



# SCHOOL COUNCIL NEWS

19<sup>th</sup> September 2014



## Good things:

We welcome the new Class Councillors. They have good ideas for us to work on this year. They have given a list of ideas for spending the School Council budget. (see sheet)

## Actions:

Please look at the list of suggestions for spending the School Council budget and decide which is the most important and how much would it cost.



## Sad things:

The bike racks were removed to make the changes in the carpark. We need to know where they will be sited now and when will they be available.

Date of next meeting:  
3<sup>rd</sup> October 2014

Chair: Miss Burns  
Other information:

Year 4 would like your opinion on the new lunchtime arrangements. Some class councillors are already going to organise ways to solve some of the issues already raised.

# Minutes of 19<sup>th</sup> September meeting:

1. Welcome to the new Class Councillors: These are the reasons that they want to be councillors this year:

6Aristotle: Halima wants to try to make school even better and happier; Fatima wants to keep the school good and children happy; she wants to help to make it happen

6Socrates: Nuwaal wants to bring forward ideas from her class by talking to her; Anab would like to make everyone more comfortable

5Newton: Sileena would like to make sure she can pass on the good ideas from her class

5Galileo: Cuthbert wants children to be happier in the playground with more seating; Humayarah wants to get some sensible things

4Armstrong: Azka would like to show a presentation of what we achieve and have shelves for books not drawers; Ozain wants the Y3/4 playground to have more large equipment and a dedicated yo-yo space

4Hubble: Mohammed wants to help people to have friends

2Starfish: Allissiya wants more Y1/2 playground to share more equipment;

2Sharks: Khianna wants to think of ways to improve friendships; Husayn wants to make school better and grow vegetables for lunches

F2 want to get more active

2. **absent:** Aneesah (ill); Y3 are practising for their assembly

3. **Ideas for School Council this year:**

- 4Armstrong would like to change when they go into lunch/ out to play at lunchtime.
- 5Newton/ 6Aristotle would like to raise a net or fence to stop the ball going over
- 6Socrates girls would like a bench under the fire escape and the boys would like table football
- With the change in the Saxby carpark, we need to know where the bike will be fitted and when will they be able to use them again?

3. **Ideas for using the School Council budget**

Class councils need to find out the cost of the most important thing on the list

- F2 would like a basketball hoop
- Y2 Sharks would like books for the playground/ a book area; a mini-greenhouse for vegetables and a bigger slide
- Y2 Starfish would like a helter-skelter; another slide; see-saw; a bench for people who are tired; climbing frame/ wall; frisby; sandpits and more balls;
- 4Hubble would like cricket pitch and a table tennis table;
- 4Armstrong would like a swing;
- 5Galileo would like a herb garden; a mini garden with flowers and more footballs;
- 5Newton would like a reading corner outside;
- 6Aristotle: Mr Marsh suggested a little fountain outside/ inside; the children would like hula hoops and space hoppers; fruit tuck shop again; different board games like frustration/ guess who; see-saw and more books in the class library

#### **4. Successes to share:**

Sileena is going to organise scrap paper to write on outside.

Anab and Nuwaal are going to organise a book corner outside.

Halima is going to organise a rota for recycling bin cleaners.

Abdus is going to ask his class teacher for 'wall paper' to gather ideas.

Anab is going to ask the FAB club to organise a time to play tennis

**5. Date of next meeting:** Friday 3rd October 2014; 1pm in the Gopsall upstairs back classroom

**6. Next chair:** Nuwaal