



Brookmans Park School Parent Teacher Association

PTA (Emergency) Minutes 19th March 2020

PTA Members Attending

Mrs Aileen Davies, Helen Wadham, Carrie Amatt, Will Bouma, Laura Bouma, Bula White, Inga Brand, Roberta Ingram, Joel Avila, Gill Kelly, Tara Avila

Apologies

none

1) Approval Previous Minutes

n/a

2) Head's Report

- Mrs Davies provided an update and detailed plans regarding the school's playground development, noting the project due diligence and quote negotiations having been undertaken over the last 5 months
- Priority is for the reception area to be developed, due to state of the existing playground (areas needing immediate attention – close to not being fit for purpose; rotten wood; uneven surfaces; not providing enough areas for core muscle development ie: gross motor skills, crawling, climbing facilities)
- It is intended that KS1 will use the new facilities upon completion
- There were challenges & discussion to the school regarding the prioritisation of which area to focus initial works and therefore funds

3) Vote to agree to release PTA funding of £35K for the above development

Note: This is further to the vote taken at the PTA meeting on 24th September 2019 to invest PTA funds in the redevelopment of the school playground.

- Agree: 7
- Disagree: 2

- Abstained: 1
- **Voted carried**