

St Chad's C.E. (C) Primary School
Parent Forum Meeting
Thursday 28th September 2017 at 6.30pm
Minutes

Present	Jean Marshall (Staff), Dave Humphries (Governor), Zoe Comley, Tina Sherwood and Kerry Rawlin.
Apologies	Miss Clarke, Phil Comley, Melanie Bell and Louise Hunt,
Welcome and introductions	Dave Humphries opened the meeting by welcoming everybody and introducing everybody.
Terms of Reference	No new members
Matters arising	Drop in session for Parent Forum We held a drop in session after school with a crèche provided, however nobody attended. Dave Humphries is going to design a poster so that we can try to encourage more parents to attend.
Maths Homework Books	The parents at the meeting said that their children loved the new books.
Spellings	We discussed how we can move forward with spellings as a school. Parents are in favour of the write it out three times; they are not sure the pyramid works especially when the words are longer in KS2; they think the sentences should stay; they preferred the crosswords from Spell Zoo.
Gym Equipment	One parent knew that their child had been trained on it, but didn't know if they were still using it. The other parents were not sure if their child had used it.
Information evening	SPaG evening, English Y6
Parent Items	Year 6 leavers' photos - it was thought that it might be nice to have a Year 6 group photo as well as class photos with them being mixed year groups. Class photos - is it possible to have both traditional and non-traditional taken then parents have a choice? Days and dates on letters sent out recently have been incorrect.
Equality Issues	None were mentioned
Health and Safety	
Date of next meeting	Full meeting TBA