Minutes of the School Council meeting held at 12.30pm on Wednesday 25th January 2023

Present: Mrs Kwiatek, Mrs Black, Mary, Max, Jamie, Harrison, Molly, Joseph & Lorin

JRSO's: Erica and Polly

1. WELCOME & APOLOGIES

Mrs Kwiatek welcomed everyone to the 4th School Council meeting of the year.

2. JRSO's

Polly and Erica talked to us about the 'SPRING WALK OF FAME' which is taking place in February. This is our school's chance to top the local and national leaderboards, with winning schools receiving a certificate and a special celebration video to play in assembly.

You can keep an eye on our school's progress via the dashboard tab on your WOW Travel Tracker classroom page. The school with the highest engagement, and most active trips recorded on Travel Tracker, will top the leaderboard. The top schools will be announced at the start of March.

Keep logging journeys to school on the WOW Travel Tracker and our

school will be added to the leaderboard automatically, so encourage all classes and pupils, no matter how they travel to school, to log their journeys. **Please note:** if you have classes that are not inputting then this will affect your engagement figure so please make sure you enter everyday.

If you are unable to walk all the way to school, ask your parents to park on the other side of the Green and walk across to school, or alternatively walk 5 laps of the playground when you arrive at school. You can then register that you walked!

3. MINUTES FROM PREVIOUS MEETING

The minutes from the previous meeting were filed in school council folders.

4. MATTERS ARISING

The children are all enjoying playing on the repaired rolling log and swings.

Eco Ted and Tidy Ted are very popular and everyone is enjoying the weekly competition, it is also encouraging us all to be tidy and Eco friendly. Every class wants to win them. Mary and Max have tweaked the scoring to make it fair for every class. We need to look at obtaining another goal for football.

Action Mrs Black

5. CHARITIES THIS YEAR

There were several suggestions, two of which we supported last year, so the School Council have agreed to support RSPCA, Oxfam and the Romsey Food Bank. We will set up the charity pots ready for this Friday's Celebration Assembly.

6. ANY OTHER BUSINESS

In House Captains assembly it was suggested that more trees could be planted by gardening club on the school field. We have planted many trees (saplings) in the past, but even when they are protected, they always get damaged. Perhaps we could source some larger trees which would not be so vulnerable. Can you please remind all children not to dig around the base of trees in the garden, as it could damage their roots.

Date of next meeting: Wednesday 15th March 2023 at 12.30pm