

## DENILQUIN HIGH SCHOOL P&C ASSOCIATION

### MINUTES – MONTHLY MEETING 24/7/18

1. **Present-** S Mulligan, G Warren, C Mildren, F Waters, J Crockart, L Barclay, D Van Lieshout, M Kiley, M Rodda, G Jefferies, G McKindlay, L Connell, F Waters, K Barker, Pauling Huntington
2. **Apologies** –A Rodda, S Young
3. **Minutes of Previous Meeting:** Moved S. Mulligan, 2nd C Mildren
4. **Business Arising from Previous Meeting**
  - Abba tribute band unavailable.
5. **Correspondence**
  - IN**
    - Request for exemption from ACNC
    - Invitation for President and Secretary to Deni Teachers Assoc dinner with Gen Secretary of Teachers Fed on 3/8/18
  - OUT**
    - Letter to ERC re exemption from fees Grant application
    - Cheque to Duncan Hughes
6. **Reports:**
  - Treasurer's** – see attached.  
Need further discussion re how to utilise interest from Bob White bequest. Sue to discuss it with Hay High School. Will need to determine whether we spend all or part of proceeds on a yearly basis. Eg attending leadership functions, scholarships etc. To get staff input.
  - Canteen** – see attached. Staff to have alt Mondays off, unless there is a function. Will reduce wages. Will need additional volunteers on Mondays. Didn't get to cater at RFS training day in Aug.
  - Driver Ed** – Meeting tomorrow. This year programme is 3<sup>rd</sup>-7<sup>th</sup> Dec. New magistrate will be involved and talk to kids. ?John Maher to be guest speaker. Committee to approach council re donating signs.
  - **Fundraising.** –
    - Abba tribute band not available.
    - Lisa fundraising suggestion- a dinner on a mock flight, committee are cabin crew on plane, first class, safety routine, land in a country and sing songs, cocktails and tapas served. Subcommittee formed (Christina, Sue, Pauline, Fiona) to meet Mon 30<sup>th</sup>, 4pm, Brontes..
    - Gourmet hamper, looking for donations from families. To go in to newspaper and on fb feed. Lisa distributed tickets to committee members to be sold. To be drawn at Variety night (Term 3, week 3). More donations required. 4 helpers on variety night, Pauline, Sue, Fiona, Julie, Christina.
  - Principal**
    - Robyn Richards DP for next 2 and ½ years. Need new head teacher English.
    - see attached.
    - electronic device policy. NSW Dept implementing same policy. Started today, 20 phones confiscated. Went well but will be difficult.
    - By end of year will have renewed wireless infrastructure.
    - schoolbags fundraiser proposed but will not pursue it.
7. **General Business**
  - Megan (on behalf of Amy) and Grace Jefferies

- Uniform review: survey (on Survey Monkey) designed to ask about which aspect of uniform to change. To be circulated on facebook, website, Variety night. Add in ?gender neutral question, question re extra layer, 2<sup>nd</sup> hand uniform shop. Responses to be compiled after one month. To put link on to programme/ QR code. Amy and Grace to report back.
- Kylie Barker: Open Day went well.
- Matt Kiley presented on wish list item: AV equipment for the MPC. PA has been recently replaced (\$20000), including lectern and mike and amplifier. Can Bluetooth music. Working very well and easier for all staff to use. A video system would complement this and replace ageing equipment. Ideal option for replacement is a dual screen set up (motorised screen) which would leave centre aisle free, and 2 projectors, would all be wireless and would work with any device, ie no cabling. Can be used in conjunction with anything happening on stage. Would be used for all presentations at school and guest speakers eg weekly to fortnightly. Cost \$20-25000. Life of it approx. 15 years. Would be very simple for all; staff to use. Year 12 are going to contribute towards the cost. Lynda moved motion that P&C will support this in principal. Matt will organise final quote. May be able to apply for a grant through ERC. P&C to fundraise towards this.
- Sue and Lynda, on behalf of P&C, to invite local member to view school facilities and show they haven't been upgraded for many years, particularly industrial arts rooms. Science lab and hospitality need replacing. Vocational training/ agriculture/ hospitality. On Council's list. Email straight to Austin Evans,

**8. Next meeting Tues 28<sup>th</sup> Aug 6pm**

**9. Meeting closed 7.30pm.**