



School Council Minutes

Wednesday 4th October 2017

Staff

Miss Whiteley

Pupils

Shi Ying (Y1 EC), Patrick (Y1 DC), Davina (Y3ES), Hafsa (Y3LH), Michael (Y3RK), Areena (Y4SB), Lubaya (Y4DM), Olaseni (Y4DM), Tia (Y5RA), J'maarni (Y5RA), Lilanna (Y5LM), Adwaya (Y5LM), Alex (Y6MJ), Savanna (Y6MJ), Keira (Y6SK), Umaad (Y6SK)

Apologies

Aiden (Y1CC) and Hafsa – Absent and John (Y2HS) – school trip.

1. Welcome

Miss Whiteley welcomed everyone to the meeting.

2. Children in Need

Miss Whiteley asked the council for any feedback from their classes and it was established that almost everyone would like school to raise money for Children in Need. Next Miss Whiteley asked if anyone had any fundraising ideas. Both year 6 classes, Year 5 LM and Year 3 ES would like a non-uniform day while Year 5 RA suggested wearing Pyjamas for the day as this they thought would be an easy way to raise lots of money. Both Year 6 classes and Year 3 RK would like to organise a cake sale while Year 6 SK and Year 5 RA thought running a nail polish stall. Other ideas were organising a Pokemon card tournament, Year 3 ES thought organising a family games night (Bingo) would be good or a disco and Year 3 RK also thought a disco would be a good idea. Year 6 SK and Year 3 RK would like to hold a football match and sell ice-cream.

Action: Miss Whiteley to notify Mrs Stott that school would like to try and raise money for Children in Need and to pass on the fundraising ideas.

Miss Whiteley to feedback to School Council at the next meeting.

3. Playground Markings

The council were particularly keen to share with Miss Whiteley their feedback on whether or not we should have some new playground markings. It was made clear to Miss Whiteley

that everyone would like these. There were lots of ideas shared but the most popular ones were a running track (like the one Mrs Stott had shown at the previous meeting), hopscotch, giant games boards such as chess and snakes and ladders. Year 6 SK also would like plain squares marked out so that teachers could use them during outdoor learning.

4. AOB

Playground Buddies

Umaad raised the idea of having playground buddies. They would be children who would look out for other children that were perhaps lonely, upset or hurt. It was suggested that there could be a bench that was painted in a bright colour or colours that children could go and sit on and then the buddies would know that they might need 'a friend'.

Action: Class representatives to talk to their peers and ask if we should introduce playground buddies.

Next Meeting is on Wednesday 4th October