

Drumshanbo Vocational School

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Meeting of the Board of Management, May 23rd, 2016 at 5pm

Agreed Report

Attendance

Mr Francie Gilmartin, Sen Paschal Mooney, Cllr Paddy O'Rourke, Mr Adrian Flood
Mrs Mary Gilmartin, Ms Yvonne Traynor, Mr Enda McNamara, Mr Sean Wynne (by
invitation), Mr Martin Fallon (Secretary)

Welcome

The Chairperson, Mr Francie Gilmartin welcomed all of the members on this, the final
meeting of the 2015/16 academic year.

Correspondence

May 3rd 2016 – From ETB – School Summer Works Scheme – no funds granted. We
had applied for repairs to the roof.

May 4th – DES Inspectorate Report on Irish inspection held on 23rd & 24th February.

Principal's Report

- All Ireland Senior volleyball winners – May 9th
- Saoirse gibbons nominated for the best supporting actor award in the Bord Gais Student Theatre awards - for her role in "Annie".
- All of the practicals and orals now over
- PLC Graduation took place on Thursday evening, May 12th
- Leaving Certificate Graduation Mass scheduled for Wednesday 25th May at 8:00pm – refreshments and tree planting ceremony in the school after. All members of the BOM invited.
- Gaisce trip with Mary Tiernan and Aidan Shannon
- School Sports scheduled for June 2nd, weather permitting.

- All incoming First Years and their parents invited to the school again on Tuesday evening, June 14th. Hoodie fitting and ice- breaker dancing with Ger Butler. Principal will meet any parents individually if they have any queries.

School Planning

The members discussed the recent DES Irish inspection report and agreed a response. The full report and the response will be published on the DES web-site in the coming weeks.

Mobile Phone Policy – Some amendments were made to this policy. The amended policy is to be circulated to the student body and published on the school web-site.

Agreed Report for Staff and Parents

Secretary to do out a summary report for this purpose. When it has been approved by the Chairperson, it will be made available on the school web-site.

AOB

The Board congratulates the Volleyball team and Coach, Saoirse Gibbons and all involved in Annie. The Board extends best wishes to all of our exam candidates.

Next meeting to take place at 5pm on September 19th 2016.

That concluded the business of the meeting.