

School Council Minutes – 7th November 2024 @ 1.30pm In KS2 quiet room.

Attendance: Amelie, Chester, Eddie, Neve, Molly, Albie, Tobias, Hattie, Jack, Abigail, Millie, Hari, Harriet, Matthew, Hugo, and Mr Jones.

Minutes taken by: Mr Jones

- ♣ Mr Jones welcomed the children and reminded them of their very important role as a School Councillor:
 - o We listen to everyone
 - We respect others' points of view
 - It is fine to disagree with someone's view but we do it respectfully
 - o We are role models for all children in our school
- ♣ We discussed the last meeting and Mr Jones fed back to the children about conversations that he had had with staff and Mrs Bennett.
- ♣ We talked about whether the children had seen any changes since the last meeting. They reported that:
 - Football was still an issue at some times on the playground with children not staying in the designated areas. School Councillors thought they should speak to their classes about this.
 - Children were happier with the introduction of more food when a sandwich choice was made at lunchtimes. They were very happy with the addition of Pom-Bears.
 - School Councillors pointed out that some children were not behaving well in the dinner hall. Food was sometimes thrown in the bin or on the floor when children did not want to take it home for their

parents to see what they'd left. School Councillors thought it best that they addressed this with their peers.

- We discussed how Children in Need Day was approaching and that we thought we, as a school, would like to help again. Children thought that:
 - Choosing to wear something yellow, like a ray of sunshine, was a nice idea. They suggested anything with yellow on the clothing was a good idea as not all children might have all yellow items of clothing.
 - It would also be good to wear anything Pudsey related – headbands or clothing etc.
 - o Having crazy hair was also a good idea!
 - Charging £1 for the charity was the right thing to do.
- Mr Jones asked the children whether they would like to do anything else. After a vote, the children thought that:
 - A Bake Sale was the best way to raise more money for the charity as it was a good way for everyone to be involved without it costing too much money.
- Mr Jones agreed with the ideas and thanked all the School Councillors for their wonderful ideas. Mr Jones said that he would send out a letter to all parents on Marvellous Me so they all knew what to do.

Meeting closed at 2:00pm

Next Meeting will be on Thursday 5th December at 1.15pm

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