



Minutes from School Council Meeting Friday 3rd May 2019

- After looking at the school catalogues at the last meeting we have now put together a list of things that we would like to buy for the playground. The shopping list came to £428 so way over the budget that Mr Cairns had agreed. Today we met with Mr Cairns to try to convince him that that we should have all the items on the list and not have to cut it down.
- Mr Cairns wanted to know why he should agree that this amount of money should be spent and how could we convince him that all the new playground equipment would be looked after well.
- All councillors came back with really good answers, saying that it would make our playground even better, that behaviour incidents would be less as pupils would have more things to do, it would keep us all fitter as we would be more energetic using the equipment and many more positive reasons why we should go ahead with the order.
- The school council have also agreed that they would ensure the equipment was looked after by, storing it well and having boxes for items that would have labels on them, be kept tidy in the shed, key people would be responsible for certain jobs, that all children would be encouraged to put equipment away and look after it. They have agreed to do an assembly to talk to all pupils about the equipment and how it will be looked after and asked if they can do events at lunchtime for example skipping workshops.
- Mr Cairns was convinced by the school council that all the equipment should be ordered and that they will make sure it is looked after and he has agreed the complete list and given the full amount. The school council are very happy with this decision.

Actions

- Some of the school council to complete the order form and an action plan and timeline to be done for the equipment to go onto the playground.
- All classes to share ideas at class council about the sponsored event 'The not so tough mudder'.

Next Meeting Thursday 16th May 2019 at 11.30am