



School Change Team Newsletter

July 2014

TEAM DORE



A big thank you to all the parents, staff and Governors who have been part of the School Change Team this year. The School Change Team is the parent and staff voice to the school and at the first meeting each year we look at any areas for development and any quick wins that can be gained. From that meeting, an action plan is formed and the group work together. The SCT is open to all parents and we welcome new members and new ideas.

From the first meeting last September, a Traffic and Road Safety team was formed. It has been a very active year with the following positive impacts:-

1. School Road Safety Officers now in place to lead the children
2. RSO have emailed parents about parking at the local Pubs in a morning and that the zigzags are now being patrolled by Traffic Enforcement Vans
3. Zigzag patrols and leaflet distribution by parents to raise awareness
4. New Travel Policy, ratified by the Governing Body and uploaded to the Website
5. Zigzags repainted and Enforcement signage in place
6. School swimming lessons for Y4 changed to the afternoon from next year to avoid congestion at peak school times with the bus
7. The school has been given the 2014 Gold Travel Award for the 5th time and is giving a presentation at the award ceremony in the town hall.

A Parental Engagement Team was also formed. Their main focus was to issue the Home School Agreement which is a mandatory policy as required by Ofsted. The team, together with staff, personalised it for Dore Primary School. The children have been working on the Pupil section and came up with great wording. The HSA went out week commencing 23rd June to parents.

The final SCT meeting was Monday 30th June. This was also open to all parents who wished to be consulted about the Home School Agreement. As no parents came forward with any comments, this will now be ratified by the Governing Body and uploaded to the website.

Date of next meeting – 7 pm Thursday 25th September. This is open to all parents, so please come along and get involved. If you wish to join, please email headteacher@dore.sheffield.sch.uk