

Student Parliament Meeting

Date: Monday 26th January

Time: 2.30pm

Location: Happy Hols

Those in attendance: Year 1: Phoebe and Elicora, Year 2: Rosie and Beatrix, Year 3: Eddie and Casey, Year 4: Aria and Lily B, Year 5: Mavie, Year 6: Florence and Dylan

Apologies: Jack

Minutes:

Each student parliament member introduced themselves and shared one thing they hope to achieve this year. Most agreed they wanted to improve things in school, but many expressed their wish to make a difference to the local community and the world.

The concerns the team had were:

Wanted to see an improvement in the school plays with more roles but less speaking for each person. They wanted the children to be able to vote on the type of play they wanted. They questioned the reasoning behind having 8 Alices in the production of Alice in Wonderland.

They asked if a small wooden fence could be erected to stop the mud sliding onto the running track.

There was a discussion about mud getting into classrooms and children cutting corners on the running track which transferred mud onto the track and made it slippery and dangerous. There was a request for mats by the classroom doors to help stop the mud being walked in. Dylan and Flo volunteered to deliver a piece in assembly about the issue and how children can help. They will let Mrs Johnson know when they are ready to present so she can book them in to the next assembly.

There is concern over the state of some of the pouches and children saying there were a few that needed replacing. There was also a request for each child to have a pencil case to put in their pouch, so things didn't fall out and ink didn't leak onto the pouches.

There was a discussion around books in the library and books getting ripped. Parliament members said that some children don't put their books away properly and books fall down the back of the shelves. There was a suggestion that another bookshelf is needed to contain all the books we have.

Actions:

- 1) For our next meeting the parliament members were asked to check in their classrooms for the number of pouches that need replacing.

2) Bring to the meeting any ideas for charities they would like to raise funds for and why.

Date of our next meeting: 23rd February at 2.30pm in Happy Hols