BBPS P&C Agenda Tuesday 11th September 7pm Apologies

Rox De Luca, Trish Gerondis, Justine Bennett, Jo Hobbs, Kilty O'Gorman

Antendees

Nerida Campbell, Jo Stein, Jemma Dudley-Smith, Antje Hofmann, Helen Kirkup, Lisa Parker, Val Martin, Kylie Biddle, Liezel Preller.

Matters from previous meeting

Basketball/netball court is starting Monday week and will if all goes to plan will be finished by the end of the holidays. Discussion of a formal opening with the Sydney Kings or Swifts organised by the installer.

Stage was discussed at length at recent school council meeting. Liezel has organised a trial and the school will consult with community users. The cost of the stage is a lot more than originally thought and there was discussion around what else the money may be spent on if the stage does not go ahead and also hiring options onsite.

Art room was discussed at the last school council meeting. There is difficulty with space, especially with where to put completed art works (eg drying paint). Maria meeting with interested people about to where to go with the idea now.

Money allocated to the violin group has not yet been spent due to Opera House commitments.

Request put forward to move morning assemblies during winter to the main playground was followed up by Val. Due to Spring weather arriving, now is not the time to change but they will look into it for next Autumn.

No activities were planned for Fathers Day due to volunteers having just spent so much time with trivia night and city2surf. Kilty O'G volunteered to organise a breakfast for term 4. Concerns were raised that more than just eating breakfast should be incorporated, such as classroom visits or something else to engage in. It was decided that it could be linked to the opening of the basketball/netball court and this would be followed up.

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General Business

Toilets and their general condition were discussed. Val will follow up regarding where funding to improve them should come from as it is felt this is perhaps something that department money rather than P&C money should be used for. However, Jemma will follow up possible sponsorship money options from Bunnings or other business to both repaint and improve wash basins.

Farmers Direct has a fundraising option so if families are using this service they can nominate the school P&C as their charity. This should be highlighted to families through the school newsletter.

Whether we are likely to have another Halloween Disco will be followed up by Val with the teachers.

Funding for 2013: no plans currently for big fundraisers. The majority feeling was that the trivia night should remain a biannual event, not annual. As local clubs have obligations to commit funds to the community this may be a potential source for funds that would be linked directly to particular items or projects, in a similar way to how the RSL directly funded music equipment at the school.

The school's 90th birthday is 27 July 2013.

Extending the play equipment is being looked in to and costed by Liezel.

Next meeting Wednesday 17 October 9am in the OSH room.