



Parent Council Minutes

Date of Meeting: Friday 23rd October 2020

Clerk: Liz Johnson

Attendance

Name	Class	Present/Apologies
Adaline Cumberbatch	Fox	Apologies
Amos Amiegbe	Bumblebee	Present
Anju Melvin	Frog	Present
Chantelle Dale	Ladybird	Present
Fareed Baloch	Deer	Present
Heidi Williams	Butterfly	Present
Holly Rigby	Rabbit	Present
Ken Ramsbottom	Squirrel	Apologies
Lisa Parkinson	Butterfly	Apologies
Liz Johnson	FLO	Present
Pat Myles	Hedgehog	Apologies
Sally Burston	Head Teacher	Apologies
Sue Starr	Woodpecker	Present

Issues discussed;

1. Minutes of Last Meeting

Last meeting was January 2020, the remainder of that academic year meetings were cancelled due to Coronavirus. Due to this and that this was mainly new members to the Parent Council the previous minutes were not reviewed.

2. Welcome, Introductions and review of terms of Reference

Everyone introduced themselves and stated which class their child was in. The Terms of Reference had been sent to them along with the agenda. LJ asked if everyone had read them and if anyone had any changes they would like to make. Everyone stated they were happy with them.

3. Main Discussion Item – Leading Parent Partnership Award

LJ explained the award and the objectives we, as a school, need to meet. Members were then asked true or false questions as to whether they thought we reached the criteria and given a chance to discuss their answers.

Results on a separate sheet, attached to the minutes.

4. Your Views

LJ explained the purpose of this section.

A request was made as to drop off at lunch time, currently parents wait outside but some parents struggle with their children. Possibly due to Coronavirus but LJ to check.

Friends of Delamere. A request to discuss if there was anything parents felt Friends of Delamere could raise funds for to support families at this difficult time.

Suggestions: funding for school activities in the holidays. Perhaps vouchers for free sessions or hiring out somewhere for Delamere families such as The Adventure Forest or the Hideaway.

Coronavirus. LJ asked if the group felt the school should be doing anything additional to keep everyone safe during the pandemic. All said they were happy with everything we were doing.

5. A.O.B

A parent reported that they felt it very hard to get paint out of the clothes. All other parents agreed. LJ to discuss with teachers.

Decisions and recommendations made:

- Terms of Reference agreed.
- Leading Parent Partnership Award.
 - Agreed we met 4 of the objectives (See separate sheet for details).
 - A map for reception of the school suggested as well as internal signage to rooms parents use such as bluebell.
 - LJ to feedback to Teachers re objectives not met and suggestions.
- LJ to enquire about lunch time drop off
- LJ to discuss paint with teachers.
- Group happy with the schools response to the Coronavirus.

Date of next meeting: Friday 11th December 2020