

# GROUP COUNCIL MEETING - YEAR 1

Date: 3<sup>rd</sup> April 2014

Present: Mr Pratt, Julia Pain (1S Parent)

Apologies: Natalie Merrit (1P Parent), Amy Beech (1M Parent)

1. Actions from last meeting - Quiz Night- We have successfully had the quiz night making a good profit. The Y1 reps felt it had been hard work for some of the PTA to run as they did not receive as much help from other PTA members as hoped.

2. Year Group Curriculum & Homework –

We have discussed the forthcoming topic of toys and the comparative study that will take place over the next term. Parental feedback to the current topic has been very positive. A few parents in 1P have said their children now felt inspired to explore outdoors.

3. Anything else-

Pop Uk- - Parental feedback was excellent. Parents in Y1 felt very happy that their children had thoroughly enjoyed singing the pop songs even if it was not as polished as other WASPS performances. The CD's have been a big hit in homes and cars, as parents have been talking about singing them all together since the shows. Parents have however said that they could not see their child in either the KS1 or 2 performances and have asked if in future we can arrange the children by height.

PTA- Parents would like to know the date of the next PTA meeting and have asked if their could be some entertainment for children so that more parents can attend.

Summer fair- Parents have asked when the summer fair will take place. Parents in Y1 have suggested we run traditional stalls and games as a year group such as apple bobbing. The idea of a fun run from Kelston round hill with the finishing line on the school site could be a fun idea with the prize being free drinks or ice creams.

Other questions raised were- when will swimming begin? When will we have sports day? Are there any opportunities for a Y1 coffee morning as happens in Y0?

4. Date of Next Meeting - After Easter