Vincentia High School

P&C Meeting Minutes

27 October 2011

Present: Jenny Durante, Melinda Creamer, Steve Glenday, Peter Dooley, Annette Bevan, Karma Fiez

Apologies: Tobi Craig, Sonja Hammond, Kerrie Hamilton, Karen Cunningham, Sandra Coyte, Michelle Marland

Meeting Opened: 7.40 pm

Previous Minutes: Accepted – Peter Dooley 1st, Annette Bevan 2nd

Business Arising:

- Car Boot Sale – unfortunately the weather caused the day to finish earlier. 40 stalls and lots of breakfast items
- Crossfit – Letter sent to Jamelie Elderfield advising of funding from P&C
- School fence – letter to be sent next week to Shelley Handcock. Decided not to commence a petition from local shopkeepers

Correspondence:

Sent

- Shelley Hancock, Crossfit, email to Bruce Kenny

Received

- Joanna Gash – congratulations for Volunteer Grants Program
- Superannuation – Maureen Roach (passed to Tobi)
- Email from Michelle Marland

Treasurer Report: C/O Annette B (as attached) accepted Jenny Durante 1st, Melinda Creamer 2nd

Canteen Report: C/O Annette B (as attached) accepted Peter Dooley 1st, Jenny Durante 2nd

Principal’s Report:

- Mr Voysey retiring at the end of this year, Head Teacher English Leaving, Julie Irvine Head Teacher Senior Leaving, Ms Grasso retiring, Mr Worthy leaving next year, Ms Hackett leaving
- New Deputy Head Position – Special Education/ STLA/ Learning Support/ ATSI
- All these staff changes will result in significant structural changes in 2012
- HSC more than ½ finished
- Yr 10 – some students not applying themselves to their work
- Launch of “Invest” program for Yr 11 students 2012 – 3 days school, 1 day work, 1 day outside education (scubadiving, rock climbing, orienteering, kayaking, First Aid, white card etc). 50 business have signed up for the program eg. Building/ bakers etc. May extend this program for Yr 9 & 10 students in the future
• Triathalon and Debating linkages Day with feeder primary schools very successful

• Submissions have gone to DET re: upgrading of the toilet blocks and hall floor

• Nowra Gaol Program – will repaint the school during January holidays

• 2012 – may drop below 1200 student number

• Shelley Hancock visited the school to discuss issues – Stockland development, fence, security etc

• 3rd COLA will hopefully begin during January holidays

**General Business:**

**Peter Dooley** – will send thankyou card to ‘The Tree Man’ for their work

**Steve Glenday** – Yr 11 Parent/Teacher night next Wed

**Meeting closed:** 8.30 pm

**Next meeting:** 24 November 2011