Breadalbane Academy Parent Council

Fundraising and Opportunities Group

**Funding available**

To all staff and pupils involved in clubs

Breadalbane Parent Council’s Fundraising and Opportunities Group – (FOG), aims to support staff and pupils to engage in more and broader opportunities.    Last year we awarded 24 grants for school trips, playground equipment, kit, the Formula 24 car and many others.

**The group made up of parent volunteers, and aims to:**

* Raise funding through events and grant applications
* Distribute funds to staff and pupils for educational, interesting and fun activities
* Suggest ideas to staff and pupils for further activities
* Support the development of new projects.
* Organise social events for the wider school community

We would therefore like to invite all staff and pupils involved in clubs to consider any events, activities, excursions or projects for which they would like to apply for partial or full funding, that they believe will enhance the learning, social interaction or wellbeing of pupils.  Projects can range in scope from very small to very large – we may not be able to fund everything, but we would love to hear your ideas.  Suggestions might be – an additional school trip; school kit; a speaker on a relevant topic; additional equipment etc.

We ask you to complete a simple Application form (attached) and then a Completion form once you have done your activity.  We have set dates for application this year, on a termly basis, and ask for you to apply as early as possible, particularly for larger applications.  The Fundraising and Opportunties Group can approve grants of up to £250. Grants above this amount will require discussion at the Paarent Council meeting. If you miss the deadline we may be able to consider your application but not necessarily.  We strongly encourage you to attend a Parent Council meeting to give us a brief update on your activity if you can.  We also hope you can support some of our events.

**Dates for application:**

Friday 30th September. Funds will be released late October.

Wednesday 30th November – funds will be released early January

Friday 17th March – funds will be released mid April

Any ideas or suggestions should be emailed to [fundraising@breadalbaneparents.com](mailto:fundraising@breadalbaneparents.com)

Many thanks,

Fundraising and Opportunities Group.