



### Parent Council Remit

The Parent Council aims to promote a partnership between the school, its pupils and all our parents or carers.



Our aims and objectives are:-

- To work in partnership with the school to create a welcoming school which is inclusive for all parents
- Promote parental involvement in their child's learning
- To promote partnership between the school, its pupils, its parents and the community
- To develop and engage in activities which support the education and welfare of the pupils
- To identify and represent the views of parents on the education provided by the school and other matter affecting the education and welfare of the pupils
- To communicate regularly with parents and stakeholders via minutes, email and school website
- To ensure confidentiality is respected in relation to individual pupils, staff and parents



Summary of issues that the Parent Council was consulted on, informed of and involved in during 2015/2016:-

- Teacher Interviews:- successfully appointed Sandra Fulton to the Depute Head Post of our School
- Senior Awards Ceremony:- Parent Council contributed an award and attended to present
- Christmas Lunch for Senior Citizens within our community:- Assisted in the organisation and delivery of the lunch
- Table Top Sale:- Organised, promoted and deliver the first Table Top sale within the school
- Informed of numerous training targeted at Parent Council members
- Attended P7 information evenings to promote the Parent Council
- Numerous fundraising opportunities, completion of applications etc.
- Involved in decision making process in relation to new Blazers
- Resurrected our campaign for refurbished pitch facilities
- New contact details and created PC email address



### **Fundraising and Spending:-**

All funds raised by the Parent Council are to support the work of the school and extra-curricular activities. Over the past year, fund raising has occurred in a variety of ways including table top sale, tombola, second hand uniforms and the Easy Fundraising scheme was also set up.

In addition a significant grant application was made to fund the London Trip in June 2015 and the Area Budget Committee granted £4000 as a contribution.

A further grant application has been made to support the Costa Rica Trip where a decision will be made at the Area Budget Committee Meeting on 23 May 2016

A grant application for £500 to Commonweal Trades House to support the Grease Production was made and the Parent Council secured this amount on Wednesday 23 March 2016

A donation from Spire View Housing was requested toward the Senior Citizens Christmas Lunch and we were awarded with £100

Our aim is to meet with the Pupil Council for future fundraising ideas and determine how we can further support.

