

Condobolin Public School
P & C Association
Annual General Meeting Minutes 6th March 2017

Meeting opened:7:07 pm

Present: Joe Kiss, Jenny Kiss, Geoff Ward, Cecilia Whippy, Deb Manwaring, Margaret Baxter, Deb Nay, Lucy Leighton, Natalie McDonald, Jo Skinner, Greg Doyle

Apologies: April Wood, Ros McDonald

Minutes from previous AGM:

Moved by Ce Whippy

Seconded by Jenny Kiss

Business arising: Nil

P&C Report:

Uniforms was a major project for 2016

New articles for the school, Jenga Blocks, wireless keyborads and have funded new equipment in the canteen like the freezer, fridges and dishwasher.

Thanks the volunteers and teachers and looking forward to another successful year for the P&C.

Regards,

Joe Kiss

Principal's Report: To be attached

Principal's Report

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The past twelve months has seen a lot accomplishes within our school. We have managed to concrete the primary staff car park, resurface the multi-purpose court (in spite of the weather), upgrade our oval watering system and improve storage in the school. Though not funded until this year, we have also managed to upgrade the curtains in the hall and have the floor surface resealed. All of this work has added to improved facilities.

In addition, we are in the process of upgrading our signage around the school to include the directional signs at the Molong and Orange Street entrances, names of buildings and rooms, as well

as a welcome sign. We are hoping that the new signage, in line with our Asset Management building numbers will assist staff when calling in any building issues or IT faults. It will take us some time to finalise installation of all signage.

Each year we have worked hard to improve attendance, behaviour support and learning in our school. Our attendance has been reported to have increased a little more for 2016 – this is usually for Semester 1. It has gone from 93.2% to 93.4%. We experienced significantly fewer high level behaviours and associated consequences as PBL has been more consistently embedded across the school. With fewer in-class issues, engagement in learning has continued to improve with teachers involved in on-going professional learning. We continue to raise the bar of expectation in all that we do. NAPLAN results showed that the average growth in reading was twenty points about the average for all students in NSW, ten points above in spelling and eight points above in the area of grammar and punctuation. Numeracy is an area for further development. Although, our Aboriginal students scored an average of eleven points higher compared to Aboriginal students across our state.

We received positive feedback in relation to our end of year presentation ceremony and were pleased to see students receiving their awards. The Banner Award ceremony was also well attended. As such, we will continue to run our presentation ceremony through the day this year.

We are about to enter a significant time of change in our school with the system used for administration being updated. This change will have a huge impact on the operation of our office until such time as staff are familiar with the system. It will mean that things may go much slower than they have in the past. We ask for the patience of the whole community. With this change, we will also be POP

I would like to thank the P&C for the work done with the school in this last year. Thank you to the outgoing executive for your commitment. I look forward to working with the incoming executive this year, working together for the students of Condobolin Public School.

Deborah Nay

Treasurer's Report:

Moved: Deb Manwaring

Seconded: Marg Baxter

Positions declared vacant for 2016

President: Jenny Kiss Nominated Joe Kiss seconded Lucy Leighton Joe Accepted

Vice President: Ce Whippy Nominated Nat McDonald Seconded Joe Kiss

Lucy Leighton nominated Geoff Ward Seconded Ce Whippy

Jeff was voted in via a silent vote and Jeff Accepted

Secretary: Ce Nominated Lucy Leighton and Lucy Declined Nat Nominated Jo Skinner and Seconded Lucy Leighton Jo Accepted

Treasurer: **Everyone** Nominated Deb Manwaring seconded Nat McDonald Deb Accepted

Assistant Treasurer: Marg Baxter Nominated Lucy Leighton and seconded Marg Baxter Lucy Accepted

General Business:

Membership: remains at \$2.00 for 2017

Presentation night: no change

Canteen: no change

Provision account:

Motion: Monies from the Provision Account has been allocated to a term deposit to earn interest.

Moved Deb Manwaring
Seconded Lucy Leighton

Auditing of books: Leave with Lewis & Redenbach

Life Membership: Joe Nominated Nat McDonald seconded Lucy Leighton

State Sporting Representative: *"To assist with costs associated with participating at State level the amount of \$100 maximum per individual and \$500 maximum per team is to be considered at the discretion of committee and subject to available P&C funds."*

Motion: Stays the same.

Moved Marg Baxter
Seconded by Jenny Kiss

BY-Laws –

Motion : To add the information of accounts for the canteen and P&C to the by laws

Moved: Marg Baxter
Seconded: Nat McDonald

Meeting Closed: 7:49pm