


<p>Friends of Hanbury School The Ewe &amp; Lamb 7.30pm 12<sup>th</sup> September 2023</p>	
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<b>Attendees</b>	Gemma B, Gemma G, Caroline, Tamsin, Laura J, Aaron, Donna, Laura MD, Katie, Maddie, Louise, Emma, Sally, Laura S, Laura H, Katherine
<b>Apologies</b>	Helen, Catherine, Jo

	<p><b>Welcome to our new members, and thank you to all our continuing members for your support!!</b></p>
1	<p><b>Treasurers Update:</b>  Laura Jarvis will be taking over from Madonna as Treasurer this year! Thank you Maddie for all your hard work over the years, and welcome to Laura!  Balance as at 17/08 £10598.84.  Cheques:  £500 for new classroom transition materials - cleared  £200 for Leavers trip - cleared  £1,186 for new books – to clear  Friendsfest raised £3,097  £1000 donation from Midland Ladder Company (based in Hanbury)  £750 to buy weather station – <b>Aaron – school to purchase</b>  Decide what we are going to raise for this year, D&amp;T materials and what else?</p> <p>Leo's Landing: we have donated £3k to this. We are happy to donate more to this project to enable it to go ahead. School are also going to put some more money towards it. Jason is having regular meetings with them, once final price has been agreed we can support. Once confirmed it will take 2-3 weeks to build. Could be done in time for half term.</p> <p>Note for FriendsFest24 - BBQ made no profit (it should have!) – we bought too much food and didn't charge enough. Maybe google form next time to gauge how many people will buy!</p>
2	<p><b>Previous minutes:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Vacancy for Treasurer for next year – <b>Position Filled, thank you Laura!!</b></li> <li>• Vacancy for Chair and Secretary still to fill – <b>Speak to either Gemma if interested. THERE WILL BE NO CHAIR FROM JULY 2024!</b></li> <li>• New starter packs/books – these were well received by Reception</li> <li>• Leavers Gifts – well received &amp; children signed this time as intended</li> <li>• Class trip contribution, the leavers went bowling, mini golf and had pizza!</li> <li>• Frozen Friday – made £331. Will run each summer term, will be easier as we have a freezer in school now.</li> <li>• Hanbury Show – awaiting £500 donation</li> </ul>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Funding – ongoing. Tesco blue coins finishes around now so should find out results towards end of the month. Takes a while for them to count it all up and then pay the money into the account.</li> <li>Have also applied to: Trust Ford Britain, Matthew Good Foundation, NFU (November), Persimmon Community Fund, Bupa Foundation Green Grants. We should hear back about some of these next month.</li> </ul> <p><b>All to look out for for possible funding opportunities &amp; send to Gem G</b></p>
3	<p><b>DATES:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>27<sup>th</sup> September – Clothing Collection</li> <li>4<sup>th</sup> October – Bake Off</li> <li>12<sup>th</sup> October – AGM – All Welcome</li> <li>21<sup>st</sup> October – Spooky Disco</li> <li>26<sup>th</sup> October – Non Uniform Donation Day</li> <li>TBC – Movie Night</li> <li>25<sup>th</sup> November – Xmas Fayre</li> <li>26<sup>th</sup> November – Wreath Making (tbc with Anna) – <b>Helen to arrange</b></li> <li>3<sup>rd</sup> Feb – Valentines Disco ( date TBC if Village hall available)- <b>Caroline</b></li> <li>16<sup>th</sup> March – Chocolate Bingo ( date TBC if Village hall available) - <b>Caroline</b></li> <li>22<sup>nd</sup> March - Easter Egg Hunt</li> <li>17<sup>th</sup> May - Non Uniform Donation Day</li> <li>14<sup>th</sup> June - Friends Fest</li> </ul>
4	<p><b>BAKE OFF – 4<sup>th</sup> OCTOBER</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Countryside theme</li> <li>Split into KS1/KS2/Adult. £10 amazon voucher for winners – <b>Gem B to purchase</b></li> <li>Will need a flyer – <b>Laura MD</b></li> <li>We will sell the cakes on playground after the Harvest Festival as usual (1.30pm at the church). Take donations, <b>will need napkins or bags/knives to cut the cakes – All to help out if attending. Gem B to take pics of cakes in morning &amp; school to judge.</b></li> </ul>
5	<p><b>MARQUEE:</b></p> <p>The old marquee had to be ditched as had deteriorated and ripped beyond repair. Has gone to the tip. The sides are still in the shed, these will need to go to the tip as well.</p> <p>Need to look at getting a new one to use, preferably before Christmas. Do we want same size or larger than the last one? Larger would be better but need to consider storage, moving it and putting it up/down.</p> <p><b>Look into a suitable replacement - Tamsin</b></p>
6	<p><b>CLOTHING COLLECTION:</b></p> <p>Donations to go in open shed 18<sup>th</sup> – 26<sup>th</sup> September – <b>put sign up - Caroline</b> Collection day is 27<sup>th</sup> Sept. Share in Whatsapp groups again next week, and on FB. <b>No uniform.</b> <b>Thank you Mrs P for arranging another bulk donation!</b></p>
7	<p><b>CHRISTMAS CARDS:</b></p> <p>Last year we were a bit disappointed with the service/quality from Class Fundraising. Gemma has looked at 3 other companies that do the same service but they don't</p>

	<p>pay as much. So we will stick with Class fundraising and hope they have improved, if we do them early we get £1.59. Get kids to use pens not crayons.</p> <p>Mrs P has named all the packs (Thank you!) and distributed to year groups, the kids will do the cards in school. Parents will place orders online as last year.</p>
8	<p><b>WREATH MAKING WORKSHOP:</b></p> <p>This was a hit last year, we would like to it again with Anna. Can we try and book in for 26<sup>th</sup> November?</p> <p><b>Helen can you please arrange this with Anna again?</b></p> <p><b>Laura flyer once confirmed</b></p>
9	<p><b>SPOOKY DISCO – 21<sup>ST</sup> OCTOBER – SAVE THE DATE</b></p> <p>We have booked Crowle Village Hall again for this event – <b>check if paid – Laura J</b></p> <p>Crazy Dave is booked to DJ – <b>check if payments outstanding – Gem B contact Dave, Laura J to pay.</b></p> <p><b>All:</b> Think about what games/crafts to do – NO GLITTER!!!!</p> <p>Everyone dress up</p> <p>Competition for best costume – <b>Gem B to sort prizes</b></p> <p>Ten Licence – <b>Gem G</b></p> <p><b>Can everyone try and source a raffle prize! if you ask people for prizes please share on the committee group so we are not contacting twice!</b></p> <p><b>Laura Flyer please – send end of September, Mrs P to add on PP.</b></p>
10	<p><b>XMAS FAYRE: 25<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER – SAVE THE DATE</b></p> <p>We will need lots of volunteers for this so please save the date.</p> <p>Can we start thinking about stalls &amp; sponsorship now, book in.</p> <p>Think about use of space as was very crowded last year.</p> <p>Raffle prizes – <b>if you ask people for prizes please share on the committee group so we are not contacting twice!</b></p> <p>Ask Oulsnam to sponsor the grotto again – <b>Gem B</b></p>
11	<p><b>CHOCCLATE BINGO: DATE TBC</b></p> <p>Family event</p> <p>Looking at 16<sup>th</sup> March 5-7pm (half hour either side for set up clean up? – <b>Can we see if village hall is available- Caroline</b></p> <p>Can we do a Donation day? <b>Mrs P / Mr M to confirm</b></p> <p>Ask supermarkets for donations?</p> <p>Sponsor for event?</p> <p>TEN licence for bar?</p> <p>Snacks &amp; drinks</p> <p>Borrow Laura MD dad's bingo stuff</p> <p>Aaron the Bingo Caller!!</p>

12	<b>MOVIE NIGHT: Date TBC – Gem B &amp; Mrs P to arrange a date towards end of term?</b> Do it on one night. Kids in PJs/ bring blankets Split into KS1/KS2. One lot in hall, one lot in Classroom (yr2?). Decide on film – 90mins, PG only. Snacks and drinks
13	<b>AGM – 12<sup>th</sup> October at School.</b> Everyone welcome to attend. Round up of last year and voting in committee. <b>Gem B to send invite!</b>
14	<b>Open Morning/ Evening:</b>  Friends will be doing teas and coffees: is anyone available to help – <b>let Gem B know</b>  <b>10<sup>th</sup> October (morning) – 9.20-11.30</b> <b>8th November (evening) – 6-8pm</b>
15	<b>Valentine Event: DATE TBC</b>  Disco/silent disco? Look at 3 <sup>rd</sup> Feb 4-6pm – <b>is village hall available – Caroline</b> Snacks and drinks Details will tbc nearer the time
16	<b>Spooky Costume/ Xmas Jumper/ Nativity Amnesty:</b> <b>Dates TBC:</b>  Two separate ones.  Halloween costumes – before spooky disco so early October.  Xmas jumpers & nativity costumes. Early December.  <b>Laura Flyers please</b>
16	<b>JOB ROLES:</b>  <b>Chairperson – vacancy next year</b> <b>Secretary– vacancy next year</b> <b>Board Updates – Caroline</b> is happy to continue – thank you. <b>100 Club – Sally</b> is going to take this on – thank you. <b>Facebook – Tam</b> is happy to continue – thank you <b>Weekly Newsletter – Emma</b> is going to take this on – thank you. <b>Uniform Sales – vacancy.</b> (this is just putting uniform from our shed onto rails in the open shed, and then putting away again once finished. About 3 or 4 times a year) <b>Please let Gem B know if are interested or would like some more info.</b>
17	<b>AOB:</b>

	<p><b>DBS checks – new members will need to get a DBS check pls. See Mrs Parmley in the office.</b></p> <p><b>Bonfire Night – can we sell fidgets or glow sticks at the Hanbury bonfire?</b></p> <p><b>Krispy Kreme sale – Gem G will look into</b></p> <p><b>Easy fundraising – send link out to new members, and new reception class. Post on fb and whatsapp groups again, have raised £600 so far.</b></p>
<b>18</b>	<p><b>Next Meeting:</b></p> <p><b>Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> October 7.30pm The Ewe and Lamb – area has been booked for us.</b></p>