



Waterton Academy Trust
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Waterton Academy Trust

Children's Parliament Meeting Minutes

DATE: 23rd June 2022

TIME: 1:00PM

LOCATION: Normanton Junior Academy

Present

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| Prime Minister: | Ethan (CPS) |
| Chair | Mr Dickinson, Waterton Academy Trust |
| Attending: | Representatives from Walton Primary Academy |
| | Representatives from Normanton Common Primary Academy |
| | Representatives from Normanton Junior Academy |
| | Representatives from Sharlston Community School |
| | Representatives from South Kirkby Academy |
| | Representatives from Wrenthorpe Academy |
| | Representatives from King's Meadow Academy |
| | Representatives from West End Academy |
| | Representatives from Churchfield Primary School |
| | Representatives from Cherry Tree Academy |
| | Representatives from Mill Dam School |
| Clerk: | Miss Waring, Waterton Academy Trust |
| Apologies: | Deputy Keisha (NCPA), Representatives from Crofton Infants School, Representatives from Lee Brigg Infant & Nursery and Representatives from Normanton Common Primary Academy. |

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| 1. Welcome, Introductions and Apologies | |
| CEO, Mr Dickinson welcomed all Parliament Representatives to the meeting. Apologies were provided by Deputy Prime Minister Keisha (NCPA), and Representatives from Normanton Common Primary Academy, Lee Brigg Nursery and Infants School and Crofton Infants School. | |
| 2. Review of the Previous Minutes | |
| Representatives reviewed the minutes of the previous meeting and agreed that they provided an accurate representation. It was agreed that all actions had been addressed. | |
| 3. PM & DPM HT Group Meeting | |
| The Prime Minister presented to the group that following successful a Q&A session with the Waterton Headteachers Group proposals had been made surrounding wellbeing to ensure that all schools are embracing initiatives. The | |

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| | <p>Prime Minister was assured that all schools were successfully implementing a variety of initiatives.</p> <p>The Prime Minister also noted that an action arising from the meeting was to allow the Parliament to vote on the introduction of a virtual quiz league.</p> <p>VOTE: all unanimously agreed to introduce a virtual quiz league.</p> | |
| 4. | <p>End of Year Celebration</p> | |
| | <p>Miss Waring detailed that following collating parliaments votes for the end of year celebration it had been unanimously decided that all Waterton children are to receive ice cream at the end of the academic year.</p> <p>Parliament representatives discussed where funds would derive from to fund this celebration.</p> <p>VOTE: After deliberation it was agreed that the Trust should fund ice cream for the celebration.</p> <p>Mr Dickinson thanked representatives for their contributions and suggested that the allocation parliaments remaining budget should be discussed in the initial 2022- 2023 parliament meeting.</p> | |
| 5. | <p>Rob Burrow MND Week</p> | |
| | <p>All attendees were thanked for their fundraising efforts in aid of MNDA and Leeds Hospitals charity. Miss Waring detailed that in order to continue to raise funds until the end of the academic year, a Waterton MND Raffle had been coordinated with a multitude of prizes available to win. Attendees were informed that tickets were available at their school offices and that the draw would take place on 12th July 2022 at a parliament presentation event that parliament representatives would be invited to.</p> <p>ACTION 1: Mr Sephton to forward updated prize poster to Schools.</p> | <p>JS</p> |
| 6. | <p>Waterton Eco Summit</p> | |
| | <p>Representatives were informed that following the commencement of the Waterton Eco Summit 2021-2022, attendees had requested that Parliament put forward a single use water bottle ban in all Waterton schools.</p> <p>VOTE: Parliament Representatives agreed that single use water bottles should be banned though exceptions should be allowed in some circumstances.</p> <p>ACTION 2: Mr Dickinson to write to all parents in September regarding no single use water bottles.</p> <p>Attendees suggested that a competition be introduced to allow children to design the new Waterton Academy Trust re-usable water bottle.</p> <p>ACTION 3: Parliament team to assess possibility of re-usable bottle design competition.</p> | <p>DD</p> <p>GW</p> |

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| | <p>It was also proposed that the Eco Council formulate plans for single use water bottles that are used in exceptional circumstances.</p> <p>ACTION 4: Eco Council to form proposal for single use water bottles.</p> | EGroup |
| 7. | Waterton Young Chef | |
| | <p>The Prime Minister discussed the success of Waterton Young Chef of the Year and expressed to the group how much he and the Deputy Prime Minister enjoyed participating as taste testers. Attendees were informed that the winning dish would be available as a special meal to order for dinner at the end of the term. The CEO celebrated all participants and noted that the competition was very close.</p> <p>VOTE: Parliament Representatives agreed to commission Waterton Young Chef 2022-2023.</p> <p>The CEO, invited the Prime Minister to return as a taste tester if he desired.</p> | |
| 11. | Any Other Business | |
| | <p>Miss Waring informed the Prime Minister that he and the Deputy Prime Minister were invited to attend the PM, DPM, CEO and Chair of Trustees Meeting and Lunch.</p> <p>Representatives suggested that as any other business Parliament monies may be used to contribute towards new PE equipment, a drama club or the refurbishment of further school stages. Mr Dickinson agreed to add these considerations in to the 2022-2023 parliament meetings.</p> | |
| 12. | Date of Next Meeting | |
| | Presentation Event 12th July 2022, Normanton Junior Academy 1:00 -2:30pm | |
| | MEETING ENDED: | |

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