

Council Meetings

Minutes Friday 6th October 2017 - Governors and Council Tea Party

Sofia gave a Powerpoint presentation about what we have done as a council so far. These are just some of the slides we presented at the Tea party.



So far this year we have:

appointed a Chair, Vice-chair, Treasurer and Secretary to council

- Shortlisted 28 Playground Friends for Year 1 (out of 34)
- interviewed all 28 and appointed 24
- Finally 18 taken on as some did not confirm taking the job
- We have purchased Playground Friend sashes for them out of our council budget
- We continue to list useful websites in our newsletters

- We have had a presentation from Tanzeela and Ayen telling us about our link with a school in Bangladesh. The school has had floods and we are in the process of setting up some fund raising to help them build new paths etc.



- Council voted to donate 25% of our budget to support this

We showed the Governors our Action Plan.

Governors asked how they could help us.

- LW will work with Sofia to draft a letter to the local dentist to see if they can help with our oral hygiene action.
- KF invited School Council to the 'Standards committee' to present items that related to the teaching and learning in school. Perhaps alongside some of the teachers. Standards committee had a particular interest in the 'Forest School' so the council could also feedback on items relating to this.
- RC is to contact Green Estates who look after our grounds to support us in understanding the diversity of our Nature Reserve and also help us with the naming of plants etc. With a view to different year groups expanding on the names of plants and trees.

- EP suggested that we come to a Governors meeting and see how they work with the different committees.



We were so busy have a good time and talking that we forgot to take some pictures before we ate all the cakes!!!

Governors supported us in our request to do a bucket collection on Thursday 12th October for the school in Bangladesh that we have linked up with. The money raised will go towards helping them repair some of the damage from recent floods.