

## Sports Committee Meeting (25/11/16)

The Committee met to discuss the ideas they shared as part of their application.

### **Present:**

Mrs. Roberts	Sophie P	Freddie R
Mr. Trevett	Nick L	Aditi B
Anya V	Cael VDM	Katie W
Rubie D	Olivia A	Gianna St J
Luke M	Orion M	
Shay P	Sofie L	
Amelie M	James O'M	
Noah W	Connie O'M	
Luuk T	Ruby W	
Lexie W	Rida J	
Tobias P	Sophia K	
Kasey T	Tiya T	
Renee G	Lily S	

### Potential subcommittees:

- Sports day
- Sports Challenge
- House tournaments
- Equipment

### New sports:

Luke suggested the school should include new sports such as lacrosse, basketball and American football. However it was agreed

with Mrs Roberts that it would be too difficult to get the equipment for American football. Lacrosse is still up for discussion.

Renee wants there to be more girl-friendly sports as she feels boys sometimes get too competitive. However the importance of mixed PE lessons was highlighted, and the Committee was made aware that PE becomes separated between boys and girls in secondary school.

Shay and James think it would be good to get an athlete/parent to visit the school and talk about their sport in assembly (ideally less common sports). Aditi added to this, suggesting the athlete/parent could run a sport workshop to get pupils involved.

Freddie thinks the Committee should do a school survey to find out everyone's favourite sport and see if we can cater for any new ones.

#### House tournaments:

Shay and Amelie want to have house tournaments for different sports throughout the year. Nick suggested getting different colour PE shirts for houses during these tournaments.

#### Sports day

Amelie thinks it would be fun to include more Olympic events in Sports Day.

#### Sports Challenge

Noah came up with the idea of 'Sports Challenge'. Pupils get rewards for taking part in new sports, but must prove it by taking a photo of them doing these sports – a bit like the Reading Challenge.

#### Equipment

Tobias wants to install permanent structures, like table tennis tables. This can be used for playtime and PE.

Casey wants to get more football nets as the current nets are either broken or missing. Mrs Roberts reminded the Committee that lots of money has been spent on football goals and nets, and that pupils would need to take extra care in looking after them should new ones be bought. It was discussed pop-up goals may be a solution.

### Sports Rota:

Cael suggested having a 'sports rota' – dedicating the playground to a single sport at lunch time on a daily basis. Cael also wants a sports rota for PE lessons. This idea will be discussed in further detail at the next meeting.

### Clubs

Orion thinks it would be a good idea for some lunch time clubs to be run by Year 5 and 6. It was concluded that most clubs need to be ran by an adult, however the Committee are looking into starting a Year 6-ran Speed Stacking club.

Orion also wants to reinstate the table tennis club, particularly if the school gets permanent table tennis tables.

Tiya thinks a running club should be started. This can also count for laps in the marathon scheme. Katie thinks this could be a good before-school club. Amelie thinks the running club could be ran by Year 6s.

### Sports Logo designing

James wants pupils to design the sports logo for different sports teams. The Committee decided it would be fun to set up a designing competition for this. This will be discussed further at the next meeting.

## Charity

Connie suggested having a day dedicated to sports relief – raising money through doing sport.

## Other matters

Luke wants to introduce a '3 strikes and you're out' rule at playtime.

Freddie thinks there should be more dinner ladies on patrol to make sure no ball games go on behind the fish wall.

It has been agreed with Mrs Roberts that these matters will be brought up in the next School Council meeting.

## Actions

The committee have decided to put the following ideas into action:

- A pupil survey to find out everyone's favourite sport
- Introduce the Sports Challenge for all pupils
- Find out the costing for outside table tennis tables
- Look into getting football nets and pop up goals
- Starting more clubs i.e. running club, table tennis, badminton
- Setting up a sports logo/motto competition