

School Learning Council Meeting Minutes 04/12/18



School councillors present

Year 3 - Jenny, Sophie, James, Harrison and Clarice. Year 4 - Grace, Faith and Harry
Year 5 – Frazer, Chloe, Reuben and Chanel. Year 6 - Katie, Jack and Harry

Other attendees

Lorna Clements – Class teacher (Minutes)

Healthy Snacks

It is clear that children are still not bringing in healthy snacks and are hiding these in the bags. The SLC suggested that we run an assembly to inform the children of what is a healthy snack. There was also a suggestion to research on the NHS website for a poster discussing healthy eating. The children are interested in bring in a weekly healthy lunch award, which would be awarded in celebration assembly, for those who bring in a healthy lunch all week.

Vice and House Captains

There is some concern about whether 'Friends for life' is being run effectively at lunchtime due to the children not being provided with colours for colouring and not enough activities. There was a suggestion that a carousel of activities is put together for each lunchtime with the possibility of one outdoor activity.

The SLC felt that the Vice and House captains are not very involved with the children and we need another house team meeting soon and perhaps they could visit classrooms on a regular basis to check how their teams are.

There needs to be a drive of lunchtime stars given out by the captains as these have slowed down since autumn term.

Attendance award

The SLC discussed the attendance award. The children are not very motivated by an extra 10 minutes of play. They felt that the half termly award would be a better incentive. Some suggestions were made for awards: time at a local park, picnic, free afternoon in class, beach day, ICT afternoon or extra sport time.

Other business

- More footballs/basketballs with pumps available to use
- More lunchtime clubs such as the new dance crew club
- Cycling club at school (Links with Modeshift stars)
- Bigger goals for the field in the summer

Actions

- Ask to hold a healthy eating assembly
- Put up NHS posters in classrooms
- Ask we can have a healthy lunch award
- Discuss the running of 'Friends for life'
- Set up a house team meeting
- Push house captains to be more proactive with lunchtime stars
- Give attendance award ideas to Mrs Davies and Mr Harrison