

Phil and Jim's school PTA AGM Minutes - September 24, 2020

Present: Kari Sherman, Eva Walters, Jacqueline Morrison, Sara Awuye, Anna Latham, Emma Dadson, Adriana Obloj, Lara Stokes, Lucinda Dixon, Ramon Granell, Sara Tindall, Vanessa Dwyer

1. **Introductions**
2. **Reading of minutes** from last year's AGM
3. **Sara Awuye** spoke about wanting to work with PTA to build community
4. **JM** read chair report from last academic year
5. **Presentation of Treasurer Report - AO** presented this year's report. Last year presented obvious challenges to PTA budget and fundraising.
6. **Resignation of Officers and Trustees** - All officers and trustees resigned their positions.
7. **Nomination of Officers and Trustees:**
Jacqueline Morrison and Sara Tindall for Co-chairs
Kari Sherman for Secretary
Eva Waters for Class Rep coordinator
Adriana Obloj for Treasurer
Angus Hunter for Sponsorship
Ramon Granell and Chris Herzog for Communications
All were seconded and passed.
8. **Virtual Meeting Platforms** - Microsoft Teams - struggle to get a Teams account with no "corporation"
Zoom can't be used at school - but consider getting a PTA Zoom account for use by the Class Reps for virtual coffee mornings
Google-hangouts. There is a general push for Classlist - have school send out an invite and publicize to class reps.
9. **Budget priorities - SA** requested 1,000 books for £1,000 digital library subscription. Agreed by PTA. **SA** spoke about wanting to build community - that being a main priority over school spending
10. **Community Suggestions** - Christmas treasure hunt (to be discussed at November meeting or in late October), new parent mornings - class reps organizing virtual meetings. Meet the teacher meetings will be organised by **SA** - to introduce curriculum and the classroom and the teacher. She will organize this.
SA will look at whether the PTA can help support air purifiers or school cleaning products over and above what she will cover from the budget.
Charitable help - just donations, Amazon easyfundraising, etc. discussed the need to publicise that now. Gratitude/support for teachers - discussed paying for teacher lunches or staff treat days.

Next PTA meeting will be Friday, October 2 at 9:15AM