WONGAN HILLS DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOL
PARENTS & CITIZENS ASSOCIATION

MINUTES

WHDHS P&C Association

Monday 29th July,2024 - School Library

Present: Karen Box, George Sadler, Peter Whitfield, Melissa Whyte and Fiona Yeats
Apologies: Kristie Frearson, Ebon & Susie Hooper, Lorraine Lobo and Lorrice Richards.

PREVIOUS MINUTES

The Previous Minutes of General Meeting 29/4/24 were accepted.

Business Arising

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CORRESPONDENCE

Incoming

- WACCSO Conference.
- WA Government – Dept of Mines Information Statement – upload of particulars has been completed.
- Letter from Mrs Chris Sadler, Community Shop, offering $1000 annual donation, with recognition.
  Peter will ring Chris to say thankyou and explain how we will acknowledge annual donations in the program at the End of Year Presentation Assembly. Secretary to formaly reply wby mail ith thanks to the committee.

Outgoing -

UNIFORM SHOP REPORT – MEL WHYTE

- Mel said things are going well. She is still waiting on some jackets. Most people have purchased the new stock recently. It was decided that we would offer the brand new, older faction shirts for $10each. Fiona said that stocking both wide brimmed and bucket hats was good.

FINANCIAL REPORT WITH CATERING REPORT – GEORGIE SADLER

- The Treasurer's Report was presented and is attached to these minutes.
- There is currently $35,160 in the bank account.
- Yr 6 camp has currently raised $4253 and countryweek $4880. Kondut Sports Council has made a donation to the school, which will be distributed at the time of putting together the camp budgets.
- General P&C catering has raised around $5800 which is wonderful. Fiona has been so helpful in getting us the small catering roles. The ILN catering raised around $5000 which was brilliant. There aren't any more catering jobs available through the school at the moment.

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT – FIONA YEATS

- Given there are no 'extra' parents and the weather is incredibly wet, we will postpone the Topic of Interest : Elastick, to next meeting.
- Fiona needs to know how many students she will have for next year. Can we please encourage parents to let her know what our plans are if they are going to change.
- Thank you to parents who have assisted with all the school excursions this year. These have been great. There is a cost for bus and fuel that is around $15-$20 per student. Fundraising is important.
- Parent – Teacher interview numbers are low for this Wednesday. The fact that most interviews are during school hours, suggests that it isn't work hours that are decreasing parent uptake.
- For much more detail on report and the below wish list itmes, please see attached document.

GENERAL BUSINESS

- **Kwilena 1 Fundraising:** This class is organising a hotdog and juicebox fundraiser for their school excursion.

- **WACSSO Conference:** Mel reported that WACSSO have got the grant, which means that Mel and Kristie will be able to stay at the Crown. Their registrations are complete and Georgie has paid for one registration (every P&C gets one free registration).

- **School Wish List**:
    - Kindy & P1 – New Furniture ($10,000) and New Resources ($5000).
    - Data Projector (if Shire isn't able to help out) $1000.
    - School Oval – significant top dressing required ($10,000) and school to fund balance.

  We have around $25,000 to use for school projects. If P&C want to fund school oval, that decision needs to be made very soon. Committee to discuss and get back to Fiona.

- **National Simultaneous Storytime:** Karen questioned the need for teenagers to be involved – though reading and drama are very important, she feels that it is a little demeaning for the senior school to attend.

- **Topic of Interest for Next Meeting:** How the school will use Elastik for reporting into the future.

NEXT MEETING DATES

The next meeting will be Monday the 21st October, 2024 in the School Libary, 7pm

The meeting closed at 8.10pm.