



**SCHOOL COUNCIL
MEETING MINUTES**

18th December 2017 @ 2.30pm

1. Welcome

Miss Redman welcomed everyone to the meeting and once again reminded all councillors of the importance of being on time for the meetings.

2. Sensory Trail Update (letter & progress)

Rohan forgot to bring in the letter that he has prepared and will bring it to Miss Redman tomorrow.

Mr Warne is in the process of putting up a fence & gate which will be at one end of the trail. Miss Redman asked if councillors would like to help The Green Team in clearing the area for the Sensory Trail. All councillors agreed that they would like to help clear the area.

Miss Redman advised that Mr Wilkes will come in next year to go through all councillors' plans and class ideas.

ACTION: Rohan to bring his letter in to Miss Redman.

3. Review of 'WJS would be even better if...'

We reviewed the ideas from all classes, annotations of progress were added to Miss Redman's list.

There were a number of requests for more 'lunch time clubs' and councillors will ask their class for ideas on what type of clubs they would like. E.g: Nature Club

ACTION: Councillors need to ask their class for lunch time club ideas.

4. Feedback from suggestion boxes

Councillors read out the feedback from their suggestion boxes:

3CC - Would like an area for gymnastics. *This is not possible due to H&S.*

3SM - Can we wear our own clothes? *There is a mufti day coming up on 20th December.*

4EC - At lunch time, can we have different foods from around the world - like Chinese etc? *This is a great idea, we will speak with Linda in the kitchen about a theme day for this.*

5DC - We would like different menus for upper and lower school. *Y6 already have the opportunity to order from a different menu and Y5 will be able to order from the menu at the end of the Summer Term.*

5NS - We would like the play equipment at lunch times to be shared equally across the year groups. *Miss Redman suggested a different colour 'group basket' might work well.*

6HP - Could we hold a coffee morning & cake sale to raise money for the school? *It was discussed that we can hold an Easter Cake Sale that School Council can run.*

- More play equipment.
- Can we play football on the field? *This is not possible in winter, due to H&S.*
- Could we get new friendship benches? *We have ordered new benches.*
- Can we get a bike rack? *We already have one at the front of the school.*
- Can we make slime in Science lessons? *It's not in the curriculum but could possibly be in a club.*
- Can we hold a 'Westfield's Got Talent' show. *This is a great idea and we will keep it in mind.*
- Can all of Y3 & Y4 eat lunches together while Y5 & Y6 play and then swap? *We are actually trying this with the Christmas Dinner and will see how it goes.*
- Can we wear trainers to school? *No, as we need to look smart in our uniform.*

All councillors, please remember to look through your suggestions prior (before) the next meeting to make sure that the suggestions are sensible and that there are no repeated suggestions.

ACTION: Councillors to look through their suggestion boxes before the next meeting and sort through them.

ACTION: Miss Redman to speak with Linda in the kitchen about holding a theme day for 'Foods from around the World'.

Meeting closed: 3.00pm

Remember get some ideas for lunch time clubs from your class.

Don't forget to check the message board in the hall for any changes or updates.

NEXT MEETING: Tuesday 16th January 2018 @ 2.30pm in 'The Cloud'