

# Stirling High School Parent Council

## Meeting 12 March 2012 held at 7pm

### SHS Conference Room

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**Present:** Peter Langley, Christine Paterson, Sybil Lang, Ross Burton, Lesley McAleenan, Neil Ross, Alistair Cowper, Robert Clafferty, Scott McGrigor, Pat Scullion, Anna McDaid, Rhys McKenna and Sophie Lock.

**Apologies:** Vickie Wilson, Eve Keepax, Linda Farquhar.

1. **Approval of last minutes** – approved
2. **Matters Arising** – agreed that the agenda covered all matters for discussion
3. **Treasurer's Report** – No change
4. **Head Teacher's Report** – PS gave a presentation of recent events and the school calendar
  - PS and PL had a meeting with Council on site to discuss yellow lining in front of the school. The Council agreed to extend the double yellow lining to the other side of the road. However no action will be taken until the new financial year
5. **Pupil Council** – The next meeting is on 18 April. CP attended the last meeting and remarked on the pupil's enthusiasm and interest. School uniform was debated. Ideas included blazers, jumpers, scarves and waterproof jackets
6. **Head Boy/Girl's Report** – Anna and Rhys gave their report :-
  - School Houses – house points are being awarded across all years and will be displayed in the Hub. The banners and points display will be ready shortly. Further inter-house events are being organised including a talent show and bake off
  - Charities Committee –Strathcarron Hospice fund raising event takes place on 19 April
  - Young Carers – the raffle was a great success and Anna wished to thank all who donated prizes
  - Sports Relief – a one mile run/jog/walk will take place on 23 March
7. **Parent Council** –
  - Fund Raising – Progress with the organisation of the car boot sale on the 24 March was discussed. A special meeting will take place at 6pm on Wednesday at SHS.
8. **AOCB**
  - RN queried information coming out of the S3 Assembly regarding attendance at Forth Valley College for vocational courses
  - CP referred to negative publicity about C for E

- PS to suggest dates for the PC members to attend classes at the school ( this initiative had to cancelled last year due to time constraints)

**9. Next Meeting – to be on 30 April and 11 June in the Conference Room.**