

School Council Minutes Friday 30th September 2022

Staff

Miss Whiteley

Pupils

Seb (Y1B), Charlotte (Y1F), Kendall (Y1DT), Eden (Y2D), Kara (Y4H), Kaira (Y4C), Amrit (Y5C), Archie (Y5C), Joshua (Y5S), Elinoy (Y5S), Aariz (5P), Scarlett (Y5P), Ashleigh (Y6C), Reuben (Y6C), Miya (Y6EC), Reuben (Y6CC), and Atheiro (Y6TC)

Apologies: Vidya (Y2S), Maisie (YB), Darnell (Y3C), Bobby (Y3A), Amber (Y3H), Izzy/Sameer (Y4TH)

1. Welcome

Miss Whiteley welcomed everyone to the first school council meeting of the year and presented every councillor with a notebook and School Council badge. A group photo was then taken to mark the occasion.

2. Purpose of School Council

The council talked about why we had a school council, what is the point? Several ideas were put forward by the class representatives and we discussed what was meant by 'pupil voice'.

Action: Representatives to find out if there is anything that classes wish to be discussed at the next meeting.

3. Councillor Roles

Next Miss Whiteley talked about the various roles that children in Years 5 and 6 would be asked to undertake such as the Chair, Secretary, EYFS Representative and Parent/Governor Representatives.

Action: Year 5 & 6 Representatives to think about which role or roles that they might like to do and to let Miss Whiteley know at the next meeting.

4. Behaviour Rewards

Miss Whiteley handed over to Tilly to talk to the council about behaviour rewards. The representatives talked about introducing tiers/levels of rewards from stickers and certificates up to rewards such as perhaps attending a tea-party with Mrs Stott.

Action: Representatives to discuss with their classes and to feedback ideas at the next meeting.

5. Year 6 Tournament Proposal

Wilson and Kael from Year 6 were invited to the meeting to present their proposal to the council.

Teams of 5 would compete during break times and possible lunchtimes but with only four members of the team playing at any one time. Teams could be mixed and anyone who wanted to create a team of five could do so. Games would be played until eventually a final played. The tournament would be linked to behaviour and players could be disqualified from playing during a game, the next game or disqualified for the all games going forward for the duration of that particular tournament. The tournament would be operating on a trial basis and could be stopped at any point. If successful then the tournament could filter down to other year groups.

Miss Whiteley then asked the councillors to vote. The vote was unanimous for it to proceed with introducing the tournament.

Action: Once elected chair and vice-chair of the council to feedback to Mrs Stott.

6. AOB

None

Next Meeting is on Friday 14th October at 2.00pm