

Chairperson: Mrs Victoria Mouat Booth Baltasound Unst ZE2 9DT Clerk: Miss H Sinclair 1 Brakefield Crescent Haroldswick Unst ZE2 9EJ

Minutes of the AGM/Parent Forum Meeting held at Baltasound Junior High School on Tuesday 18th April 2017, at 6.30pm in Room 4.

Mrs. V. Mouat (Chair)
Mr. D. Jamieson
Mrs. E. Brown
Mr. G. Rodger
Mrs. Karen Gray
Mr. P. Thomson
Mr. M. Brown
Mrs. V. Thomason
Miss. H. Sinclair

Mrs. C. Jamieson Mrs. J. Thomson Mrs. C. Peterson

Apologies for Absence

Apologies for absence were received from Mrs. C. Waddington, Mrs. A. Fraser, Mr. M. Cox.

Introducing the new Parent Council Chair

Victoria said that she would be willing to stay on as Chair, but it would be a great help if there was someone to share the Chairperson duties. Vaila was proposed as joint Chair by DJ, Seconded JT. <u>Victoria and Vaila will be joint Chair</u>.

Biannual PC Meetings; Paul said that it is worth noting that there is video conferencing facilities in the school which can be used.

Matthew Cox was re-elected as Vice Chair/Co-opted. (VM, CP) George Rodger was re-elected as Staff Member. (CJ, EB) Hazel Sinclair will remain Clerk.

New Members Vaila Thomason Murray Brown Margo Spence Kevin Priest Kathryn Lomax and Yvette Carnell stood down.

Unst Partnership

Victoria attended the Unst Partnership meeting held on Monday 17th April. There has already been quite a bit of cleaning up around the polytunnels.

UP is keen to do a joint grant for 2 polytunnels (1 nursery area, 1 community area). Sarah had already gone for funding for the polytunnels that are there and so it wasn't known if this would affect more funding.

UP are hoping to get rid of the container on site.

It is hoped to re-cover 2 of the existing polytunnels.

The Parent Council will liaise with UP on the way forward.

Internet Safety for Parents

The original date for this was Thurs 20^{th} April which falls on the same day as the hustings. It will be moved to Thurs 27^{th} April from 6 - 7pm.

Eurovision/BJHS have no talent

The Eurovision Coffee Morning will be changed to 11am – 1pm. An e-mail to parents to request baking will be sent out nearer the time. The BJHS have no talent event will be moved to later date.

Council Candidates

Hustings on Thursday 20th April – Parent Council Members will attend.

School Grounds

Emily/Lisa to prioritise what needs to be done.

Request to go out to parents/community for recycled/natural materials (tyres, pallets, fish boxes etc) Ten year plan/long term plan for grounds.