

PTGA Minutes

Meeting on 4th September 2018

Present: Aedin, Anna, Anne Bernie, Brendan, Corinne, Debbie, Kathy and Niamh

Apologies: Avril and Martha

- Minutes for the last meeting on May 6th were accepted
- Martha requested clarification about the source of Student Insurance. Corinne clarified that this would come from the resource fee
- A question from Martha and others at the meeting, requesting information about the upcoming Transition Year. Corinne confirmed there would be a transition year but the detals of this were not available as yet
- Martha was also requesting more information about indemnification letter regarding the
 Cycling fundraiser for Clonturk. This has since been forwarded
- Cycle for Clonturk on 22nd September 2018 Martha to check re 2nd cycle base
- M&S Bag packing on 29th September 2018
- Fund Raisers are for a range of Sports Equipment and Team Kits
- Corinne to send email requesting volunteers for both Cycle and Bag packing events. All responses to PGTA email address
- Agreement to purchase BIBS and collecting buckets which can allow for the LOGO display as needed
- PA system has been ordered from Drogheda
- We have been advised that it is illegal for the PGTA to have a Bank Account. A request for ETB to confirm account protocols and regulations will be made. The PGTA will consider this further and will duly report back. Meanwhile provision has been made for storage of PGTA funds which can be drawn down as requested
- Yellow box junction: An email has been sent to the Traffic Department by Breandan re safety concerns including traffic lights and bicycle lanes. This has since been referred on to the Traffic Advisory Group
- AGM is scheduled for the 23rd of October. of the executive group will be stepping down from their officer roles but not from the committee. It is envisaged that more parents especially from the 1st year group will be encouraged to join to ensure fuller representation of each school year.

Calendar dates to note

Afternoon Tea: March 23rd 2019

BBQ: May 11th 2019

From Corinne

- Despite repeated efforts to secure a Spanish teacher the school was unsuccessful due to lack of available teachers.
- The school Crest has been completed. This can be used for fundraisers and letterheads as needed.
- Original Planning permission issues arose for building planned behind the school.
- For the short term 5 classrooms have been erected in the front area of the school.
- Permanent building is needed and school board is now in negotiations with ET ETB for this purpose.
- Exam time for the Christmas period is planned for the week of November 12th 2018.
- Homework Club will continue for those needing help.
- After school study can be arranged but this will be at a cost.

Date for next meeting is the AGM October 23rd 2018