

St George's Church of England Primary School Council Project.



The upper playground.

- Our upper/top playground is up the hill.



At the very top we have a ball park and a playing field, which are used not just at playtime and lunchtimes but for P.E. too.



When you have been exercising you need a drink of water.



But to get a drink of water you have a
long way to go!



Year 2 suggested that we needed a water fountain everyone could use on the top playground, as their little legs got very tired going for water.

- The council agreed with the idea and began researching for a water fountain and a price. When they chose a fountain they thought...
“We need two fountains, one to fill up water bottles for PE.”

They soon found a model with two types of water feeder. That was in budget.



The Councillors wrote to Mr. Fisher (the Head Teacher) for permission and where to site the water fountains.



A meeting was held to show Mr. Fisher where the best place was.



Next came the problems in the ball park.
There were no rules for children to follow
so there were lots of arguments.

Councillors surveyed their classes as to what
rules pupils thought we should have.

These were the rules everyone thought we
should have.

Ball Park Rules

- Only Year groups allowed in on their day, for both break and lunch.
- One ball only in the football area.
- No kicking the balls over the fence.
- Only have normal sized balls, no hard balls.
- Stick to the rules of the game.
- Follow the supervisors requests.
- Three strikes and 'You're out!'

The rules were sent to the Governors of the school for approval (and agreed), then the council were asked to choose a design for the signs.



We are happy to say:

- The Water Fountains will be fitted on Monday 16th of May. Just in time for the warm weather.
- The signs have been ordered (2 of them) and we are waiting for the design team to send us the proofs for our approval. We hope to have them fitted before the end of the summer term. Classes will be asked to sign the charter which will be displayed in their classrooms.

We make a difference!

