

FRIENDS OF SGHS MINUTES OF MEETING

Date: Thu 3 March 2022

Time: 6.30pm

Venue: School Library

Present: Chloe Vereker (CV), David Whitfield (DW), Joanne Busfield (JB), Steve Rose Dawn Rollins (DR) (SR), Alison Denney (AD)

	SUBJECT	ACTION
1	<p>Apologies: Claire Cadman (CC), Duncan Faulkner (DG), Nic Midgley (NM), Emma Wood (EW), Matt Willis (MW)</p>	
2	<p>Fri 11th Feb 2022 – Games Night - Debrief Great event, made about £1.6k. Very good feedback from attendees. Good food, good games, well hosted (Dave and Matt), excellent and much appreciated support from 6th Form students. Nice report in school Newsletter. CV sent thank you letters to Tesco, Morrison's and Wildwood for donations. Plenty of drink stock left.</p>	
3	<p>SCAD Preloved school clothing collection Promotional flyer developed by CV and Dan (school) to be reviewed and edited by JB. Preloved clothing can be taken direct to shop (on corner of High Street and Newmarket Road).</p>	<p>CV and JB to finalise flyer</p>
4	<p>Mother's Day and Easter Craft Stalls 24th & 25th March in school foyer (near Main Hall) Craft items and wrapped edibles requested from Friends & wider school community. Student payment method(s) will be cash or bank cards. EW to organise cash float and supply card reader. CV to organise tablecloths, bunting & price tags & labels and will pick up donations from school reception. School tutor groups to be targeted nearer the event to promote the stalls. Stall volunteers so far CV, DR, AD and EW. Timings of stall 10.30-12.50 & 12-1.05. Contact CV with your homemade donation pledges & if you can volunteer. Still needing volunteers for Friday. CV to update 150 club board, so that numbers can be sold to teachers at market too.</p>	<p>EW to organise cash float and supply card reader. JD to promote the stalls to all school tutor groups and teachers during week before event</p>
5	<p>Easter Hamper To be drawn closes April 4 to be drawn April 5. Hamper prize donations to be requested from the wider school community. Raffle tickets are £5 a strip and to be put on sale via ParentPay and Friends web site. Winner to be drawn by EW who will notify school. School will then notify winner before Easter hols. Alison Denney to organise Easter raffle. Chloe to provide hamper for Alison. Please bring final hamper items to April 4 meeting.</p>	<p>EW to place hamper tickets to buy on Friends web site. CV/JB to liaise with Lesley to get tickets on ParentPay. CV to promote Easter hamper on FB and to organise flyer to go out from school to parents. DR to send flyer to Friends email list</p>

6	<p>150 Club DW stated that there are now 79 numbers sold. The 150 Club will make a profit and all profits will be part of the Friends annual contribution to the extremely important and well-used school hardship fund. The Jan, Feb and Mar 150 Club winners will be drawn at the April Friends meeting. Further promotion of 150 Club via ParentPay, Facebook, etc.</p>	<p>DW to liaise with Lesley (school) to enable an acknowledgement email to be sent to all paid up 150 Club members</p>
7	<p>Future fund-raising events and ideas:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sponsored hike – confirmed as Sun 15th May 2022, 1000-1100am check in time at school at the hike desk. A 3-4 hour 12km circular family walk from school to Skipton Moor and back to school where a veggie or sausage hot dog and soft drink/tea coffee will be provided free of charge on completion of hike, as last year. Students and parents will be encouraged to use the Just Giving page (once they have signed up via the school website to participate) and approach friends and relatives to sponsor them to raise funds for the new minibus. Participants will be encouraged to raise a minimum of £30 to enter. Event tee shirts to all students who can obtain £80+ of donations. T-shirts will also be on sale at the end of the event for those who wish to purchase along with Friends water bottles (old stock). Prize for student gaining largest donation total. Free snack pack (banana & flapjack) on sign up for all students (with sponsorship) that take part in walk. • Gin Tasting Night (possibly early July 2022). Julian (Wright Wines) unable to offer to do this event this year. Friends now exploring ways to host this event themselves with gins either purchased or donated. 	<p>CV/DR and others to commence event promotion. EW to organise entry applications sign up to JustGiving for donations and participant list DW to generate route map for Dan to develop into handout for walkers. AD to approach MS Sports for tee shirt costs. DW to get sausage donation from Keelham. CV to get donations of bread rolls & veggie sausages CV to work with Dan/DW on producing the final route map</p> <p>AD to explore gin night options with Otterbeck distillery. DW to explore gin purchasing options with Wright Wines.</p>
5	<p>Friends funding application forms: Awaiting the completed funding application form for the school mini bus. Friends to explore opportunities for official</p>	<p>JB to submit funding applications form to permit funding to be made</p>

	Match Funding via wider school community to assist mini bus purchase.	available to the school (when available).
6	AOB: None	
6	Next Meeting: Next Friends' meeting, Mon 4th April 2022 , 6.30pm, in school library.	All welcome