



'A Safe Branch from which to Soar'

Shap CE Primary School - School Council Minutes

Date: Thursday 9th February 2023

Present: TH, HJ, HN, LG, MH, ES, LN, WW, BM, CL

Apologies:

Agenda:

1. Litter Picking
2. Comic Relief
3. Interview

1. We discussed how we feel the litter picking is going so far. HN – going great. Some children were not keen to give up a playtime, we talked about how it is only one playtime out of approx. 20 as there are 4 teams and we only do it once a week so don't have to give up much time. MH - There is a lot of litter, especially in the little stream. Only Helvellyn to go in the stream area and everyone is following this rule. WW - Every time we do it there is less and less litter so it is really making a difference to our school grounds. TH – there is a lot of litter between the school playground and the Memorial Hall, can we collect litter from there?

Action - VC to speak to BM about children accessing the area between the Memorial Hall and the yard and to feed back at the next meeting.

2. Friday 17th March – WW – come to school wearing non-uniform. LG – wear funky socks, e.g. inside out, not matching, colour and crazy. TH – Cake and biscuit stall, donations from home of cakes and biscuits and sell at playtime. Comic Relief prizes – children to think of a competition.

Action – Children to have a definite plan for what they are going to do and bring to the next meeting so we can finalise and TH can write a letter to send out to parents.

3. VC shared the news that Miss Taylor is leaving so we are looking for a new teacher to join Blencathra class. We are all sad Miss Taylor is leaving. VC explained about the process to get a new teacher. She said we will be able to ask the possible new teachers questions so we need to think of some suitable questions. We discussed some.

Action – Children to create a list of questions that we would like to ask the possible new teachers and bring the list to the next meeting.

Date of next meeting: Monday 27th February 2023