

Parsons Green Primary School

Parent Council AGM

Meeting held on Tuesday 14th June 2022 (via Teams)



Present: Claire Haggett (Vice-Chair, and chairing the meeting); Simon Millar (Treasurer); Rachel King; Gillian Turner; Donna Lewis; Nikki Isles; Susan Cochrane (Head Teacher); Jennifer McGowan (Deputy Head Teacher).

1. Welcome

Claire gave a warm welcome to all who were present.

2. Election of officers

Election of Chair: Rachel King was proposed by Claire, and seconded by Simon, and unanimously voted in by the rest of the meeting.

Election of Treasurer: Simon Millar was proposed by Rachel, and seconded by Gillian, and unanimously voted in by the rest of the meeting.

Election of Vice-Chair: Donna Lewis was proposed by Gillian, and seconded by Rachel, and unanimously voted in by the rest of the meeting.

Election of Vice-Chair: Gillian Turner was proposed by Rachel, and seconded by Simon, and unanimously voted in by the rest of the meeting.

Claire demitted the Chair to Rachel.

Election of Secretary: Claire Haggett was proposed by Gillian, and seconded by Simon, and unanimously voted in by the rest of the meeting.

Claire took back the Chair, and thanked everyone, and was happy to say that there is a new Parent Council for the year ahead.

3. Summary of the year

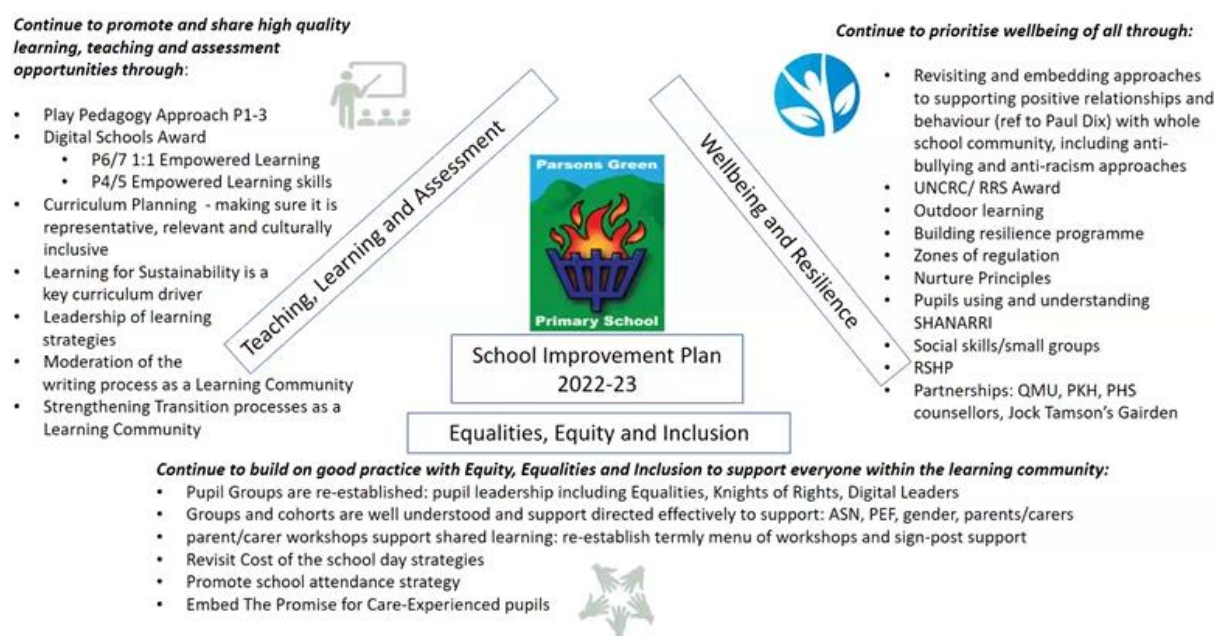
Claire gave a brief overview of the activities of the Parent Council over the last year. It has been a difficult year for the Parent Council – and for the school and the staff and the parents – but there have been some achievements. The Parent Council have been able to fund a number of important projects, including a new whiteboard, football strips, playground checks, and printing of photos. There have been activities, including Christmas cards and supporting the Christmas lunch. Finally, there have been some events, including the very successful Halloween disco, which was a terrific community event for the school, and really enjoyed by many children (as well as fundraising); and the forthcoming Summer Fayre, to which everyone is really looking forward. Many thanks to the current committee for all their

efforts, both in the fundraising that has taken place, and the great community events for the school.

4. Plans for the year ahead

Rachel gave an overview of her plans for the year ahead, with a priority being to re/connect parents with the school again. The pandemic has meant that many parents in P1/2/3 have not had the same opportunities to build a relationship with the school as before, and this will therefore be a focus in the year ahead. This means developing opportunities to bring parents into the school, and making them feel part of the school. There will also be renewed emphasis on aligning the work of the Parent Council with the School Improvement Plan, particularly in terms of the digital strategy and ASN.

Mrs Cochrane gave an overview of the plans for the School, which was warmly received:



Dates for the next meetings will be discussed, and set in due course.

Claire thanked everyone for attending, and we all look forward to a positive year ahead.