

Present: All members of the School Council in Years 3 -6

Mrs Milner

Meeting taken by the two Chairs in Year 6

Interhouse sport competitions

Mrs Milner gave the dates for the first Interhouse sport competitions which this term are netball and football.

Tuesday 20th November – Years 5 & 6

Wednesday 21st November – Years 3 & 4

Mrs Milner will meet with the Sports Captain for them now to arrange practice times and organise their teams.

Tuck Shop

- Children would like the fruit tuck shop to start up again this year with a greater variety of fruit on sale. It was asked if fruit drinks could also be sold.
- It has also been asked if there could be a special Christmas tuck shop as a one off where donations of food are made to be sold.

Community project

- The children would like to help with litter in the park outside the school and the area immediately surrounding the school. A year group could take a turn each half term.
- Mrs Milner will speak to Mr Spencer about any 'litter pickers' that we have in school that could be used for this.

Playground issues

- The School Council would like to make more use of the sensory garden this year as a space for children who may need time to calm down or take 5 minutes on their own at breaktime and lunchtime.
- There was discussion about introducing the 'Take 5' strategy to help children in trying to resolve their own issues before speaking to an adult on duty.

After School Clubs

There was a long list of After School or Lunchtime Clubs that children would like to see:

- Reading
- Board Games
- Drama
- Cooking
- Karate
- Computing
- Dodgeball
- Dane
- Art

There was discussion about the need for an adult to be present at clubs or an outside provider. It was asked whether Year 6 could run some clubs with an adult present in the classroom.

The children asked about the progress of the Reading Castle as this could be used as part of a reading club – Mrs Milner will find out for the next meeting.

AOB

Time did not allow for AOB so an extra meeting is taking place on Monday 12th November.