SIMPSON PRIMARY PARENT COUNCIL - Wednesday 4th November 09

1) PC Mins were approved

2) Halloween Disco Report

- Every effort was made to inform parents of the event/Unable to hold two discos due to the lack of parent helpers
- Staff present this year had a slightly less supervisory role
- Ideal ratio should be 1:10 [1 adult for every 10 pupils]
- Disco made an overall loss of £8.00/Disco events are run for enjoyment of pupils and not as a fund raising event

3) Christmas Fayre

- GV/SS Discussed plans and arrangements for the fayre /Each "company" will be charges £20.00 per stall
- Tuesday and Thursday 8.30-9.00 Donations can be handed in to the Parents Room
- Pupils who are involved on a stall on the day must be accompanied by an adult /Pupils cannot be at a stall where alcohol

4) School Uniform

- Suggested that the school uniform ordering system can be better organised
- HT raised storage/management and finance issues as to why suggestion is unattainable
- PC no need to alter the present arrangements re uniform ordering

6) ACOB

- Community Association now up and running and will be in charge of community lets
- Quiz night organised for 20th November /Ceilidh planned for Friday 5th Feb 2010 TBC

• Traffic

- Parents parking on pavements safety concerns for pupils
- o PC plan to give out flyers highlight the dangers present during drop off and pick times in the school day
- Look at "walking bus" as a future pilot This requires numerous committed volunteers
- o RT funding maybe available to help support this project /Community Police interested in getting involved
- HT discussed with the PC current financial situation

5) OFFICE BEARERS

- NM standing down as chair.
- HY Nominated For Chair
- TM Nominated For Vice Chair
- LS –Nominated For Treasurer
- GC Liaise between PC and Community Association
- Training Courses run by WLC are available Interested parties to speak to HT