Minutes of the PA meeting – 10/2/16

- Present – JJ, CT, CN, NM, KO, VB
- Apologies from Sam Bentall, Andrea Clintworth, Kate Ellis, Louise Everitt, Jan Sweeney and Emma Watson.
- As JJ will be returning to full-time teaching after half-term, it was thought best for one other committee member to co-ordinate an event (i.e. to take it in turns). JJ will not be able to be 'hands-on' but will chair meetings and do what she can.
- JJ passed round the re-vamped leaflet to advertise the PA and welcome new parents from next year's EY intake. No changes were made and Ann Roberts will print those off.
- Junior disco – it was proposed that the disco be postponed from 24/2 to **Wednesday 9th March (5 – 6:30pm)** due to various factors. JJ to change the date on the letter which is to go out the first week back after half-term. NM will photocopy the letters and distribute them around the Year 3 – 6 classes. NM has also volunteered to process the reply slips and ticket money and has copies of the class lists. Tickets will be given to children on 8/3, the day before the disco. (We need to get tickets printed off too). If anyone is able to help Nicky, then please let us know via group email. Andrea may be available to help on Mondays and Tuesdays? LE will have to cancel the DJ for 24/2 and rearrange for 9/3. CT to sort out refreshments and will co-ordinate this event. We also need to know who will be able to volunteer at the disco. We have asked for parental help on the letter.
- CN to co-ordinate the Easter Bingo. JJ will draft a letter to promote the wearing of non-uniform in return for a chocolate Easter Egg donation (or a £1 towards the purchase of eggs) on **Friday 18th March.** VB to co-ordinate either children or TAs to take eggs down to the Infant Hall. The Easter Bingo is to take place on **Wednesday 23rd March @ 3:40pm in the Infant Hall.** CN to co-ordinate raffle tickets, a bingo machine, a working microphone, a raffle prize and refreshments.
- Decorate an Egg Competition to be promoted in the same letter. To be brought in on 31/3 and judged by LE, VB & KO on 1/4
- AOB – 1) The committee agreed to LE's proposed fundraising 'thermometer'. There needs to be further discussion with LE and John Taylor as to where it should be placed.

  2) Miss Warn's bid for £409.00 for a new XC kit was accepted.

  3) It was agreed that we should raise funds for a sturdier greenhouse. LE is working out the cost of this. It was felt that as the weather had been stormy and it would have a clear educational purpose and use, that a new greenhouse should be our target for future fundraising.
- Meeting closed @ 4:20pm
- Next meeting: **Wednesday 30th March at Childwall Fiveways Pub, 6pm.** Please put this in your diaries! I will book a table. Please let me know if you can attend and would like to eat.