

P&C Meeting Minutes – June 2023

Present: Sue Morrissey, Nick Ballard, Andrew Sweeten, Kim Singh, Natalie Mackenzie, John Connors, Di Jones, Antoinette Trimble, Phil Hall.

Apologies:

Item:	Topic:	Notes	Action
1	Review	Principal's report provided by Sue- see below. Minutes of previous meeting accepted. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Review options for administering a survey to the parents. Google docs New structure for the meeting around key areas to streamline and improve efficiency of the meetings – Music, Art, Sport, Building Enhancement Funding: Chromebooks have been well received – continue to fundraise 	Phil / Sue Sue/Nick/Andrew Nick/Andrew Sue
	Finances	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> \$170,000 – including \$30k grant for COLA & 70k balance overall Building funds contribution a bit low – we increased amount this year, 22 families to date out of 105 families) 	
2	Functions/Events	Bay Run: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Maybe a news article about Dobroyd and the Bay Run Database of local companies for previous fundraising – we could send sponsorship packages. Movie night rescheduled last year – this year proceeding on Thursday 14th September (week 9, term 3) Open day scheduled 	Sam/Sarah Anna Phil Hall
	Enrolment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Currently 11 students registered – what can we do? Expand the catchment? Sue feels that there are 15 kids for kindy scheduled next year. What can we do to enhance year 3 and year 5 enrolments to compensate for other schools? 	Sue to update Review next meeting
	Art	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> There is an existing space. Needs to be after school – rotating skills with different media (drawing, painting etc) – Could we consider with a pay to use if there are schools such as Joan of Arc? 	
	Building Enhancement	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Marcus will be doing the drawings for the COLA We need a structural engineer – need development approval by 31st July, 2023 – High priority 	Nick/Andrew/Marcus/Di
	Attendance	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> We really need the year reps to join the P&C meetings! Consider venue change to attract year reps 	All – Whatsapp message group

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- 30 Students attended the Zone Cross Country Carnival at Campbell Park Chiswick on 24 May. 4 Students were successful in progressing to the Regional carnival and 1 student qualified for the State Cross Country Carnival.
- Our debating teams have been quite successful in the local interschool competition. So far, the teams have competed at Leichhardt PS, Five Dock PS and Nicholson St PS. The quality of the debating has been exceptionally good. 30 Students participate in the debating squad, with 8 students selected each round to represent the school.
- PSSA sport has been progressing very well this year. No rained out games at all!
- All students from Years 3-6 participate in the Multicultural Perspectives Public Speaking competition. The school final was held on 2 June and four students were selected to represent the school at the local final held at Russell Lea PS. Our Year 4 representative won the Stage 2 final and will now participate in the State final.
- Year 3-6 students participated in the Premier's Spelling Bee. The school final will be held next Tuesday.
- Parent information session about the new curriculum tonight – Thanks to Mrs Demirel for presenting.
- EWaste collection – 70m old / obsolete desktop and laptop computers were donated to e-waste.
- Teachers currently completing Semester 1 student reports – new format will be more informative.
- Uniform shop – going to have a \$2 sale for all second hand items at the next open day on 1/8/23
- Friday 30 June is the last day for Term 2. Students return on Tuesday 18 July 2023

Coming up:

- Athletics carnival tomorrow
- NAIDOC performance Monday 26/6
- Parent /Teacher interviews on Tuesday 27/6
- Premier's spelling Bee final on Tuesday 27/6 at 9:30am
- Talent Quest on Tuesday 27/6 from 12:30pm
- Education Week open day on Thursday 3 August 2023