



Carstairs Junction Primary School and Early Learning & Childcare

Our Wee School's a Good Wee School



Parents as Partners Parent Council Minutes

PC Minutes 29/01/2026

Attendance: Jill Armour, Margaret Turner, Wendy Thompson, Rebecca Muir, Silviya Savova, Colleen Hove

Apologies: Emma Henderson, Cassey McNally, Pramilla Pandey, Sandra Milbourne, Sarah Jane Gray, Vanessa McPhie

Minutes of previous meeting: Discussed that Tesco blue tokens have now finished and J Armour has asked Elaine Morrison to chase these up and find out if we were successful for funding. Elaine will also look into PC group Connect and enquire if there is a membership fee.

Parking - J Armour received an email from South Lanarkshire Council in response to Councillor Ralph Barker contacting them re the parking issues. In relation to pavement parking, SLC are currently prioritising streets in and around town centres for pavement parking contraventions. Parking attendants will visit the area in due course. Parking is allowed outside of school across from chevrons as long as there is no obstruction to road or driveways. With regards to dangerous or obstructive parking, Police Scotland can be contacted by telephoning 101 for non-emergency enquiries.

J Armour will update the school travel plan, with the aim of promoting more sustainable travel.

Correspondence: N/A

Treasurer's Report: Current balance - £2676.48

- hoodies
- License for raffle tickets
- Coffee morning supplies

Head Teacher Report - see attached document.

MUGA:

Issues raised that our MUGA park has been flooded and that children's bags and jackets are getting wet from ground. J Armour has spoken with our school janitor and Principal Teacher re this matter and children have been advised to sit school bags and jackets on top of plastic shed next to MUGA. MUGA is currently cleaned annually and will be due for another in due course. Any other issues please contact J Armour directly.

We briefly discussed upcoming events -

Valentine's Disco is booked for Friday 13th February and will be a dress down day.

We have provisionally booked our annual Spring coffee morning (Daffodil Tea) for Friday 27th March starting at 1:15pm.

PC members will discuss bakes etc.

M Turner will provide a stall to guess how many sweets in a jar.

J Armour will check if all PC members require PVGs to assist at coffee morning.

Date and time of next meeting:

Monday 9th March 9:30am.