



Parent Forum Feedback from Thursday 10th December 2015

You Said...

We Did...

<p>You were very impressed with the four funding bids received from staff and would like to award funding in the following way.</p> <p>£1000 - To support the improvements to an outside area dedicated to Year 7</p> <p>£900 - To support a raising boys achievement project for Years 10 & 11</p> <p>£500 - To support a special pre Prom reception for Year 11</p> <p>£TBC - To support a Gardening project run by our SEND department. Exact amount to be confirmed once other factors known.</p>	<p>We are delighted and extremely grateful for your support. All of these projects will get underway at different points in the new year and we look forward to feeding back on progress.</p>
<p>You are keen to hear updates on our Reward system and how the Student Council operates.</p>	<p>Mrs Farrell oversees both Rewards and the Student Council and she is ensuring that the focus of the Student Council is on rewards, starting with their first meeting in January. Mrs Farrell would be happy to attend the next meeting to update Parents/Carers on both items.</p>
<p>You are in agreement that Parentmail is a very good service but do not believe it is being used as effectively as it could be. You shared with staff where you feel the system could be used better.</p>	<p>Thank you for your feedback. We to believe the system is a good one and we will be looking to work on the areas you have identified in the new year.</p>
<p>Where possible you have offered your support to the Community Christmas Lunch, either via donating prizes for the raffle and/or supporting on the day itself.</p>	<p>We are so pleased with the many offers of support and thank you again for the time you give in helping our school be successful.</p>
<p>You wanted to know more about the Options process for Year 8 Students.</p>	<p>Year 8 Options Evening will be hosted on Thursday 3rd March. Year 8 Students and their families will receive an invite in due course and the evening will aim to explain the process fully. If in the meantime you have any other queries regarding this process please contact the Year 8 Leadership Team.</p>
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<p>You asked us to clarify the situation with regards to Students being in school after 3.00pm.</p>	<p>Unless Students have a meeting, detention or are attending an organised club/session, they should leave the school building at 3.00pm. Students who remain in school unsupervised present a Safe-guarding risk. In exceptional circumstances, Students may need to remain in school and in these instances they are asked to find their Year Manager to make the necessary arrangements. Students whose club may be unexpectedly postponed or who wish to stay in school until 4.00pm to work are invited to attend Homework Club which is based in the LRC every day.</p>
<p>Our Treasurer updated the group in light of the successful funding bids and gave a projection for the rest of the academic year. You also queried the funding we received for the new sports kits.</p>	<p>We would like to apologise for the delay on the sports kits and assure you that this is being followed up as a priority.</p>
<p>The next meeting will be held on Tuesday 2nd February at 6.00pm in the LRC.</p>	<p>On behalf of all the staff and the Governing Body, we would like to thank you all for your continued hard work and support and wish you and your families very best wishes for 2016.</p>

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