

Parent Forum 22nd April 2016

Minute taker:	Andrea Millar
Where:	School Canteen
Date:	22 nd April 2016 – 14.15
Staff/Governors Present:	Joanna Young (JY) – Principal Andrea Millar (AM) Parent Governor Samantha Brennand – Vice Principal Nicola Kay – Parent Governor
Length of Meeting:	45 Minutes
No. of Parents Attended:	4 (2 Parent Governors and 2 others)

Germany Visit - Positive feedback was given by a parent. Very happy with the trip outcome

A parent wanted to give feedback on Mrs Hall. They stated 'how amazing she is and the ideas and suggestions she has are brilliant'. The parent commented that they feel sometimes teachers are under appreciated

A parent commented that they sometimes feel we do too many activities in one week! Can we spread out?

A suggestion was made that subject teachers could set up tables combined with PTA cinema night i.e. phonics, gymnastics, incl a PTA table to encourage parent involvement and offer support to parents in areas

Talked about getting a gym kit/uniform for competitions

Jumpers - One parent is having a few challenges with the jumpers as her child chews them and they do shrink. Advised we are sampling and trying new designs and hopefully going to be cheaper

Talked about a seconds uniform sale once a term and request donations from parents also sell at summer and Christmas fayres.

Talked about shows at college/Lyceum suggested maybe "Leighton's got Talent" at the theatre so parents can watch or maybe even doing the dance show for parents too

Need more PTA volunteers make sure people are aware it's not a huge commitment they don't have to attend all meetings just volunteer to help with stalls and fayre etc;

Meeting Closed at 3.00pm