ST NINIAN'S HIGH SCHOOL MINUTES OF PARENT COUNCIL MEETING



MONDAY 10 MAY 2021

PRESENT: MR P McLAUGHLIN (HT)

MRS S BOYLE (DHT)

MRS J LIVINGSTONE (PT Bus Ed)

MRS Y WEBB (Chair)

MS S MacLEAN (Vice Chair)
MS M McCARNEY (Parent)
MR D McCULLOCH (Parent)
MR D CHAPPELLE (Parent)
MRS V McRAE (Parent)

MR K McKENNA (Co-opted member)

MR T BRESLIN (Church Rep) MRS A HENDERSON (Parent)

MRS E CAIRNEY (Parent & PTA Rep)

APOLOGIES: MRS M WILSON (Parent)

MS K McCARTHY (Parent) MR J O'DOWD (Parent)

CIIr J JAMIESON

MS L FAIRBAIRN (Clerk)

This meeting was held on-line due to COVID19

Mrs Webb welcomed everyone to the meeting and asked Mr McLaughlin for an update.

Mr McLaughlin explained the planning process the team had in place for the pupils' return after Easter. He explained the details for each year group and highlighted the differences between them including different times for interval and lunch breaks to reduce the amount of people in the social area at one time. He also discussed the use of masks and hand sanitisers.

A discussion followed regarding issues within the school including teachers being expected to use their own devices and concerns were raised that there is still no provision for high quality remote learning. East Dunbartonshire Council seem to be behind other authorities with the provision of kit for both pupils and teachers.

Upcoming exams were discussed along with the assessment calendar. The prelims should start after Easter. Formal assessments, prelims and school exams will all be used to go towards final grades. Two additional in-service days have been added where staff will be involved in rigorous quality assurance of the grades.

Concern was expressed around how we could best support the S6 year group as at this time they would normally be involved in some celebration before leaving school.

Mrs Webb thanked everyone for attending and the meeting was brought to a close. Next meeting:

Next meeting: to be advised depending on on-going restrictions