



Abbeyhill Primary School Parent Council

Family Film Night

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This report covers the proposed event and budget for the Family Film Night in December 2022. The Parent Council are asked to Approve the budget and proposed purchases for the school.

Proposed Event

A family film night, hosted in classrooms and the hall, showing a selection of family friendly films. 5 films would be shown on the night, all rated U or PG. Proposed films have still to be decided. Not all films will have a Christmas theme, so there will hopefully be something that appeals to our whole School community.

The Parent Council would run a stall selling tea/coffee/hot chocolate, sugar free squash and popcorn. Water will be readily available. We will offer P7 the opportunity to fundraise for their camp at the event.

The event will require the following:

- A Public Video Screening (PVS) licence. This allows us to legally screen films on DVD or Blu-ray. The licence would also allow streaming through the Into Film + platform, a free to use streaming service for Education. The licence allows the school to use film as part of the curriculum, expanding the range of resources available for learning;
- Purchase of 3 USB plug in DVD players. These devices plug into computers to allow DVDs to be played.

Proposed Budget

£250.00

This covers:

- 1 x Public Video Screening (PVS) Licence from Filmbankmedia - £144.00.
- 3 x USB plug in DVD players - £100. Whilst devices can be purchased for as little as £9, we would like to ensure that we purchase quality devices that can be used by the school for a number of years. The budget of £100 allows for this.
- Purchase of popping corn kernels, sugar free squash and milk - £6.00

Important notes

The charity Into Film Scotland offer bursaries for the PVS licence. This is currently being investigated by the school's business manager. If a bursary is awarded the costs of the event would drop to £106

Assumptions

Corn can be popped in school making use of mini cookers;

New stock of cups and containers for popcorn will be donated by Vegware through their Community Fund. The fund administrator has previously said these are the sort of community events that the fund supports and doesn't believe a donation would be a problem.