



St John's Lutheran School P&F

General Meeting

16th May 2022

Opened: 6pm

Attendance: Karyn Bjelke-Petersen, Kylie Birch, Sarah Norris, Kym Norris, Kym Jannu, Michelle Black, Shania Craven, Emma Leu-Marshall, Katie Yeates, Angela Fechner, Melissa Draper, Kathy Darcy, Shelley Murphy, Rosanne Ross

Apologies: Kym Jannu, Sara Courtney

Chairman: Carolyn Dingle (President).

Opening Prayer: Carolyn Dingle.

Previous Minutes Accepted:

Moved – Angela Fechner. 2nd – Michelle Black.

Outgoing & Incoming Correspondence:

- CTC Electricity Invoice
- SB Today Invoice
- Fundraising options – by post and email
- SBRC remittance (hall cleaning bond refund)
- Thankyou from School Council for our effects on Bookarama

Treasurer Report:

See attachment.

Bookarama: Sale of Books - \$9929.18

Bond Back - \$567.00

Total Income - \$9929.18

Cost of Hall Hire - \$678.00

Advertising - \$368.00

Profit - \$9251.18

Account Westpac- \$79778.29.

LLL Account - \$1324.39.

Electricity - \$136.89

Term Levies: \$11414.50

Expenses - \$131.31 Electricity for shed

Total Ham drive \$8550.00 and total profit \$1619.16

Moved – Carolyn Dingle. 2nd – Angela Fechner.

Principal Report (Karyn Bjelke-Petersen):

- Thank you to the Committee for their efforts especially for Bookarama.
- Uniform Policy: Updated to parents and staff about changes in the wording to options instead of labelling due to discrimination laws. The actual uniform isn't changing, and the school is giving students options for the different school uniform sets, and these will be notified to parents.
- Justin Coulson Presentation: The school has received a lot of positive feedback. One of the popular comments has been that it was very realistic with strategies that are able to be achievable. Also, one challenging thought for all was that we all plan for events but don't have a plan for our family.
- NAPLAN Testing: Do have time for catch-up due to students with COVID
- Building Program: Darren Schmidt gave a talk about the Expansion for Senior Students, and we were given a snippet (video) of suggestions for the expansion with an insight into the expense of the building. Science labs will be placed in this area. Junior and Senior areas will be separate, and the school is hoping that this will start sometime this year. Communication has been made with neighbours.
- Events this term:
 - Camps (Year 7, 8, 9 and 4)
 - Year 10 Career Week
 - Community Program 'Love Bites' Program (Free)
 - Malinda Tankard Reist: Open Community Event
 - Eisteddfod
 - BP Shield
 - Winter Carnival
 - Super Socks for children in Refugee camps raised around \$1300.00.
 - National Lutheran Principal's Conference
- COVID
 - A lot of schools around the state including students and staff are struggling with the complications of COVID.
 - We have RAT kits that we will be able to hand out to families that have children showing signs.

Moved: Carolyn Dingle. 2nd: Heidi Henderson

General Business:

- Bookarama: Continuing to run keeping it to the first term in March. Will start collecting in October again and advertising about help and volunteers.
- Support for Students in the Wide Bay Sports: Looked over the old policy (2009); consensus was to change the amount from \$75.00 to \$150.00 for sponsorship per selection when representing the school.

Moved: Carolyn Dingle 2nd: Casey

- School Camp: Old policy (2012) \$2500.00 annually has been increased to \$4000.00 to help with rising costs. This will be reviewed in February 2023.

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- Colour Run – New date Term 4 to run as part of a Break-up Event.
- Other Fundraising Ideas
 - Big Screen Night
 - Paint a Cupcake Night
 - Arts Show Case Evening
 - Band Show Case Evening
 - Parent & Teacher verse Students in Sport Games
- Caz is away in Term 3 and Angela Fechner is taking over for this period.
- School Disco: Term 3 looking at the 9th of September. Will continue the online booking with options to still purchase tickets on the night. The canteen will only be for the students and need to be pre-booked. Time to be same 5.30pm to 7.30pm without separating the ages. Possible Fluoro Theme.

Open Business:

- Proposal given by Shelly and Rosie for the Reading Curriculum with the sourcing of more books. To have more levels 1-30 for age groups from Prep to aged 14 years.
- The P & F have acknowledged and moved to donate \$13000.00 to the St John's Lutheran School.

Moved: Carolyn Dingle. 2nd: Angela Fechner
- Need to look at updating the Policy Documents

Next Meeting: 18th July 2022

Meeting Closed at 7.20pm