



**Minutes of the School Council meeting be held on  
Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> November 2021 at 10.30am, on Teams.**

**Present:**

Mrs Rayner, Amelie & Poppy (Year 6), Finley & Molly (Year 5), Alfie & Izzy (Year 4), Theo & Joe (Year 3), Sophia and Ashlea (Year 2), Miss Metcalf, Miss Dennis and Mrs Bowes.

**1. Welcome**

Mrs Rayner welcomed everyone to the first school council meeting for this school year. All school council representatives were invited to stand up and introduce themselves and state the school year that they represent.

**2. About School Council**

It was explained to all school council members that the purpose of the committee is to bring suggestion and make decisions about making school a better place, this could be through activities in school or improvements to the school grounds.

**3. Remembrance Day – Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> November 2021**

Mrs Rayner reminded everyone about the importance of remembering soldiers who fought in the war and asked for ideas how we could do something at school to remember them. Many ideas were discussed from doing a fun activity to doing something in church. The committee decided that a craft activity to make poppies, for the outside planters would be good and would also brighten up the schools as well.

**Actions:**

1. Year 6 council members to work with Miss Dennis / Miss Metcalf to organise this activity.

**4. Children in Need – Friday 19<sup>th</sup> November 2021**

Council members from each school discussed ideas to raise money for Children in Need which were then shared with the whole committee. The ideas suggested were:

- Non uniform day,
- Spotty competition,
- School bake sale,
- Crafts, badge making,
- Joe Wicks Pudsey class

**Actions:**

1. Year 5 & 6 school council members to create a list of possible crafts and work with Miss Metcalf or Miss Dennis to ensure resources were organised.
2. Each school council team to produce a poster on the laptop to advertise all the activities for the fundraiser.
3. Poppy and Joe to speak to ask Mrs Harrison to bake for the bake sale as part of after school club.
4. Miss Metcalf to work with school council members at Leeming to organise cakes/biscuits for the bake sale.
5. Mrs Bowes to communicate with parents on behalf of the school council.

**5. Improving the school grounds**

A brief discussion was held between both schools' council members, with the committee making the decision to brighten up the outside areas by planting bulbs.

**Actions:**

1. Finley to confirm with Mrs Lake when she is available to come into Leeming & Londonderry to plant bulbs.
2. Mollie to speak to Mrs Moss to ask her to plan bulbs at Pickhill with the school council members.

**6. Ideas for future improvements**

Many ideas were discussed for the next meeting including equipment, eco club, and games at the Christmas Party.

**Actions:**

1. Eco Club – Year 3 & 4 council members to ask Mrs Lerigo about stating Eco Club once she returns to school
2. Amelie to speak to Mrs Howe about painting the Class 1 mural in the spring, when the weather is better.
3. All council members to speak with other members of their year group to collect their ideas for future meetings.

**7. Date of next meeting.**

Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> November to be held at Leeming and Londonderry CP Primary School, starting at 10.30am.