

Parent Council Meeting Minutes Friday 22nd November 2019

Attendees (TBC)

Mrs Johnson - Kempshott Junior School Office
 Mrs G Hunjan - Year 6 Teacher
 Naomi Collier – Chair, (Year 3, and Year 5)
 Ruth Russell - (Year 5)
 Sue Dilley – (Year 5)
 Marianne Jones (Year 4)
 Jo Owen (Year 6)
 Jo Quickfall (Year 3)
 Gill Brooks (Year 5, year 6)
 Alison Papworth (Year3)
 Georgina Rees (Year 3)

Apologies

Eleanor Smith (Year 4)

Agenda

No.	Agenda Item	Action	Status
1.	Photographs – Cost and Quality Feedback received - They were very expensive especially if you had siblings.	Discussed quality and issues the school and parents had encountered. JJ confirmed they will be looking for another photographer for next year.	New
2.	Parking / Road safety Still bad. And parents still parking outside the school gates. More and more parents are parking on the grass around Tesco too. Can this be mentioned in the newsletter again please.	Parents raised that parking has again become dangerous around the school. Action: JJ to mention in the school newsletter.	New
3.	Homework – Good feedback that the CGP nooks	Parents commented that these were great to see back at the school and good gain an idea of the subjects the children were covering in class. They enjoyed sitting with their children and marking the work. JJ mentioned uptake had not been as high as hoped.	Closed
4.	Reading Newsletter at the beginning of term telling us the books they are reading in class, and the raffle for reading 5 times a week.	JQ fed back that the Reading lists at the beginning of term were really useful to see the	Closed

		recommended books for the year. Action: JJ to add to the website and request updates from Mrs Rees if possible.	
5.	Year 3 door opening late. What happened to the bell on the playground?	Action: JJ will mention to the staff.	New
6.	Blinds down all day – Any reason for this?	Blinds are kept down for many reasons like condensation, distractions but where possible the staff will raise them.	New
7.	Writing Spelling Tests in homework diary.	RR mentioned that it would be really helpful if the children/teachers could write the test results in the homework diaries so parents can see which ones were incorrect.	New
8.	Authorfy club is fantastic	A few parents on the Parent Council's children attend Authorfy club and praised the progress their children had made. Hope the club continues next term.	New
9.	KJS – sport twitter page is working well. Great to see the photos of the children doing sport.	Parents agreed great to see the school excel in sport.	New
10.	Kids Social Group – Maybe ask children what sort of activities they would like the KSA to organise.	GH mentioned that she runs the school council meeting and she will raise it to see if this can be run through the councillors and they ask the children what other activities they would like to see. Action: GH to discuss with School Councillors.	New
11.	Year 3 Transition	Some parents fed back that the Year 3 transition from a familiarisation of the school worked really well and the children were very well integrated into the Juniors. But some parents felt academically there was a big jump for the children. Reading book colours changed, not being read to as often by teachers, no idea . They would like more communication	New

		<p>if their children have been put into intervention groups</p> <p>Action: JJ to speak to year 3 teachers about the transition.</p>	
12.	TT Rockstars challenges	<p>The class challenges work really well and parents fed back it does help their children to do it as it has been set by the school.</p> <p>Action: JJ to feed back to teachers.</p>	New