

# Schofields Public School

## P&C Meeting

1<sup>st</sup> July 2019

Meeting opened 7.07pm in Schofields Public School Staffroom

Meeting Minutes passed by Nicole Burton & Anne Irvine 5<sup>th</sup> August 2019

**Attendance:** Belinda Malec, Fiona Watson, Emma Voss, Amba McCrudden, Cyra Noshirwan, Annemarie Herrmann, Kayleen Glover, Kim Verheyen, Bonnie Can, Alison Woodbury, Nicole Burton, Ryan Cox, David England, Preeti Johncey, Colin Ross, Anne Irvine, Radhika Jain

**Apologies:** Carly Yates, Nicole Burton

### **Matters arising from last meeting**

<b>Item</b>	<b>Notes</b>	<b>Actioned</b>	<b>Outstanding</b>
Camp	Lift money to be refunded to look at options on how return the money to the students.		

### **Mail**

- NIL

### **Treasurers Report**

Cheque/Main - \$30,218.92

Business - \$47,142.69

- Need to bank disco
- Treasurer will include a bank reconciliation at every P&C meeting
- Audits completed and accepted

### **Banking**

- Not a big response on incentive
- Need a new volunteer Term 4
- Show by the CBA for students to encourage students to bank

### **WHS**

- Emergency lock down went very well.
- Senior Constable Bollard to attend next meeting about Cyber Safety
- Volunteer Booklet typo

## **General Business**

- Ryan Cox – Reading in the Early Years Presentation
- Stage 2 trialling 3-4 classes together for 18months in preparation for the new school.
- Talks of floor plans for Level 1 and Level 2 including furniture to be displayed
- Minutes privacy – research rules – if definitive the P&C will follow, if the answer is grey P&C will vote
- Fiona Watson to be added onto interview panel
- \$1000 grant to be given to the school to purchase chairs. Rules state that acknowledgement must be on website

## **~ Principal's Report ~**

### **Primary athletics carnival**

Students and staff had an outstanding day at the athletics carnival. Results and ribbons to be distributed next term. Students competed, participated and behaved exceptionally. Thanks to Mr Cox, Mrs Hubble, teachers, parent helpers and helpers from Riverstone High School.

### **Stage 3 Camp**

Our Stage 3 students visited our nation's capital and the snowfields in early June. The three days were packed full of activities, learning and fun. Highlights included: Federal Parliament House, the War Memorial, Questacon and a day in the snow. Students were also very lucky to experience snow falling on them during our visit. The teachers are very proud of the way the students behaved and participated throughout the camp. I would also like to thank the teachers who organised and went on the camp: Mrs Yarham, Mrs Woodbury, Mrs Kemp and Mrs Hubble.

### **Stage 1 Taronga Zoo visit**

Stage 1 had an awesome day at the zoo last week. The students were complimented by members of the public for their outstanding behaviour. Despite a rainy start to the visit a great day of learning was had by all. Thanks to Mr Cox and the Stage 1 team for organising this invaluable educational experience.

### **Rugby league Knockout**

On Tuesday 11 June our PSSA Knockout Rugby League team won their way through to the 4<sup>th</sup> round of the competition with three outstanding games. Congratulations to the team and Miss Chan. Information about the next game will be provided as the information comes to hand.

### **Staffing Update**

Mrs Mills has commenced maternity leave and is expecting the birth of her third child shortly. We wish Mrs Mills and her family all the very best. Mrs Hasthanayake will be taking over the library role for the remainder of the year. There will be some changes to staffing at the start of next term but they are not finalised yet.

### **Sydney West Orienteering**

65 students represented Schofields PS. We placed first on the day and first overall. We are the champions. Notable individual performances:

Year 3/4 girls

1st Cassie

2nd Addison

Year 3/4 boys

1<sup>st</sup> Max

3<sup>rd</sup> Oliver

### **Disco**

Thank you to Mrs Malec, Mrs Irvine and all the other parent helpers who made our disco last Friday night such a success. Thank you also to Mr England, Mrs Woodbury, Mrs Kemp, Mrs Parker, Mrs Rodgers-Falk, Mrs Vatalis, Miss Holloway and Mrs Costi for assisting on the night.

Well done to all the students who attended and danced enthusiastically.

### **New sports uniforms**

Summer PSSA uniforms have been updated for Softball, cricket and AFL. Examples shown.

### **School shirt**

Still stock of current shirt available. New shirt likely to start next year.

### **School learning environments and change committee**

Thanks to Anne Irvine for taking part in our direction team. Once the plan is finalised I will share with the P&C and community.

### **Annual school report**

ASR is published on the school website.

### **Earn and learn closed**

We will target playground equipment- games and items to support creative play.

### **Ipads for K-2**

Ipads for K-2 onsite currently being processed will be available from the start of term 3. Thank you for donation

### **Cyber safety**

Snr Constable John Bollard to present to children and at 6:30pm 5 August for parents not suitable for school aged children

### **Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander network meeting**

ATSI Parent student network meeting held last week. This team made up of students and families from ATSI backgrounds will work with the school on its ATSI activities and directions. The meeting was well attended.

### **Building/roadworks update**

The bus bay and footpath works currently underway should be completed this weekend. I anticipate the path, entrance and bus bay will be operational to start term 3. Please be mindful of changes to signage on Junction Rd which may occur. Power will also be moved underground opposite the school. Once this is completed the rest of Junction Road can be completed in a timeframe TBA.

The ramp that leads from the temporary school to the hall has been blocked off to enable the construction of an on-site detention tank. The tank is required to control the amount of rainwater that flows into the stormwater system.

### **Student reports and interviews**

Student reports will be sent home at the start of next term and interviews will be organised for weeks 2 and 3.

### **Upcoming events**

2 July	3-6 cybersafety
3 July	Principal's assembly 2:15pm
5 July	K-2 athletics
	Last day term 2
23 July	NAIDOC performance
24 July	Stage 3 to Riverstone HS musical
5 August	P&C and Education Week commences

Meeting closed 8.33pm