



Present:

Mrs Musty, Jemma Kojima, Jamie Biddulph, Penny Norrie, Bryher Grimes, Nicola Barrow, Gina Pope, Chris Jacob

| Agenda item | Comments | Actions |
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| 1 | Welcome Mrs Musty welcomed everyone. | --- |
| 2 | Parentpay The school recognises that this payment system has become complicated with the addition of before and after school care. Parents present requested that the bill was more clearly itemised and payment should be made up front to avoid parents going into arrears. We are looking for an alternative system which incorporates this and that will make booking, payment and the management of this easier. Both Scopay and School Gateway were recommend as alternatives and will be considered. | Mrs Musty Mrs Sharp to organise |
| 3. | Parentview This is the Ofsted tool that is used to capture parent views on schools. There are 14 questions. https://parentview.ofsted.gov.uk/ Please can all parents complete this. And if you have any concerns about any aspect of the school, please talk to us so that we can work together to resolve this. Parents present asked what else parents can do to support the school with its next Ofsted inspection. CM explained that a key area is attendance and punctuality and parents play a vital role in this. The current attendance level is just below 96% and we want to improve upon this. However, we have children with low attendance. Whenever possible, children should attend school. | Parents to complete the Parentview survey |
| 4. | School Grounds Nicola Barrow will continue to maintain the school grounds and would appreciate any help that parents can offer, including sweeping, clearing and cutting back the ivy. She will send out a WhatsApp message and will plan to do any work on either a Monday or Friday. Any offers of help would be gratefully received. Jamie Biddulph will help with the clearing of ivy. The school will source recycling bins for the playground. Arwen's grandfather has very kindly offered to paint the library – thank you. Alastair Blant has very kindly offered to fit a new roof on the playground shelter- thank you Alastair. | Volunteer help required Nicola Barrow Jamie Biddulph Mrs Musty |

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| | The railings need to be stripped and repainted. The playground furniture also needs to be repainted. Please let us know if you can help. | Volunteer help required |
| 4. | <p>Friends of Rodmarton News Proceeds from the quiz night, cake sale and Mufti has been spent on additional books for the school library. The school is very grateful to the committee for funding these books which will greatly enhance the books available to the children. The Friends will focus on complimenting the non-fiction books with their next fundraiser.</p> <p>Events World Book Day Tea Party 5th March The Friends invite the children to participate in 2 competitions. Tickets for the Mad Hatter's Tea Party are £5 and can be bought from the school office or the Friends. Please support this fabulous event and encourage friends and other family members to come along too (the event starts at 2:30, before the children arrive at 3:15). Easter Egg Hunt date tbc Gingo 25th April Big Summer Lunch 11th July Please help the Friends by volunteering your support to organise and run these events. Rodmarton's Got Talent 18th March at 5:30 Please encourage your children to participate. Younger pupils will need help in deciding on their performance which could involve the whole year group. Past group performances have worked well when they are helped by a parent. Other family members and siblings from other schools are welcome to enter. Thanks was passed on to the committee for all of their fundraising activities this year. Stage lights need to be PAT tested. Jamie offered to approach a local electrician. If he is unable to help, Gina Pope offered to take them to a company in Stroud.</p> | <p>Purchase tickets</p> <p>Volunteer help required</p> <p>Encourage children to participate</p> <p>Jamie Biddulph Gina Pope</p> |
| 5. | <p>AOB Summer Term After School Clubs The current school clubs are proving very popular and if the children continue to enjoy them, they will continue into the summer term. In addition to this, school will look to run other clubs such as cricket, rounders and tennis club. In addition to this, we also have netball and active club running at lunchtime. With better weather ahead, the popular gardening club would be a great activity to start again. It was raised that All Stars Cricket is a great initiative for parents to be aware of. More details of this is available at https://www.ecb.co.uk/play/all-stars/parents Coronavirus- the school will keep parents informed through the updates they receive form Public Health and Gloucestershire County Council. Playground Noticeboard This will be re-instated and can be found in the playground, next to entry gate.</p> | Mrs Jessop |
| Next meeting: Wednesday 29th April at 2:30pm | | |

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