17th Nov, but now it is Photograph day. We don't need it as we have many hamper donations
9. **Wreath making - Friday 26th Nov:** Fran has kindly offered materials and expertise to show us parents how to make Christmas wreaths. Complementary mulled wine and mince pie (including non-alcoholic option). We need helpers for gathering materials. **ACTION:** Patricia to ask Fran for time for the event and how many are we catering for.
10. **Christmas cards:** cancelled for this year.
11. **Christingle - 3rd December:** FOMS Tea and cakes donations. **ACTION:** Patricia to send a calendar with all Christmas events asking parents for donations of cakes and helpers. These will be put in people's bags.
12. **Infant Nativity - 8th December 2pm & 9th December 6pm:** FOMS Drinks and mince pies
13. **Non Uniform day for tombola donations - 13th December:** Rachel also has leftover wine bottles from Kelly.
14. **Corrina's Christmas concert - 14th December 6:30pm:** as this is new event FOMS will not take part
15. **Christmas Gift shop - 17th December:** Laura and Maggie already sent communication to parents, all organised
16. **Talent Show - 17th December 2:30pm:** FOMS Drinks **ACTION:** Rachel and Maggie to find out more about the format of this event
17. **Christmas Fayre - 21st December 2pm:** usually stalls are ran by the children at school or the village hall, and the FOMS organise cake stall, tombola, hamper. School organises Santa comes to visit.
 - a. Raffle:
 - b. Hamper:
 - c. Cake stall
 - d. Tombola:
 - e. Santa comes to visit: **ACTION:** Rachel to find out about Santa coming. We could make a space in the side of the village hall. We first need a Santa and a costume.

FUTURE EVENTS:

Ideas are always welcome for new events and any parent/child is welcome to come up with ideas and organise an event.

- a. School sleepover: **ACTION:** Maggie to find out from Mr Green about this idea.
- b. Valentine's disco
- c. Summer faire with traditional games such as welly wanging
- d. Tractor parade
- e. Dog race or show
- f. Sponsored run
- g. Easter Bonnet parade
- h. We wash your car while you have a cuppa and a cake
- i. Non-uniform days to fundraise for other charities (local or national - maybe the Council chooses, would be good to have a talk by a parent on local charity so that the children understand what they are fundraising for)
- j. Adult events such a ball where we show FOMS work, quiz