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| <p>3.</p> | <p>School tours</p> <p>Would these be possible for parents who missed the opportunity to view the school when they weren't taking place?</p> <p>NB said this is difficult due to time constraints and struggling to catch up from 2 years of Covid restrictions. We are sorry about this.</p> <p>Parent are reminded that there is a virtual tour that can be viewed online.</p> | |
| <p>4.</p> | <p>School uniform</p> <p>Is there an outcome re uniform supplier due to quality issues following the survey that was completed? parents have experienced shrinking, buttons falling off etc.</p> <p>NB will follow up on this.</p> | <p>NB</p> |
| <p>5.</p> | <p>School Library</p> <p>When will the children be able to visit the school library again and borrow books?</p> <p>This was prevented during lock down, teachers are reminded that infant children can visit the library weekly or bi-weekly on a rota. Juniors can borrow books using the signing out system.</p> | |
| <p>6.</p> | <p>Egg decorating competition</p> <p>Is there an alternative to using eggs due to concerns about food waste?</p> <p>Plastic eggs and polystyrene eggs can also be used, or small pebbles can be painted and decorated. It doesn't have to be a real egg.</p> <p>For the rolling, the PTA brought wooden eggs last year which has cut down the food waste. NB put this to the school children and they don't want to stop the competition because they love it.</p> <p>A note will be put in the newsletter advising parents of the options.</p> | <p>NB</p> |

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| 7. | <p>Last minute requests for parents to purchase items needed for school can be difficult financially and with time constraints (examples were odd sock and an orange).</p> <p>NB will speak to teachers about this and request as much notice as reasonably possible. Ideas were to donate old socks which could be used as two odd socks. Parents reps can also help remind the parents in their class if a note has gone out in bookbags.</p> | NB and all reps |
| 8. | <p>School dinners</p> <p>Concern about portion size e.g. half a burger given to KS1 children</p> <p>NB will raise this with the office who will speak with Aspire caterers. A reminder will be put in the news letter that parents are encouraged to speak to the office straight away on issues relating to food so that it can be dealt with quickly.</p> <p>There has been a previous invitation for parents forum attendees to come into the school to see dinner arrangements, how the children queue up, and sample the food etc. This will help us to answer general questions from the class. Paul will also be invited to join a parent rep meeting.</p> | Matthew Reena |
| 9. | <p>Signage</p> <p>Signage would be helpful on gates when entrances need to be closed (as well as emails being sent). This is in relation to the recent unforeseen circumstances of loose tiles during the storm.</p> <p>This request has been noted for future.</p> | NB |
| 10. | <p>PTA: Upcoming events</p> <p>1st April - non uniform 6th April - PTA AGM 9th July - School summer Fair</p> <p>Parents are encouraged to get involved with the PTA if they have time and would like to support. It is always greatly appreciated.</p> | |
| 11. | <p>Date for next meeting</p> <p>5th May, 9.30am, via Teams</p> <p><i>Agenda items to be sent to JS by 9am 21st April.</i></p> | JS |

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