Board of Management of Gorey Educate Together NS, 8th November 2022: report to families and staff

Attendees: Raymond Swan (Secretary), Olive Doherty, Sarah Anderson (Chairperson,) Angie Dooley, David O'Shea

Apologies: Karen Loughran, Colin Webb (Treasurer), David Bolger

1. Minutes from previous meeting adopted

Matters arising:

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- New In-School Management Team (AP1's and AP2's) is now in place, as per email to Board members of 17th October
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Report to families and staff was agreed. Board Secretary to post on school website.

2. Treasurer's Report

Travel & Subsistence Expenses Policy: the Board adopted all the provisions of FSSU Financial Guideline P05 2022/2023, along with the associated claim form. Principal to circulate to the school secretary and other school staff.

3. Enrolment

The Chairperson examined and signed the annual census return. Principal to submit to the Department.

4. Child Protection

The Principal reported to the Board in accordance with sections 9.4 to 9.8 of the Child Protection Procedures for Primary and Post Primary Schools 2017.

The Board completed the annual checklist for review of the Child Safeguarding Statement. Principal to submit to the patron's office.

5. Anti-Bullying

The Principal reported to the Board in accordance with Department of Education and Skills Anti-Bullying Procedures for Primary and Post Primary Schools, 2013.

The Board completed the annual checklist for review of the anti-bullying policy. Principal to submit to the patron's office.

6. Code of Behaviour

7. School Self Evaluation Overview

Principal presented the contents of this document to the Board.

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9. ICT Update

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10. PTA Link

A sponsored run has been suggested.

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Board agreed to give €250 to Educate Together's "One Day Together" fundraiser.

Date of Next Board Meeting: Tuesday 6th December, 7.30pm at the school.