



PARENT FORUM

1.2.17

Mrs Bonell's class	Miss Hayhurst's class	Miss Whear's class	Mrs Pollard/Mrs Ellis's class	Miss Stracey's class	Mrs Carthey's class
Rich Mulryne	Gemma Rule	Leanne Lester	Vanessa Glossop	Gemma Rule	Vanessa Glossop
Tom Robinson	Jo Cockings		Juliet Mitchell	Lorraine Brown	Jo Cockings

CH thanked the parents for coming along.

Issues raised:

- Minibus ~ parents were keen to see if school could manage to fund a minibus to support events off site (perhaps using Library Bus monies) CH explained that the Library Bus fundraising had been for a particular focus and that grants and gifts had been given for this purpose, however, Mrs Carthey had mentioned the hiring of a minibus as part of our Sports provision and is looking into costings for monthly leasing or purchase.
- Nits. There seems to be a recurring problem in the younger children's classes. Letters and a video have been sent to parents. CH to contact the school nurse to come to talk to the children about nits. School to investigate purchase 'nit' combs.
- School dinners ~ a concern was raised about food being cold. CH explained that there has been a change in personnel in the kitchen and would monitor this.
- Reading ~ a concern was raised about frequency of reading in some classes. School are looking at altering timetable to allow for more designated time although are struggling to encourage support for reading from parent helpers.
- Uniform ~ a comment was raised about the quality of the uniform compared to the previous supplier. As the new provider allows home delivery and more competitive prices, this would be monitored. It was suggested that there could be a swap shop of uniform where items could be brought in and tokens given to swap for new items.

Miss Hannaford briefly outlined the Governor's steps for covering the Head teacher post when she leaves in June.

CH thanked the parents for coming along and sharing the views of parents.

Next meeting Wednesday 22nd March at 2.30