















 School and college council meeting - Spring 2 - 25th of March 2022

### Attendees

Remi M, Kaden B, Lee C, Joanne Mc, Julie G

### Apologies

Emily R, Darren K, Emma P, Jamie Mc,

### Introduction

Joanne welcomed everyone to the meeting and explained the agenda.

### Action point update from last meeting

<u>Who</u>	<u>What</u>	<u>When</u>
Jo	Contact Jude for update re suggestion box	4/3/2022 - done
Jo	To book available Thursday afternoon for minibus (Email Emily) then email Anne with date	25/02/22 - done
Kaden and Remi	To write an email to Paul and chair of governors to ask re judging	Email not needed – Jo spoke to Jac Power and Anne Manton to come and judge
Jo	Contact Jude re ICT club commencement	4/3/2022 - done
Kaden and Remi	To write 10 challenges for Easter scavenger hunt	Completed – not sent out -time constraints
Jo	To email Jude with suggestion of 'schools out' disco in collab with Wellbeing	4/3/2022 - done
Jo	Email Jude re Kadens involvement with Governors questionnaire	4/3/2022 - done
Jo, Kaden and Remi	Send email to Paul and chair of governors for judging, ipad cleaning email for teachers and staff	iPad cleaning email sent out and flyers dropped. Email to Paul not needed
Jo	Contact Julie G re trip to wood store to collect more wood and update with new ideas	By 4 <sup>th</sup> of March- done. Wood collected
Jo	Email Darren/Dan re site team initiative and info on suggestion box whereabouts	By 4 <sup>th</sup> of March- done – suggestion box relocated. Site team initiative ongoing
Jo	To arrange a meeting with Liz, Kaden and Remi re playground redevelopment	By 4 <sup>th</sup> of March- done
Jo	Email Liz re donations	By 4 <sup>th</sup> of March- done

### Update on bird boxes

Julie explained that she was struggling to find time to get Kaden and Remi into the forest classroom because of class commitment. She asked Lee if he would be available to come and help once a week. Julie is to speak with Jamie to see if Remi could still help on a Friday morning and will chat to Laura to see Lee's availability too. It was decided that we would continue to make the birdboxes, leave a couple in reception and advertise them on the website/social media for people to purchase as and when.

### Suggestion box for college

Kaden suggested using a birdbox and covert it into a suggestion box. Kaden is to design and speak with Julie

### Platinum jubilee

Julie explained all about the Queens Platinum jubilee and told us about other schools in the local area commemorating this in some way. She suggested maybe planting a tree in the grassed area behind class 8/11. Joanne is to contact a few trusts to see if we could get one for free and liaise with Julie. If not, School council will speak to SLT and the governors about maybe a monetary

donation for us to purchase one or we could do some sort of fundraiser. Purchasing or making a plaque to go alongside the tree was also suggested.

#### Litter pick and competition

We had another successful litter pick at John Smiths playing field in Longridge. With agreement from all attendees it was decided that we would do another litter pick in the Autumn term and would discuss location and date at the next meeting. JMc explained that she had spoken to Anne Manton who wanted school to have a competition to design posters to display around the local community to promote less littering and encourage people to put their rubbish in the bin. JMc and school council to run it after the Easter break. Anne will provide the prizes in consultation with Joanne.

#### ICT club

Joanne explained that Jude was unable to take forward the ICT club as she was leaving Hillside. Joanne said she was happy to supervise the club, she is to speak with SLT to ask if we could host the club on a Friday lunchtime for secondary pupils only at first. Potentially in the senior kitchen as there is already a Wii set up in there. We would also set up a couple of laptops, iPads and one or two board games. Times would be 1-1.30. If agreed JMc would email each secondary teacher to advise of the offer and then they would have to arrange support for those pupils if necessary. Remi and Kaden to make a poster to advertise the club once we have received the go-ahead.

#### 'Schools out for Summer' Disco

Joanne explained to the school council that rather than hosting the 'schools out' disco, a Pride festival was being arranged and that we could work in collaboration with the wellbeing team to include a disco within the festival. Joanne gave a brief overview of the Pride festival that Emily had provided and Joanne asked for some ideas to go alongside ideas already received; parachute games in the walled gardens, a parade of colour around the triangle so each class would be allocated a colour and could then dress in that colour, make flags, shake ribbons in their allocated colour. Julie suggested dressing the trees on the triangle in rainbow colours using ribbon, wool, fabric, CDs etc. Joanne is to attend a meeting re the PRIDE festival so will feed back those ideas.

#### Communication boards

Joanne explained that Emily was in the middle of producing some designs for us to review and will get back to us asap.

#### Further fundraising

Unfortunately, due to other priorities in school we were unable to make products to sell for Mother's day. However, suggestions were made on producing items for Father's day in June. Some ideas were mounted bottle openers, nail art using woven string to spell dad or initials.

Julie also mentioned that at the wood store where we get our wood offcuts they have lots of surplus sawdust. Julie suggested bagging this up and selling it via the website for animal bedding, planting, lining a path etc. JMc to ok it with SLT and speak to Darren. JMc stated she had lots of heavy duty bags that could be used.

#### Check suggestion boxes/feedback from students

The suggestion box was checked – no suggestions or worries

#### AOB

None

#### Actions

<u>Who</u>	<u>What</u>	<u>When</u>
Julie	Speak to Jamie and Laura re availability of Remi and Lee to continue with birdboxes	Update at next meeting 20/05/22
Kaden/Julie	To design suggestion box (birdbox) and liaise with Julie	Update at next meeting 20/05/22
Joanne/Julie	To contact tree charities to get further info, speak to SLT/governors if need donation/ Look at purchasing or producing a plaque	20/04/22
School council	To discuss and agree Autumn 1 litter pick date and location	20/05/22
Joanne	To organise litter poster competition	29/04/22
Joanne	To liaise with SLT re Friday lunch ICT club – once OK'd start after Easter possibly 29/04/22	19/04/22
Joanne	To email all secondart teachers re ICT club once approved	????
Kaden and Remi	To produce a poster to advertise ICT club once approved	????
Joanne	To feedback PRIDE festival ideas to Emily	28/03/22
Joanne	To email Liz to make sure the redevelopment project is still making progress and if there is anything the school council need to do	01/04/22
Joanne	To email Emily re communication boards	29/04/22
Joanne	To liaise with SLT / Darren re sawdust	29/04/22

