



# Thorpe Church of England Primary School

*Faith, Love and Excellence*

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Agenda		
Attended Parent Representative Meeting		
Present:		
Sapphire (YR)		
Emerald (Y1)	Heather,	
Ruby (Y2)	Victoria, Donna	
Amethyst (3)		
Garnet (Y4)	Andrea, Jo, Emma, Joanna	
Amber (Y5)	Kate, Heather	
Topaz (Y6)	Martine, Louise	
Meeting Objective		
Giving Parents a voice – gathering information on views		
Agenda Item	Notes	Actions /by Whom
	<p>Dear Lord</p> <p>Thank you for supporting our school and our teachers and children.</p> <p>Together may we create:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- a safe place for lives to flourish;</li> <li>- a happy place for wonder and discovery;</li> <li>- a hopeful place of peace and healing;</li> <li>- a stimulating place of learning and laughter;</li> <li>- a place where everyone feels valued and respected;</li> <li>- a place that offers security and stability to all;</li> <li>- a place where both old and young can find purpose and direction in life</li> </ul> <p>Amen</p>	HS
Confidentiality	Brief discussion regarding confidentiality	
Matters arising from last meeting	<p>YR – No rep</p> <p>Y1 – Clubs for Infant children. Yes, gymnastics (aware that more people wanted to do it than capacity).</p> <p>Y2 – More options for after school clubs – We are trying (list them here)</p> <p>Y3 – No issues</p> <p>Y4 – 7.45am drop off</p> <p>Y5 – No issues</p> <p>Y6 – Owl Club until 6pm – not enough take up</p>	
Feedback from parents	<p>YR – No rep</p> <p>Y1 – Clubs – after school club Gymnastics too small.</p> <p>Y2 – 1. Cold weather, radiator was not on? <i>Underfloor heating is on.</i> 2. Comment about a teacher being there to welcome the children when they come in... there was no teacher at the door. 3. Could Wednesday football finish on time.</p> <p>Y3 – No rep</p> <p>Y4 – Reminding the children to drink water... Earlier drop off at 8.30am/8.40am... clarify what they are meant to be wearing; can they wear</p>	

	<p>water proof clothes, getting changed is taking too long and some children are rushing food.</p> <p>Y5 – No comments from parents. Rep Amount of homework is too much in addition to all the other extracurricular activities. <b>Could we have a homework club?</b> Or could homework be more independent? Discussion regarding how adult intensive practical homework is... <i>suggestion that children are given materials and let to get on with practical homework independently.</i></p> <p>Y6 – <b>What are the children who are not going to residential going to do?</b> Too many chips, too often... VN talk to Twelve 15 can this be changed? One child said they were not allowed to get vegetables as they hadn't finished their chips.</p> <p><b>General comments;</b> booster clubs in Year 6, before they get to Year 6 could there be a drop in session to get some help for some aspects of their learning they don't understand. <b>DROP IN SESSIONS</b></p> <p><b>Are we still doing pen licenses?</b></p>	
<p>Items to discuss and get feedback from school</p>	<p>General feedback. Some parents don't know what FOTSA is. HS to ask teachers to let the children know about FOTSA. FOTSA will do a poster newsletter for next week. School to put a piece in this week's newsletter.</p>	