

School Council Minutes Wednesday 27th April 2016

Staff: Miss Whiteley

Present: Mya (Y1 EC), Lana (Y1CC), Faheem (Y1FA), Kyron (Y2SB), Amber (Y3MC), Daniel (Y3PH), Cheani (Y4CN), Zain (Y4DM), Simrath (Y4DM), Zedekiah (Y5JL/SC), Jai'von (Y5JL/SC)

Not Present: Kaela (Y5JL/SC) – absent, Brikena (Y5/5RK), Hamza (Y5/6RK), Isha (Y6MJ), Jaya (Y6MJ), Rhiannon (Y2MS)

1. Welcome

Miss Whiteley and Miss Nicholson welcomed school council to the meeting.

2. Feedback from Previous Meeting

At the previous meeting School Council focussed on playground improvements.

Although none of the representatives at the meeting had any other feedback to pass on Miss Whiteley was aware that Miss Kelly's class had discussed potential improvements further but neither class representative was present to do so.

Miss Whiteley recapped what had been discussed at the previous meeting regarding the trim trail and school council evaluating the current outside provision. Ideas for an outside gym, giant chess, slides etc. Miss Whiteley is trying to arrange a representative from 'Schoolscapes' to come in to meet with school about ideas for the playground.

Miss Whiteley informed the council that she had spoken with Miss Martin about the current ideas and how they could relate to forest school.

Action:

Miss Bell to be consulted in conjunction with Forest Schools for suggestions – Miss Whiteley

3. <u>Queen's 90th Birthday Celebrations</u>

Miss Whiteley informed school council of the events that had been agreed with Mrs Stott. This included activities such as each class/year group being assigned a decade in which to research the life of the Queen, a Queen's portrait completion and designing the Queen a birthday cake.

On the 20th May children would be able to come to school dress in the colours of the Union Jack and there would be a special assembly where classes could share the work that they have done over the week.

There will also be a Street Party themed lunch. Miss Whiteley is checking the date it will take place (either Thursday 19th May or Friday 20th May) and shared the menu with school council. Children who have school dinners will automatically take part in the street party while packed lunches will receive a letter inviting to join them but will only be able to by completing and returning the reply slip.

Action: Miss Whiteley to confirm date and send out letters to packed lunches.

4. <u>AOB</u>

Roald Dahl's 100th Anniversary

Miss Whiteley shared that on 13th September this year Roald Dahl would have celebrated his 100th birthday. There will be lots of events taking place throughout the year nationally but particularly during September.

Do we want to take part in celebrating Roald Dahl's 100th Birthday?

Action:

1) Council representatives to discuss with their classes

- (i) Should take part?
- (ii) How? Should we take part in Dress up Dahlicious Day (previously done this) and spend the day doing lots of Roald Dahl activities, lessons relate to Roald Dahl stories/characters?

Allerton's got Talent

Jai'von asked if we are still doing Allerton's got Talent this year? Miss Whiteley suggested that school is too busy to hold this year, but Jai'von and Zeddy to chair the event with Miss Nicholson and plan for Spring/Summer term 2017.

Action:

Miss Nicholson to look in school diary and consult SLT for a date in the 2016-2017 diary.

Next Meeting: Wednesday 11th May