



SIPPS Parents & Citizens Association

MINUTES

Wed 17 February 2021 in School library

Attendance: Melita Abrahams, Leanne Haylor Emmy Druce, Nicole Melidonis, Felicity Harris, Stewart Duncan, Claire Anglim, Jordan Spiegall, Stephanie Potts, Claire Bennett, Sangeetha Ramen, Mani Raman, Julia Lipari Tracey Lee Reaper, Jess Upton, Sony Robson

Apologies: Caroline English, Lorna Raine, David Malicki , Mercy Mutema

Not Present:

AGENDA ITEM	RESPONSIBILITY BY WHOM / WHEN
<p>Acceptance of previous Minutes Accepted by Stewart Duncan, Felicity Harris</p>	
<p>Principals Report – attached Melita described St Ives park as a intimate well run and happy school and said ‘ thank you for welcoming me’ There were 2 successful staff development days at the beginning of the year. New school plans will be uploaded soon inc:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • a strong focus on teaching of reading. • Teaching of underlying comprehension skills • Behavioural strategies and policies • Code of conduct training and child protection • ‘High potential’ gifted education policy <p>PAT assessments or beginning of school year assessments of all children have been completed, from this the teachers review results and create groups and establish what support is needed. Kindy children use Best Start format, not PAT.</p> <p>Canteen starts Monday 22nd Feb Swimming carnival packs were excellent , thank you Claire Bennett 46 orders raised \$320 School are keen on Recess packs from week 7, but this is not currently possible and is volunteer dependent.</p> <p>Swimming carnival 31 students from the 3-6 cohort will be going to Zone on 5/3/21</p> <p>Dept of Education have approved the building of our new toilet block, massive thanks to Rhonda. New 3-6 toilets wil be coming soon, likely to take a full two weeks.</p>	<p>ALL parents to read</p>

Covid update

Dept of Education have introduced a new sign in sheet for any visitors to site. Please make sure you call ahead before your visit.

Tuesday 23rd is meet the teacher night. Face to face interviews will be weel 9 / 10.

All classes have been set up on google classroom, please check that all children know their sign in details.

Treasurers report

\$93k in bank inc \$30k owing for shade sails and including \$11k donation from helping hands.

Stationary pack raised \$1k.

2021 3-6 Toilet upgrade cost will include \$30k donation from P&C

\$15k in gold coins received which covers all parents registered at tonights meeting Emmy to bank cash.

Other reports and other business

Year 6 shirts have been sorted by Stephanie Emmerson!

Class parents

A QR code will be sent out to parents to make signing up for P&C emails easier and will have info on class parents on the same sheet. Details will be sent to Rhonda.

Kindy playdate –went well, add to calendar for 2022.

Thank you to Whim, for keeping the grounds looking so good over the holidays. We all really appreciate the beautiful grounds when the children are back.

Stewart and Caroline are investigating quotes for new **bubblers**. More info to follow.

Canteen update

All details relevant to the canteen inc volunteering are on the menu which has been sent out via the children.

Menu to be sent out vis email and updated on website

We are officially members of the health kids association

Send a quick summary of the canteen for class parent note to Tracey Lee to encourage new parents to order

New fridge might be needed (ask Felicity to help with this) and maybe a pie warmer which school will buy as Church people broke the last one!

No one has canteen keys, they are held centrally at office

Thank you very much Claire B, menu looks awesome and everyone happy that

Emmy

Tracey Lee
Stewart

Stewart / Caroline

felicity

Claire B

<p>canteen is back!</p> <p><u>Brick pavers</u> Will despatched this week but delivery date still TBC</p> <p><u>Signatories on bank account</u> Emmy will stay on as a signatory on bank accounts, (seconded by Stewart) any non- relevant members on the bank accounts need to come off. Likely to move to another bank. .</p> <p><u>Voluntary contribution</u> Amount to be discussed at the next meeting. Summary of past years contributions 2019 - \$5000 2020 -\$3500 2021 – \$550 to date</p> <p>Small discussion on the benefit of adding it to the main bill. Idea of benefits (eg canteen, school show) in exchange for paid voluntary contribution awarding also briefly discussed Lead up letters suggested for contribution</p> <p><u>Bandemonium update</u> Josh at Bandemonium has resigned Music team would like to buy new music stands Junior band is very small this year – can we add call for members in news letter Suggested that year 2's are invited into the junior band There will be more band performance dates this year TBC There will be a vote for a 'band leader' to update school in assemblies, and take on a mentoring role, most likely a year 6 member.</p> <p><u>New BBQ</u> This will be purchased for term 2</p> <p>Update of website</p> <p>Entertainment book suggested, Q can it go on Qkr?</p> <p><u>Mothers day 2021 Gifts</u> \$1000 signed off to purchase gifts in advance Tracey Lee and Sony are owning this (thank you!)</p> <p>President still needed for P&C</p> <p><u>2021 calendar</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Kindy welcome tea at school • Kindy playdate at Athena park • Swimming carnival lunches • Mothers day stall (purchased via Qkr) • Book fair • Camp out (September) 	<p>Stewart / Lorna</p> <p>Lorna (next months agenda point)</p> <p>Next meeting agenda</p> <p>Felicity</p> <p>felicity Lorna</p> <p>Sony</p> <p>(owners decided at next meeting)</p>
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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Council elections sept 4th BBQ and cakes • Easter hat parade morning tea / BBQ • Family fun day • Fathers day • Disco • Stationary packs (inc separate dictionary) • Special event canteen lunches • Year 6 farewell (• End of year thank you teachers <p>Next meeting</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Wednesday March 17th 7.15pm, agenda due on March 10th • 2021 AGM November 17th 2021 	<p>Claire Anglim to send agenda</p>