Friends of Whimple School Meeting 11th October 2016 The Thirsty Farmer 8.00

1. Welcome and Apologies

Present: Caroline Rowe, Katie Williams, Katy Hill, Tanya Hynd, Cathy Culshaw, Helena Hastie, Donna Rowland, Linden Best, Zoe Bickel, James Woollam, Mary Davis

Apologies: Alice Walsh, Steffi Bludovsky, Katherine Bell, Jenny Jones, Louise Fenner, Susie Plank

2. Minute of the last AGM-22nd October 2015

Clarify point 5 entitled Matters Arising. The information stated is not on the FOWs Webpage regarding details of The Giving Machine. Katie Williams will discuss with Sam Walker to find out more information on this. Caroline Rowe and Cathy Culshaw to be the website admins. All other aspects of the minutes are a true record of events.

3. Minutes of the last meeting-20th September 2016

A true record of the meeting

4. Treasurers Report

Not a huge amount of expenses this year resulting in a profit of £2896.95. The total income for this year from numerous fundraising is £5477.69 with £7199.75 in the current account and £65.80 in cash. All looking healthy.

5. Future Events

Cake Sale 21st October

Class Rep Donna Woolston is not available to help as she'll be setting up the School Disco but Tanya Hynd will rally volunteers to help as there will be two stalls, one in each playground. Need donations of lots of cakes from Parents in Class 1.

Halloween Disco 21st October

The Disco committee are to meet after. Tickets have sold well. Need donations of decorations and cakes from all parents from the school.

Craft Fair 5th November

Mona Diaz Ramsay and the subcommittee have it under control.

Christmas Fair 9th December

Charlotte Woollam and George Bayley are running this event. Need lots of Brica-brac, cakes and volunteers needed.

6. Items requested by the Headteacher

No teachers were present at the meeting but it was all agreed that a larger amount of money would go towards a structure at the MUGA . It was agreed that £5000 would be the contribution from FOWS leaving enough money in the current account for the WOW fund etc.

7. OAB

A reminder about the MUGA clearance on Saturday 15th October at 9am. All help welcomed.

Katy Hill had some fundraising ideas.

- -A big me Mufti day. What the children would want to be when they grow up.
- -A Talent contest. Whimple's got talent.
- -Sponsored sleep over.
- 50/50 draw, maybe at an event.
- -Packing shopping at a supermarket.
- -Valentines or a Spring disco.

The masquerade ball is being planned for the 1st July 2017.

8. Date of next meeting

January 10th 2017 7.30 at the Thirsty Farmer