

Rise Park School Council Newsletter

November 2023

Meet our School Council members.

What a busy start to the year! We have been so busy working on different projects that we forgot to introduce ourselves to you! So here we are, the newly elected school council for this academic year.



We have met several times during the Autumn term to discuss many important school issues. These included discussions about our new friendship benches for the playground. We have another meeting scheduled with Mrs Kelly to confirm our ideas for the friendship benches so we are able to get them onto the playground and the children will be able to use them.

Organising our recent themed dinner day this year was great fun. We had some beautiful autumnal decorations in the dining halls and we arranged for lots of Autumn games and activities for the children to enjoy on the playground. A particular favourite was the great pumpkin hunt! To ensure our themed dinner day was what we wanted, we spoke to all our classes to discuss what we would like on the menu. We then discussed this with the cook and we came up with a Goose Fair inspired menu together.

During one of our meetings, we talked about how we would like to raise money for Children in Need. We decided to hold a non-uniform day and a Pudsey colouring competition. The competition has been very popular and it was very difficult for us to judge the winners!!

Attendance rewards.

Here at Rise Park Primary and Nursery School attendance is very important to us. We are looking at our reward system at the moment and are looking to make some changes. We will discuss with all the children what rewards motivates them to attend school. We are looking into individual rewards, weekly class rewards, half termly rewards and termly rewards. We will report back once we have gained pupil voice.



We would like to thank you for all your support during the Macmillan Coffee Morning we held at school this year. In total we raised £411.69

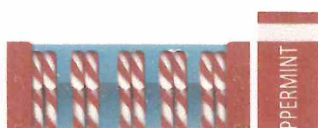


What's coming up?

*We will be doing more work with our classes to ask children to voice any opinions that they would like our school leadership team to hear – pupil voice is very important to us!

- Meeting with Councillor Cheryl Barnard to discuss children's views on the community we live in.

- Candy cane messages on sale from Monday 4th December 2023



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