

**SCHOOL COUNCIL MEETING    Date:27.03.17**

Agenda	Summary	Action
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Prayer</li> <li>• Matters arising from last time</li> <li>• Successes, Ideas, problems</li> <li>• Focus on school menu and school food</li> </ul>	<p>Councillors tidied the chess pieces before the meeting began. Elysia opened the meeting with a prayer.</p> <p>4-6 children have been chosen in almost all classes to be gardeners taking part in the Thursday lunchtime sessions. Mr Wilson reported that most of the plants requested by children had been ordered. Children reported that the toilets and taps had been fixed. Key Stage 1 children reported that the water pressure in the Year1 toilet was very high.</p> <p>Children reported that lessons were going well. Several class reps said how much they had enjoyed recent trips.</p> <p>Mr Wilson reminded councillors about the fact that the school did lots of trips and these had to be balanced with other subjects in the curriculum.</p> <p>One class rep reported that there had been more ICT and computing lessons recently.</p>	<p>Mr Paddon to investigate Y1 water pressure.</p>
	<p><b>Successes</b></p> <p>Children in Year 3 had an excellent time in Gorse field. The children reported that one or two people had been a little homesick but that they had enjoyed an excellent visit. Children particularly enjoyed the activities, the playground and the archery.</p> <p>One class rep reported that the children were sharing in their class more effectively since the last meeting.</p>	
	<p><b>Ideas</b></p> <p>Children asked if there could be a new dishwasher installed in the kitchen as from time to time the glasses appeared to be a little dirty. Mr Wilson informed the SC that the dishwasher had just been fixed. Children we're pleased that the comment book was back outside of the dining hall.</p> <p>SC asked when the additional ping pong table was being purchased. Class 5 suggested either a cover to put on the table in case of rain or a towel to dry the table when it is wet.</p> <p>We then spent most of the meeting discussing the new school menu, salad bar and suggestions. See the attached document for revisions.</p>	<p>Mr Wilson to talk to the kitchen staff about the dishwasher</p>

	<p>Suggested change of easy cook rice for basmati  Suggest chocolate brownie but don't mention the date  School council concerned about the waste produced by cheesecake pots. Is it not possible to bake and slice cheesecake?  Children asked if we were allowed puddings and fruit.  Children requested different varieties of fruit in the summer month.  SC suggested the current fruit choice was becoming a little repetitious  Can dried fruit be on the menu more often?  Best puddings were listed by SC. These included: Jelly, Ice cream, cookies, chocolate cake, cheesecake, flapjack, rocky road  Could there be a little label on the ham to show it isn't halal?</p> <p><b>Problems</b>  Some children still reported that they would like more computing lessons in their timetable. Mr Wilson explained that further computers were due to be ordered after the Easter holidays for use by KS1 and 2.  Year 6 asked about further trips.</p>	<p>Mr Wilson to speak to the leadership team about pudding plus fruit.</p>
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