

FRIENDS OF BARROWBY SCHOOL

Friday 07^h March 2025

Present: NB, RM, RB, CT, AD, SS, PQ, LB

Apologies: SG, AB

Agenda item	Notes	Actions
1. Welcome	NB thanked everyone for coming	
2. Review of last minutes	Agreed they were accurate	
3. Treasurers report	<p>Bank account £6427.10 Petty cash £357.04</p> <p>Since our last meeting, we have raised £151.00 from the End of Term Donuts and Parent Donations. Expenditure in this period was £42.88, leaving a profit of £108.12.</p> <p>A Facebook poster has been put out raising awareness of workplace schemes that match funds. However, so far we have not had any responses. This can go out again before the Summer Fair and hopefully we can get a more positive outcome.</p>	
4. Upcoming event planning	<p>World Book Day/Comic Relief – Fri 21st March. No FOBS support required.</p> <p>Y3/4 Easter Performances – Thurs 27th March 2pm & Fri 28th March 9:30am. FOBS to support with refreshments, photos and raffle. A poster requesting donations of raffle prizes to keep going out periodically throughout the year. NB and RM to check what we currently have in the cupboard.</p> <p>KS1 Movie Night – Thurs 20th March. 3;15 -5pm Paddington in Peru DVD has been purchased and handed in to school. Water bottles are to be used so no need for drinks and cups. Shopping of crisps, popcorn and a small pack of sweets per child to be added on to ASC weekly shopping order. If this works well, we can use this method of buying non-perishable food items for events going forward.</p> <p>End of Term Donuts – Fri 4th April. Usual set up, helpers to be confirmed on WhatsApp nearer the time.</p> <p>KS2 Movie Night – Thurs 24th April. 2:45 -5:30pm. Longer session due to length of the Wicked film. An increase of ticket price to £5 in order to meet the minimum payment on the School ParentMail Shop has worked really well for the KS1 Movie night, so will do the same again for the KS2 one.</p> <p>Other events later in the year. Y6 BBQ – Fri 16th May. FOBS to provide and serve food. Frozen Fridays – Summer Term. Sports Day – Mon 16th June. FOBS to provide refreshments. Sponsored Event – Fri 20th June. Dianne from Busy Boots Line Dancing has agreed to providing instruction for the children to learn a short routine.</p>	<p>Thurs SS, LF, AD & CT Fri NB, SS, LF PQ & SG</p> <p>AD, SS, RB</p> <p>TBC on WhatsApp</p>

	<p>Proposed format – Three ½ hour sessions teaching the routine. Rec/Y1/Y2 to be taught together, followed by Y3&4, and then Y5&6. The whole school will then join together to perform together. FOBS to provide Ice Pops for each child at the end.</p> <p>Bi-annual Summer Fayre – Fri 4th July. FOBS to support with acquiring Raffle prizes, running stalls, bouncy slide, BBQ and refreshments. It was decided that we will also have a second hand book stall, poster for book donations and raffle prizes to go out later in the year. Options for the top raffle prize that is bought by FOBS was discussed. Ideas to be requested from the Fundraising Committee to try and come up with something we’ve not done before that appeals to the children. Providing a vegetarian food option at the Summer Fair was also discussed, to be served alongside the usual BBQ option. SS may be able to secure the loan of a large paella pan in order to cook up a chilli or similar.</p> <p>Circus – Wed 16th July. Option to provide food packages or refreshments of some kind. Possibly to include popcorn, drinks etc. Quiz to be moved to March 2026 as this is not a Summer Fair year and the calendar will be a little quieter.</p>	
7. AOB	<p>LB gave a break down of the recent purchase of equipment, paid for by FOBS fundraising and the ASDA school voucher scheme. Standard Skipping Ropes, 3m Skipping Ropes, Building Blocks, Ankle Skippers, Activity Boxes, Toy Cars and a Road Rug, Construction Toys, Tubs to put them all in, a Speaker System and 150 beakers. Totaling £747.23</p>	
8. Date of next meeting	Friday 2 nd May 2025	