

Parent Council Meeting
21st January 2017

1. The group reviewed the minutes from the last meeting. JL said that they had been more interest of parents attending the parent council meetings when they had been on a Friday, were the group happy to change to Fridays? Yes the group agreed to this.
2. Parent parking – Cars are parking on the pavement and parents can't get passed with prams etc. Its was asked was it on a Wednesday when Slimming World are on site? Or is it any particular day? Parents felt it was when parents are picking up from Foundation. Staff to send a text and add it to the next newsletter. Staff will look at getting double yellow lines. A parent asked if the crossing patrol will be removed in the future. School are not aware of this as the patrol is run by RMBC however if the school receives any information we will pass it on to parents.
3. Sensory Room
Parents wanted to know if it was well used and what for? Staff said it can be used for children if they need to relax as it is a calming space. It is used for counselling services to meet with children. Some parents did not know about the room so maybe this could be advertised on the school website?
4. Genuine Partnerships
Staff explained that what was Parent Voice is now Genuine Partnerships. We are updating our accreditation. We are currently collating all the evidence to work towards this.
If any parents would like to take part and support the application then please feel free to do so by adding information to the file or parent statements would be appreciated. We always value parent's opinions and the time parents put in to school life.
5. Anti Bullying
The school does not accept bullying and we are proactive in dealing with bullying. However we cannot review it at every PC meeting however there is a procedure to deal with individual cases and this is available to parents in school or via the website.
We have previously presented the Anti bullying policy to parents to be reviewed and amended where necessary.
We have added posters around school as some parents have recently been aggressive to staff and this will not be tolerated.
We have now developed a group of 'Meadow View Mates' who promote anti bullying in school.

After a discussion around prams accessing school it was agreed that prams will no longer be allowed in to school and will have to be left in the entrance to foundation and the school.