School Council

School Council Minutes – 20th November 2026 @ 1:15pm
In Penguins Class.

Attendance: Grace, River, Nina, Luci, Rohan, Chloe, Isla, Casey, Summer, Elijah, Enzo, Phoebe, Will, Lilly, Tobias, Romeo, Clara and Mr Jones.

Minutes taken by: Mr Jones

- Mr Jones welcomed the children and reminded them of how we conduct the meetings.
- We talked about events that had happened since our last meeting and any information that Mr Jones had found out. He said that:
  - He had asked Mrs Bennett about the certificates for Star of the Day and we had agreed that it was probably better to keep the badges for Star of the Day but ask staff to remind children what they have received it for so they could share it with their grown-ups! Elijah was happy with this response and all of the council agreed.
  - He was still making the suggestion boxes for each classroom but hoped to have them done for the next meeting.

- We discussed littering. Enzo shared that he had done a litter pick outside of school and that maybe the school councillors could pick up litter in school. Mr Jones thanked Enzo and said he thought it would set a really good example to all children if the school councillors picked up any litter around school. The children continued to discuss the matter and asked about making signs to remind people not to litter. As a group, everyone thought it would be a good idea to have a poster competition in school against littering. The winning posters would be displayed around school. Mr Jones said

the school council could launch the competition in assembly and everyone agreed.

- Mr Jones shared with the children that Mr Walton had spoken to him about raising money for a charity near Christmas. The children voted unanimously to raise money for the Save the Children charity. Mr Jones said he would liaise with Mr Walton and ask him to organise an event.

- Lilly asked whether Glee club could have some shakers for their performance. Mr Jones asked if they would be useful for music lessons too. Lilly and the other school councillors said they would be useful. Mr Jones said he would speak with Mrs Harris to find out what she thought.

- Rohan enquired as to whether the school would be decorated for Christmas. Mr Jones assured the council that it would. Rohan wondered whether teachers would need any help from the school council to decorate their classes? Mr Jones said he would ask teachers as the council were more than happy to help!

- Mr Jones thanked everyone for their input.

Meeting closed at 2.00pm

Next Meeting will be on Thursday 17th December at 1.15pm

SCHOOL COUNCILLORS PLEASE CAN YOU TALK ABOUT THESE MINUTES WITH YOUR CLASS