



Friday Flier

SPRING TERM

27th January 2012

School News

Supplies needed for handwork

Class 8 are struggling with the sewing machines we have at school. We are in desperate need of some good old fashioned heavy duty sewing machines. If anybody has something suitable that they would like to donate, please contact Cecilie, the handwork teacher, via the office.

Class 7 will be making slippers out of old felted jumpers next half term, and are collecting as much material as possible. If you have any old shrunken jumpers could you please donate them to the class as soon as possible, this will give them plenty of choice I hope!

Lastly, we are also in need of a bag of old zips. Thank you very much everyone!
Cecilie, handwork teacher

Lunch Club places available

We offer a lunch club for the Kindergarten children and for Classes I to IV. The club starts at 1pm for Kindergarten and at 1.15 pm for the Classes. The club ends at 3.30pm. There is a charge of £10 per day. On Tuesday the Classes go to swim at Highbury Pool. Please contact the office if you would like your child to attend.

Who needs CRB checks?

Over the past couple of weeks I have received a number of questions about who needs to apply for a CRB. Anyone that volunteers regularly at the school and is frequently in contact with the children, or is seen by the children as worthy of trust *must* have a CRB check from the school. At present CRBs are not transferable, so we are unable to accept a CRB from another educational setting. Thank you for your understanding, Angelita

Steiner School DVD

Stuck with explaining to your friends/neighbours/brothers/sisters/:/cousins/aunts why your children go to that strange school?!

We now have copies of the DVD "What is a Steiner School?" available for sale at £4 from the office. It contains loads of footage of our school as well as other schools in the UK and is a helpful tool to demystify Steiner Education. Highly recommended.

Dates for your diary

The FULL school calendar is available on our website:
www.stpaulssteinerschool.org/?page_id=9

January

Friday 27th Parents Study Group (library) 8.45 – 10am
Tuesday 31st Class I to VIII Parents Evening (classes will meet in their own room) 7pm

February

Wednesday 1st Trustees Meeting 6pm
Thursday 2nd Candlemas
Friday 3rd Parents Study Group (library) 8.45 – 10am
Wednesday 8th Class VIII Project Presentation 7pm
Thursday 9th Term Ends, RMM 7PM
Friday 10th INSET DAY – NO SCHOOL FOR CHILDREN AND NO PARENT AND CHILD GROUP
Monday 20th Term re-commences
Saturday 25th Jumble Sale

The Structure of the School

Complaints procedure

We have received feedback from the Class Reps' Meeting last Thursday that some parents are unclear about how the concerns/complaints procedure works. So below is a handy flowchart to clarify how the policy works. The full policy is also available on our website, and this flowchart and the policy are available at reception. Should you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact me via the school office.

Annina McCormick, Concerns/Complaints Mandate

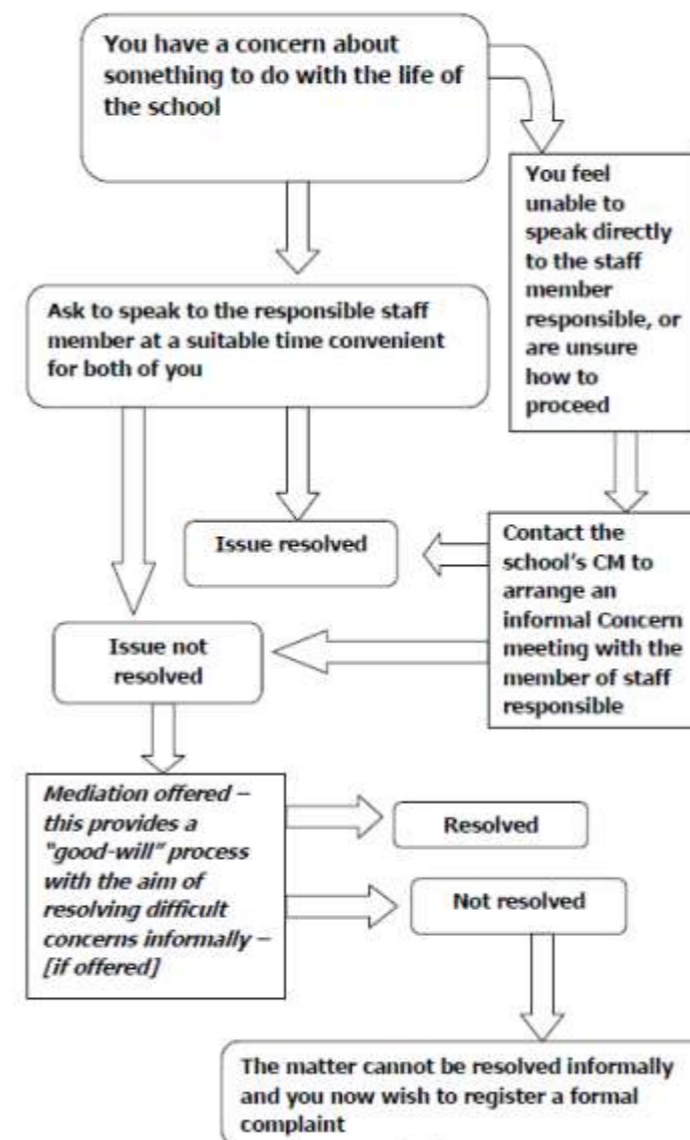
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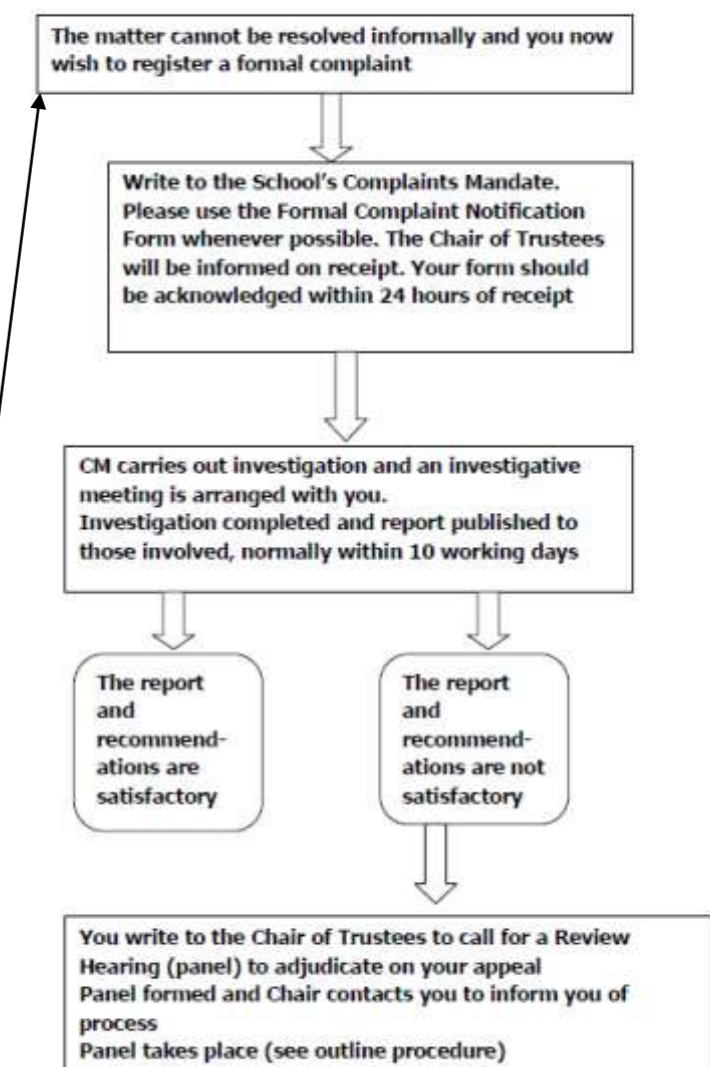
Correction from the last flier

The last flier featured a description of the structure of the school. We have a small correction to make: we said that the members approve the accounts but in fact the members consider the accounts, but the trustees make final approvals.

Flowchart – Overview for Concerns and Complaints Procedure
Informal Concerns:



Flowchart – Overview for Concerns and Complaints Procedure
Formal Complaint:



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Biscuits turned into footballs

Thank you to all those who have bought biscuits from us! Class 5 raised £91. With this money, we bought 24 footballs, 12 bibs and a pump. I brought them to Togo, a small country in West Africa. The pupils need everything there. There were overjoyed and in exchange made key rings for the pupils of Class 5.
Caroline Ada, Class teacher for Class V



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To: The Company Secretary and Trustees of St Paul's Steiner Project

I desire to become a member of St Paul's Steiner Project and, if elected, agree that I will perform, observe and be bound by all the provisions of the Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Association (as lawfully amended from time to time now or hereafter)

Place and Date:

Name: (print and sign)

Address:

Email Address:

Countersigned by two current members of the Association:

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Community Notices & Adverts



VW for sale

A good runner Volkswagen Sharan GL for sale for £1250.00 ono. Manual, 1984 cc, estate type, petrol. Just passed MOT and a new wheel has been fitted and new battery. It has 6 months Tax. All documents are available. I welcome test drive in the evenings from 7.30pm or weekends. 7 seater or you can remove the rear two seats to have a spacious boot. It has not been used as minicab. Two children has been a passenger for a while. A great family car! It has some scratches. Cash on collection only For drive test and questions, please call at 07899 951 222
Thanks, J.Gamon (Javier and Angelo's dad)

Childminder needed

We're looking for a child-minder or nanny share to look after our 2.5 year old son. At the moment this would only be for Monday afternoons but this may increase to two or three half days. If you have a Steiner background and are interested please get in touch. My name is Leoncia Flynn 07855508810/ leoncia@yahoo.com Many thanks.
Best wishes, Leoncia

