

Student Voice

Meeting Minutes

Meeting date: Friday 4th October 2019

Student Body (present): Leah Miller, Finlay Wyer, Gracie Jacknelle-Rees, Ophelia Radford-Wilson, James Walker-Mathews

All present: Imola Tantzium, Leah Mowbzay, Mia Clarke, Toby Gould, Tom Chambers, Lily Franzen, Harry Butcher, Eddie Gedge, Noah Chisholm, Poppy Vera, Verity Jefferies, Lily Barrett, Kelsie Gooch, Roman Brooks, Eachan Hardie, Sophie Welford, Ethan Eccles, Kiara Gannaway, Hal Neely, Charlie Moore, Evan King, Teri Parry, Maddie Haines, Caitlin Cull, Ronaldo Rodriguez-Kretz, Chris King, Sophie Callaway, Emily Pitman, Georgia Pearson, Eliza Szuwalska, George White, Alec Hayward-Trevarthen, Harvey Read, Ollie Harding, Varvara Grachova, Rebecca Cawley, Grace Wymen, Holly Stead, Bradley Finnemore, Skyla Officer, Sophie Snape, Lily Heinrich, Tilly Jones, Isabella Garside, Annabel Beeton

1. Mr Williams First Aid Club

Mr Williams joined the meeting to speak to the Student Voice about the first aid club that will likely start after straight after half-term. It is to be an 8-week course consisting of 1 hour a week on a Tuesday. Of those who turned up to the Student Voice meeting, 25 said they would be interested in joining.

2. College Feedback

Trenchard have been establishing a link with international schools; are sending a video about the school recycling to Sweden; and putting together the 3 separate committees.

Napier organized the 3-legged race where 60 students participated.

Stratford is raising money for Weldmar and is organizing another beach clean.

No news from Henning.

3. Mindfulness and Bullying Awareness

Mrs Chittenden's Mindfulness training for the teachers could be introduced to the Student Voice and, if that goes well, more students.

Ideas for bullying prevention but the Student Voice:

- Anti-bullying ambassadors
- An assembly to exemplify the fact that everyone is different but doesn't need to be treated differently

- Mental health awareness training for teachers
- More mental health days (assemblies and activities)
- Posters aimed at bullying victims, not the bullies
- Promotion of guidance/demolition of the guidance stigma, and encouragement of seeking help. Guidance assembly
- An anonymous way of reporting someone
- Still need to think of a way to stop the harassment in the corridors and to teach that its wrong

4. DYC Film

20 people volunteered to help with the DYC film. Maisie Dunn has offered some cameras to help with the production of the film.

5. Eco Group

15 people volunteered to join. It is not known when the next eco meeting is, but Gracie will speak to Mrs Russell later on.

6. Any Other Business

Toilets seem to be a big issue with many of the students, and all want them fixed.

Mrs Chittenden raised awareness of County Lines. An assembly could be done on that so the rest of the school knows about it.