Condobolin Public School

P&C Association

General Meeting Minutes 10 March 2014

**Meeting Opened: 7.02pm**

**Present:** Cee Whippy, Donna Whitely, Gregory Doyle, Jenny Kiss, Nat McDonald, Abby Grimshaw, Joe Kiss, Eloise Anderson, Deb Nay, Margaret Baxter, Mark O’Leary.

**Apologies:** Jasmine Venables, Kerry Dowling, Peter Hughes.

**Minutes from previous meeting:**

Minutes moved by Greg and seconded by Donna.

**Business arising from previous minutes:**

Trees - arborist meant to visit last Friday. Taking a lot longer than first thought. Contacted Grenfell Public. Hoping to be done by the end of the second week of the holidays.

Laptop purchased and under budget by $5. MYOB did not come with a user guide- have to pay for one at a cost of $25. Will be of value at tax time.

Motion moved by Nat to purchase MYOB software. Seconded by Jenny. All in favour.

Variety Club- can they park on the oval? $18/head. Parking should be fine but wary of sprinkler system and not too heavy. Wednesday 20th August. Andrew Chamens donated sausages last time and may also donate this time. Put into newsletter re donating eggs, bread, etc.

Debbie Chambers has bought things for Garden Club and brought in receipts to be reimbursed re money donated last meeting to Garden Club.

**Canteen report:**

Five quotes- 1. Paul Riley 9 kilowatt which is under $3000 that lists labour and he is local- only one to list labour. Exclusive of GST. Labour is $1500, 2 & 3 from Trimec in Parkes (one for a Dakin 8.5 kilowatt for $4300 and no labour included in price.

4. Lenoc is $3200, and two from Cooletrics in Wagga- Samsung 8 kilowatt cool and 9 kilowatt heating for $3760.08.

5. Panosonic for $4356.30. Some do come with inclusions and exclusions. All to be placed onto roof of canteen. Do you have to pay travel costs if not in Condobolin? Motion moved by Donna to go for the local supplier for purchase especially if it breaks down. School to purchase and P & C to reimburse. Seconded by Nat. All in favour.

Temperature checked every year of water system. For the moment to stay as is. Deb to put into book. $69/bottle at the moment from milk man. Cee got quote to bring the price of water down 69cents to 35cents- deliver once a week on Fridays. Huge saving. Buy in bulk. Motion to change the supplier of water by Nat. Seconded Jenny.

Slushy machine has been fixed and syrup has been watered down to half to make it less sweet.

**Correspondence In:**

Condobolin Argus invoice

Bank statements x 5

Condobolin Newsagency invoice

Condobolin Leading Appliances invoice

Chamens Supa IGA invoice x 2

Condo Bakery invoice x 2

Foodservice Central invoice x 2

Telstra invoice

Inland Distributors invoice

ATO

Foodworks

Midwest foods brochure

**Principal Report:**

Thanks for the help at the working bee. Made a huge difference to Orange street entrance. Suggestions for other working bee.

Deb and Mark O’Leary took leaders to Sydney for Young Leaders conference. Provided opportunity to get to know each other. Took in a range of experiences e.g. never been on a ferry. Students listened to Mike Martin who organised conference and he was an officer in the army. Bob Carr attended and Andy Griffiths attended, Ita Buttrose also attended. Kids thought Cohen Ashton who suffers from CF- message was Life Can Only Get Better and challenged everyone to think and talk about Organ Donation. Will book for next years Conference. Great experience.

Today we had a great K-2 Easter Parade. Great to see kids strut their stuff.

Tomorrow is commerating ANZAC Day in the Hall.

Cricket is a great success to be played next term in Round 3.

Netball through to round 2 and to be play Dubbo.

Ryan got 25th out of 38 in State swimming. Unsure about Jarryd.

Cross country is first Friday of next term. Debbie Chambers to provide information.

Painters coming to do some painting in Admin building.

Waiting for Arborist to come to school. Could be first few weeks next term. Concerned about a few tree limbs.

Really busy but rewarding Term 1.

ANZAC March leaving from RSL at 10.45am on 25th April. Deb to be there from 10.15am. Full school uniform. Hoping kids to be there from about 10.30am.

Staff Development Day is 28th April and to look at Maths Curriculum and Cultural Tour with staff from St Josephs and CHS.

Students return on Tuesday 29th and ready for another jam packed 9 week term.

Wishing everybody a happy and safe holiday.

**Treasurer Report: See attachment**

General account Feb $11,591. No expenditure

March $12,155.89. Expenditure. Net balance is $8539.39

Canteen $16,000. Net total $11,803.

Income $22,821.00. Expenditure $13,321.65. Net total of $9499.35

Treasurer report moved by Abby. Seconded by Nat.

**General Business:**

Note Tote School Fundraiser.

Lunch Bags from Canteen- where can you get them from. Selling them with other items such as hats as a way to fundraise.

School Fete- is it a possibility and when to do it. Early term 4 or late term 3 is a suggestion. Look at Claim-a-Date Community Calendar.

Mother’s Day items have arrived in which Donna has ordered. Items located in office. Came with a few free items. One of the items is a lovely high fragrance soapy gift pack- to be part of raffle at Cross Country.

Membership to P & C you have to attend meetings to pay for membership and you cannot pay for anyone else - called stacking the meeting.

Thank you for everyone who attended working bee.

Minutes are on the website.

Students representing school in State only events to be reimbursed $100.

Constitution - need to have an extra special meeting and possibly with at least seven days’ notice to all members if meeting to take place. Need to be looked into. Copy of bi-laws cannot be located. Bi-laws to be passed need to be in special meetings. Check with Federation.

Changed meetings to 2nd Thursdays of the month.

Question raised- there is a teacher at the front gate and the west gate, why is there not a teacher on duty on the bottom gate?

2015 the flashing school lights are coming to Molong St and William St.

Garden Club- donation of plants. Someone will need to load it up and take it the school. Will need a bigger trailer than what the school has.

Ability to ask Bunnings in Forbes for Green house to teach students how to raise seeds and grow plants and vegetables. Where to put said green house where students can be supervised easily. Need to look into booking fundraiser BBQ in front of Bunnings.

Cee has done a food industry course. Should she be reimbursed? Course was $250. Motion moved to reimburse Cee for course $250 and $50 fuel by Donna. Seconded Nat. All in favour. Cee abstained because motion is about her.

East raffle - enough prizes for one per class. Will be wrapped up as a fourth prize.

Uniforms too expensive to change for now.

Does anyone know of someone with any trucks or trailers?

Mother’s Day Stall to be held on 8th May. Organise who will help at the start of next term. Suggest no fragrance gifts. Kindergarten to visit stall first similar to last year’s Mother Day Stall.

**Next Meeting: 8th May 2014**

**Meeting Closed: 8.23pm**