## ST. VINCENT'S PARENTS' ASSOCIATION

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# ST.VINCENT'S PARENTS' ASSOCIATION MINUTES 12.02.20

Wednesday 09:00-10:00am

#### INTERNATIONAL EVENING

• Earnings £2700 (before expenses deducted) with extra cash donations of £100

#### PANCAKE SALES-Tuesday 25 February 2020, 3:15pm

- Volunteers needed (2) for tickets and money handling. Additional volunteers to make batter prior to event
- Drinks sales £1, water, juice pods and canned drinks

#### EASTER FAIR-27 March 2020, 3:15pm

- There will be additional meetings before the event to coordinate and gather volunteers
- Letter will be distributed to children closer to event containing information about the fair, bonnet competition and the raffle tickets
- Stalls, there are a few changes. We will have the netball, tombola and a bracelet making stall.
- We will need new volunteers for the bracelet stall. There will be a training session closer to event

### AUCTION-Friday 12 June 2020, Organizer Tara Hayes (yr2)

- Biggest fundraiser for the school and each child providing many advantages and opportunities such as school trips, workshops, artist, supplies, etc.
- Last year this event raised £60K which upgraded computers
- Help is needed in all areas such as, finding donations (street walkers), advertising, corporate
  emails, website maintenance, catalogue layout, collecting items, volunteering on the night and
  getting parents and the public (family and friends) to attend the Auction.
- Street walkers ask local business to donate item, vouchers, cash OR advertising.
- Advertising is the best money maker. It is a direct donation for the school and there is no limit.
- The donation forms and last year's catalogue will be available this Friday in the school office after approval
- There are 2 forms, a Parent form where you can donate a service, meal, or have personal relationship with a donor. There is also a business and advertising form
- 350-400 catalogues will be printed and distributed to all donors with their logo which is a source of free advertising and recognition through the community. It is also posted online.

Last year there were 60 attendees at the auction, and we would really like to grow the numbers. If every family contributes at least £5 at the auction or online option, it helps. Every bit helps, monetary and physical helps.

• Please do not buy items to donate, the money spent would be better going directly to the auction.

Next event: 25<sup>th</sup> February 2020 Pancake Sale Next meeting: 26<sup>th</sup> February 2020 at 9:15a.m.