Meeting Open – 6.03pm

1. In attendance: N Sciacca, T Blatchford, C Saunders, J Walters, M Giles, R Foster, D Pellatt, C Evans, L Perceval
2. Apologies: K Greentree, G Jackson
3. Motion to accept minutes from previous meeting
   Moved: N Sciacca/Seconded: R Foster
4. Business arising from previous meeting
   TB - NSW Govt - email/app ok for parent permission
   TB - Starstruck – no survey to gauge interest for next year has been created yet. Will reconsider sending surveys towards end of year.
   TB – RTA action item carried over.
   NS – contacted GJ about fundraising meeting
   NS – ordered form builder for app

5. Principal’s Report
   • MG and DJ working on landscaping/gardening outside office, including two flagpoles. Bring design ideas to share soon. TB to try to source labour from within school community to keep costs down.
   • TB Action – put request out for parent involvement for 2015-17 planning
   • Bunnings refreshed bushtucker garden. Toyota donated $500. Looks fantastic.
   • Lindsay Gardens kids visiting each week. This week Glee Club. Monday 28th July – Stewart House – 2 week break in North Curl Curl. 2 kids from HPS going on the trip. TB driving!
   • Anaphylaxis training for teachers to occur in August
   • Free anti-bullying show for students – 19th August
   • Focus for teachers with Literacy– spelling was the focus, now writing. 7 step writing program. Week 8 – discussing new maths syllabus. Audit of maths resources was completed in anticipation
   • Hamilton Honour Roll – A school grandmother has created a book following researching every name on the honor roll. Book created by Fay Sheppard
   TB action – print some copies and promote book within school community. A fantastic asset.
   • Shade sail – approved, up at beginning of next term at the latest.
   • School chaplaincy will not be funded from 2015. Federal Govt no longer funding.
6. **Update – fundraising**
Regal Theatre – available free of charge; Two consecutive weeks (Wednesday) for parents to attend a film. 130 capacity (?). 20 and 27 August – potential dates. Ticket price and then option to eat and drink.
NS action – contact GJ about fundraising idea

**GJ action – organise meeting and event.**

7. **Update – canteen**
First week back this week. All going well. Volunteers have been great, looking forward to a great term.

8. **Update – technology – nil**


10. **New business**

Donation to school concert – decided no, fund will be raised on the evening to cover any costs incurred.

11. **Parents Forum**

- **Judy Hitchcock leaving – amount donated from P&C**
  RF action – **find out previous amount given to leaving teacher for gift**
- **School bell song – we can’t hear it**
  TB action – increase volume/change part of song to be played so it can be heard
- **Hamilton Running Dads – donating two picnic tables they made.**
  Would love more made. Broadmeadow Timber place gave us great supplies to use – Thanks!
- **AGM meeting – suggestion to play a dvd to entice more parents to attend.**
  NS action – work out dvd for kids for 2/9 meeting

12. **Correspondence – in/out**

IN: P&C election note and Insurance note
Meeting closed – 6.50pm
Next meeting – 2 September (AGM) and 21st October

**ACTION ITEMS**

**NS action** – contact GJ about fundraising idea
**NS action** – work out dvd for kids for 2/9 meeting
**TB action**– RTA action item carried over from June meeting: contact RTA regarding kiss & park in Tudor St, disabled parking in Steel St and fence on Tudor St installed.
**TB action** – print some copies of Honor Roll stories and promote book within school community
**TB Action** – put request out for parent involvement for 2015-17 planning
**TB action** – increase volume/change part of song to be played so it can be heard
**RF action** – find out previous amount given to leaving teacher for gift.
**GJ action** – organise fundraising meeting and event.