

FRIENDS OF MONKFIELD PARK-AGM/MINUTES

Meeting date Friday 26th September 2025 - 3:45pm

Attendees

- Mrs A Howell-Head Teacher
- Amy Hall- Secretary
- Chloe Batten - Treasurer
- Katie Hutchinson
- Kate Major
- Caroline Deegan
- Ola Obafaye

Agenda

- Introduction/Apologies
- Agree Last AGM Minutes
- AGM Report
- Election of New Committee Members
- AOB

OPENING OF MEETING

Amy Hall opened the meeting during which the attendees were confirmed and documented

Amy confirmed the current members and their roles within the committee.

FOMP Chair Becci Watson-Thomas resigned in February 2025 due to personal circumstances.

AGREE LAST AGM MINUTES

Last year's AGM minutes were provided to all attendees during the meeting. At this stage of the meeting, Amy asked for any comments/amendments. No comments or amendments were raised and as such last year's AGM minutes were therefore agreed upon.

AGM REPORT

Introduction to FOMP

FOMP is a Friends of the School Association and was founded in October 2000. It is a partnership between parents, carers, staff members and any person wishing to offer appropriate support/help that is accepted as a member by the committee. The object of our association is to develop effective relationships between the staff, parents and others associated with the school and engage in activities or provide equipment or facilities to support the school and advance the education of the pupils.

Fundraising

Chloe ran through some of the events we have done this year - Total profits - £2,909.89

- ❖ Christmas Cards
- ❖ School Disco
- ❖ Easter Egg Hunt
- ❖ Break the Rules Day
- ❖ Summer Fair
- ❖ Rainbow Raffle

Chloe ran through the ongoing fundraisers - Total raised £1,840.26

- ❖ EasyFundraising - £209.65
- ❖ Cash For Clothes - £248.40
- ❖ Second Hand Uniform Sales- £1,382.21

Money Spent

FOMP have donated £2,211.41 to the school this year in various ways, which include the following

- ❖ Coach Trip Costs
- ❖ Gifts for the Christmas Lunch
- ❖ Christmas & Welcome Gifts for Reception Children
- ❖ Reading Books
- ❖ Ice Lollies for Sports Day
- ❖ Donations to the C&LC
- ❖ Year 6 Leavers Gifts

Reflections Garden-Total that is still held in our account for completing the Reflection Garden is £839.24

Future Fundraising events

TBC

Projects we are raising money for are

Increasing the amount given each year towards Coach costs for School trips. With the cost of living increasing the school appreciates being able to keep the cost low for trips so that all can attend.

Continuing to supply extra guided reading books or any books where requested by the school.

Helping with equipment and supplies for OPAL including a sandpit at the back of the field for all to enjoy!

Finances

Chloe discussed the finances as follows:

Total income was £7,571.05 and expenditure this year was £4,433.03

Profit by event: -

Christmas Cards - £311.45

Disco - £530.83

Easter Egg Hunt - £195.31

Break the Rules Day - £524.55

Summer Fair - £962.89

FOMP organised an event that did not go ahead due to lack of interest which was a loss of £94.40.

ELECTION OF COMMITTEE MEMBERS

Amy confirmed no paper nominations were submitted

Chair- No Nomination, Co-chair discussed with Amy & Chloe. Both agreed they will continue to Co-chair.

Secretary- Amy Hall nominated at the AGM to be Secretary Seconded Caroline Deegan by many and all agreed on.

Treasurer- Chloe Batten nominated at the AGM to be Treasurer Amy Hall seconded by many and all agreed on.

Ola Obafaye nominated at the AGM to be an ordinary committee member along with Katie Hutchinson, both seconded by many and all agreed on.

AOB

Annie Howell & Caroline Deegan spoke fondly about the support FOMP has offered and the difference we have made this year.

Chloe discussed the role of an ordinary committee member to Ola Obafaye.

CLOSURE OF MEETING

The meeting was closed at 4:09pm thanking all attendees for coming.

MINUTES SIGNED BY-