

Minutes of Meeting Held on Tuesday 18th February 2020

Number of apologies received from members of PGTA

Update from previous meeting – Chair Anne

- Campaign for Permanent School Building
 - Leaflets and documentation issued and distributed for the #buildclonturk campaign. Emails sent to all parents and leaflet handouts at a number of schools.
 - Facebook page set up – clonturkpgta.ie
 - Twitter account – #clonturkpgta
 - Tag - #buildclonturk
 - Whatsapp message sent to PGTA whatsapp group to be forwarded where relevant.
 - There was also a stall at the 2nd year Parent-Teacher meeting also.
 - Letter dated the 28th January 2020 was received from Ministers office acknowledging letter sent by PGTA.
 - Drivetime – thanks to Mark, Anne and student who partook in the recent drivetime discussion on the permanent building, which was deemed a great success.

Afternoon Tea

- Tickets were on sale on the 2nd year parent/teacher meeting and also for 2 mornings. Unfortunately tickets sales are slow at the moment.
- Tickets will also be on sale at the 3rd year & TY parent/teacher meeting on the 27th February next.

Campaign for Permanent School Building Target Approach- Actions & Next Steps

- A drone picture/video of the students of the school outlining the parameters of the site will be done after the mid-term break (Theresa). It was agreed CCC would be in the middle of the parameter.
- PGTA will seek to source media support for the campaign.
- Students (TY) and parents to send thank you letters to newly elected TDS in their areas. A guideline will be issued to the students (Darren).
- Parents will also be requested to attend TD clinics/constituencies and also to write to TDs regarding the permanent school building.
- Breakdown map of Dublin City Council constituencies to be sought for students and list of TDS (June).
- Letters to be sent to CDET – Carole Hanney, Chief Executive, Paul Crone, Director of Schools, Kay Cullinan Director of Organisation Support & Development. Letter will advise them that the PGTA is beginning a targeted campaign for a permanent school building and requesting them to meet with the PGTA to discuss. Letter will also be copied to the CCC Board of Management Chair – Ms. Anne Phelan, inviting her to attend the meeting also. (June to draft letter).
- Consideration and further discussion to take place at next PGTA regarding inviting TDs, media, school community to attend a meeting – possibly on the day of the BBQ 16th May 2020.
- Copy of 1st Board Meeting which took place in April 2015 to be sought.

It was noted that a number of proposed re-zoning of lands from industrial to residential in the Santry area and also proposals to build houses on the Oscar Traynor Road will also impact on the future requirements for the school and the communities.

It was also noted that a temporary building for a Educate Together Secondary School opening in Sept. 2019.

Next General PGTA meeting – Tuesday 25th February 2020

Next #buildclonturk campaign meeting – Tuesday 5th March 2020