


# Nanpean Community Primary School

## PARENTS FORUM



<b>Focus:</b> 1) Harvest 2) Attendance 3) TBN Building Development	<b>Attendance:</b> Ms Marsden (Headteacher) + 2 parents	<b>Date:</b> 4/11/15 9:00am
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Notes of meeting	Action
<p><b>1) Harvest</b></p> <p>Ms Marsden asked for feedback about the Harvest Service. One parent found it strange at first because the children were sat in a different place but did find it better because the children were easier to see. The other parent was unable to attend but asked if there was a way of watching the recording of it. Ms Marsden said this was possible but the parent would need to come onto site to watch it (about 30 minutes long).</p> <p>A discussion took place about the possibility of there being a 'parent and popcorn' event where parents could come and watch missed performances. Or if each classteacher could make a montage of key events for the class for the year, which could be viewed with the children at the end of the year. Or if a production recording or montage could be played during the Christmas/Summer fair.</p>	Ms Marsden to discuss these ideas with staff.
<p><b>2) Targeted Basic Need (TBN) Building Development</b></p> <p>Ms Marsden is pleased with how most of our parents have been very understanding with all the transitioning into new classrooms. It was explained that from this Thursday children in years R, 1 and 2 will be dropped off at the bottom of the tunnel and members of staff will ensure they get to their classrooms safely. Both parents were very happy with this. Ms Marsden shared a plan of the new build to show where drop off and collection points will be for Years R, 1 and 2 when the build is complete on 22<sup>nd</sup> November.</p> <p><b>YEAR 2 (Prosper)</b></p> <p><b>RECEPTION (Eden) &amp; YEAR 1 (Hendra)</b></p> 	

### 3) Attendance

A parent expressed how lovely it is that their child always wants to be at school (even if slightly unwell) because they are determined to get 100% attendance. It was asked if being late counts as an absence. Ms Marsden clarified that if a child arrives between 9:00am and 9:40am, they are classified as late **not** absent. It was asked if being absent due to illness goes against their 100% attendance. Ms Marsden will check this and report it on the newsletter this Friday.

Ms Marsden confirm situation re: illness and 100% attendance.

**Next parents forum: Friday 4<sup>th</sup> December 9:00am**