



MPA Parent Council

31.1.20

Agenda Item	Actions	Feedback.
Review minutes from last time	Feedback on previous minutes.	<p>Worry Boxes are in classes ready to be used as part of mental week 3.2.20 Mr Francis and Miss Churchman still looking into solutions for the cloakrooms. Will feedback with further ideas. Deep cleaning happening again during Feb half term. The school is adding the communication page to new admission packs. Could this be sent to all parents so that it is made clear.</p>
Head Teacher Feedback	<p>Did the school do too much for Christmas?</p> <p>Is there anything missing from the website that you think is needed?</p>	<p>YR 100% just right YR 1 lot going on but optional YR 2 Mixed. Tombola in Nov next year. YR3 Happy – can never do too much. KS2 performance for KS2? YR4 – loved residential home, carol concert and Christmas Decoration afternoon were both great. One parent questioned did it start too early? interrupts learning time? Miss Churchman felt that this did not interrupt learning time at all in KS2.</p> <p>YR – Can we have Term Dates 19/20 on website. Could we have dates for future years. More info on Class Pages. Also could current YR have an overview of communication as some parents are confused. YR1 – Homework Sheet – compulsory homework added to the website please. YR2 - 19/20 dates please YR3 - don't use website apart from Term dates. Add 19/20 YR4 All happy. Thank you Mr Francis.</p>
Change of uniform supplier	<p>Presentation of reasons for why we would want to change provider. Charge £250 to change School Logo Quality Delivery restricted to Fridays only and expensive. Moving to PMG possibly – slightly more expensive and delivery to</p>	<p>Yes, we would definitely support this. Cost effective. Ideal for trying on. Positive move for the school to change supplier. School will inform parents of the uniform that we will have for resale and also information on the new provider.</p>



	<p>home not office. Convenient?</p> <p>We will advise when stock is ready from PMG</p> <p>Yep Photography</p>	<p>Yep had asked if parents would consider a January photo. Parent Council were undecided. Parents unsure of the quality of the photos. There are mixed views. School will send a questionnaire to parents.</p>
Sensory Garden	<p>Any ideas how to engage the community volunteers? A family Saturday/Sunday?</p>	<p>3 responses of offers for help so far. How do we get more parents involved? Commit to family day maybe? Parent council to promote this via What's app group and see how we could further engage. Feedback next meeting.</p>
Good to be Green	<p>Whole School Reward time on a Friday.</p>	<p>Starts today 31 Jan. 2.30pm is reward time on a Friday Parents to feedback view from children / themselves for next meeting.</p>
Reception Parent 2 positives one development point.		<p>Christmas Nativity, Christmas Fair, Carol Service. Great Communication Approachability to school.</p> <p>More Home Learning – Tapestry, various forms of communications. Overview for Parents please.</p>
Year 1 Parents 2 positives one development point.		<p>Generally happy. Can see the improvement in reading, good to be green is positive, house points etc.</p> <p>Could there be more structured homework? EC feedback that this was a question asked for our last meeting and parents were happy. Maths overview is on the website to support home learning, curriculum overviews outline what is be taught. All classes had key words to help with spelling at the beginning of the year.</p>
Year 2 Parents 2 positives		<p>Loving the new dance club! The children are very excited. The parents love the cooking and were wondering if this will continue? Can the parents pay a</p>



<p>and one development point.</p>		<p>contribution? Also can there be a big thank you to the lunch staff for all that they do.</p>
<p>Year 3 2 positives and one development point</p>		<p>Parents are pleased with the clarinet lessons. Also it's a great idea for the sensory garden. Parents were happy with the communication about the changes to the teacher. Parents reported that they are not very happy about World Book Day and the children will be disappointed. Miss Churchman fed back that last year it was issue when parents reported they did not like the authors and the cost of costumes. So this year we would try something different. Also parents were concerned that the children were unsettled with not having a permanent teacher in post. Are staff being briefed about the needs of the children? Miss Churchman said she had made it a priority to have consistency. Staff are informed and supported when they start. Plus, Mrs Mitchell who is an HLTA supports the class and knows the children very well.</p>
<p>Year 4 2 positives and one development point</p>		<p>Glad that the children were getting Forest School experience this year. Would the children in KS2 be getting the opportunity to cook? It has been very popular for the younger children. Also discussed medication in school. Can there be an improved system in the office?</p>
<p>Year 5 2 positives and one development point</p>		<p>No Parent Council Rep</p>
<p>Year 6 2 positives and one development point</p>		<p>No Parent Council Rep</p>
<p>Date of next meeting</p>		<p>Friday 27th March 2pm</p>