



Parent Forum Feedback from Thursday 15th October 2015

You Said...

We Did...

<p>You enjoyed meeting Jonni Allen (Head Boy) and Sofia Christoforidis (Head Girl) and were very impressed by what they had to say. You were keen to know how other Students know who they are and also how the voice of Students in different year groups are represented.</p>	<p>We to are very proud of Jonni and Sofia, they have already made a great start to their time in office. Jonni and Sofia have led assemblies to all year groups to introduce themselves and will also lead the Student Council meetings.</p> <p>Students from every Form in every Year group will vote for class representatives who will attend Student Council meetings on their behalf. These Students will ensure the voice of the wider student population is heard and then in turn Jonni and Sofia will meet with senior staff in school to feedback this information and help make decisions. Student representatives are being selected and the first Student Council meeting will be in November.</p>
<p>You were pleased to see that the change to the school day had created a number of additional extra-curricular activities for Students at both lunchtime and after school. You were keen to know where information on all of these clubs can be found.</p> <p>You also asked whether we could look at a system where all Students are asked to sign up to one extra-curricular activity as the benefits of doing so are well documented.</p>	<p>We are also delighted with the number and variety of clubs on offer to Students and thank the staff for this. Information on our full timetable can be found on the website by following the link below. Alternatively, a paper copy can be requested via Gillian Corlett or your child's Form Tutor.</p> <p>http://www.oulderhill-school.com/students/extra-curricular-activities/</p>
<p>You found the information shared by the Headteacher on the School's priorities very useful. You encouraged us to ensure all Parents/Carers are kept well informed on the any changes working there way through the education system.</p>	<p>Thank you for the feedback. We will always try to ensure Parents/Carers are kept informed of developments. We have also published the overview of the School Improvement Plan for Parents/Carers on our website.</p>
<p>You would like us to arrange for the Bright Books book fair to be hosted in school this year.</p>	<p>We to would like to arrange this and are liaising with our Learning Resource Manager to organise this.</p>
<p>You would like to raise some concerns over the safety of pedestrians on the car park at the end of the school day. Some drivers are not displaying the correct duty of care to pedestrians.</p>	<p>Thank you for making us aware of your concerns. We are currently implementing a new process for Students leaving the school site at the end of the day. The focus is to improve the safety and supervision of our Students which we hope will have a positive impact on the issues you raise.</p>
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<p>You would like us to review the number of Green Slips being issued by staff for positive behaviours and to check for consistency in staff handing them out. The general feeling among the Parents/ Carers present was that the number being awarded had dropped and wondered (if it was true) why this might be.</p>	<p>We will refer this to the appropriate staff and feedback at the next meeting.</p>
<p>Current Parent Forum account total stands at £1,516.59 with an additional £500 of sponsorship money from This Creative for sports kits. The kits will be purchased this term. You would now like to invite bids for Parent Forum funding in readiness for the next meeting.</p>	<p>Thank you for your continued fund raising efforts. We will invite bids from faculties ready for Decembers meeting. We will also notify you when we are in receipt of the new kits.</p>
<p>Parent View</p>	<p>The Headteacher would like to draw your attention to the Parent View section of the Ofsted website and would appreciate if Parents/Carers could take the time to review our school, There is a link to this from our own website detailed below.</p> <p>http://www.ouderhill-school.com/parents/parent-view/</p>
<p>You would like to acknowledge the efforts of staff and students at the recent Open Evening. Those Parents/Carers who attended other schools events stated that ours was "head and shoulders" above the other schools.</p>	<p>Thank you for this lovely feedback, we will ensure it is shared with everyone.</p>
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