OUR LADYS CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL - PTA MINUTES

TUESDAY 15TH SEPT 2015

PRESENT:- Jane Parr Liz Clayton Pam Mattinder Julie Fin Elaine Pomfret Nigel Ranson Julia Scott Emma Mansford Katherine Payne Dawn Wiltshire Monika Mazurrowska Mrs Lin Mr Robinson

APOLOGIES:- Alison Wilding Aline Guneson

200 CLUB: Sept and Oct to be drawn at next meeting

APOLOGIES FOR THE SHORT MEETING – FULL MEETING WILL BE HELD TUESDAY 13TH OCTOBER 2015 7.00PM

HEADS REPORT

Very thrilled with the new years 7's. All are very polite and uniform outstanding.

Exam results very good – up 5% on 2014. Results will be analysed and report will be issued shortly.

Mrs Vause who has been our lay Chaplin for 15 years has retired so busy looking for replacement.

Building work has started on the new classroom - update at next meeting.

TREASURERS REPORT

Apologies from Alison – current balance available after allocations = £4701.33. Full report at next meeting.

BIDS FROM TEACHERS/DEPTS.

Mrs Lin - PE

£300 towards kit for Basketball team - all agreed

There were 2 other bids from PE relating to SKipton Trip and Pupil mentoring scheme that were unsuccessful at this time – information/feedback given to Mrs Lin to re-bid at next meetings

Mr Robinson - Music

 $3 \times £135 = £405$ for lockable notice boards to hold 'original music certs of pupils and other relevant music info. There are 170 pupils learning instruments at present and would be great to promote their achievements. BID AGREED

 $5 \times £65.83 = £329.15$ for Ukuleles to be used not only for OLCHS pupils but to enhance the learning of the primary schools that are taking part in after school music lessons at OLCHS. BID AGREED

1 x £200 for printing of music theory books for Yrs7-9 . Book will last them 3 years and are a valuable learning tool. BID AGREED

Can a note be put on the newsletter for any donations of good quality unwanted musical instruments .

OTHER BUSINESS

Welcome to new parents – apologies for short and hurried meeting. Full meeting to be held Oct 13th

Open evening for new pupils in 2016 – Thurs 1/10 6.00-8.30pm – PTA to do the teas/coffees/cold drinks. Anyone available to help please let Jane Parr know. Jane Parr will do the shopping

Chocolate Bingo 9/10 – specifically for the new yr7's. Please confirm if you are available to help. JP will sort shopping – plenty of stocks in cupboard and also bingo tickets. JP to liaise with school for tickets and prices

NEXT MEETING; TUESDAY 13TH OCTOBER 7.00PM STAFF ROOM