



'A Safe Branch from which to Soar'

Shap CE Primary School - School Council Minutes

Date: 04.05.22

Present: BD, CW, MM, JK, SB, SM, LS, EH, TW

Apologies: EB

Agenda:

1. Biking and Scooting
2. Litter Picking
3. Uniform Pass Down Day
4. School Improvements
5. Suggestions / AOB

1. Biking and scooting day is going to happen before May half term - Wb 23.5.22. Helvellyn Monday, Blencathra Tuesday, Kidsty Pike Wednesday, Catbells Thursday. Children to bring 50p for biking.

Action - BD to edit the existing letter, VC to send BD the letter to edit on Teams.

2. It set off well with classes completing in small groups but this has now stopped. All classes did litter picking with Gary during outdoor ed. They went out into the community and lots of litter was collected. Members of the community said how well we had done. Teachers to remind pupils how to use litter pickers.

Action - BD & CW to take litter picking timetables to all classes. On a Friday BD & CW to collect litter pickers and deliver them to whichever class is using them that week so there is a reminder for staff.

JK to write a thank you letter to Westmorland to say thank you for the litter pickers. Use photos from Gary's session.

3. Pass down day, think it is a good idea to hold another one. Next one to be week beginning wb 20th June. Going to arrange the clothes on a clothing rail for people to see. VC to bring the clothing rail in. In the letter ask if anyone has any old coat hangers that they could donate so we can hang the clothing up. Put out every day in the Helvellyn area.

Action - BD to do letter for parents. VC to send a letter for BD to edit.

4. We are happy with our changes that we have made so far. We would like to see what other people in our school would like to do to improve our school so we will work together to create a Microsoft Form to be sent out on teams to all the children in our school. T

Action – We will create the form on Monday at 2:50 and then VC will send this out to the whole school on Teams.

5. There has been nothing in our suggestions box. SM suggests a school pet. Helvellyn children have already spoken to Mrs Chappell about this but she said it wasn't possible. EH suggested a show and tell we think the teachers should decide this but we think a different person doing it each week would be better. The

positives are to show people your hobbies interests and achievements. The negatives are the length of time taken out of lessons.

Action - We will feed back to our classes to write suggestions and put them in the suggestion box. We will ask our class teachers about doing a show and tell in our classes and suggest possibly having 1 a week.