**Notes from School Association AGM, Thursday 11th January 2016**

Attendees: Demelza Vincent (Chairman) Lesley Skewes (Deputy Chairman) Louise Jones (Headteacher)

Alison Newman (Secretary) Becky Roberts (Treasurer) Alix Lord (Governor)

Michelle Ford Rona Amiss

**Christmas Fayre**

There was a very good turnout at the fayre; having the Soup & Sweet from 11.00am brought in around £90 (approx. £546 was taken in total. James Glosby has offered to take on the raffle at the next Christmas Fayre, with bigger, better prizes (as seen by the Glosby’s at the Mullion Primary School). There were quite a lot of positive comments about the fayre from the attendees.

Jo Buckley (photographer) was exceptionally busy again and it has been suggested that she runs a ‘fundraising day’ at the end of the school year.

**Easter Fayre** – Thursday 17th March, 2.00pm - 4.00pm in the School Hall

There were a few suggestions of stalls, to be confirmed. We will ask Donna Glosby if she would like to run the ‘make your own Easter biscuit’ stall from the kitchen (as before), Easter Bonnet competition, refreshment stall, Judith (jewellery), Heather Patterson (sewing craft), Raffle/Tombola, Liz Granata’s mum (pocket money stall) and John Ford (pottery). **Please speak to Demelza if you would like a stall.**

**Open Farm Day**

Open Farm Day will be held again at Rona’s farm (Tregullas Farm) on Sunday 5th June.

**Jumble Sale** – Thursday 16th June, 2.00pm – 4.00pm, The Reading Rooms

We will be holding another jumble sale in the Reading Rooms, and like the previous time sending what is left to Bags 2 School. Michelle will talk to Bags 2 School about arranging a collection date. Michelle will also chase why we are still waiting for payment from the last collection.

**Any other business**

Louise talked to us about getting funding from the School Association to help teach the children about e-safety. We talked about the options, including involving the Pirate FM Media bus, who has a special ‘event’ to help teach e-safety. Louise will come back to us with costs.

Alix asked for a contribution towards the new School prospectus of around £400.

The Gardening Club would like some more supplies for the children, so we agree to buy those.

Class 2 needed a new table and chairs, so we have funded this.

Michelle asked what we bought the leavers at the end of the school year; usually it is a book or something similar. Michelle suggested we look at hoodies with the School’s name and emblem, the year and maybe the children’s names who were leaving. It was suggested that the children are happy with signing each other’s white shirts and this may be a cost that at this moment in time is too expensive with the budget constraints of the School, who may need to ask the School Association for extra money at any time during the year.

The AGM of the School Association will be Monday 18th April at 9.00am in the Reading Rooms.

**Next Meeting** – Thursday 25th February at 9.00am in the Reading Rooms