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	MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON THURSDAY 16 th JUNE 2011 in the CONFERENCE SUITE, SALE GRAMMAR SCHOOL	ACTION																
	Present: Ursula Cox, Christine Freeman, Lesley Smith, Michelle Ball, Maxine Bland, Rob Redman, Phil Davies, Julie Hewer, Helen Przybyla, Hazel Riches, Jane Cicchetti, Samantha Tatton, Julia Lindsay, Christine Higgins, Julie Murray, Mark Smallwood																	
1.	WELCOME & INTRODUCTIONS Everyone introduced themselves																	
2.	APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE Laura Thompson, Liz Williams, Chris Boyes, Paula Chandler, Adele Davies, Pam Boyes, Mike Chandler																	
3.	APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF 3rd May 2011 The minutes of the meeting of 3 rd May 2011 were approved as a true record																	
4.	CHAIR'S REPORT <ul style="list-style-type: none"> UC thanked everyone who helped to make the Car Boot sale such a success. The only problem was double parking on a nearby road, and a neighbour complained and called the police. MS reported that they would consider using cones in the future. UC reported that she had thanked Sue Royle (in the kitchen) and given her a gift. There will be a new banner for the next car boot sale – Michelle needs the measurements of the old one. World Challenge also had 2 stalls – CF will write a letter of recommendation for Alice Stephenson UC will email Jonathan Jackson with changes to the website including adding Grease to the banner UC thanked Laura for her work on the noticeboard and the updated photos Chris Boyes had questioned the removal of the Friends of SGS. His concern was over possible donations to the school and gift aid. As the school now has charitable status, this would no longer be an issue. Phil Davies reported that the raffle raised £1578. The winning form was 7A with £218 sales. Phil will sort out the pizzas on a Friday this term. UC thanked Phil for his hard work with the raffle. It was agreed that we will run the raffle around the same time next year. 	MichelleB CF UC																
5.	HEAD'S REPORT <ul style="list-style-type: none"> MS reported that the School Anniversary celebrations will take place on Sat 9th July, with invited guests from 2-5pm (Y12s will be helping) and an evening event with hog roast from 7 until late. Numbers are not clear but should be around 100 – 200. The satisfaction survey that was completed by pupils and parents was extremely positive with 83% of parents satisfied with the school. MS will do a report on the results in the next newsletter. MS reported that the school is introducing a Hall (House) system, with inter-hall competitions and other opportunities for 6th formers such as organising events and mentoring. It will be launched at the 20th Anniversary celebrations. MS listed some of the suggested Hall names. Teachers will be going on strike on Thursday June 30th so the school will be open for Y12 students only. The new intake evening will still go ahead. 																	
6.	TREASURER'S REPORT <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Julie reported that the current account balance stands at £4,963. The total raised this academic year is around £7,500, as opposed to £4,500 last year. Donations to the school amount to £12,000 so far this school year. 																	
7.	SGS 1200 CLUB REPORT AND DRAW <table border="1" style="width: 100%;"> <tr> <th colspan="4">June 2011 Draw Winners</th> </tr> <tr> <td>1st</td> <td>84</td> <td>£50</td> <td>Cheryl Walsh</td> </tr> <tr> <td>2nd</td> <td>88</td> <td>£30</td> <td>Wendy Jones</td> </tr> <tr> <td>3rd</td> <td>1</td> <td>£20</td> <td>Jenny Peachey</td> </tr> </table> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> UC suggested that we could consider using ParentPay for the 1200 Club next year. MS advised that there will be only minimal extra costs involved, so the annual price can remain at £24. 	June 2011 Draw Winners				1st	84	£50	Cheryl Walsh	2nd	88	£30	Wendy Jones	3rd	1	£20	Jenny Peachey	
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ST will prepare a letter for the information pack for new parents that is given out at the new intake evening. The letter will ask for a cheque on this occasion, but ParentPay will be used for other year groups. ST will contact Alison McPartland for ParentPay information and Alison Bentley for advice on how we will receive information about 1200 Club members A discussion took place regarding Data Protection issues that may arise in passing information from the school to the PTA as a result of using ParentPay. MS will investigate and report back to ST and CF. 	ST ST MS/ST/CF
8.	<p>NEW INTAKE EVENING – Thursday 30th June</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 2 volunteers are needed for each form (12 volunteers in total). CF will email the committee asking for help. One volunteer from each pair will speak to the form about involvement in the PTA. The PTA will offer wine, orange juice and water in the foyer. Maxine will deliver the wine to school on 29th June. The evening starts at 7pm, so some volunteers need to be there from 6.30pm. It will finish around 8.15pm 	CF MaxineB
9.	<p>EVENTS: SGS BOX OFFICE</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Grease has been booked for 3rd October. It was not possible to get discounted tickets for Dirty Dancing A flyer has been sent out for Grease via School Comms. So far there are no bookings, so it may be necessary to do a printed flyer as well. The deadline is July 11th 	
10.	<p>ANY OTHER BUSINESS</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Hazel passed on thanks from the Governors for the work that the PTA has done Phil suggested running a tombola with donated wine and chocolates as part of a non-uniform day as he had found this to be an excellent fundraiser. MS said that he would prefer to keep non-uniform days as charity fundraisers. There was also a discussion on the difficulties of running events like this in a secondary school as there are issues with students bringing in alcohol to school. 	
11.	<p>DATE OF NEXT MEETINGS</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Tuesday 12th July 2011 at the Belmore Hotel, Sale at 7pm – this will be an informal meeting open to everyone 	