

MT. MARIA PARENTS AND FRIENDS ASSOCIATION



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MINUTES OF SEPTEMBER P&F MEETING

Held on Wednesday 16 September 2015

MEETING OPENED: 7.00 pm

The meeting was opened with a prayer, led by Markus Ebeling

ATTENDEES: as per attendance sheet

APOLOGIES: as per attendance sheet

The minutes of the August 2015 monthly meeting and Treasurers reports were distributed, and those present were asked to review them.

The Minutes were moved by: John Dangerfield

Seconded by: Jeanette Martin

Carried

INCOMING CORRESPONDENCE: Grants offer from Peter Dutton

Letter requesting donation from Jennah Murray

Email from Brooke Wasmund requesting funds

Promo mail from Mr Showbags and Homestyle

Emails from:

John Woodhouse re website

Deb Rheumer re catering on awards night.

Ashley Bulgarelli re Trivia Night

Kerry Maher re meeting apology

OUTGOING CORRESPONDENCE: emails only

Following a number of financial requests , a consensus was reached on a P&F donation structure. A letter outlining this structure will then be sent to each applicant.

Moved: John Dangerfield

Sec:Naomi Duncan

PRESIDENTS REPORT:

Presented by John Dangerfield:

Thank you for Trivia Night support, which was successful and fun.

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Mike responded:

Donations to Lavalla School and Orange Sky.

How are the staff feeling?

Mike responded:

Tired but participation is excellent, there is school pride, engagement of students is a priority, they are happy with the P&F support and enrolments have a waiting list.

2016- intake 80- 4 classes of 20 or 5 with 17/18.

Focus on education of all about the pathways through secondary education, including plan to meet area primary teachers. A group discussion followed. Parent info nights and awareness of learning pathways.

PRINCIPALS REPORT:

Presented by Michael Connolly

1. New building is in progress- some delay- staff to relocate to Resource Centre after Sept break
2. Library and T block to be air- conditioned.
3. Restructure of budget to allow renovation of Kolbe Centre- close in, fencing ,floor surfaces to create sport and assembly centre.
4. Request for P&F to fund chairs and fans.
5. Tuckshop area to be addressed in same quote.

John responded:

P&F will contribute and also ask for additional parent contributions. Also enquired about possible insulation for this area.

6. Staffing- Bec Gimpel leaving, replacement being sought
Staff returning for term 4 will take temp positions to minimise disruptions.
7. TDD- last day of Term 3.

Naomi Responded: asked about stop work by teachers, and arrangements.

Mike responded: minimal impact, reasonable action by staff, whole school assembly arranged.

DEPUTY PRINCIPALS REPORT:

Presented by Markus Ebeling

QCS went well. 18 of 46 participated.

Year 11/12 block went well.

Picnic Day year 7&8, Yr 9 Murgon camp underway.

OLW and Holy Spirit Yr 4 visits Mon and Tues.

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ASSISTANT PRINCIPALS REPORT:

Presented by Kerry Maher, Curriculum

No report

BUSINESS MANAGERS' REPORT:

Presented by Deb Rheumers

No report

TREASURERS REPORT:

Presented by Naomi Duncan

1. Report was tabled.
Ratified,
Moved by: Naomi Duncan
Sec. by: Karen

UNIFORM SHOP CONVENOR'S REPORT:

Presented by Morel O'Leary

1. New location.
2. Senior jerseys- \$60 quote order required by November. Issued first day of school 2016.

GRANTS OFFICERS REPORT:

Presented by Naomi Duncan

1. Peter Dutton, Stronger Communities Program, 2 yr funding, \$5000-20000 grant
2. School must match grant \$ for \$.
3. Must be in Dickson electorate and answer criteria list.
4. Mike responded: APPLY
5. Second round available 1 October.

GENERAL BUSINESS;

Awards Night 27 October, C3 Church. John to contact Amanda.

John thanked all in attendance.

MEETING CLOSED 8.30pm

NEXT MEETING: Wednesday, November, 2015

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President's Signature _____ Secretary's Signature _____
John Dangerfield Jeanette Martin

Date: _____ Date: _____