

## School Council Meeting 8<sup>th</sup> June 2009

Mrs Willing welcomed everyone to the meeting. She explained that there wasn't an agenda as the children needed to talk about a special event.

She asked Joe, Mart and Josie to go through the actions from the last meeting.

- Holes in the field - talked to Charlie and he said he would do as soon as he could.  
**ACTION - Joe/Mart/Josie to check out the field and remind Charlie if not done.**
- Rugby - Mart has passed on a phone number to Mr Ford for a coach who could run an after school club.  
**ACTION - Joe/Mart/Josie to follow up with Mr Ford**
- Gate - Mr Ford said that it could take up to 2 years to organise.  
**ACTION - Joe/Mart/Josie to follow up**
- Turtleneck jumpers - some classes had discussed but not all.  
**ACTION - need to be discussed by all classes.**
- Blazers - PB/RhP/SC needs to be discussed in class council.  
**ACTION - Discuss in classes**
- Skipping Ropes - hasn't been done yet.  
**ACTION - Josie to follow up.**

Mrs Willing presented the council with the clock they had requested for the playground.

**ACTION - Joe/Mart/Josie to thank Mr Ford.**

Mrs Willing explained to the children that the school is supporting the charity 'Dreams come True'. It is a charity based in Midhurst that organises things for children who are seriously ill. They are having a huge fund raising event called the 'Dream Mile'. Year 3 are doing a topic called 'Heathly Me' and have asked if they can organise the event as part of their topic.

The event will be held on Friday 10<sup>th</sup> July. The idea is that every child will do something in a mile to raise £10 per family so the school can raise £1000.

Year 3 had a meeting and came up with ideas which Mrs Willing read out (see attached) but the council can add ideas as well.

The children will go back to their classes and discuss the ideas and decide who would like to take part which activities. This needs to be done by Monday 15<sup>th</sup>. A representative is coming into school on Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> to speak to the children in assembly. A letter will then go home to parents with a sponsor form.

The event will be finished with a whole school picnic on the field. Mrs Willing then asked the council for other suggestions for the mile (see attached list).

Everyone can choose what they would like to do. Each class will need to give their lists to Mrs Clarke by Monday 15<sup>th</sup>.

### **ACTIONS**

- Find out in classes who would like to do which activities.
- Class council meeting before next Monday.
- List of activities and who would like to do them to **MRS CLARKES CLASS** by Monday 15<sup>th</sup> June.

Mrs Willing informed the council that the school would be supporting the Harvest in the 1<sup>st</sup> half of the Autumn term and Canine Partners in the 2<sup>nd</sup> half of Autumn term.

Items from class councils:-

Year 1 - Requested more adventure toys and cars

**ACTION** - Joe/Mart/Josie to write letter to parents for old

Year 2 - Suggested a pet day. It was decided that this should be done as a class

Year 5 - Discussed if items bought with class money could be taken up to the next class with the children. This needs to be discussed with the teachers involved.

Meeting ended.

# List of suggestions for mile.

## **Mrs Clarke's class suggestions:-**

- Run a mile (the more competitive could set themselves a personal goal and run against the clock!)
- Walk a mile - fast or slow!
- Younger children could complete a tag mile - eg a team of 4 children walk -  $\frac{1}{4}$  of a mile each.
- Three-legged mile - find a partner and join up!
- A themed mile - fancy dress.

## **Suggestions from school council:-**

- Cycle a mile
- Scooter a mile
- Swim a mile
- A funny mile (walk in a funny way)
- Walk with a partner for a mile
- A clown mile