

# Randwick Boys' High School P&C Meeting Minutes Tuesday 19 June 2018

Chair: Birgit Schickinger

#### 1. Attendance:

| Birgit Schickinger | Ngaire Smith     | Karina Triandafillou |
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| Leanne Bergan      | Alison Bell      | Louise McNeil        |
| Sarah Brill        | Milena Ben-David | Lance Raskall        |
| Lynette Swinbourne | Linda Nawava     |                      |
| Laura Tamir        | Jane Knowles     |                      |
| Varsha Mistry      | Rebecca Saad     |                      |

- 2. Welcome to new financial members, observers and guests.
- **3. Apologies:** Isabelle Jalbert, Peter Wong, Elizabeth Royston, Michelle Bradley, Adriana Skleparis, Rachel Daly, Paul Howard
- **4. Determination of quorum:** Quorum reached (quorum is 5 if under 50 members and 11 if over 50 members).
- **5. Confirmation of the Minutes for March 2018:** Confirmed: Milena Ben-David. Seconded: Birgit Schickinger.
- 6. **Guest Speakers:** Paul Robson, City Organiser, NSW Teacher's Federation: Fair Funding Now

Paul Robson addressed the meeting to provide information on the next phase of the Gonski funding. The Teachers Federation is running a campaign to argue that Gonski 2.0 is not a fair funding system and is asking for support from the RBHS parent body.

Yiota Loizou, HT Maths: Q&A Maths Proposal

Yiota Loizou addressed the meeting and provided some background information for her maths funding proposal. The P&C is asked to support the maths program with the sum of \$1000 for a three year period. There was some discussion around funding maths programs and how to capture more students in these types of activities.

7. Business arising from March 2018 Minutes: Nil

8. Correspondence: Nil

### 9. Reports

### President's Report

Trivia night was held and was wonderful. All involved were happy with how it went and thanks to everyone who helped and supported the event. The evening raised around \$8,000 in total with \$5,700 profit.

The Bunnings BBQ was on 2 June, and raised \$1,130. Almost everything was sold on the day. There are still a lot of soft drinks left that can be sold later in the year but they need to be sold before summer. Thanks to everyone who helped.

Solar my School application has been submitted but the results won't be announced until December.

There is a free mulch day this Saturday. There is a link on the Facebook site and newsletter to book time slots. The following Saturday there will be a garden working bee from 8am until 10am.

Principal's Report

See attached.

1. The P&C was asked to put on hold all funding projects until the details of the State Government funding is known.

Treasurer's Report

Nil to report. Bank Balance is at \$21,378.04

## 10. Agenda Items:

Vacancy Treasurers Role - nominations

Nominations: Leanne Bergan. No other nominations were made. Leanne Bergan is appointed as the new P&C Treasurer. Thanks to Leanne for stepping in.

**Funding Committee** 

Jane has created a survey for the parent community that will be advertised through the newsletter and Facebook page.

Vote for Maths Funding Proposal

Motion passed to support the Maths faculty with \$1,000 to implement math activities over the next three years.

#### 11. General Business:

Emma Payne, Head Teacher English, is calling for parents who would like to sit on English portfolios panels. Panels will occur on the 26 and 27 July. There will be a large number of presentations.

A question was asked in relation to the mobile phone policy at the school. Students are not allowed to use phones during class time.

If any families are having issues with Lowes in relation to uniforms please put it in writing to either Lowes or Lance.

## 12. Next Ordinary Meeting

Tuesday 21 August 2018, 7.00pm

13. Meeting closed: 8.47pm

## Principal's Report

- 1. Education Minister Rob Stokes announced regarding upgrade to Randwick Boys' and Girls' HS. Media, interview ect, B N-Smith.
- 2. Bubblers TBC
- 3. Tree in playground near office removal? Pending Council permission
- 4. Gifted and Talented evening for Year 7, 2019
- 5. Athletics Carnival
- 6. Solar my School Underway. Application has been submitted.
- 7. Men's Mental Health Week including; Head Space seminar All Year 12, whole school assembly tomorrow (guest speaker), Wallabies on Thursday this week.
- 8. Half Yearly exams and reports
- 9. Excursion Chess, Debating, AIME, Year 12 Study Skills, AFL, Duke of Ed (Silver and Gold), Year 11 Earth and Environmental studies, Zone cross country, Year 12 Chemistry to Sydney Uni, Year 8 Study Skills, Year 12 Careers Expo, Year 11 Biology to UNSW, Canberra Institute of Sport, War Memorial and snowfields.

## Upcoming:

- 10. NAIDOC Week assemble 3<sup>rd</sup> July
- 11. Year 7, 11 and 12 Parent/Teacher evening 4.30pm Library and Hall