

Deans Community High School

Parent Council Meeting Minutes

Tuesday 27 November 2018

1. Present: Mark Cockburn, Sandra Fallon, Jacqueline Baird, Angela Ritchie, Pauline Allison

2. Apologies : Linda Irvine, Anne Runciman, Janice Ritchie

3. Chairs report – No report given

4. Appointment of Office Bearers - Jacqueline Ritchie proposed Angela Ritchie for role of chair. Those present agreed. Mrs Allison advised that Linda Irvine was happy to continue in the role as Secretary.

5. Evaluation Summary – This was discussed and can be accessed via the School website.

6. Head Teachers Report
 - Eilidh O’Connor (English teacher) moving to Bute to take up PT position
 - Emma Ward (Business subject) - Long term absence/illness

7. Achievements
 - 18 students attended House of Lords.
 - 8 senior students involved in Sleep In the Park.
 - School Sports Award from Sports Scotland for the 3rd time.
 - Duke of Edinburgh – 22 students achieved bronze and 3 students achieved silver this year.
 - PE Sportathon - £4,600 raised.
 - P7 Open evening was well attended.
 - Music Camp was a great success.
 - Children were involved in the British Legion Memorial Service.

8. Upcoming Events

- Maths Parents Session – Thursday 6th December between 6-7pm
- Brass ensemble playing Charity Christmas Ball.

9. DHT Short Leet – there was 33 applications, 6 applicants were interviewed for long leet. A discussion took place regarding the proposed candidates to take forward to short leet and 3 applicants were agreed.

Successful candidates will be announced in due course.

10. A.O.B

- Angela Ritchie to approach Evelyn Rodgers (Careers Advisor) to attend next meeting
- Louise Walker and Michael Elliot have requested to attend next meeting with two Autism Ambassadors.

Date of next Meeting

12.02.19