



**SOUTH PADBURY PRIMARY SCHOOL
P & C ASSOCIATION (INC.)**

**Minutes of the General Meeting of 20 June 2018
Opened at 7.00pm in the staff room**

| ITEMS | ACTION (NAMES) |
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| 1. Welcome In attendance: Tia Tutti, Verne Jones, Sam Granland, Chantelle Martin, Nic Errington, Amanda Duckworth, Darcie Fricker, Sally Satriani, Leona Liddelow, Sharon Lake, Amanda Burgess, Tracy O'Connell, Tamara Kendall, Kate Palmer, Erin Laurence Apologies: Michelle Overton, Sarah Berry, David Knox, Ange Della Rosa | |
| 2. Confirmation of Minutes of Previous Meeting 2.1. Resolution: That the minutes of the previous General Meeting of South Padbury Primary School P&C Association on 16 th May 2018 be taken as read and confirmed as a true and accurate record. Moved: Second: | |
| 3. Business Arising from Previous Minutes 3.1. None | |
| 4. Correspondence: 4.1. Correspondence In: Westpac statements, General fundraising flyers, WACSSO state council results, WACSSO newsletter, Globe insurance, Mother's Day Gift recall 4.2. Correspondence Out: voting forms for WACSSO State Council election | |
| 5. Treasurer's Report 5.1. Treasurer's report sent out with agenda 5.2. Paid WACSSO invoice | |
| 6. President's Report 6.1. Mother's Day Gift recall | |
| 7. Principal's Report - attached | |
| 8. Catering Report 8.1. Canteen report sent out with agenda | |
| 9. Uniform Committee 9.1. Uniform stock report sent out with agenda 9.2. Gave details of uniform committee meeting including details about faction shirts changing to polo shirts and losing faction names, phasing out of t shirts, changing to just 1 new skort 9.3. Increase request for zip jacket by \$2 9.4. Request order of 30 new black jackets (\$1056) 9.5. Erin Laurence opted out of assisting in shop as she now has work on Thursdays | accepted passed passed |
| 10. WACSSO Report 10.1. Amended 2 nd ticket purchase price for conference in August to \$175.00 to 10.2. Tony Osbourne is now Joondalup West representative | passed |
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| 11. School Board Report 11.1. Aug 15 is next meeting. We are looking for another board member as we had 1 resignation. Need to have police screening clearance before acceptance. | |
| 12. Book Club Report 12.1. We had a Book Fair on Friday June 8 and Monday June 11 and we made approximately \$1900 and we will get a large percentage reward which we will use for more books. | |
| 13. General Business 13.1. Request that up to \$2000 be approved and allocated to buy Father's Day Stall gifts by Chantelle 13.2. Marisha Kemp has asked if the P&C could produce a Local Business Directory, which SPPS parents would be invited to advertise their businesses in. Marisha will set up and get more details 13.3. Mother's Day Stall recall noted – pink and purple heart shaped candles can be exchanged for another gift if wanted. 13.4. New Executive Committee member required as Ciara Hamilton is unable to be there for meetings. Sam Granland has agreed to step in. 13.5. Voted on Edu-dance to confirm that P&C will pay \$10 per child for total of \$3500 13.6. Year 6 Graduation Committee requests \$100.00 deposit required to secure Decadence for the night of the 7th December 13.7. Year 6 Graduation Committee requests \$50.00 buying allowance for supplies for Cake Stall fundraiser 13.8. Year 6 Graduation Committee will put on another Pizza Day in Term 3 date TBA 13.9. Other agenda items for Year 6 Graduation Committee were noted to be under the mantle of SPPS not the P&C | passed agreed confirmed passed passed passed approved |
| 14. Next Meeting The next General Meeting will be held: 8 August 2018 at 7.00pm in the staff room | |
| Meeting Closed: 8:00pm | |

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Principal's Report

20 June 2018

An inclusive learning environment

Over the past 5 and half years we've developed a really highly skilled, flexible, collaborative and adaptive team at South Padbury. The team includes all of our teachers, education assistants and office and administrative staff. In adhering to our Workforce Management Plan we've purposely and very deliberately formed a team with a skills matrix that can meet the needs of all students whether the needs be academic (at both ends of the spectrum), social, physical or emotional. Having this team function so well has meant that we now receive an enormous amount of enrolment requests from out of boundary students who have specific needs that need to be addressed by a multi skilled workforce that we now possess. Having these students join us really does add to the rich fabric of our school and we have been overwhelmingly successful in meeting their unique needs. Having students with special needs adds to the holistic learning experience that is South Padbury and my only wish is that we had more room to accommodate more of these students.

Reports

The reports will be handed out on Friday 29 June 2018. Any parents/caregivers who would prefer the reports in electronic form can arrange this with me prior to the reports being handed out by contacting me at David.Knox@education.wa.edu.au. Learning Area Grade Reports are also available electronically and upon request.

Boys' Play

Since I was a primary school student in the 1970's, society has changed so much and the way in which boys are allowed to play has also changed accordingly. What was acceptable when I was a boy is no longer acceptable and I think that boys do lose out in this area. The challenge is for us to find a balance between boys' need to exert energy and what is acceptable behaviour in the year 2018. I make an effort most days to umpire football matches on the top oval where the boys are allowed to tackle in a fair, hard and safe way. It's just so important for boys to be allowed an outlet, whether it be tackling, wrestling or playing a hard game of contact sport. At home, when you do see your little boys have a wrestle/play fight, I urge you to hold off breaking it up and allow your boy/s the physical outlet they require.

Sport

This week is a massive week for sport at South Padbury. Yesterday we had our intra school cross country and on Friday we will participate in the annual Winter Lightning Carnival. All of our competitors will be putting in a 100% effort and displaying exceptional sportsmanship whether they win, lose or draw.

Leave

Effective as of tomorrow, Friday 22 June 2018 Mr Jones, Mr Barnett and I will be on leave until the end of the term. The school will be in the capable hands of Acting Principal Fran Tye and I know our school will see the term out successfully.

Semester 1 2018

For me, this has been the best semester in our history. Our students are working hard, engaged, learning at full capacity and treating each other with respect. That's all that I ask from our students and they give it to me on a daily basis. Thank you students, staff, parents and care-givers on making the first half of 2018 such an enjoyable and memorable one.

David Knox

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20 June 2018

