

MINUTES OF P&C MEETING

Wednesday 10th June 2020

7:00pm to 9:00pm

At the home of the President, and via video conference

Meeting Details

3 parents were present in person at the meeting.

19 parents and the Relieving Principal, Alison Gambino, attended via video conference.

The meeting was chaired by Belinda Brodrick, P&C President. Minutes were taken by Martin Brown.

Apologies

None

Minutes of Previous Meeting

The minutes of the 11th of March P&C meeting were reviewed.

Motion: To accept the minutes of the 11th of March P&C meeting be accepted.

Moved: Jenny Nettleton **CARRIED**

Business arising

1. Style App to be addressed at a later date
2. Second hand uniforms are available via the school for disadvantaged students
Samples of junior uniforms from Noones are now available
Noone is to be primary uniform provider for all uniforms from term 4

Correspondence

None noted.

Principal's Report

1. Parent Teacher interviews to be held via phone over a 3 hour period
2. Professional teacher learning on GAT has been continuing over the COVID period
3. Wish List:
 - a. Cost for turf for the science lawn is about twice expected because of tree removal. Original cost was \$35k (P&C funded) plus \$15k grant.
 - b. No insurance is available on shade sails. Large umbrellas are an alternative at \$4k per umbrella for several umbrellas instead. Very resilient. With RGHS branding. Total: \$64k.
 - c. \$35k has come in from contributions this year. \$76k outstanding. \$66,700 received last year. We expect much less in total parent contributions this year.
 - d. Library improvements are underway
 - e. The fresh wishlist is to be drafted

4. School play is not able to be rehearsed - costumes funded by the P&C are currently in production and could be used at another time or in a fashion show
5. The orchestra is going to try rehearsing via Zoom
6. HSC has been pushed back and the first week of term 4 will be classes
7. Remote learning via Edmodo, Google classroom, Zoom has had varied results. Lesson times were set to 1 hour
8. Yummy Bears Kiosk have returned to run the canteen
9. Integration funding will be rolled through the remainder of the year - refer to the email from Learning and Support
10. Year 12 formal still TBA

Treasurer's Report

Jenny Nettleton presented a summary:

Motion: To accept treasurer's report

Proposed: Martin Brown **CARRIED**

General Business Items

1. Updates to the P&C Rules were presented for acceptance at the next meeting
2. Online membership payments are now available via: <https://friendsofriverside.org.au>
3. Question of alternative funding for the turf was raised.
Kirsty Anderson and the Principal to investigate what federal & state grants are available
4. Belinda Brodrick expressed thanks for school's management of the COVID-19 crisis
5. Lenore Hankinson expressed the view that:
The COVID-19 crisis showed failures of outsourcing of school cleaning, particularly the inadequate amount and quality of cleaning performed
6. Lenore Hankinson expressed the view that:
The P&C Federation should be encouraged to lobby for the concept of school nurses - possibly at a P&C Federation conference

Actions

1. Kirsty Anderson and the Principal to investigate what federal & state grants are available

Next Meeting

All meetings are at 7.00pm. The remaining 2020 meetings are expected to be held via video conference.

- Term 3, Week 3: 5 August
- Term 3, Week 7: 2 September
- Term 4: Week 3: 28 October
- Term 4, Week 7: 25 November AGM