Kiama High School P&C Meeting June 11th 2013

Apologies: Donna Flanagan, Matthew Swain, Jane Warren

Chairperson: Jane Littrich

Confirmation of Minutes from previous meeting

Moved: Deb Cass 2nd Rowena Stewardson

Business arising from minutes.

- Feedback on uniform; Girls shirt agreed upon, boys shirt was not liked, Girls skirt was 50-50 and the boys shorts received a 50-50 vote as well.
- P&C recommended to bring the girls skirt and shirt, while also keeping the polo shirt. The boys shirt would not be bought in. The sports shirt change would go ahead.
- The uniform committee would be re-established, consisting of Gerard, Deb, Steve Hudson and Jane Warren. Meeting where this will all be discussed will be on Friday
- Concerns were voiced regarding the button up shirt on the girls, and how many buttons would be used.
- Feedback regarding the hiring of blazers was requested

Correspondence In:

- Several requests for funds

Correspondence Out:

- Nil

Treasurer’s Report: Matthew Swain

- Nil

Canteen Report: Janelle Simms

- Nil

Principal’s report. Gerard Kelly

- Some correspondence to Gerard regarding Public Parent of the Year Award Due Friday
- Funding requests
  - P&C gave approval in principal, however, with the absence of Matthew and no clear guidelines on what are suitable amounts. Approval given for Matthew to do this before the next P&C if appropriate
Concerns raised regarding the request for bus money for 12 girls, $3400 seemed a lot for that number of students, comparisons drawn with the band
Concerns raised with regards to approx $5,000 for a shed, seemed a lot, asked for another quote

- Furniture donated by the P&C for L Block is being well utilised
- Various activities to celebrate Reconciliation Week went well
- 2014 School Captains speeches made, results are pending
- Metals and Engineering Skills course in danger of being discontinued due to increased requirements by the governing body. Meetings have been arranged to clarify the situation

General Business

- Choice of long sleeves for uniform, to be raised at Friday’s uniform meeting
- Year 11-12 parking vs. teachers parking, clarification of who parks where, and reminders to be given
- Further discussion about the drop off in front of the school, may be solved with the new work being done on the corner in front of Addo’s, they may continue the redevelopment up Saddleback Road
- Currently a development application in for Shoalhaven St, for 3 storey 51 flat building.
- Please follow up the bus, or lack of, to Kiama Heights on a Monday afternoon
- Recap / remind everyone the difference between PBS tickets and faculty merits

Meeting closed, next meeting Term 3 Week 2, July 23rd.