

## SCHOOL COUNCIL MINUTES- 31/01/17

- Register
- Welcome to Mrs Kate Jarvis, Governor. She explained the role of the governing body was to help deliver the best possible experience for all the children in the school. She also explained that the governing body is in charge of money as the government gives each school a certain amount to spend.
- How long have you been a governor? 3 ½ years
- How much money do you earn as a governor? Governors are all volunteers and are not paid.
- Where do you work? As a lawyer
- What do you do as a governor? Interviews new teachers and appoints the Head Teacher and Deputy Head; PSHE and Inclusion.
- Do you come up with any ideas for the school? Responsible for tendering a new food contract and appointing Aspens.
- What is the difference between the PTA and Governors? The PTA is made up of parents who fundraise; the Governing Body has 14 Governors, half of which are parents.
- Mrs Millington introduced the 'Bus Behaviour Policy' needed for Mr Bastin and the School Travel Plan. Those children that use the school bus service identified some rules that they would like included:
  1. Get on and off at the right stop.
  2. Keep in your own space/seat on the bus- no leaning across the aisle or over seats
  3. Keep your seatbelt on at all times.
  4. Keep the noise level low enough so as not to distract the driver.
  5. Do not eat on the bus.
  6. Return any lost property to its rightful owner.
- *Class council for those children that use the school buses- What would you like to be included in your 'Bus Behaviour Policy'?*

Next meeting: 07/02/2017