BSB PA Meeting November 24th - Meeting Minutes

Meeting invitations

Most people in the meeting received an SMS invitation to attend the meeting. It was considered a very useful reminder. According to Andy Puttock, there is a minor cost, however the system used to send the SMS is not very simple to use.

Christmas Fayre and German Market

The event was an overwhelming success, with more than 2500 people attending. Everyone enjoyed the fantastic ambiance, fun & relaxed atmosphere for family & children, a wide variety of vendors & gift options and lovely musical performances.

There was a big round of applause for all the parents who volunteered to make this a success!

Numbers regarding the amount raised for charity will soon be divulged. Suggestions: distribute the program at the entrance to the public, look into having a better sound system or a different location for the choirs.

Food Committee

The food committee is now complete with seven parents and five students participating. During the last meeting, it was agreed that Eurest, our supplier, will help in giving cookery classes to the children. Also, they will promote some food tasting for the parents that wish to come and understand better the food offered to the children. Various allergies concerns have been taken into consideration. Therefore, a list of ingredients in every meal will be available for students and parents in BSB's webpage. As per a parent request, the school will study a possible change from Nestlé Water to Watson's Water.

Photo competition

Johan will take the photos to be framed and the awards will be presented during Assembly.

Events

- Grease presentation: volunteers are needed to help Chatterbox in selling during intermission.
- PA's Christmas party was cancelled (original date 29th November)
- PA's Charity Ball: Simon presented the proposals from Crowne Plaza, Westin and Regents and all present have agreed to move on with The Regents Hotel due to price and quality of service. Dates still to be confirmed.

School Issues

- Regarding arrivals and departures issues, they should be communicated to the school on an individual base. The main entrances should have a form where parents can report any difficulties that might occur.
- Suggestion: Have ASA's or clubs for Teddy's and Reception classes.

Secret Santa Shoppe

To be held between December 1st and 4th, the Secret Santa Shoppe needs volunteers to wrap up gifts and sell the items during the week.