

School Council Minutes

Minutes of the School Council meeting held on Wednesday, 8th May 2019

Niamh Cross (Chairperson) & Jack Griffiths (Secretary) - Y6
Connie Smyth (Treasurer) & Owen Harrison - Y5
Freya Cross & Alex Hirst - Y4
Olivia Vose & Joseph Winstanley - Y3
Patrick Hind & Erin Brooks - Y2
Poppy Thomas & Kian Gordon - Y1
Mrs. Kime & Mrs. Purcell

Apologies for absence: Mrs. Purcell sends her apologies.

The minutes were recorded as an accurate record by Niamh and Connie.

CC: Mrs. O'Brien, Miss Dooner & Miss Maclean

Item 1 - Treasurer

Connie informed us that the bank balance is £202.79

Item 2 - Nursery

The School Council have offered to help our Nursery by buying them some soil for their mud kitchen and planting area.

Update: Miss Maclean has now bought 4 bags of soil from B&Q costing £18.17. This money has been reimbursed by the School Council. We'd like to say a BIG thank you to our Nursery children for making us a beautiful thank you card, which we have placed on our noticeboard.

Item 3 - Nurture Group

Mrs. Brown has bought some crayons, scissors and pencils etc. for her Nurture group. The School Council has agreed to pay for these items.

Item 4 - Mindfulness & Wellbeing

Mrs. Brown has bought some origami for her Mindfulness group and is also looking into the cost of some yoga mats. The School Council have agreed to pay for these items.

Item 5 - Year 6 Wet Playtime Games

After a class discussion, Year 6 decided that they would like some play-doh, various top trumps, playing cards, connect 4 and jenga. Thank you to Mrs. Purcell too for sending in some games which she no longer uses. We hope that Year 6 are enjoying playing with them during wet playtimes. The items cost £66.50 in total, plus £7.00 for a storage box so that the games can be safely stored away after use. Niamh and Jack advised the councillors that the games were proving to be very popular in class.

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Item 6 - Football Cones

The KS2 School Councillors raised the fact there was nothing to use on the playground as goalposts when playing football. We discussed the idea of buying some traffic cones for the juniors, like we did for the infants. Alex thought that this would be a good idea as most classes use their coats. Mrs. Kime advised that she'll have a look on Amazon to see what's available.

Update: Mrs. Kime has ordered a pack of six traffic cones costing £24.99, which are due to be delivered this week.

Item 7 - AOB

New School Councillors

It'll soon be time to start thinking about electing new School Councillors. Is this something that you'd like to consider? If so, you could start planning your election speech.

Eco-Friendly

Niamh asked why we don't have an Eco-Friendly committee anymore. We had a brief chat about this and decided that we would discuss this in more detail at the next meeting.

Item 8 - Next Meeting

Our next School Council meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, 12th June 2019. Please let us know before our meeting if there is anything you would like us to discuss.