



Birkwood Primary School Council Meeting - Minutes **16th March 2018 at 1:30pm**

1. Sienna opened the meeting and thanked everyone for attending in particular the special visitor, Clare from Team Activ.
2. There were apologies for absence from Mrs Allen.
3. **Minutes of last meeting (prioritised after item 4 due to visitor attending meeting)**
~ Mr Froggatt went through the Minutes briefly and asked if the Minutes of the last meeting were accurate. All agreed.
4. **Team Activ Lunchtime Activities updates** ~ The School Councillors shared their views so far, which were mainly very positive. Alfie-Joe stated he wasn't too keen on the ball games, Joseph said he would like to see Archery and Toby raised his concerns about arguments he'd seen during basketball. Clare said she would share this with the Team Activ staff. Clare asked if the Councillors were happy to continue with the same staff - they said they were. Clare then asked the Councillors to vote on what activities they would like to see after Easter, for each year group, which resulted in:
 - Y1/2: catching games, Granny's Footsteps and dodgeball
 - Y3/4: Football, races, basketball and dodgeball
 - Y5/6: Dodgeball, orienteering/treasure hunt and tig games.

Gracie thanked Clare for attending

5. **Class pets** ~ BF put the vote to School Councillors now they had had time to think about it. The decision was 10:4 against class pets mainly due to cost and who would look after them at weekends and holidays.
6. **AOB** ~ BF raised the discussion about the possibility of our school uniform being changed from red, as the main colour, to blue. BF highlighted, after some discussion that if the vote determined School Councillors were in favour of this, then it would have to then go to Governors, parents/carer and other children. The councillors voted 11:3 in favour of changing the Birkwood school uniform to blue. Mrs Allen to be informed.

Kaydee closed the meeting and thanked everyone for coming.

The next meeting was arranged for - 13/04/18 at 1.30pm