

Kington St Michael CE Primary School

School Council

Minutes of meeting held on 21st October 2008

Present: Pippa, Katie, Tom, Max, Billy, Amy, Jamie, Emily, Poppy and Miss Cornelius

Well done to all classes for having their Class Council discussions this week. It was nice for all the Councillors to be able to feed back in our meeting with some good suggestions and ideas.

We looked back at the ideas posed at the last meeting for our School Council budget and tried to prioritise the list

- Mirrors for toilets in mobiles - still keen on this idea
- Paper towel dispenser for toilets in mobiles - not seen as a priority
- More pond equipment - very keen for this as the last Councillors renovated the pond area
- Plastic cups for the water dispensers - not thought to be needed as all should have a water bottle in school
- Tennis rackets and balls - more sport equipment has just arrived from our Sainsbury's vouchers so this may not be necessary
- Dressing up clothes new markings for the playground - younger classes want this and it may be something that could be bought from the Friends donations to each class
- More books for the library - main school budget will cover this
- Cushions and bean bags for the library - soon to be renovated and developed outside the Hall and Sparrows class so main school budget will cover this
- A bottle bank for plastic bottles children bring water in - we need to look into possibilities for getting a bottle bank from a recycling company
- Another compost bin - this could be something we use our Generation Green leaf vouchers for
- More outside bins - we have just bought two new bins in the shape of pencils that will be installed over the half term holiday
- A new Huff and Puff box - we shall be getting our new shed to replace the three by the playground in the Christmas holiday so this is not needed
- Soap dispensers for the toilets - still a popular idea
- Playground markings - this would cost a lot of money and may be something the school could look at doing next year

So, it was felt that the most popular ideas, and ones we felt would help all and improve the school are the soap dispensers and mirrors for the toilets and some new pond equipment. The Councillors will be looking into prices next time.

Agenda items for meeting to be held on 18th November 2008

This next meeting is during Anti-Bullying Week and the Councillors will be trying to put our Bullying Policy into more child-friendly language. Is there anything that you think should be included in our policy?

Please discuss these issues with your Class Council

Thank you