

'A Safe Branch from which to Soar'

Shap CE Primary School

School Council Minutes

Date: Wednesday 5th June 2019

Present: HH, BC, AK, KL, FS, PC, CW, BD, MM

Apologies:

Agenda:

- 1. Rubbish and natural art feedback
- 2. How to improve the school energy use or amount we recycle
- 3. Suggestion Box
 - Children had enjoyed the artwork and are keen to share it during Art week.
 Faye suggested an improvement would be to actually collect the litter from around our village rather than the children bring it in from their recycling at home.
 - 2. Billy has suggested using the large whiteboard more than the smartboard to reduce electricity use in the classrooms. Patrick, Brooke and Faye have agreed with Billy but all pointed out the fact teachers still have to use the smartboard for certain subjects.

Coco thinks there should be electric saving monitors. She thinks that the monitor should go round each day after their lunch checking. Coco says the classes should know about this organisation. Faye thinks that we should do it on a Friday so we can tell all the classes at once as well as the parents and grandparents who come. Because it is Art week assembly this week, we agreed that we would do it tomorrow in Key Stage assembly (Mack will tell KS1).

Kacey suggested whilst they are doing monitor duty that if people leave the light on then they will switch it off.

There will be a prize for the class who has used the least amount of electricity. The winning class will get a choice of what they would like their prize to be. The choices are: a play at the park, extra playtime, fruit kababs, golden time, a piece of cake or some sweets or computer time.

Children will give classes a mark for each piece of electrical equipment that is on during lunchtime.

The following children will be the monitors and record their findings on the grid which will be kept on the school council display. Monday – Kacey and Amelia Tuesday – Paddy and Brooke Wednesday – Coco and Antoni Thursday – Holly and Faye Friday – Mack and Billy

3. More type of fruit

We agreed this would be good.

However the fruit is provided for the school and we don't have the option to choose what we would like. We are still keen to look into holding a tuck shop with fruit for Key Stage 2 children. Mrs Capstick to speak to other schools that already do this.

Ice lollies

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Faye told the school council that this is already organised as the Friends of the School are now doing ice lolly Friday instead of cake Friday over the Summer Term.

Date of next meeting: Wednesday 19th June at 12:30