

# Notes of Parents Coffee Morning

## Tuesday 23 November 2010

Theme: Topics from the suggestion box	Action
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Mrs Chrystal asked the parents for their views on the suggestion received that children could line up before entering school in the morning and be led into class by their teacher. The thinking behind this was to reduce some of the chaos at morning times. The consensus was that parents liked the informality that we have at that time and one parent noted she preferred to see her child into the classroom and others agreed. Mrs Chrystal pointed out that when at the junior school, the children will progress to lining up to enter school. Moreover we have a good system whereby the teacher greets the children whilst the teaching assistant takes messages at the door. The suggestion was anonymous so Mrs Chrystal is unable to feedback to the parent.</li> </ul>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>There had been a request that football could be used before school. This was an item from the previous meeting on 30 September where it was agreed that footballs would not be used before school. Nothing has changed and the safety of everyone in the playground at that busy time of day is a priority. Mrs Chrystal will continue to remind the children during an assembly.</li> </ul>	CC
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Mrs Chrystal asked for volunteers to wrap books that will be given to the children by Father Christmas at the end of their party. This will take place on Monday 29 November in the morning in the Elliot classroom. Thank you to all volunteers.</li> </ul>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The opportunity for Year 2 parents to visit the junior school was raised. Mrs Chrystal will liaise with Miss Kitchen with a view to there being a meeting arranged for term 3.</li> </ul>	CC
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Parents appreciated and valued the Year 2 maths evening earlier this month.</li> </ul>	

<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• There were a couple of items that Mrs Chrystal will look into:<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>*letters sent out from teachers will contain the name of the class to avoid confusion.</li><li>*website dates will be checked for accuracy.</li><li>*the possibility of having a wedding photo of Miss Prestwood in school at the beginning of term 3.</li><li>*the bolt on the wooden gate near Giraffe and zebra classes - could it be moved? Mr Calder has explained that it is placed in a certain position to prevent easy access to the playground.</li></ul></li></ul>	CC
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