Landscove C of E Primary School Ethos Group Minutes

Date: 27TH MARCH 2023 @6.30 TEAMS

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| **In attendance** | Jill Ryder, Becky Drew, Michelle Pearse, Anna Neville Christine Pascoe & Rachel Baber | **Actions** |
| **Apologies** |  Laura McAdam (on sabbatical),Becky Honour & Grace Coles | **-** |
| **Approve previous minutes** | Minutes approved | - |
| **Matters arising from previous meeting** | * Re-establish link with Redmount and establish new link with St Andrew's. JR and AN to discuss with staff. **Links have been made. No plans in place -yet- to visit.**
* Jill / Anna to let Christine know of our plans for Coronation and get invitee list – **we have not yet confirmed our plans as a staff. Once done we can follow this action through**
* Jill to advertise Messy Church for Buckfastleigh and Ashburton in newsletter **– in next newsletter**
* Jill to send out a grid to allow members to select times that work for them - **done**
* Jill to ask Peripatetic teachers if they are interested in running a music club**. – no-one is available as teach at this time. However Mrs Grant & Ms Kearle would be willing to run a cookery club.**
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| **School Ethos, SIAMS and RE** | Report attached. Anna talked through our report and allowed time for questions and discussion.**Some detailed discussion around the extensive questions the children ask visitors – giving clear steer on their world views, making connections and comparisons to climate change, global action and the beliefs and practices they learn about. Genuine knowledge and interest. This has been commented on by visitors. Parents reported that this is the same at home. Children do talk about RE and collective worship and will ask further questions at home –“allowing parents to breathe air into what is being learnt at school”****Mothering Friday feedback:****Nice that Mrs R mentioned honoring everyone as the shape of families now differs and needs to be inclusive****Some chn asked why not Father’s day – AN explained link to the church calendar** **Generally resounding thank you – loved recognition of the role Mums play****AN discussed next step for Global Neighbours and where the community could get involved.****Community links****Christine has made links with Village Hall chairperson and they would be interested in setting up the coffee mornings again with our Ethos group – Claire Morgan.****When we have a clear plan for the coronation celebration the ethos group will do invitations to local community members and Christine will deliver the invites for them to join us** | Jill to finalise coronation plans with staff Anna to sort invitations with ethos group |
| **Academy Head report** | Report attached* Discussed attached report.
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| **Parent Rep feedback** | **Becky reported that a parent or two would be willing to run a garden club but wondered about getting supplies etc. Becky will put them in contact with the office to get started as school will pay for resources.****A parent commented at how lovely mothering Friday was but that not all families were of this unit. This is something the school have been discussing and will come back to before next year.****We had a discussion around the polite use of social media.****Community rep feedback:****Is the website up to date? Someone from the village reported that it was not. Jill feels it is but will check****Lady in the village would like to offer her help with reading in school. Christine will put her in touch with us.****Bags to School – Christine asked for the date and will advertise locally and collect for this date.(22nd May. )** | **Jill to check website** |
| **Date of next meeting** | Mon 22nd May 6:30 on TEAMS  |  |