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## **Headteacher Forum Minutes - Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> March 2018**

Today's forum was advertised in the last newsletter; however it was not attended by any parents. Therefore, I have noted what was to be discussed below for reference.

### **Parking Problem**

Year 6 pupils prepared a letter to parents reminding them about safe parking and how they feel having to dodge cars parked inconsiderately outside Avanti Court. Pupils had prepared to read their letters to parents and see if they were in agreement with the style whether it would make them think differently about how they park.

The banner, which was requested by parents informing the community of Avanti where they could park safely near to the school was ready to be showcased to parents.

### **Actions:**

**Pupils prepared a letter to parents, which will be published in Summer 1  
Banner to be displayed beginning of Summer 1**

### **Siblings in Different Year Groups**

Mrs Walters acted on suggestions by parents at the previous forum to allow Year 1 pupils to go straight into class in the morning. Mrs Walters had planned to ask parents if this had alleviated some of their concerns.

### **Yoga:**

Pupils in KS2 had put together a mini presentation to inform parents about the benefits of Yoga and how it helps them not only at school but within their daily life. This presentation will be shown in Summer 1 at the next forum. Pupils were also ready to answer questions from parents in terms of their learning in Yoga.

### **Actions:**

**Pupils to speak to parents about Yoga at the next forum**

### **Creative Curriculum:**

Ms Vincent had prepared to update parents on the schools application for Arts Mark and what the school would be doing in the Summer term 2018 to further develop Arts within the school. She had planned to talk about the choir's performance at the Royal Albert Hall, the impact of the whole school project on Van Gogh's painting The Sunflowers and what the outcomes showed in terms of progression.

### **Actions:**

**Ms Vincent to speak to parents about the arts at the next forum**

### **School Dinners:**

Mrs Walters met with pupils to 'test' a hot sandwich prepared by the kitchen, which would feature on the Summer menu. Pupils gave some critical feedback to Mr Terry in the kitchen so that he was able to use their feedback to refine the sandwich further. This information will be published in the

next newsletter and published on the website shortly. Mr Terry had planned to inform parents of the feedback he received from pupils.

The next forum will be held on: Thursday May 24<sup>th</sup> at 8:30am