

# **SIPPS Parents & Citizens Association**

# **MINUTES**

# Wed 21 October 2020 ONLINE

Attendance: Caroline English, Emmy Druce, Lorna Raine, Nicole Melidonis, Felicity Harris,

Stewart Duncan, Claire Anglim, Leanne Haylor, Narelle Mills

Apologies: Mercy Mutema, Adrienne Barnes,

**Not Present:** 

AGENDA ITEM	RESPONSIBILITY BY WHOM / WHEN
Acceptance of previous Minutes	
Accepted by Felicity Harris & Nicole Melidonis	
Principals Report – attached Summary	
Key notes from principles report – see attached and details are also in this weeks Patter.	
Welcome Leanne back to SIPPS – she will be working on Mondays and Tuesdays for this term.	
Art show is on at the St ives shopping centre, please go and visit.	
Shade sails - delay in installation is due to equipment issues , but this has been resolved and is now in progress and once signed off by the Department of Education will be ready to play under.	
OOHSC tender – is now complete and details of the be announced soon.	
Tell them from me survey – please complete by Friday (add link) 23 <sup>rd</sup> October ACTION ALL	ALL parents
School plan – 2021 -2024 the end of this P&C meeting was used as a quick focus group where Caroline wanted feedback on the topics that are most important for Parents ongoing.	
Caroline mentioned the canteen – which opened at times during 2020 – thank you Sony for your co-ordinations in this difficult time.  Canteen is not going to open yet. Info to follow	
Year 6 end of year options Sony & Steph update.	
PBL update –Teacher training day will be at the start of the year ongoing – it will consist of two days at the beginning of the year.	

#### **Treasurer's Report (Iorna)**

Summary

Closed books ended year with balance of \$74826, with most uniform accruals made.

Voluntary contributions – are sitting at \$2800. Approx. 18 individual contributions since the end of July .

It was suggested that next year contribution value should revert back to 2019 value.

Need to remind parents to get involved ACTION FELICITY Add contribution icon so it is higher up on QKR - LORNA

Audits currently under way. Report due at AGM. Stock take (uniform shop) next week, no major surprises expected .

Important that intention of P&C is to pay full amount for the shade sails of \$25000, plus full insurance confirmed by the group.

At this point there was a discussion on how to encourage contribution and suggested the need to get more events to encourage younger age groups. Camp out is a must for 2021

P&C agenda 2021

Felicity ASAP

Lorna ASAP

#### Canteen

5 volunteers helping Adrienne with canteen. 2 forms needed for each volunteer forms are held by the P&C (Claire to file). One form is specific to volunteering in the SIPPS canteen.

Earliest reopen date might be week 4 TBC.

Please communicate canteen closure to the school community Adrienne Barnes has kindly volunteered to be canteen co-ordinator. Adrienne is in caretaker mode. Thank you Adrienne

Claire ASAP

Rhonda / Sue

### **Uniform shop**

Sports tops have arrived and look great. Price point for QKR \$40 and will be available to purchase now.

Communications to school community to include: Branded school REP shirts for PSSA / Zone are available to purchase from QKR, unisex, All sports, winter and summer available. Subsidised by P&C (approx. cost to p&c is \$36 Some shirts will be available to 'rent' the shirt for an nominal fee, rather than pay full amount - please contact office is this is preferable to you. Feliclity to send comms to Claire and Caroline before sending out . Nb add disclaimer that purchasing the shirt is for your current PSSA sport and does not mean you are automatically in the PPSA teams next year. Lorna to add to QKR.

Felicity

How can we get new uniforms to kindergarten parents – caroline confirms that Kindy parents have been provided with all the info & sizing that they need so they can order direct from QKR.

Letter to add to Kindergarten re the p&C story and how to get involved. Or P&C video. Deadline – ASAPto include P&C website link, Add info to video, add pictures, of events and camp outs etc to get people interested. Action CLAIRE

Claire

(send to Emmy & felicity to check first) **Ongoing business** School wish list - no further progress, Caroline to come back to P&C with details Caroline of what needs to be paid for. Books for 2021 (Premiers reading challenge) - can P&C buy new titles for the reading challenge – YES, from the P&C. It was agreed to allocate a confirmed budget \$3000 to top up books for the reading challenge. MRS ORMOND please keep us updated. Year 6 farewell update. Team of 5 are organizing and about to get invites out. Sony / Steph Likely to go with Bop till you drop. (Mention to check bop till you drop don't repeat the same as disco so year 6's have a different experience), theme is colours! Thank you Sony, steph and team Disco -30<sup>th</sup> October, Bop till you drop confirmed. WWC for Bop till you drop needed, Claire and subsequently received. Nilcole 3-6 / Stewart / Lorna – volunteered to help – thank you QKr code, people scan at gate – purely a covid necessity. This is not the Disco sign in function. Risk assessment, 1 parent only, scan QR code main gate. Registration needs to be in a Lit spot – signing in and signing out book needed with 2/3 people on entry and 2/3 people on exit to sign children out with parents at end of the session. No parents are allowed on site – except for agreed volunteers. Time between 2 discos, 30 mins. K2s enter at gate near all and exit at office Q to ask at drop off -'Are you picking up your own child'. **Felicity** Sign in volunteers needed . FELICITY please ask for volunteers **Brick pavers** Orders and in, and TLR is sourcing the center piece. Tracey Lee **Tennis courts** Still not for hire. **Sustainability grant** opens with in the 20<sup>th</sup> November. To pull an application Narelle / Stewart together there needs to be a link to the NSW curriculum. Narelle will link to science and sustainability curriculum. School plan focus group questions 5 questions to help the school with their intended future planning were

presented to the group.

New business / next meeting

Stationary packs – do we go with these next year?

Nominations for committee positions open .

Need to define roles of the P&C and actively involve class parents and spread out

comms with other team members eg an liaison with uniform shop / canteen connections.  Need to rethink how P&C roles work - this will be added to the agenda for the P&C – Please give feedback for the next meeting. ALL	ALL
'The cyber lady', Leone smith $-4^{th}$ November, this is a parent forum and it is suggested that we join forces with Terrey Hills public school for this event which covers social media and cyber security for your children. Confirmed that we will participate and caroline to invite remainder of school .	Emmy
Proposal to delay the AGM until early 2021.  Next meeting  Wednesday November 18 <sup>th</sup> 7.15pm likely to be online but this will be confirmed.	