Robert May's School Parent Teacher Association

Annual General Meeting

14 September 2020

Attendees:

Joanna West, Head Teacher/President

Sian Taylor, Treasurer

Angela Gosling, Joint Uniform Co-ordinator

Tracey Schuil-Brewer, Joint Uniform Co-ordinator

Clare Bennett, Joint Chairperson Hayley Claughton, Joint Chairperson

Jenny Robinson, Committee member/Science teacher

Amanda Harse, parent

Denise Girling, Secretary (Minutes)

Apologies:

Daniela Blaj, Committee member Helen Varcoe, Committee member Jeff Burke, Refreshment Co-ordinator

Peter Connolly, IT Support - Uniform Service

Mrs West opened the meeting with the Head Teacher's report.

Head Teacher's Report (full report attached)

Main points:

- February half term trips abroad were cancelled due to travel restrictions put in place by the Government due to the coronavirus pandemic
- School operated as normal until 18 March when lower school closed due to staffing
- GCSE examinations cancelled by the Government on 19 March
- Government placed the UK in lockdown on 23 March
- School adapted to provide a facility for children of key workers. Numbers initially low, rose to provision for 33 keyworker children by the end of summer term. Preparation for Yr 10 attendance (June/July). Remote learning scaled up.
- A Level/GCSE grade algorithm issues. GCSE grades reverted to teacher-assessed grades. RMS gave an honest account of what its historical best has been (P8=+0.2)
- Preparation for autumn start up included risk assessment on opening-up the whole school, public health signage displayed around the school, installation of stainless-steel sinks.
 Increased costs for COVID safe compliance are hygiene related (personal protective equipment (PPE), sinks, signage etc)
- High attendance at 97% at start of autumn term, significant proportion staying off school with Covid or similar symptoms currently
- Testing is not coming up as helpful. Report to DfE daily

Mrs West paid particular thanks to the Uniform team for adapting the service so well in difficult circumstances to ensure uniform purchase and safe distribution for new intake, commenting that the students look really good and the support and way in which the Uniform team have mobilised has been incredible.

Current project to provide additional flexible outdoor covered space.

Mrs West reported that a £1.7m bid had been won by the school to replace windows and fascias to main building and new sports hall lighting.

Treasurer's Report (submitted by S Taylor)

Key points reported for 2019:

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Donations to the school totalled £12,905. This resulted in a surplus of £3,805.

There was £23,977 in the bank and Paypal accounts at the end of the year, and stock value was £29,264. Insurance cover has been put in place this year to cover the value of stock held by the PTA. Thanks go to the Committee members and especially all the volunteers who make the uniform service run so smoothly and efficiently.

Please see attached final annual Accounts to 31.12.19 prepared by Twissell Neilson Budd & Co Ltd, which will be submitted to the Charities Commission in support of the above. Also attached is the Income & Expense Statement showing financial position to date for 2020.

<u>Uniform Service Annual Report</u> (submitted by A Gosling and T Schuil-Brewer)

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Admissions team to keep parents informed on the process including sizing information and ordering deadlines.

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Our service can not operate without the continued hard work and dedication given by all our Uniform Team. Tracey and I would like to personally thank everyone involved in providing this service.

Action: Mr Grigg to provide AG with the names of GCSE PE students, so personalised polo tops can be ordered. Mrs West to remind Mr Grigg.

Chair Report (full report attached)

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letter to parents/guardians is attached for information, setting out what contributions have translated to for their children.

Looking back over the past year to our events we were represented for the first time at a popular local event the Odiham Extravaganza and we hope to be able to return in the future. It produced a small profit but was great to have the school /PTA represented. The bingo and curry night unfortunately did not have enough interest and so had to be cancelled.

Hayley and I would like to express our sincere thanks to all the Committee for their hard work and commitment this year in supporting the PTA and its events. Particular thanks must go to Denise, our Secretary, who does a superb job with the Minutes and much more besides such as helping Hayley and I settle into the joint Chair role with all your experience – thank you so much. Huge thanks also go to Sian for her fantastic job as Treasurer. You are both so committed and the PTA couldn't function as smoothly as it has without you both. Thank you also to Jeff Burke, who has done a fantastic job as our Refreshments Co-ordinator, raising money for the PTA at Parents' Evenings, school production performances and other events, with Committee members also coming along to help. A particular thank you this year must go to our hardworking Uniform team under the fantastic management of Angela and Tracey who, under especially difficult circumstances this year, have continued to deliver their excellent uniform service to parents. Thank you to Peter Connolly for your continued IT support which I know the whole PTA is hugely grateful for. A special thank you must also go to Gary Pavitt, Alison Pavitt, Loraine Whitear and Rebecca Hendren who, as long-standing members of the PTA, have now stepped aside for a well-earned rest, as their children leave year 11. Their commitment to the PTA over the last 5 years has been hugely valuable and the PTA would like to show their grateful thanks by presenting you all with a small token of our appreciation.

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Election of Officers

- a. President Mrs Joanna West
 Mrs West was re-elected as President.
- b. Chair Hayley Claughton and Clare Bennett
 Hayley Claughton and Clare Bennett were re-elected as Joint Chairpersons and will share the role going forward.
- c. Secretary Denise GirlingDenise Girling was re-elected as Secretary.
- d. Treasurer Sian TaylorSian Taylor was re-elected as Treasurer.

- e. Refreshment Co-ordinator Jeff Burke

 Jeff has confirmed his willingness to continue to support the PTA as Refreshment Coordinator. The Charities Commission will need to agree the change of name from PTA
 to PTFA for Jeff to continue as he no longer has a child at the school.
- f. Uniform Co-ordinator
 Angela Gosling and Tracey Schuil-Brewer were re-elected as Joint Uniform
 Co-ordinators.
- g. Committee Members

 Jenny Robinson and Daniela Blaj confirmed their commitment to continue as

 Committee members. Amanda Harse also attended with a view to joining the

 Committee. Co-opted Committee members can be brought in at any stage.

Any Other Business

Change of Name to Parent Teacher Friend Association (PTFA)

ST proposed the change of name from Parent, Teacher Association (PTA) to Parent, Teacher, Friend Association (PTFA) to broaden involvement by enabling people who are not a teacher or parent/guardian of a child at the school to serve on the Committee, eg grandparents. This was seconded by AG and supported by the whole Committee. ST to inform Charity Commission of proposed change to constitution. Extraordinary General Meeting may then be required to clarify.

Action: ST to contact Charity Commission re change of name to PTFA

School Uniform

Low energy dehumidifiers to rid condensation and keep uniform dry in storage were approved at a cost of approximately £180/£190 each. One to be provided for Container 1 and one for Container 2.

Quote for new printer was approved.

Online fundraising

ST to look on ParentKind for ideas.

Continue to promote EasyFundraising via Bulletin and social media.

Volunteers Needed

Plea for uniform volunteers to be flagged at front of Parent Bulletin.

Bid Requests

Heads of Departments to be advised that bid requests are now open for applications.

Minutes of Committee meeting dated 22 June were proposed by ST and seconded by AG.

Date of next meeting - Monday 12 October 2020 at 7pm via Zoom

RMS PTA AGM

Head's report

Highlights of the year

- GCSE grades reverted to Teacher-assessed grades
- RMS gave an honest account of what its historical best has been (P8=+0.2)
- Autumn start up going well
- · Very high attendance to begin with
- This week a significant proportion staying off school with Covid or similar symptoms
- · Testing is not coming up as helpful
- · Report to DfE every day

Our hopes

- In the background, the Oxford/Jenner vaccine gets passed by Easter
- Refurb programme is booked in and happening
- Need more outdoor covered space
- There is no funding for any Covid-19 measures this term- many school may hit bottom but not RMS

Highlights of the year

- Normal until March
- 18th March had to drop lower school because of staffing
- 19th March, evening, Govt cancelled GCSE exams
- Lockdown
- Remote learning, Key worker facility and the build up to Yr 10 attendance (June/July)
- A Level/GCSE grade algorithm issues

How do we see the future?

- We are booked in for immunisation programmes for normal flue- RMS pays for staff to have jabs
- · School nursing team will come in under PHE instructions
- There may well be a kind of rota by November to help prevent further infection
- Remote learning or a blended learning economy may be the norm
- No school trips and visits
- Parents' evenings, info evenings etc will be webinars or done by phone/video call

THANK YOU!

- Uniform purchase and distribution has been amazing
- Students look really good
- Very few infractions
- Your support and the way you have mobilised has been incredible

RMS PTA Treasurer's Report 2019; yearend December 31st, 2019 Charity registration number 1125026; name ROBERT MAYS SCHOOL PTA

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Sian Taylor RMS PTA Treasurer May 2020

ROBERT MAYS SCHOOL PARENT TEACHER ASSOCIATION

Accounts

31 December 2019

ROBERT MAYS SCHOOL PARENT TEACHER ASSOCIATION Income and Expenditure Account for the year ended 31 December 2019

	2019 £	2018 £
Sales	81,341	98,744
Cost of sales	58,335	74,114
Gross surplus	23,006	24,630
Expenses		
Telephone, fax, stationery and other office costs	316	698
Advertising and business entertainment costs	3,261	2,574
Bank, credit card and other finance charges	1,599	1,929
Accountancy, legal and other professional fees	392	910
Depreciation and loss/(profit) on sale	. 488	488
Other business expenses	240	117
	6,296	6,716
Surplus of Income over Expenditure	16,710	17,914
Donations to the school	(12,905)	(22,310)
Surplus/deficit for the year	3,805	(4,396)

ROBERT MAYS SCHOOL PARENT TEACHER ASSOCIATION Balance Sheet as at 31 December 2019

No	tes		2019 £		2018 £
Fixed assets Equipment, machinery and motor vehicles	2		266		754
Current assets Stock and work in progress Bank/building society balances	-	29,264 23,977 53,241		15,714 33,695 49,409	
Current liabilities Trade creditors Other liabilities and accruals	-	790 790		566 685 1,251	
Net current assets			52,451		48,158
Net assets		-	52,717		48,912
Capital account Balance at start of period Surplus for the year Donations to school			48,912 16,710 (12,905)		53,308 17,914 (22,310)
			52,717		48,912

ROBERT MAYS SCHOOL PARENT TEACHER ASSOCIATION Notes to the Accounts for the year ended 31 December 2019

Income and Expenditure analysis 2019 2018 £ £ Sales Sales of uniforms 81,016 97,173 Fundraising 95 Refreshment income 230 1,571 81,341 98,744 Cost of sales Cost of uniforms 58,335 73,406 Refreshment expenses 660 Other direct costs 48 58,335 74,114 Telephone, fax, stationery and other office costs Secretarial & committee expenses 338 Telephone and fax 31 271 Stationery and printing 285 89 316 698 Advertising and business entertainment costs Internet and website 3,261 2,574 Bank, credit card and other finance charges Paypal charges 1,599 1,929 Accountancy, legal and other professional fees Accountants fees 392 300 Consultancy fees 610 392 910 Depreciation and loss/(profit) on sale Depreciation 488 488 Other business expenses NCPTA membership 157 117 Sundry expenses 83

240

117

ROBERT MAYS SCHOOL PARENT TEACHER ASSOCIATION Notes to the Accounts for the year ended 31 December 2019

2 Equipment

	Equipment
	£
Cost	
At 1 January 2019	1,954
At 31 December 2019	1,954
Depreciation	
At 1 January 2019	1,200
Charge for the year	488
At 31 December 2019	1,688
Net book value	
At 31 December 2019	266
At 31 December 2018	754

ROBERT MAYS SCHOOL PTA

Independent Examiner's Report on the Accounts Report to the Trustees of Robert Mays School PTA

On accounts for period ended 31 December 2019 Registered No. 1125026 Set out on pages 1 to 4

Respective responsibilities of trustees and examiner

The charity's trustees are responsible for the preparation of the accounts.

The charity's trustees consider that an audit is not required for this year (under section 144) of the Charities Act 2011 (the Charities Act) and that an independent examination is needed

It is my responsibility to:

- examine the accounts under section 145 of the Charities Act:
- to follow the procedures laid down in the General Directions given by the Charity Commission (under section 145(5)(b) of the Act; and
- to state whether particular matters have come to my attention.

My examination was carried out in accordance with General Directions given by the Commission. An examination includes a review of the accounting records kept by the charity and a comparison of the accounts presented with those records. It also includes consideration of any unusual items or disclosures in the accounts, and seeking explanations from the trustees concerning such matters. The procedures undertaken do not provide all the evidence that would be required in an audit, and consequently no opinion is given as to whether the accounts present a true and fair view and the report is limited to those matters set out in the statement below.

Independent examiner's statement

In the course of my examination, no matter has come to my attention

- (1) which gives me reasonable cause to believe that in, any material respect, the requirements
- to keep proper accounting records in accordance with section 130 of the Charities Act and
 - to prepare accounts which accord with the accounting records and comply with the accounting requirements of the Charities Act have not been met; or
- (2) to which, in my opinion, attention should be drawn in order to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.

Signed Name	M J TWISSELL Chartered Accountant
Date	
Address	Kenward House High Street Hartley Wintney RG27 8NY

Income and Expense Statement Robert Mays PTA

Account	Up to 13 September 2020
Income	
2nd Hand Sales	2,289.60
Fundraising	55.91
Sales	71,247.03
Refreshments	0.00
Total Sales	73,592.54
Cost of Sales	
Cost of Goods Sold	50,229.60
Paypal Transaction Fees	1,246.44
Purchases	(17,720.04)
Total Cost of Sales	33,756.00
2020 income less uniform costs	39,836.54
Administrative Costs	
Audit & Accountancy fees	440.00
General Expenses	125.97
Insurance	156.88
HMRC payments	1,705.75
IT Consulting/ Support	929.17
IT Software and Consumables	1,223.96
Printing & Stationery	23.61
Subscriptions	197.00
Telephone & Internet	0.00
Total Administrative Costs	4,802.34
Donations to school	£6,076.46
Total Costs	£10,878.80
Operating profit	£28,957.74
Cash at bank and in hand	
Petty Cash (inc refreshements profit)	£150.00
R Mays PTA (Paypal)	£2,092.25
R Mays PTA Treas. Acct Lloyds	£38,102.70
Total	£40,344.95
5	111
Donations approved (not yet paid)	£988.00
committed uniform spend	£2,612.14
Cash in hand	£39,356.95

ANNUAL REPORT FROM PTA UNIFORM SERVICE

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ROBERT MAY'S SCHOOL PTA AGM - CHAIR REPORT

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Wishing the PTA all the best for the coming year.

Hayley and Clare

September 2020.

Robert May's School Parent Teacher Association

Dear Parents/Guardians,

Hello January again and the start of another new year! We hope that 2020 brings you all many good and positive times in the year ahead. As for the PTA, we are looking forward to another great year of fundraising to help support the children's education on their journey through the school.

Of course none of the work of the PTA in helping to support the school with extra equipment or educational visits to the school by author's for example would be possible without you, the parents and guardians of the children, who have bought uniform, supported PTA fundraising events like the Odiham Extravaganza and bought refreshments at school events such as parents evenings and school shows. So a huge THANK YOU to you all for your contributions in 2019. So before we carry on with 2020's fundraising the PTA would like to take you all on a look back at the contributions you have all made possible for the children in 2019.

Through the PTA you have directly funded the following totalling £12,905.37:

- 15 compasses
- 10 laptops for learning support
- 6 laptops for resource provision
- Membership to Educake (Science revision)
- Rock challenge donation towards new materials for H&S and entrance fees
- Gazebo for PE department
- D&T contribution towards new race system
- Chris Copson visit History Department
- Various science resources totalling £2,283:

Air blower for air track

Linear air track

Bar magnets

Bathroom scales

Ceramic magnets

Horseshoe magnets

Kettles

Mass balances

Newton cradle

Pipette fillers

Prisms

Small water baths

Step stool

Stop clocks

Vacuum pump

Whoosh bottles

The PTA is also committed to but yet is still to pay for resources totalling £2,921.58:

- 5 sets of hurdles for PE
- £500 for author Helen Dennis visit on 30th January
- Various History resources from Zig Zag
- Science resources Digital PH meters, height measure, Quadrats and Unilab rheostats
- Funding for transport to athletics events

As well, there were funds for the purchasing of uniform (£44k), IT software and support, PayPal and other fees that are essential in the smooth running of the PTA uniform service and refreshments at events.

So THANK YOU VERY MUCH once again for all your support over 2019, the PTA are hugely appreciative and roll on 2020! The PTA are excited about some new fundraising opportunities that we are currently working on that will hopefully make 2020 an even bigger and better year for the PTA! Details to follow over the next few weeks!

Finally, as parents/guardians of children at the school you are automatically members of RMS PTA. As such, if you would like to come along to any of our remaining meetings for this academic year then you are most welcome. Whilst any help in organising or running events is of course always extremely welcome, coming along to a meeting doesn't automatically mean you will be expected to get involved with our PTA events. You are genuinely most welcome to just come along and meet the organising committee and see how decisions on where to spend the PTA's funds are made. This is your PTA and we are very pleased to meet and welcome any of its members at the PTA meetings.

If you would like to come along to any of the remaining PTA meetings for this academic year then here is when and where you can find us. We look forward to welcoming you!

- Monday 9th March 2020 7pm Library
- Monday 4th May 2020 7pm Library
- Monday 22nd June 2020 7pm meeting to be followed by a summer Jolly! Venue tbc.

Kind regards and best wishes to you all.

Robert May's PTA Committee.

ROBERT MAYS SCHOOL PTA

Independent Examiner's Report on the Accounts

Report to the Trustees of Robert Mays School PTA

1125026 Registered No. On accounts for period ended 31 December 2019 Set out on pages 1 to 4

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Signed Name

Chartered Accountant

Date

4.9.2020

Address

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ROBERT MAYS SCHOOL PARENT TEACHER ASSOCIATION

Accounts

31 December 2019

ROBERT MAYS SCHOOL PARENT TEACHER ASSOCIATION Income and Expenditure Account for the year ended 31 December 2019

	2019 £	2018 £
Sales	81,341	98,744
Cost of sales	58,335	74,114
Gross surplus	23,006	24,630
Expenses		
Telephone, fax, stationery and other office costs	316	698
Advertising and business entertainment costs	3,261	2,574
Bank, credit card and other finance charges	1,599	1,929
Accountancy, legal and other professional fees	392	910
Depreciation and loss/(profit) on sale	488	488
Other business expenses	240	117
	6,296	6,716
Surplus of Income over Expenditure	16,710	17,914
Donations to the school	(12,905)	(22,310)
Surplus/deficit for the year	3,805	(4,396)

ROBERT MAYS SCHOOL PARENT TEACHER ASSOCIATION Balance Sheet as at 31 December 2019

No	tes		2019 £		2018 £
Fixed assets Equipment, machinery and motor vehicles	2		266		754
Current assets Stock and work in progress Bank/building society balances	_	29,264 23,977 53,241		15,714 33,695 49,409	
Current liabilities Trade creditors Other liabilities and accruals	-	790 790	_	566 685 1,251	
Net current assets			52,451		48,158
Net assets			52,717	_	48,912
Capital account Balance at start of period Surplus for the year Donations to school			48,912 16,710 (12,905)		53,308 17,914 (22,310)
			52,717	5	48,912

ROBERT MAYS SCHOOL PARENT TEACHER ASSOCIATION Notes to the Accounts for the year ended 31 December 2019

1	Income and Expenditure analysis		
		2019	2018
		£	£
	Sales		07.470
	Sales of uniforms	81,016	97,173
	Fundraising	95	
	Refreshment income	230	1,571
		81,341	98,744
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	Cost of sales Cost of uniforms	58,335	73,406
		30,333	660
	Refreshment expenses Other direct costs	·-	48
	Other direct costs	58,335	74,114
	Telephone, fax, stationery and other office costs		
	Secretarial & committee expenses	-	338
	Telephone and fax	31	271
	Stationery and printing	285	89
	,	316	698
	Advertising and business entertainment costs		
	Internet and website	3,261	2,574
	Bank, credit card and other finance charges		
	Paypal charges	1,599	1,929_
	Accountancy, legal and other professional fees		
	Accountants fees	392	300
	Consultancy fees		610
		392	910
	Danuariation and local/profit) on colo		
	Depreciation and loss/(profit) on sale	488	488
	Depreciation		400
	Other business expenses		
	NCPTA membership	157	117
	Sundry expenses	83	-
	Sanary Suppliess	240	117
		10000000	//2V/X/A/M

ROBERT MAYS SCHOOL PARENT TEACHER ASSOCIATION Notes to the Accounts for the year ended 31 December 2019

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Equipment	Equipment
	£
Cost At 1 January 2019 At 31 December 2019	1,954 1,954
Depreciation At 1 January 2019	1,200 488
Charge for the year At 31 December 2019	1,688
Net book value At 31 December 2019	266 754
At 31 December 2018	754

ROBERT MAYS SCHOOL PTA

Independent Examiner's Report on the Accounts

Report to the Trustees of Robert Mays School PTA

On accounts for period ended 31 December 2019 Registered No. 1125026 Set out on pages 1 to 4

Respective responsibilities of trustees and examiner

The charity's trustees are responsible for the preparation of the accounts.

The charity's trustees consider that an audit is not required for this year (under section 144) of the Charities Act 2011 (the Charities Act) and that an independent examination is needed

It is my responsibility to:

- examine the accounts under section 145 of the Charities Act;
- to follow the procedures laid down in the General Directions given by the Charity Commission (under section 145(5)(b) of the Act; and
- to state whether particular matters have come to my attention.

My examination was carried out in accordance with General Directions given by the Commission. An examination includes a review of the accounting records kept by the charity and a comparison of the accounts presented with those records. It also includes consideration of any unusual items or disclosures in the accounts, and seeking explanations from the trustees concerning such matters. The procedures undertaken do not provide all the evidence that would be required in an audit, and consequently no opinion is given as to whether the accounts present a true and fair view and the report is limited to those matters set out in the statement below.

Independent examiner's statement

In the course of my examination, no matter has come to my attention

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