

# School Council Meeting - 8<sup>th</sup> October 2010

## 1. Welcome

Mrs Willing welcomed everyone including Mr Barnes. All the children introduced themselves.

Mr Barnes told everyone that he had taken Fons, India and Gracie to an exciting School Council meeting at the Council offices in Chichester. He explained how at the meeting it was very important not to talk over anyone else and to listen. He then left the meeting

Mrs Willing then handed over to Fons who was chairing the meeting.

## 2. Reception

Reception would like a 100 number square on the bottom playground. This was discussed and all agreed this was a good idea. Mrs Willing said that Mrs Clarke and Mrs Oomen had agreed to repaint the existing number square when all the other playground markings were done earlier in the year.

**ACTION - Fons, India and Gracie to speak to Mrs Clarke and Mrs Oomen.**

Reception would also like more music playing in assembly.

This was discussed and it was agreed that more music could be played at the beginning and end of assembly if Mr Barnes and Mrs Parry agree.

**ACTION - Fons, India and Gracie to speak to Mr Barnes and Mrs Parry.**

## 2. Year 1

Can we have bikes?

Reception have bikes and it was decided that maybe they could borrow them if Mrs Pickett and Mrs Talman agreed.

**ACTION - Fons, India and Gracie to speak to Mrs Pickett about Year 1 borrowing the bikes.**

## 3. Year 2

Can we have a KS1 ICT Club?

It was decided that this would be discussed with Year 6s item.

#### 4. Year 3

Can we have football markings on the field?

This was discussed and it was pointed out that the field can be very wet in the winter. It would help though if football was on the field so then the ball wall could be used properly. It was decided that Fons would look at the top end of the field with Year 3s to decide if it could be used and then talk to Mrs Clarke.

**ACTION - Fons will look at top end of field with year 3s and then see Mrs Clarke.**

#### 5. Year 4

Can we support Children in Need?

Lucas and some year 6s with Shannon and Sophie in year 4 have already started to work on this. It was agreed that we will support this. Mrs Willing asked if anyone had any ideas that could be passed onto the organisers.

Suggestions were:

- bring in your teddy bear and enter them in competitions for best bear, most like owner, biggest, smallest, etc.
- Bake cakes then sell them in town
- Sell cakes and coffee - Mrs Davies.

#### 6. Year 5

Can we have a proper rota for playground equipment so that a variety of things suitable for all ages are put out? We would like the rota displayed? As basket balls are popular, can they be put out more often and kept blown up?

India told everyone that Mrs Clarke is aware that she hasn't done the rota yet and is working on it. We are waiting for blackboards to arrive and Mrs Willing will chase this. Basket balls were discussed and it was decided that maybe smaller balls could be ordered. We do have new basket ball hoops. Year 6 always get out the LoLos and use them. Maybe there needs to be a rota for each class so everyone gets a fair share of equipment.

**ACTION - Fons, India and Gracie will speak to Mrs Clarke about the rota and ordering more basket balls. Mrs Willing will chase up the blackboards.**

## 7. Year 6

We would like an ICT suite rota?

Everyone thought this was a good idea. There could be shared days when there is wet play. Year 2 would like a club once a week and it was decided that Year 6 could supervise this, maybe at lunchtime. Mrs Willing suggested a trial run first and this was agreed.

**ACTION - Fons, India and Gracie will speak to Mr Barnes to see if he thinks this is a good idea.**

Can we have a food stall?

Year 6 explained that this would be for healthy snack bars that would be sold at playtimes. Mrs Willing told them they will need to do 'market research' to find out what children would like and how much they will be prepared to pay. Year 6 will investigate this and then talk to Mr Barnes. If it goes ahead Mrs Willing will speak to Budgens about supplying us with the snack bars.

**ACTION - Year 6 to complete research and then talk to Mr Barnes if he agrees, Mrs Willing will talk to Budgens.**

Fons thanked everyone for attending and the meeting ended.

Date of next meeting 3<sup>rd</sup> December 2010.