Dear Parent,

Dollar Academy Parents' Association (DAPA) 2020-2021

Dollar Academy Parents' Association (**DAPA**) aims to represent parents collectively in any matter pertaining to Dollar Academy.

We also organise a number of events during the year, in order to give parents and their families a chance to meet and have fun. Proceeds from these events are used to make awards on behalf of the parents – in previous years **DAPA** has made presentations to a number of Departments, and a number of smaller awards to support cultural, sporting and academic initiatives throughout the Prep, Junior and Senior schools, and also to Boarding.

As is the tradition 2020-21 will include a parents' coffee morning on the first day of the new session and the AGM will be held during the first term. **DAPA** is very keen to expand the planned events and if you have any ideas for a fun evening, either for parents and pupils or parents only, please let us know at the address below. **DAPA** is open to all parents of children at the Academy, and all are welcome to attend the AGM which will be held early in the first term (date TBC) normally in the Library of the Playfair building.

There is a Dollar Academy parents and friends choir which is coordinated by one of the DAPA Committee. It's open to parents, teachers, former pupils, or anyone with a direct link to the school. If you are interested in joining the choir, please contact us on <u>dapfc.dollaracademy@gmail.com</u>

Committee meetings are usually held in the Library twice a term, and any interested parents may ask **DAPA**, using the email address below, for details of items discussed. Alternatively, if you wish to raise any issue to be discussed at a meeting, or come along yourself, please use the contact email below. Please note that any specific issues relating to an individual pupil should be raised directly with the School.

Current events and other information are readily available from the "**DAPA**" link on the Academy website.

With best wishes for the upcoming session,

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Event	Date	Location	Function
Parents' Coffee Morning	20 August 2020	Dining Room	Social
Form I Information Evening	1 st Term	Library, etc	Social
AGM	1 st Term	Library	Annual General Meeting

Outline DAPA Events List, Session 2020-21