

School Council Minutes: 1.12.15

Prior suggestions and activities:

- ☺ The book boxes in the Sunshine Shelter are proving to be very popular - school councillors are working hard to keep things tidy and dry;
- ☺ The new library posters will be ready for display soon and everyone was very impressed with Freya and Alex's work, including Mr Potter - thank you both;
- ☺ Dictionaries have been ordered for Yr 4 and 6.

Ideas shared:

We have had citizen suggestions from yr5

Yr 6 suggested:

1. A writing competition across the school with prizes;
2. Recommended book box with ideas in it;
3. Hot chocolate for sale each Friday instead of lollies during the winter;
4. Hall Notice Board showing: Clubs, What's on, What's happening each week.

Year 4 have raised issues about reading corners in classrooms - they all need to be a bit bigger -

councillors will report back to class teachers to see if this can happen. Plus some more Shakespeare books in Class 4 and the outside boxes.

Councillors will tell their peers that they **must** bring back used paper or rubbish from the Sunshine Shelter - as they have all noticed that lots has been left behind after break or lunch.

Alex raised the idea of having Anti-Bullying Groups (which he had seen at the Consortium Meeting). We discussed strategies for dealing with people who are not nice to us: tell an adult, tell a friend.

We believe that currently bullying is not a big issue in Home Farm Primary School, but that we could consider this idea if we need other methods to support children in school.

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