

School Parliament Newsletter

Meet the School Parliament

- The members of School Parliament this year are: Lola and Ethan in year 1, Ariana and Oliver in year 2 , Luke and Enyah in year 3, Aaron and Keira in year 4, Szymon and Eden in year 5 and last but not least Taran and Madison in year 6.
- These people were elected by class democracy (the children voted for them). These are their reasons why they are excited to be school parliament this year:
- Taran said "I am excited to be on school parliament because I like to listen to peoples opinions and choose ideas."
- Madison said "I am excited to be on school parliament this year because I get to plan year 6's last events at school."
- Eden said "I am happy to be on school parliament because I can help all over the school."
- Szymon said "I am happy to be on school parliament because I can help everyone a lot."
- Aaron said "I am happy to be on school parliament because I can help a lot at school."
- Keira said "I am happy to be on school parliament because I can help charities."
- Luke said " I am happy to be on school parliament because I can help a lot of people."
- Enyah said " I'm happy to be on school parliament because I can sort things out and I am excited to do charity fundraising."
- Ariana said " I am happy to be on school parliament because I can help the school."
- Oliver said " i am happy to be on school parliament because I like to help the older children."
- Lola said " I am happy to be on school parliament because I can be with the older children."
- Ethan said " I am happy to be on school parliament because I can help lots."

Macmillan Coffee Afternoon

On Friday 29th September 2017, the school parliament helped raise a Macmillan coffee afternoon ,which was 2-3pm, we also ran a cake stall. The cake stall sold lots of delicious cupcakes. at a price between 20p-50p. We decided that this was a reasonable amount to be paying for a yummy, scrummy cake that fills you up that little bit more. Due to the success of this event, the Macmillan coffee morning raised £212.70.

School parliament box

As a School Parliament, we have decided to install a School Parliament box into the library area of the school. This will commence after half term. The idea of this is to encourage every child in the school to have more of a say on issues which effect them. Children are therefore welcome to come to the library to write forward suggestions to the school parliament or any concerns and these will be discussed at meetings. If the children are lucky enough maybe their suggestions will come true. Furthermore, if you have a concern or worry don't hide it just put it in the School Parliament box.

Charity Fundraising

- During this first half term, the School Parliament have held a meeting to discuss the charities that we are going to support during this academic year. As a result, the School Parliament have agreed that the following fundraising activities will commence during this academic year:
- The Harvest collection to go to the Holbeach Food Bank
- World Diabetes day 10th November 2017
- Children in Need 17th November 2017
- Christingle
- Christmas jumper day 15th December 2017
- JDRF - World Diabetes day
- Heads Together - Despite World Mental Health day already having passed on 1st October 2017, we would like to do an awareness day in May/June and raise money linked to this charity (the charity Prince William, Kate and Harry are involved in.)

Children In Need

As a School Parliament, we have decided that we will do a lot for Children in Need (which is on 17th November 2017). We plan on doing a round pound donation for non uniform day. Additionally, there will be a fill a chalk drawn outline of Pudsy where we will be collecting out of date £1 coins up to this date so hopefully someone will empty out their piggy bank and donate to the cause. These coins go out of date 15th October 2017, but any after that can be donated to Children In Need. Furthermore, there will be a cake stall.

JDRF - World Diabetes day

- As a School Parliament, we have decided that
- we would like to support a new charity this
- year - JDRF. This decision has been made
- because it affects a number of our relatives
- and also a young girl in Year 4 at this primary
- school. The GoBlue for World Diabetes Day is
- between the 1st and 14th November. We have
- decided however because of a number of
- fundraising events already going on before
- Christmas to instead raise money for this
- charity in the new year. On Friday 12th
- January, we will be banishing the January
- blues to support diabetes. We will be raising
- money to cure, treat or prevent type 1
- diabetes through a non-school uniform day
- wearing a blue item of clothing.

