



**School Council Meeting – 17.10.24 (New day of Thursday)**

**Agenda & Minutes**

**Present:** All members of school council present today

<b><u>Agenda Item</u></b>	<b><u>Suggestions &amp; Minutes</u></b>	<b><u>Actions</u></b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><u>OPAL Play</u></b></li> </ul> <p>What different zones and resources should we introduce in OPAL Play which we think that the children across school would enjoy?</p> <p>Are there any current play zones which we could make better?</p> <p>Are there any zones which we could take away?</p>	<p>The Zen Zone is broken and needs to be put back up again and it needs the pillows to be replaced</p> <p>A colouring in zone would be a great addition</p> <p>The digging area needs to have more tools as a lot of them are broken</p> <p>Could we do something with the bike stores as there isn't enough space for all of them to fit in the 3 current stores</p> <p>Could we add bikes to the wheeled play zone?</p> <p>We would like the den building zone to be opened again</p> <p>The children would like signs up for each zone and also put signs for where the bikes and scooters should go separately</p> <p>Get some basketball hoops for the MUGA which are smaller</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Share this with Mrs Pemberton (OPAL Lead) and implement suggestions</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><u>School Toilets</u></b></li> </ul> <p>What would the children like for our new pupil toilets? What should they have included? What should they not have included? What makes the toilets better to use for everyone across school? Do we need to follow certain rules when children use the toilet at SGFS?</p>	<p>Private cubicles for everybody to use</p> <p>Clean floors and sinks</p> <p>Repainted walls with paint which is very strong</p> <p>Children would like mirrors in the toilets</p> <p>Paper towels rather than hand dryers</p> <p>Some clear rules for when children go to the toilet to stop anyone being silly</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Share this with Mrs Valentine and the building team who are redeveloping our school toilets</li> </ul>

	Locks on all of the cubicle doors	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><u>'Star of Kindness' Relaunch</u></b></li> </ul> <p>Can the school council come up with a list of key behaviours which would enable someone to get a 'Star of Kindness' award so that this is consistent across school?</p>	<p>Helping children during OPAL time</p> <p>Helping children if they are stuck with their work</p> <p>Being kind to someone when they are sad or if they hurt themselves</p> <p>Smiling and being polite</p> <p>Helping people at play time to find a friend and including them in games</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Share this with all of the teaching staff so that all staff are giving these rewards consistently for the same reasons</li> </ul>