

Edwalton School Council

Tuesday 17th October 2023 12.30-1.00pm

Oak Class

Minutes

Attendees:

Henry, Elijah, Radha, Ivan, Fergus, Etrit, Eden, Shayan, Phoebe, Sarayah, Nivaan

Staff: Miss Dickinson

Apologies:

Item	Key points and actions	Action Lead(s) Deadline (s)
1	Welcome and introduction Miss Dickinson welcome	
2	<p>Key events School Council want to help in Autumn Term:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Children in Need – 17th November- Poppy appeal- Harvest festival <p>Harvest Festival was a big success and all donations have now gone to the Friary. Huge thank you to all school councillors who helped collect donations and load them into the van.</p> <p>Book fayre</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Crisps – 20p- Books - £1 or 50p- Bookmarks – 50p <p>Money raised to go towards new books – star reader raffle draw to decide a book.</p> <p>Poppy appeal</p> <p>Before:</p> <p>Monday – Phoebe, Eden, Fergus Tuesday – Phoebe, Eden, Fergus Wednesday – Radha, Phoebe, Eden, Fergus, Sarayah Thursday – Phoebe, Fergus Friday – Phoebe, Shayan, Eden, Fergus</p> <p>Monday – Fergus, Phoebe Tuesday – Ivan, Phoebe, Eden, Etrit</p>	<p>Ivan, Henry and Phoebe to start setting up from 3pm. Miss Dickinson to support.</p> <p>Miss Dickinson to organise a rota for poppy selling and distribute to children before half term.</p>

	<p>Wednesday – Phoebe, Radha, Elijah, Eden, Fergus, Ivan Thursday – Phoebe, Elijah, Eden Friday – Phoebe, Henry, Fergus, Elijah, Eden</p> <p>Children in Need</p> <p>We discussed potential ideas for the Non-uniform day theme:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Pyjamas - Something that represents you – favourite clothes that you wouldn't normally feel comfortable in. Help to support children who are misunderstood. - Spots - Something that you want to be <p>We decided to ask for a donation per family rather than asking for a specific amount.</p> <p>This year, the theme for Children in Need is promoting positive relationships within school. We discussed ideas to help promote this on CIN</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Teacher swap so - Build new friendships - Safe space at lunchtime to build new connections – area of the playground with lego/colouring/books for children to go to make new connection. - Quiz - Whole class lunchtime – whole class sit down together to share their lunch. <p>Peace Garden and friendship benches – we discussed that on the back of CIN, we wanted to ensure that places remained positive and safe for children to go to during playtime and lunchtime. School council want to reinstate the peace garden.</p> <p>School council would like to do an assembly so that everyone knows who they are, talk about what we have already done and what we are planning to do this year. Specific focus on Children in Need.</p> <p>Assembly</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Picture to show who you are - What we've already done - Promote suggestion box - What we have planned 	<p>All councillors to start making posters to promote Children in Need.</p> <p>Children to talk to their classes about what children would like from their playground/how they would like to use the Peace garden.</p>
3	Next meeting: 7 th November, 12.30 – 13.00, Oak Class	