

Guardian Angels' N.S.

Board of Management Meeting Agreed Report

Date: 09/05/2023

In attendance: James McNally, Sinéad Lane, Roy Kelly, Nicola Farrell, Regis Twomey, Vincent Hargaden, Pádraig Ó Néill, and Ann Hilary Whelehan.

Child Protection and Anti Bullying

Mr. Ó Néill presented the Child Protection report and the Anti Bullying report.

Finance

The Treasurer presented the financial report.

Pupils

444 on roll.

Staffing

Department of Ed. has allocated 4 teachers to the Blackrock Supply panel.

We have advertised for 7 fixed-term positions.

SET and SNAs: The National Council for Special Education has made no changes to our allocation.

Curriculum/Organisational Development

The Drumcondra Tests are being administered.

School Self-Evaluation: Results of the teacher discussions have been documented. Survey instrument almost ready to send to parents.

Primary Language Curriculum: Genre writing is the area of focus for at least the next year.

Building:

Still waiting for completion of snag list. A new door installed in the Infants' wing.

School Matters:

Schoolbook Grant – The Department is providing a grant to cover the purchase of textbooks and copybooks for all pupils.

Summer Programme: 3 weeks for 12 pupils approximately. This will run for the first two weeks of July and the last full week of August.

Confirmation will take place on Friday May 12th.

Our choir took part in the National Children's choir which was held in the National Basketball Arena, Tallaght.

HSE – Screening for hearing and vision took place in April.

Meeting for new parents of Junior Infant pupils will take place on Tuesday 16th May.

School Tours and Fun Day have been organised.

National Clean Up: The children took part in this worthwhile activity, cleaning up in the neighbourhood.

Special Items

The quote for the restoration of the cctv cameras was approved.

Flagpoles repaired: cost €737.75.

PTA provided 5 Promethean Whiteboards. Also, hoodies for Sixth Class pupils.

This report is a summary of the non-confidential items discussed at the meeting. It is not an official record of the meeting.