

**Friends of South View Committee AGM**  
**Wednesday 20th September 7pm @ South View School**

**Attendees:**

Tracy Darke, Rachel Carrington, Mrs J Tomlins, Alice Williams, Nathan Hobson, , Natasha Hinchliffe, Tess McKenna, Jenny King, Naomi Hirst, Mandy Lees, Gina Padmore, Mrs Joy Hill, Mrs P D'Souza, Mrs S Speechley.

**Apologies:**

Andrea Kettles, Tom Mayes, , Cheryl Doyle, Teresa Phillips, Lisa Woodroffe, Anne-Marie Coggins, Lucy Cousins, Carolyn Simmons, Ali Edwards.

**Last years Chair's report read and approved, copies available.**

**Last years Treasurer's report read and approved, copies available.**

**Appointed Officers for 2017/18**

**Chairperson: Gina Padmore** (Nominated by Natasha Hinchliffe, seconded by Rachel Carrington)

Due to Gina working full time, it was decided that we have a deputy chair who will work with Gina and be available during the day to plan and attend events)

**Deputy Chair: Natasha Hinchliffe** (nominated by Rachel Carrington Seconded by Tracy Darke)

**Treasurer: Lisa Woodroffe** (Nominated by Tracy Darke, seconded by Alice Williams)

Lisa happy to be treasurer this year, though will be resigning at the end of the year, so would be a good idea if our next treasurer works alongside Lisa for remainder of the year for her to show them what she does. Carolyn has shown interested in this and will decide around Jan time)

**Secretary: Tracy Darke** (Nominated by Gina Padmore Seconded by Natasha Hinchliffe)

**New Members:**

**New Teacher Members:** Mrs Sally Speechley and Mrs Pipsa D'Souza

**Resignations:** Unfortunately we have to say goodbye to a few members, Mark Mills, Sarah and Austin Houghton-Bird, Dudley Newmark, Emma Godfrey, Kelly Ingram, Janine Goodall and As'ka Baran. Thank you for all your time and support.

We will be setting up a parent helper list for people who do not want to commit to being a FOSV member but would still like to be involved and help at events. Nathan, Mandy, As'ka, Sarah and Austin have said they would like to go on this list.

Mrs Tomlins informed us that there is no need for all members to be DBS checked as we are not working with children one on one, as long as the chair, treasurer and secretary are, which will help lots when it comes to events as we can ask parents if they would like to help too.

**Roles**

It was discussed that we could try to lighten the load a little by sharing some of the roles/ planning/jobs. Gina has a few ideas of some roles people wishing to could take on and will send out more info soon.

Teresa has said she is happy to take on the planning of the Mother's Day/Father's Day events, Nutty is Disco coordinator, Rachel will look after our Facebook page and Twitter and Jenny happy to look at sorting flyers and leaflets for promoting events. There are plenty of other events and small jobs if anyone interested in taking something on.

### **FOSV Contact Details**

For administrative purposes all attendees were asked to give their name, address, telephone number and email details. Those members who were not present and have yet to do so please can you send those details to Tracy as soon as possible. We need Name, DOB, Tel no and email.  
Many Thanks

### **Harvest Festival Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> October 2017**

We discussed how we felt last years Harvest Festival went, after the change in donating bags to Spalding foodbank and local organisations in Crowland instead of year six distributing to the elderly residents. We agreed the foodbank needs our donations more and by still giving hampers within Crowland we are covering more people who are in need of the products, whilst still keeping it local (Spalding foodbank cover this area)

So, we will still be asking for produce, but will not be sending out the bags to decorate (this saving around £40) this year, each class will make up their own hamper of produce to be donated. Rachel is looking into getting 14 strong boxes. FOSV will deliver to Crowland organisations on the day. Agape will come into school and talk to the children about how their donations help those in need.

We will sort a letter to go out to parents and will send to Mrs T. KS2 parents to pop into school to sort through hampers ready to be distributed later that day as KS1 parents will be at abbey.

**Bags to school** Bags are at school now, an accompanying letter will be printed and sent out with bags from FOSV in the next few days.

### **Disco: Friday 3rd November 2017**

Lucky dip toys and glow sticks have been ordered. Nutty is doing a grand job of organising the disco arrangements. Emma has said her husband is happy to do the disco for £50.

It was requested we start the discos slightly earlier, so ks1 will be 3pm—4pm and KS2 will be 4.30—5.30pm.

We will send out a post on FB asking for helpers soon.

Next disco Friday 23rd Feb

### **Christmas Fayre Friday 1st December 2017**

Planning to set up as last year with a few tweaks. Lots to sort, plan and purchase so will post bits on FB and will discuss more details at next meeting. (See dates below)

Set up grotto Thursday after school in the hall.

Non-uniform day Friday 24th November for chocolate tombola.

### **AOB:**

Next fundraising goal is for an outdoor gym, to be located on the field and an outdoor classroom. Mrs T and teachers will meet to discuss which one they think they would prefer first, we have enough money in the bank to purchase one and we can organise the other once we get some more money in the bank from this years events.

Sally Speechley has organised a trip for year 6 to visit RAF Conningsby to see the Battle of Britain aircrafts. This will be a free visit, but has asked if FOSV would be willing to donate the cost of the coach. This was agreed by members, the coach may cost slightly more (£300) as will need a disabled coach this year due to one student being in a wheelchair, this will be something we need to consider when planning transport for the year six leavers trip too.

Mrs Tomlins is looking into organising a lifeguard teacher to come into school and train all teachers and has asked if any FOSV members would be interested in this too. Please let us know if it is something you would like to attend. Gina, Nutty and Rachel have shown interest.

Mrs T is also organising a South Lincolnshire “Young Voices” which will involve lots of local schools coming together to perform at Kingsgate Church Peterborough. She is looking for help with sponsors for the programmes to help cover the cost of organising this, please could you all mention this to any local businesses you think may be interested?

### **Garden**

Unfortunately, the soil delivered from Ashwood Homes was not really suitable and wasn't enough and the polystyrene is proving difficult to break as is in solid blocks. We therefore need to source more decent topsoil and come up with a plan to break the polystyrene before we can move on with the area. Also the fence is very wobbly so we need to contact Chris at CS Carpentry ref this.

### **2017/18 FOSV Meetings:**

Wednesday 1st November at 6.30pm (To discuss Xmas Fayre.)

Wednesday 17th January

Wednesday 7th March

Wednesday 16th May

Wednesday 4th July

