



## Parents Forum 25.02.16

- Welcome
- Present – Sue Bowes, Michelle Le Roche, Hannah Prasai, Sally Wort, Katie Douglas, Gill Paraskos, Sally Clark.
- Apologies – Donna Harrison, Lorraine Ibrahim

## Agenda

- **Role Learning Mentor** – any pastoral support & special needs administrator, a leaflet will be developed and shared with families ASAP.
- **Behaviour** – all reported that the traffic light system is working really well, golden time is very good, and overall the behaviour system is working.
- **Play & Lunchtimes** – Q. How does the system work during play & lunchtimes?  
A. The lunchtime behaviour pyramid mirrors the classroom ones.
- **Cloakrooms** – It was felt that the cloakroom areas in upper school need more monitoring, some incidents of children being pushed were reported.
- **Wellbeing** – Q. How does school encourage empathy (for those children that constantly disrupt how do you teach them to understand the effect they are having on their peers).  
A. We have developed a whole school Restorative Practice approach (this is a thinking and caring method to resolving situations/issues), nurture work with Learning Mentor, referrals to outside agencies where necessary.
- **New experiences** - there was a suggestion that children/classes may benefit from an exchange day with an inner city school, possible topic Environmental Differences
- **Parking** – Lower school parents are parking on the road and the waste land on the corners.  
Q. What can be done?  
Suggestions were - to give out parking tickets (notes to print the registration numbers of persistent illegal parking in a news letter  
A. It's very difficult but some work has been done, the banners are in place and Mo monitors the parking every evening further monitoring and any other options will be considered. Comments on the banners were they were great, they are doing the job and have been placed in a visual place – well done!

**Additional information** (not discussed at the meeting) Mrs Clark has now had confirmation that LCC have agreed for the school to be placed on a waiting list for a twenty mile an hour speed limit outside along the front of school.

Next meeting:

It was decided that the Parents Forum and the Behaviour Working Party could be combined and that a meeting will be held within the first week of every half term.

Date of next meeting -

**Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> April 9am (coffee and breakfast pastries will be served, all welcome).**