

## **Minutes of MAGS Parent's and Friends' Association Meeting**

**18 Feb 2025, 6pm – 7.50pm**

### **Attendees:**

Sally Murray, Lyndal Cook, Yvette Lloyd, Helen Smith, Terri-lee Amatto, Jess Broughm, Jodie Nott  
Alison Mitchell, Jo Rankmore

### **Use of P&F funds to support the school**

- Purchase of a tech laser engraver using P&F funds was approved in October 2024 for \$13,500. An extractor fan and instillation costs are additional and will be covered by the school.

ACTION - Jo to send invoice for laser engraver to Yvette for reimbursement

- School advised that the cook book will not be progressing
- Junior School garden is still a priority will be progressed by Keera Job this term
- P&F still interested in funding a boarding school project in the future

Request from School via Alison Mitchell for P&F to buy school branded shade marquee with the new logo. Two are needed.

- Cost estimated 3 x 3m = \$3,500
- Marquees are currently branded with old logo and have bent poles that can't be re-skinned
- Would be used at all sporting events, swimming, athletics carnival
- Student registration day, grandparents day etc.
- Used at local shows to promote the school
- Agreed by all members that the P&F will purchase one marquee and school to purchase a second

ACTION – Alison to provide quote to P&F for confirmation

### **Easter Raffle**

- Approval to use online Raffle Link system this year
- Agreement to extend raffle to whole of school (not just Jr)
- Sponsorship from Orana Dance (First Prize) Western Contracting (second prize) and IK Sews (one mini-prize)
- Easter Raffle to be drawn at Grandparent's Day, 4 April

### **Grandparents Day**

- Approval given by committee to purchase new urn for Grandparents Day as the current one is broken
- Sally to support the event again this year

### **Parent's Night Out**

- To be held Friday 28 March
- Opportunity for school to launch strategic plan at event
- Suggestion to use Outback Cafe as they have supported other school events and provide a nice venue with food and drinks
- Tickets to be subsidised by the P&F and the school to support more parent's attending – ticket pricing may be \$20-25 pp for drinks and canapes

ACTION – Alison to contact Outback Café to check availability and cost

### **Clothing Pool Update**

- Shop day on 31 Jan was a success with takings of \$1235
- Lyndal has sourced hangers, racks and pricing gun from Millers clothing to professionally fit-out the new shop
- Stock is still low
- Friday 2 May is next clothing pool day
- Committee approved the P&F to purchase 2xClothing bins from Men's Shed
- School will allow one donation bin near P2 and one near Alinta store

### **Treasurers Report**

- \$39,465 at bank
- One clothing pool day was the only revenue since last report
- School has approved financial report for 2023/24
- Difficulty submitting report with ACNC due to access to registered email address
- Advice given on how this can be resolved so the report can be submitted

### **Further ideas for P&F events**

- Stay and play afternoon at school. Could hire a snow cone machine, popcorn machine and have games
- Welcome picnic event at the school in term 1

Next meeting Tuesday 13 May 2025

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