

SCHOOL COUNCIL MEETING-28.04.15

Apologies: Miss Lilley (nursery trip)

Attendees: Ms Morgan, Mrs Huggins, Ellie, Alfie, Lysander, Ruby, Ellis, Keira, Amy, Maghda, Jaime, Jessica

Ms Morgan asked for suggestions on ways to improve lunchtime provision.

Suggestions were:

Games of rounders

Hockey sticks

Bubbles

Skipping

Chalks

Frisbees

Hoola Hoops

Ms Morgan explained that Friends of Woodbank were going to support paying for playground markings. School council were surprised at the cost of the markings -expensive but thought that hopscotch, noughts and crosses and snakes and ladders would be good ones to have. They felt the best place for them was over by the stage area.

It was suggested to have a Friendship Stop and Special Friends in the playground. Ms Morgan explained that this was on 'her list' and she asked if school council thought it would be a good idea to look to training Year 5 children as Year 6 were soon to leave. School council agreed to this.

Mrs Huggins then explained that on a recent course she heard about a school who had a quiet area for reading in the playground. School council initially asked if the library could be used for this but Mrs Huggins explained the idea was to be reading outside. School council liked this idea and discussed possible areas where this could happen in the playground. Ellis suggested a table with a big umbrella so that the sun did not shine on the book. Someone else suggested a swinging chair.

Finally, Ruby asked about fundraising for a charity-donating hair for wigs for cancer patients. Ms Morgan asked that she speak about this to Miss Lilley at the next school council meeting as Miss Lilley had an over view of all fundraising events. It was agreed it was a good idea and a very worthwhile cause.

Meeting closed with school council looking at the brochure on playground markings.