St Olave's PA Meeting

Minutes of Meeting held on 2 November 2016

Attendees:		
Debbie Hills	Chair	
Charlotte Rutter	Vice Chair	
Amit Singh	Treasurer	
Sara Alade		
Tiffany Barradell		
David Budds		
Rinku Chibber		
Laura Clayden		
Laura Covill		
Jennifer Franks		
Elizabeth Garnham-Jong		
Zey Kagan		
Lin Limbrey		
Mark McBennett		
Liz O'Connor		
Rachael Peek		
D. Shreshtha		
Seema Singh		
Shelly Tse		
Jo Wright	S	
Ravi Savur	Secretary	
Apologies:		
Saurabh Deshmukh		
Anand Ganguli		
Lakshmi Kandala		
Susmita Kumari		
Dinta Madlani		
David Mylroi		

Minutes of Previous Meeting of the Committee on 15 September 2016 were approved.

Items Discussed	Actions
Follow Up Items from Previous Minutes 1. Class Reps: We have only two Class Rep volunteers from parents of Year 13 so Charlotte will send a note seeking assistance.	

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	Treasurer: Current bank balance is around £29k. There is still some balance in sQuid from the Spring Ball.	
2.	Mock Test Update We will have a meeting to discuss plans in early December. Those interested in joining the sub- committee to run the Mock Tests should contact Ravi.	All to consider joining
3. Ensuring Excellence Phone Calls We had one successful round of calling on 20 October that resulted in over £3,000 raised via 5 additional Year 7 donations (3 recurring) and 5 additional Year 12 donations (2 recurring). Phil Richardson has volunteered to run these calling rounds in future and this is useful as his son is in Year 8.		All to consider whether they can help for future rounds of E-Ex calls and to contact Phil and/or Clare Cockshott in the School Office if they can.
4.	Recent Events a) The Y7 Quiz Night raised £924 with 124 people attending. It was agreed that for 2017, we would fix the date ahead of time and announce it at the July Parents' Induction Evening.	
	b) The Lost Property Sale raised £524 and we have concluded that Fridays work better for increased attendance by parents.	
	c) The Y12 Social Evening was declared a great success and we agreed to schedule it for between 7 and 9 pm (as opposed to starting at 6.30 pm this year) on Friday 29 Sep 2017. This date will be sent in the parent pack.	David to check with school.

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Forthcoming Events	
1. CRY We have 3 places left 9 (as two of those who registered were underage). Laura Covill asked for two. We also need to book a date for next year, though the cost has increased from £35 to £50 per candidate.	Shelly to agree a date with CRY and contact the school about availability.
2. Lost Property: we need more helpers	All to see if they can volunteer and to contact Rachael.
3. Christmas Raffle. Graduates have donated a first prize. Rinku is putting together hampers from donations. We will send 2 raffle ticket booklets to each family.	
Any other business	
Nick had brought the posters requested by the Geography department and these were handed over to Mr Budds who offered a large thank you to the PA and to Nick White on behalf of the school.	
Additional fund-raising and other ideas raised by parents after the AGM	
1. David Mylroi has agreed to arrange Dragon Boat Racing at Bewl Water	
2. Laura Covill agreed to initiate parental involvement in Careers, e.g., for talks or even a careers fair	
3. Sara agreed to help with Matched Funding	
4. David Budds agreed to the sale of doughnuts by the Senior Prefect Team for November 10 and possibly November 18	
5. David Budds will check about the Sponsored Walk to be arranged by the school.	
Next Meeting	Wed Jan 11 2017 at 7.45 pm in the School Library
Meeting Closed 8.02 pm	
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