






# School Council Minutes

<b>Attendees:</b>	Lucy (Secretary) & Sebastian (Chairperson) - Year 6 Ollie & Ella (Treasurers) - Year 5 Blake & Tierney - Year 4 Eric & Isabella - Year 3 Cooper & Emilia - Year 2 Florence & Cooper - Year 1 Mrs Kime
<b>Date of meeting:</b>	Wednesday, 30 <sup>th</sup> April 2025
<b>CC:</b>	Mrs O'Brien, Mrs Melling, Mrs Sanderson & Noticeboard
<b>Visitor:</b> 	<p>The School Councillors had a visitor at their meeting today - Bev from Wigan Council, who is in school this week working with classes to carry out litter picking and setting up a walking bus.</p> <p>Bev came into the meeting, as it has been suggested that the School Councillors will take up the responsibility of organising a monthly litter pick around Stubshaw Cross Park and the school grounds.</p> <p>Bev advised that she would be ordering all the equipment needed in order for all pupils to carry out litter picking.</p> <p><b>The School Councillors will need to:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Organise a rota for all years, including a backup plan for bad weather</li><li>• Provide each class with a copy of the rota, so that they'll know when it is their turn</li><li>• Give out/collect the litter picking equipment</li><li>• Dispose of any broken equipment and let Bev know, so that she can organise replacements</li></ul> <p>Bev advised that she has a power-point which explains all about litter picking, which she can share with the councillors. The councillors can then go on to present this to the whole school.</p> <p>Bev also advised that she would be willing to come into school for the first few litter-picking sessions to work with classes to ensure a smooth transition.</p> <p><b>Further points which Bev asked us to consider:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Which year groups will be allowed to go to the park to litter pick and which years will carry out litter picking on the school grounds?</li><li>• Could the litter picking equipment be available at lunchtimes, so that pupils can carry out litter picking on the playground?</li></ul>

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<p><b>Treasurer:</b></p> 	<p>As of 1<sup>st</sup> April 2025, our School Council bank balance is £553.69. This includes £4.95 of annual interest earned.</p> <p>Thank you so much to everyone who buys toast each week. With your support we are able to buy nice things for our school.</p>
<p><b>Big Battery Hunt</b>  <b>September 2024</b>            -  <b>July 2025</b></p>  <p><b>Total recycled</b>  <b>418</b></p>	<p><b><u>Did you know that we recycle batteries?</u></b></p> <p>Please continue to recycle your batteries. The containers are located in the resource areas outside your classroom.</p> <p>Unfortunately, the infants cannot locate the whereabouts of their battery recycling box, so Mrs Kime agreed to find a suitable replacement for them.</p> <p>Thank you to Seb and Lucy for counting up the batteries. To date we have recycled 418 batteries.</p> <p><b><i>Please note: We can only accept A, AA, C and D batteries</i></b></p>
<p><b>Reading Garden:</b></p> 	<p>Mrs Kime will re-open the Reading Garden today. She has also provided new felt pens and pencils, along with drawing paper and colouring sheets. She will also order some new clipboards so that you have something to lean on when you're colouring in/drawing.</p> <p>Lucy has kindly agreed to restock the Reading Garden with drawing paper and colouring sheets each week (All items are kept in the school council cupboard, outside Y4 classroom.)</p> <p>Please look after <u>all</u> the items in the Reading Garden and don't forget to put the tops back on the felt pens - Thank you!</p>
<p><b>Mother &amp; Baby:</b></p> 	<p>The Mother &amp; Baby box is now in place in the foyer. There is a list of items that we are collecting attached to the box.</p> <p>All items need to be in school by Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> June, as they are due to be collected the following day. Mrs Kime agreed to send a letter out to parents to notify them of this.</p>
<p><b>TALL Club:</b></p>	<p>TALL club made a request to the School Council for £30.00. This is to fund the cost of food and drinks to enable them to plan and prepare a celebration with their families to mark their last TALL session. The School Council agreed to fund this request. We hope you have a lovely time celebrating!</p>
<p><b>AOB:</b></p>	<p>Icepops have been requested again this summer. Mrs Kime agreed to purchase enough for the whole school - Enjoy!</p>
<p><b>Date of Next Meeting:</b></p>	<p>To be confirmed.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b><i>Minutes by Lucy (Secretary)</i></b></p>	

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