

FRIENDS OF MANBY LODGE MEETING

January 8th 2016

Attendees: Jessica Moody - Co chair (JM), Marianne Baxter - Co Chair (MB), Amanda Tomlinson - Vice Chair (AT), Helen Waddington- Secretary (HW), Antonia Reynoldson (TR) Mrs Creasey, Mrs Mullarkey, Kate McNab, Suzie O'Connor, Laura Blanchard, Annelie Small, Faye Cottingham, Olive Leach, Foteini Paternaki, Sue Colfer, Kate Currie, Ellie Murphy, Martyna Malinauskiene

Apologies:

Anna Sen- Treasurer (AS), Robyn Knight (RK) Sam Willoughby, Athalie Tarr

Fundraising Updates	<p>Our “Winter Wonderland” event raised a fantastic £3894. Thank you to all who supported and contributed to making this event such a success. We have some more money from santa’s grotto photo sales to come.</p> <p>Grand total raised so far this year stands at £5370.45</p>
Upcoming Events	
Cake Bake: Gecko Class Friday 15th January	<p>3 cakes for £1. Notices/ info to Gecko class will be sent out via Gecko class reps.</p>
2nd Hand Uniform	<p>FoML will also hold a second hand uniform sale on 15 Jan along with the cake bake. We have plenty of uniform in smaller sizes, donations of larger sizes welcome (via FoML committee). School coats and PE kits in good condition also very welcome. As we have quite a large amount of 2nd hand uniform collected, the possibility of a charity donation to schools in need internationally was proposed. HW to look into possible options.</p>
Sponsored Welly Walk: Wednesday 27th January	<p>In place of Sponsored Bounce this year. To include an outdoor course and treasure/ scavenger hunt, with sponsorship for how many elements children can find along the way. The “Welly Walk” name queried, as it may exclude pupils without. “Winter Walk Challenge” idea suggested and preferred. Parent Volunteers needed please.</p>
Year 1 Disco: Thursday 11th February	<p>DJ is already booked. Timings 3.15- 4.15pm. Year 1 parent volunteers required to help supervise. HW and AT volunteered to help.</p>

<p>Bedtime Story Evening</p>	<p>Mrs Creasey proposed date change from Thursday 3rd March as it clashes with year 1 school trip. Event will now be on Thursday 10th March. Children will be invited into school (in their Pyjamas) to share bedtime stories and hot chocolate with their carers and the staff.</p>
<p>Quiz Night: Fri 26 Feb</p>	<p>To take place in the school hall this year. Neil Waddington reprising role as quiz master. Athalie and Simon Tarr, Antonia Reynoldson and Neil and Helen Waddington to organise.</p>

Next Meeting: Weds 3rd February, Jolly Farmer Pub, 8pm