



Richmond River High School P&C Committee 2014

President: Tania Harvey (0411 445 442)

Treasurer:

Secretary: Melanie Gates-Manar (0431 452 752)

Vice President: Fiona Lotherington

Vice President: Janet Linsley-Noakes

Agenda Item	Meeting Opened 6:07pm 10 th Nov 2014
Opening and welcome by the Chair	Tania Harvey, Melanie Gates-Manar, Dave Harvey, Michelle Casson, Bev Riley, Peter Howes, John Baker, Kathy Smith, Lena Greene, Janet Linsley-Noakes
Apologies	Fiona Lotherington
	Minutes tabled as read to be true and correct. Moved Tania. Seconded Melanie.
Business arising from the minutes of the previous general meeting	<p>President: Tania - Students who were representing the school recently in a music performance were wearing inappropriate outfits.</p> <p>Peter noted that RRHS doesn't have a formal policy on what students should wear when representing the school at outside events.</p> <p>As this matter was raised towards the end of the meeting, Dave suggested that the P&C confront this issue at a later date. To be carried forward to November meeting.</p> <p>See General Business below...</p>
Correspondence received since the previous general meeting - Inward (as listed) Outward (as listed)	Bank Statements – details under Treasurer's Report...
Business arising from the correspondence	See Bank Statements – details under Treasurer's Report...
Confirmation of executive committee's decisions (if any)	

<p>Treasurer's report and financial statement, and any business arising from these.</p>	<p>Bank statements:</p> <p>Commonwealth Bank – Cheque Acct Bearing Interest: \$12,460.38</p> <p>Commonwealth Bank – Cheque Acct Bearing Interest: \$5,662.42</p> <p>Commonwealth Bank – Term Deposit Renewal Notice: \$13,012.68</p> <p>Westpac – Community Solutions Cheque Acct: \$37,338.84</p>
<p>Subcommittees' reports and financial statements and any business arising from these.</p>	<p>No word from SRC on fundraising progress on socials.</p> <p>No word on Christmas event from Events committee – Rivers could host a combined Christmas event each year in the future</p>
<p>Principals Report</p>	<p>Uniform Policy:</p> <p>Uniform exemptions will expire on the last day of term 4 of each year - conscientious objectors will have to reapply with Principal yearly.</p> <p>Parents views will be respected in the policy – must negotiate what the student will wear to school daily. Failure to do so will be dealt with via usual disciplinary policies.</p> <p>P&C: Take off the “supplied by Lowes” section so that parents are under no pressure to only buy black shorts/skirts from Lowes.</p> <p>Deputy Principal (Peter): What uniform to wear at outside events when students are representing the school? To be negotiated with students and P&C.</p> <p>Rivers Principal (John): Change ‘<i>Failure to meet expectations...</i>’ in the policy. Questioned: “This policy is not intended to create embarrassment” - P&C determines uniform policy at the end of the day.</p> <p>Secretary (Melanie): Uniform provider needs to cater to various shapes in skirts and shorts – one style does not suit all body types.</p>
<p>Motions on notice</p>	<p>Nil</p>

General Business	<p>Deputy Principal</p> <p>Reiterated what was said by Dave and John about school uniform policy</p> <p>Rivers Principal</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Emblem combined with 3 campuses is a work in progress • Performing auditions for Rivers musical – Aladdin • One P&C for Rivers – reps from each school • Combined sports team – reps from each school • Combined excursions - more options to interest students <p>Principal: New positions at RRHS are being filled quickly.</p> <p>Kathy: Any end of year festivities? Are we going to pay to change sign at the front of school that says: “P&C Every Second Wednesday”?</p>
Applications for membership and recording of new members	Nil
Date of next meeting	Monday 8 th Dec 2014 6pm
Close	

Motions from the meeting: