

ST PIUS X CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL

P&F GENERAL MEETING #3

Tuesday 25th of August 2020 at 7:30pm

St Pius X School Library

MINUTES

Meeting Opened at 7:33pm

Opening Prayer Jodie Draper

Attendees: Nick Sertis, Jodie Draper, Daine Burnett, Kim Hughes, Stephanie Johnson, Mary Jugov-Janiec, Carly Inferrera, Bianca Rendell, Elethea Toussaint, Aleks Waldock, Renea Doncon, Mia Fulwood, Jessica Di Placido, Kristie Ranger, Margaret Jenzen

Apologies Mairead Breen, Leila Foster, Catherine Riordon

Welcome from President Nick Sertis

Quorum Present - Confirmed

Confirmation of Previous Minutes (26th of May 2020)

Accepted by Renae Doncon

Seconded by Mary Jugov-Janiec

Business Arising from Previous Minutes

- Father Patrick will do a blessing at the Parent's Breakfast on Friday 4th of September
- Coffee van organised for the Athletics carnival on Tuesday the 15th of September

Correspondence In/Out – Mia Fulwood

-No correspondence

REPORTS:

Principal Report *presented by Daine Burnett*
See Attached

School Board Report *presented by Nick Sertis*

School Footprint: Improving the school Footprint/Development has further been explored to expand to neighbouring land both through the school itself and church has not been successful despite many attempts.

The decision by the board is we need to put focus into the school itself for now and its core strength and work with the school community and resources we have.

CEWA: has changed its business structure. CEWA is now Propriety Limited which changes the school's authority and structure of the company.

Treasurer Report *presented by Carly Inferrera*

See attached

The P&F current balance is \$25,495.09

New signatories (Nick Sertis, Carly Inferrera and Mia Fulwood) have been added at the Commonwealth bank. This also allows online funds to be transferred.

Moved: Jodie Draper

Seconded: Mia Fulwood

Class Reps & Event Co-ordinators *presented by Mary Jugov-Janiec and Aleks Waldock*

Term 3 Events:

- **Parents' Morning Breakfast:** School undercover area on Friday 4th of September.
Father Patrick will do a blessing, Raffle to be drawn.
- **Athletics Carnival:** Aquinas College on Tuesday 15th of September.
P&F have organised a coffee van and will be doing a sausage sizzle for lunch.
- **Parents' Night-** Windsor Hotel on Saturday 19th of September
Tickets currently on sale. \$30 each
- **Grandparents' Morning Tea-** Cancelled due to COVID-19 Restrictions

Term 4 Events:

- **Colour Fun Run:** Friday 20th of November.
- **EduDance Concert:** Friday 4th of December.

General/New Business

New P&F volunteers needed to fulfill members finishing their term at the conclusion of 2020.

Closing Prayer by Jodie Draper

Meeting Closed at 8:10pm

Attachments

1. **Attendance and Apologies Register**
2. **Principal's Report**
3. **Treasurer's Report - not available on Website**



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P&F Principal Report - 25th August 2020

Catholic Identity: At the end of Term 2 we were able to conduct a Commitment Liturgy for the Year 3, 4 and 6 students and their parents, where possible, for the upcoming sacraments this year. Thank you to Fr Patrick for allowing us to do this at school as we continue to look to be flexible in our current situation. We will be celebrating the sacraments of both Reconciliation and Holy Communion during Term 3, with the hope of conducting the sacrament of Confirmation for the Year 6 class in Term 4.

We have started this term with a whole school liturgy lead by the Year 6 class on the first Friday we returned with some parents in attendance.

St Pius X Day was a fantastic success with the combination of the Year 4 assembly, blessing by Fr Patrick and Funday with the Circus incursion and shared lunch.

- ⇒ School Liturgy.
- ⇒ Commitment Liturgy.

Education: The end of semester reports were issued at the end of Term 2. There were intermittent issues with these when it came to saving changes and in particular, the printing of the report when it came to several areas within the report.

Our revised Gifted and Talented Program has started this term with Mr Hughes taking this over for the remainder of the year. We will look to feedback at the end of the year with this, as it now pushes further into the extension area rather than gifted and talented. Mr Hughes is also exploring the implementation of the Harvard Thinking Skills Program and its suitability for us in 2021.

- ⇒ Australian Math's Competition Year 3-6.
- ⇒ Year 6 Camp.
- ⇒ WABIAD.

Stewardship: Term 3 started with two professional development days. The first day was directed towards the new Data Program – Power BI that all staff we be able to access and monitors student progress. This program not only allows staff to see the NAPLAN progression over time but also our ACER Testing program and the results from this as a school and as individual classes. The second day was presented by Mr Clive Walley from Notre Dame University on the History and Cultural awareness of the Aboriginal people for all staff. This took us into an open forum to discuss more about what we are doing as a school community to engage the Aboriginal people in our community and how we are educating all students at the school.

- ⇒ CEWA Meeting – Resources Team.
- ⇒ Leadership Team Meeting.
- ⇒ Finance Meeting.
- ⇒ CEWA Leaders Forum.

Community: The school is beginning to engage with incursions and excursions starting to recommence. Sport and music groups are able to use the school after school hours, however we are being very insistent on the non-use of playgrounds after they have been disinfected. The 3 Year Old Program has started again after its pause in operation. The first Monday back started with 12 very happy students and parents! We will continue to advertise this program for the remainder of the year to look to increase numbers.

- ⇒ Meeting with Year 5 and 6 parents re online safety.
- ⇒ TLEO – Leanne McDonagh.
- ⇒ P&F Executive Meeting.