
MINUTES
OF THE GENERAL MEETING
P&F IONA COLLEGE

6 August 2018

1. OPENING PRAYER

Nadine Moore opened the meeting at 7.03pm with a prayer. Damian Courtney advised due to Father Lewy's surgery today, Father Michael is visiting him in hospital. Damian briefed attendees on the creation of new Principal role of Iona College.

2. ATTENDANCE AND APOLOGIES

Attendance – refer attendance sheet

Apologies – Father Michael Twigg

3. MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING

The minutes of April and June's meeting were circulated.

Moved: Anne Stone **Seconded:** Andrew Leis

4. CORRESPONDENCE

The following correspondence was received since the last meeting –

- Commonwealth Bank Statements
- Cheque from Iona College for \$817.61 for Iona on the Green Takings
- Catholic Education Week Dinner Invitation
- Fundraising from Cadbury, Fathers Day Catalogue, Australian Fundraising

5. TREASURER'S REPORT

See attached report.

Current balance of P&F Fundraising Account is \$8,550.41.

Moved: Anne Stone **Seconded:** Andrew Leis

6. MUSIC SUPPORTERS COMMITTEE REPORT

Andrew Leis advised the Qld Catholic Schools Music Festival is being held between 16 and 19 August. Iona Percussion Ensemble came 3rd in the Australian Percussion Eisteddford last weekend.

7. DRAMA REPORT

Rachel Dunstan confirmed they were meeting this Thursday evening. The next event is Theatresports where they will be selling raffle tickets. David Cockburn would like to thank the production supporters group for their help.

8. P&F FEDERATION REPORT

Lara and Rachel attended the State Conference in Townsville where parent engagement was discussed. Rachel advised that there is a shift from parent engagement to family engagement so that students, families and Iona work together with a more direct link on learning as opposed to fundraising, and any fundraising that occurs is linked to students learning. If anyone has ideas where they could see this work, please discuss with Lara and Rachel. Anyone wanting to learning more about parent engagement can do so through the Aracy Website, which Nadine will share on Facebook.

9. GENERAL BUSINESS

Prosper and Wellbeing / Positive Education / Visible Wellbeing Program

Mark Harvey outlined the student wellbeing support framework.

Braydon Teece outlined his role as Head of Primary Years and how Cluckingham Palace gave students the ability to show their leadership skills. This year teachers are integrating Prosper when teaching.

Rebecca Sullivan and Kevin O'Brien's role is to transition year 7 boys into high school. This year, year 13 boys assisted in this area where they focussed on students strengths and values. They also ensure that boys don't get absorbed into the secondary part of the school so that if issues need to be addressed from a year group perspective they can.

Nathan Hill gave an overview of Head of House where they focus on 3 things ie relationships, striving to be the best and getting actively involved in College life.

Liam Nugent and Peter Holmes' role is to assist boys who need frequent management and help in line with the Prosper Program.

Mark outlined the benefits of the Visible Wellbeing Program implemented by Dr Lea Waters.

Lads and Dads Breakfast

It was decided to resort to the event being 1 function, as opposed to 2, given only 50 missed out last year and we can only get 1 guest speaker. College liaising with Petero Civoniceva as Guest Speaker. Damien to promote men selling raffle tickets in the newsletter.

Race Day

Damian Courtney advised the Old Boys met last week and was hopeful of attending tonight's meeting to discuss the Race Day. It was suggested that this become a joint venture between the Old Boys and the P&F to make it more of a fundraising event. Discussions with BRC to confirm dates and packages need to be organised. Darren to be invited to the September meeting to discuss, with Nadine discussing with Darren and BRC prior to the meeting.

10. NEXT MEETING 3 September, 2018

11. MEETING CLOSED at 9.16pm