Meeting – Tuesday 2\textsuperscript{nd} September 2014

Minutes

Meeting Open – 6.15pm

1. In attendance: R Foster, N Sciacca, G Jackson, K Greentree, N Allen, D Pellett, M Giles, T Blatchford, C Evans, C Saunders, L Perceval, R Somers, P Lupton

2. Apologies: nil

3. Motion to accept minutes from previous meeting
   Moved: R Foster/Seconded:

4. Business arising from previous meeting

5. Principal’s Report
   \begin{itemize}
   \item Evaluating school plan has commenced. Staff evaluated 4 main programs for the year (spelling, data collection, programming and lesson observations)
   \item Parent evaluations – planning for next year – thanks to the facilitators.
   \item Bring your own device day clearly not supported by parents – technology, values & education and numeracy & literacy. How to be a 21\textsuperscript{st} century learner.
   \item ARCO training tomorrow – 16 teachers $2500 for holding it.
   \item Kindergarten numbers for 2015 – 41 kindy students at this stage. Any more we will have to do a K/1 class.
   \item JH retiring, PL will take JH role. HD retiring, hoping to advertise. Term 4 transition for the new teacher. Numbers aren’t enough to hold IM class. Out of zone enrolments zero for 2015 for kindergarten.
   \item Shade structure – erected this Saturday 6\textsuperscript{th} September.
   \item Mud brick wall – Saturday 12\textsuperscript{th} September – looking for help. Looking for 1-2 helpers. About 2 hours.
   \item Next Wed 10\textsuperscript{th} Sept - regional spelling bee
   \item Halloween movie night – no.
   \item RTA – no objection to the changes so leaving as is for the moment.
   \end{itemize}

6. Update – fundraising
   Report on the meeting.
   Regal night – 22\textsuperscript{nd} Oct and 29\textsuperscript{th} Oct.
   Another meeting to be held – getting people to do various roles on the night. Announcement of event then meeting.
   Blue-ray film. Avoid royalty fees. Avoid anything less than 12 months old.
   CS action – find out about royalty fees.
   GJ action – organise fundraising event

7. Update – canteen
   Oven to be purchased.

8. Update – technology
Thanks TB for getting teachers to use Skoolbag more.

9. **Update – financial**
   
il

10. **New business/Parents Forum**
   
   - Book week – disappointed with event; doesn’t seem to do anything. Shouldn’t be so commercial. Book exchange idea.
     
     Proposed: not a fundraiser, celebrating books. Meet an author idea.
     
     **TB action** – discuss ideas with CC
   
   - Feedback form 2014-2017 plan – feedback option not given. Aboriginal input in curriculum should be increased. Our program has been viewed and followed.
     
     **TB action** – integrating more Aboriginal input into the whole school curriculum
   
   - Did we buy lights for the performance centre? No, lights were borrowed for the Jungle Book. **MG action** – talk to Suzanne’s daughter about the lighting. Talk to HPA school.
   
   
   - Card for fireman to be sent by NS/TB
   
   - Photography for newsletter – please encourage
   
   - Photographer - could kids do the photos of activities in and around the school
   
   - Wooden picnic tables – 14th Sept for next round of picnic tables. Bigger Sept for outdoor classroom by Hamilton Running Group

11. **Correspondence – in/out**

   Cheque in from RSL $250

   **NEW ITEM:** Paul Lupton – 2015 is the implementation for maths curriculum, using more hands on approach, evidence-based approach instead of text books. From K-6. Looking at how to implement the curriculum. Looking at resources. $3000 of resources already. $5000 request equipment. More of a catchup of resource buying! Purchasing to be done by next term. Incidental learning.

   Shopping cart list $5000.

   **PL action:** JH to get document
   
   P&C to underwrite it and then fundraising.

   Moved: RFoster/Seconded: RSomers

   Next meeting moved from 21st October to 14th October

   Meeting closed – 7.05pm