



SCHOOL COUNCIL NEWS

3rd October 2014



Good things:

Y2 enjoyed their trip to Plantasia.
Y3 presented a fantastic Harvest Assembly.
Y6 had a thought provoking trip to the National Arboretum.
F2 found that a basketball net costs £19.99 and Y6 that a table football costs £9.99.

Actions:

4Hubble: to complete a survey of all Y3/ Y4: do you like the lunch arrangements: if so why; if not, why not?
Named councillors in each class: find out the cost of the equipment that you selected.
Y6 to write a letter to Mrs Thorpe about the bike racks.
Y6 to investigate how much a water bottle vending machine costs to run.



Sad things:

Y6 found that a water fountain costs £500 and that is too expensive!

Chair: Nuwaal
Other information:

Y6 are going to discuss whether a water bottle vending machine is easier than everyone bringing their own water bottle.
Mr Cheetham cannot run a Gardening Club but he can advise.

Date of next meeting:
17th October 2014

Minutes of meeting 3rd October 2014

Class Councillors present: Anab, Fatima, Halima, Humayarah, Cuthbert, Sileena, Abdus, Mohammed, Aneesah, Ozain, Azka, Humayraa, Bhargav, Tadisa, Mariam, Yahya, Alissiya, Husayn, Khianna

Absent: 2Starfish were at the Book Fair

Chairman: Nuwaal

3. Matters Arising:

- Class Councillors found out the costs of the following:

F2 found out that a Little Tykes basketball hoop costs £30

Y6 found that a water fountain costs £500 and is too expensive; they are going to discuss whether it is easier for everyone to bring in their own water or have a water bottle vending machine in school. How much would that cost?

Y6 found out that table football could cost from £9.99

- Class councillors had to decide who, what and how the following problems could be sorted out:

4Armstrong would like to change when they go into lunch/ out to play at lunchtime so 4Hubble will do a survey to find out the good and bad things about play first, lunch last; 6Aristotle explained that, because they are older, they can wait for their lunch; they can run more as they have not just eaten their lunch; Y5 are younger, so they need their lunch first (Y6 still get seconds!)

5Newton/ 6Aristotle would like to raise a net or fence to stop the ball going over but they have decided to get more balls and hope the others come back instead

Y6 will use their breaks to prepare a letter for Mrs Thorpe asking when the bike racks will be re-fitted and where they will be fixed. (They will ask a teacher to check it first.)

Nuwaal asked Mr Cheetham about a gardening club. Unfortunately, he can't organise one but he could advise the children who want to grow things.

4. Successes to share:

Y2 had a lovely time in the mazes at Plantasia.

Y6 found it interesting to see the memorials at the National Arboretum.

Y3 did a really exciting Harvest Festival Assembly, we all enjoyed it.

5. Date of next meeting:

Friday 17th October 2014; 1pm in Mr Story's room, Gopsall building.

6. Next chair: Nuwaal (because we couldn't find her script!)