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Date: – 7th December 2022

Present: Mr Meehan, Chair – Danny, Vice Chair – Laura, representatives from P3-P6

1. Welcome

Danny welcomed everybody and the minutes from the previous meeting discussed

2. Matters discussed

Danny read through points discussed during previous meeting.

- Fancy dress and disco for Halloween
 - All agreed this was a great success and all representatives said the children in their class thoroughly enjoyed it.
- Extension of trim trail to include additional play equipment such as monkey bars

 Mr Meehan explained this will cost a lot of money and we may not be able to fund it
 this year as we need to prioritise ICT purchase on new laptops.
- Safety concern at trim trail fill in 'Potholes'
 School council decided to look at the overall safety of the trim trail area at the end of the winter period as no children are using it at present.
- World cup lunch time games for KS2 classes

Mr Meehan commended all the children for demonstrating great sportsmanship. KS2 children said all the children involved have thoroughly enjoyed it and we thank Mr Toner for organising.

- Cinema evening/fun event at Christmas
 - Mr Meehan priced trip and explained to the children it was costing a lot of money between bus hire and entry to the cinema and the school did not want to put families under financial pressure. It was agreed that a cinema day will be held in school on 21st December where children can wear their PJs, own clothes, bring a cushion and a small treat.
- Dividing playground during break time so equipment can be shared Council members reported that all the children are enjoying the new layout of the yard. Mr Meehan reported that supervisors are very happy with the new arrangement.
- Play ground rules on display
 It was decided that we will come back to this in January

3. AOB

Council members voted on Christmas movie to watch. Mr Meehan explained it must be PG. Council voted for Home Alone and the Christmas Chronicles however both were PG. Council then voted for the Grinch (animation) as it is U.

Date of next meeting: TBC for Term 2