Pupil Parliament

Minutes

4th September 2017

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| Minutes of last meeting | * Reminder not to swing on the bike racks as it loosens them. |
| What we achieved last session | Discussion about the things we achieved last session included: entering the Young Writer's competition and having a number of pupils from both classes selected for publication.  Entering the Doric poetry competition and having more than half of the P5-7 class selected for the Doric Neul calendar.  Waste of a Morning event hosted by the Waste Warriors.  Nature Nurturers garden clean up.  Beach clean at Banff Links.  Fun times at the Panto and the hard work put in to the Christmas concert.  Sports day winners. |
| What we would like to achieve next session | Mrs Rickard asked the class what they would like to achieve next session and suggestions included:  Look at a range of languages.  Build a tree house or cubby house.  Buy new play equipment for outside.  Mrs Rickard said that we could discuss new play equipment at the next meeting. A key point would be the funding of anything new. Leo suggested we bring in old toys etc that we don't want anymore and have them as a lucky dip.  Some people felt that it might not be safe to build a tree house but it was suggested that we could bring in old cardboard boxes to build little houses with and as a technology challenge pupils would have to attach them without the use of sellotape or string etc. |
| Inspectors | Mrs Rickard said that there was a possibility that inspectors might come to the school at some point in the term and they would be looking to speak to pupils about what goes on. Mrs Rickard asked what sort of things we would do if we were asked questions by inspectors. Lots of suggestions about what they would show inspectors if they were asked – Blogs, Learning Journey wall, display boards, jotters, filing, Geoffrey wall. Pupils really knowledgeable about where their learning is evidenced. |
| AOB | * Mia said that she thought it would be a good idea to start the book reviews up again for the new session. * Merrick was concerned that there are only two footballs and two basketballs. Mrs Gallon said that there was one of each for each class but if one class wasn't using it then the other class could borrow it. Mrs Rickard said that while it is nice to have a lot of things for the playground there is the issue of where to store it all. * Richard asked if he could have a form to fill out for running his own extra-curricular club. |
| Date of next meeting | 9th October 2017 |