"Using our God-Given Talents"





Student Council

Minutes of Meeting 4 – held on 22.01.26.

Distribution.

All Classes, Senior Leadership Team (SLT), Mrs Anderson (Co-ordinator), Mrs Bates, Mrs Crosby-Stockwell, Miss Jones, Ms Davey (BEPPA), Mrs Croxall (CSW), PTFA.

Present.

Mrs Anderson, Councillors (see register)

1. Apologies and welcome.

Sanvi opened the meeting and welcomed all. Betsy poorly.

2. Class meetings: well done to 6S, 6R, 5SR, 5T, 4A, 4D for having class meetings. Mrs A will pop to 5T and councillors have been asked to hold their meetings TOMORROW so that they happen soon and people don't forget. Older buddies will go to their younger buddies to see if they need any support with holding their meetings as soon as they have held their own. It is really important that teachers make time for these meetings once a month, so that pupil voice is heard.

3. Charity updates:

Letters haven't been written so we are going to use this afternoon to get those jobs done. Some Red Nose Day/Don't Lose Hope suggestions have come in, but we are going to leave these on the agenda and decide next time what we will do to raise money for these two causes.

4. UNICEF discussions:

Mrs A is really pleased with how children are discussing their rights and wants everyone to keep up the good work! Our discussion question for this meeting is:

"How do children's rights make our school a good place to be?"

5. School improvement ideas:

The two ideas that children found were the most popular to follow up were about having basketball hoops and more games and toys for wet play boxes. Mrs A will enquire about the hoops, and we will do a survey about wet play boxes.

6. Any Other Business:

Some classes are still asking for different clubs. Mrs A explained that there is now a wide variety of clubs available and this needs to be made clear to children. Remember that teachers volunteer to run clubs – you are lucky to have so many to choose from!

Reading books – some children asked for more new books. Mrs A asked them to collaborate with their reading ambassadors so that we can look at whether this is necessary, or whether people need to exchange books from around school.

Y6 – Indoor PE apparatus: is this still safe to use? Children would like to use this. Teddie is going to check with Y6 teachers and Mrs Levett to see if it is part of the curriculum any







Bourne Abbey British Values – we value democracy and make sure everybody has a say.







more, and if not, whether we could use it in Golden Time for example.
Y4 – would like a Talent Show, we will see when and if this is possible.

Meeting closed at 2:10pm. Next meeting date Thursday 26th February at 1:30pm in the library.

Class Meeting Agenda:

1. Talk to your class about the Any Other Business suggestions. Which do they think we should try to achieve? Do they have any more ideas for improving school?
2. Discuss and vote on what you want to do for Comic Relief and also for Don't Lose Hope.

TASKS: Lucie is going to write to the PTFA to ask for the toy dogs so we can raise money for the Three Counties Dog Rescue.
Josiah is going to write to Don't Lose Hope and ask them how we can help support them.
Marco will ask Mrs Levett if the bouncy hoppers can be blown up.

UNICEF – question:
"How do children's rights make our school a good place to be?"





