**FROGS Meeting 24th January 2025 – Fundraising and Enrichment Ideas**

**(**Present: Rachel, Sarah, Danni, Lexi, Anna, Kelly, Hannah, Mrs Barker, Rosie, Jenna, Kerry, Becky)

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| **Discussions** | **Actions** | **Owners** | **Date** |
| Cake sales agreed for last day(ish) of each half term - OK’d with Mrs Barker | Class 3’s Valentines Cake Sale Friday | Anna and Committee | 14th February |
| Ask Rachel to produce poster | Rachel | W/c 27/01 |
| A disco was agreed for when the nights are darker – potentially a silent disco. Farm Adventures provided disco equipment previously. Straight after school | Arrange for Autumn Term | Committee | Sept 2025 to arrange for a date in Nov-ish |
| Movie night was agreed – previously had 2 screens (older and younger film). Served popcorn, squash, hotdogs, etc. Straight after school | Arrange for Summer Term | Committee | April 2025 to arrange for a date in June-ish |
| ‘Raisin’ money for good deeds agreed for over Easter holidays. April 6th is ‘Good Deeds Day’. Raisin-esque boxes to be sourced online and kids can decorate | Arrange for end of term | Committee | February/March 25 ready to go home with pupils at end of term |
| Bunny Squares agreed as good fundraiser. For within school this time but in future extending to local community as fundraiser | Produce grid and get prize(s) | Kelly | March 2025 |
| Discussion as to possible enrichment being along the lines of some kind of Online Safety / Awareness education | Explore what this might look like | Anna | TBC – check back in at end Feb? |
| Discussion about having a stand at the Masham Sheep Fayre. Candy floss machine is owned by FROGS (Previously they sold school-made soap, etc. - youth enterprise project). Jenna kindly offered option of sharing a stand with the Beavers | Decide whether we want a stand – and if so, what we have on it | Committee | Tuesday 28th Jan |
| We need to understand the school’s year view of enrichment weeks, sustainability week, science week, school workshops, etc. so that we can support and enhance these if we can (the next one might include emergency vehicles?) | Provide us with sight of this | Mrs Barker | No date agreed – check back in at end of month |
| Agreed that ice-creams, drinks etc. at Sports Day would be wonderful | Confirm with Rosie Ramsden (not present) to proceed | Committee | Date for Sports Day TBC |
| Discussion about getting sponsors for some of our events. Could the new pub sponsor us and we would advertise for them, hold socials, meetings there, potentially have a charity pot on the bar? | Ask potentials | Kerry asking Galphay Inn | Ongoing |
| Ask new pub owners | Kelly | When you get the opportunity |
| We haven’t heard anything recently about the Fountains 10k | Get in touch with Sally at Fountains | Hannah / Kelly | End Jan |
| Discussion about other potentially great ideas:  - Holding a Wellbeing event / week at the end of Summer Term – holding it at the Himalayan Gardens or similar and incorporating yoga / breathing / meditation / senses, etc.  - Holding a Colour Run  - Getting someone to come in to do a dance workshop  - Holding an artist workshop in one of the Art Weeks  - Holding a ceilidh night  - Seeing if we could tie in with any Cathedral events / performances  - Happy’s Circus is a company who come and put a circus on, could hold this as a community event on a weekend (date would need to be booked well in advance for a weekend day)  - Have a stall at the Long Course weekend (if 10 people marshal then we get £450 for the school?)  - Nidderdale Moorland Group running free sessions  - The 100 club – parents pay a yearly amount £25 and there are £35 worth of prizes each month to win (profit of £2080 per year)  - Hold a race night / quiz night / domino drive at the pub  - Hold a jumble sale after school one day | Discuss / Explore at some point | Committee | Ongoing |
| Discussion about the Swinton Easter Trail | Approve dates (up 22-23 March, down 26-27 April) with Swinton | Kelly email Swinton | January |
| Take stock of pencils / brown bags / stickers, etc. | Hannah | January |
| Send over previous trail sheets | Hannah | January |
| Sort out advertising | Kelly | February |
| Source prizes | Committee | February |
| Create rota for stock checks and checking the trail (Lexi will help) | Committee | February |

**Other things to note:**

For after school activities, e.g., movie or disco we would need a safeguarding lead present, enough DBS checked adults and someone qualified in paediatric first aid. School policies would need to be checked to ensure we had appropriate cover.

For info

- School holds an Art/D&T week every half term

- They have a world faith of the year – this year is Sikhism

Not a fundraising or enrichment activity but it was mentioned that the New Starter pack could be reviewed, the FROGS new parent pack (no one had seen this) and include a list of local clubs, contacts, community groups, etc.