

Glade Academy School Council Meeting 2025-2026

Date: 16-10-25 Time: 2:30pm		Present: BM CF JB EJ Mrs J
Item		
1	Present and Absent	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - No ES apologies from Miss S as they had Sharing Café - No CW, no apologies given 	
2	Matters arising from last meeting	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - We do not have extra money in the school budget to pay for a new obstacle course. Mrs J is still to speak to Mrs G about the existing apparatus and the possibility of it being repaired. - Whole school picnic. Mrs J to speak to staff regarding this possibly in the summer term. - The football net near the basketball hoops has been removed as we do not use footballs on the playground. 	
3	Community Links – Visitors in school and Visits out of school	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Mr Khan - Mr Wilde the chair of the trustees for EMAT - PCSO Anne-Marie talked to Year's 5 and 6 about hate crime - School Nurse Team Y6 height and weight - Tempest for individual and family photos 	
4	PE Kits	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - It was suggested that as wearing PE kits for the day will be the school uniform, sanctions should be in place, as they are with usual uniform. School Council discussed this and came up with: - A letter/note home to parents reminding them of correct kit in the first instance. JB's suggestion - A Yellow Card on the second instance. EJ's suggestion - A Red Card if the child still comes into school not in correct kit. EJ's suggestion - Mrs J will pass this on to Miss M and Mrs P to see if they agree. 	
5	Future Fundraising Dates	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Mrs J talked through the list of upcoming opportunities to fund raise over this academic year. A copy of this list will be sent to Miss M so she is aware of what School Council would like to do, then a copy will go to all staff. 	
6	Who/what shall we raise money for?	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Karen's Hedgehogspital is our 'adopted' cause, so a percentage of money raised will go to her. - A Phoenix child suggested to Mrs J that we raise money for school (such as replacing wooden apparatus), rather than a charity. Mrs J has spoken to Mrs G and the cost of fixing the existing apparatus to make it safe will be between £10,000 and £15,000. This is far too much for School Council to try to raise!! - What would classes like to do? Raise money for a community cause, or raise money for us in school? 	

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - If us in school, what project would we like to work on? - If a community cause, what? All money to Karen's Hedgehogspital? Rainbow Ward again? A local children's charity? - What do we all think? Please raise this at your next class meeting. 	
7	Rainbow Ward <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - George was really surprised and pleased with the £545 we raised for the Rainbow Ward. The money has been transferred, and we should be receiving a certificate soon. 	
8	School Lunches <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Mrs J is in contact with Heather Green from Aspens, and will be arranging a date for her to come to a School Council meeting to talk about lunches. As soon as a date is fixed, Mrs J will ask for suggestions/questions from classes to put to Ms Green. 	
9 – Class Meetings	Phoenix	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Less money for charity, more money for school <i>this is being looked in to</i>
	Merlins	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Swans asked for chalk, who should Mrs R give some to <i>Ms Street, please</i> - Stalls to raise money for new equipment <i>this is being looked in to</i>
	Red Kites	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - No one present
	Magpies	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - When will we be able to play on the grass? <i>Not at the moment, as we are getting into the colder, wetter months.</i> - An art and craft day <i>Mrs J to speak to Mrs R</i> - Gloves for the goalkeeper in the MUGA <i>JB – we would need different sizes as Y6 hands are different to Y2 hands. You could be spreading germs. EJ – people are aggressive in the MUGA so they could get broken. I think that's a no!</i>
	Firecrests	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Nothing
	Swans	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Nothing
Actions School council reps to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Have a meeting in class before our next meeting together. - Ask teachers to put the minutes on the board during School Council meetings. Mrs Jones to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Liaise with named staff members about items in the minutes. 		
Next Meeting <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <i>Wednesday 5th November 1:00pm in the Coop</i> 		