

Mellers Primary School Council Minutes

Date of meeting: 20/05/2015

People present:

Year 6: Reuben and Aisha

Year 5: No attendance

Year 4: Oliwier and Haddy

Year 3: David, Samia absent from school

Year 2: Alivea and Aaron

Guests: Armarni and Josiah (Turquoise team) Mohammed and Chelsea (Red team)

Agenda:

To meet our elected candidates and discuss how we are going to implement the policies that are important to us.

Discussion:

Turquoise team:

We discussed having a food and clothing bank in school that is made available for parents and carers. We are going to start off asking for donations of surplus school uniform. We will do this through the newsletter and by putting some posters up around school. The donations that come in are going to be stored in a box in the community room and the stock will be checked and listed on a weekly basis.

Playtimes are also an issue for us! We feel it is our right to go out to play on time. This is an important part of the day for us as we can let go of any stresses we have and run off our energy. It's also a good time to get together with our friends. We think it would be a good idea to have a bell in school that reminds the teachers of playtime, dinnertime and home time. This will be discussed with Miss Dawson.

Red team:

One of the Red team's policies is to involve the elderly more within our school community. Our first step is to call the manager/manageress at Garfield court to organise a meeting to discuss this. We have many ideas like inviting them to our in harmony concerts and taking the choir there to sing at Christmas.

Orange team:

There was no representative form the Orange team today. However one of their policies were to elect just one charity for the whole school year. We will ask classes to share their ideas and then choose the most popular. Children are also welcome to put suggestions in the school council black box.

Action plan:

- Ask Mrs Holton to write an article for the newsletter explaining to parents and carers that we are doing a uniform bank at school.
- Muhammed and David will meet with Mrs Sokoli every Thursday playtime to do a stock check on uniform. They will then type this out during golden time.
- Aisha and Chelsea will call Garfield court to arrange a meeting.
- Armarni and Josiah will talk to Miss Dawson regarding playtimes.
- We will meet the second week back after half term to design the posters.
- Mrs Sokoli to bring cake!