

# Anzac Park Public School P&C Meeting 10 February 2021, at 7pm Meeting Minutes

Meeting opened: Troy Robinson opened the APPS Parents and Citizens (P&C) meeting at 7:03pm on Tuesday 9 February 2021

in the Staff Room and Zoom.

In attendance: On Site: Unity Taylor-Hill; Sarah Robinson, Troy Robinson, Kirsty Cranfield,; Kathryn Allen; Ben Hoch; Ryan

Lawson; Leticia; Di Manoughian.

Via Video Conference (captured via Trybooking): Kevin Liu; Anne Shimada; Nicole Hailstone; Andrea Lam; Manali Awatade; Dave Newton; Troy Robinson; Debjani Roy; Neetika Arora; Patrick Quinn; Eleni Pappas; Alex Wilson; Elissa Auzins; Nitin Verma; Jane Playford; Sajid Shaikh; Sandhya Kottooli; Leah Allen; Ian Hindley; Ben Hoch; Julia Nelson; Mehrnoosh Zadeh; Carolina Arias; Smita Tanni; Emily Chiu; Loic Golliard; Nicole Stewart; Joan Mpofu; Sarah Newton; Ben Brien; Jason Tublewicz; Philip Heath; Mehnaaz Ahmed; Aletia Deane; Vicki Green; Monika Sabharwal; Bronwyn Lorenc; Reshma Darge; artiom molchanov; Hemant Tiwari; Wesam Elnemr; Yuko Ikeda; Namrata Kulkarni; Jessica Beach; Jenny Wong; Courtney Statos; Rhea Runo; Carmen Tate; Michelle Mascorella; Yoko Shiroyama; Shun Takahashi; Kaila Acevedo; Jessica Lim; Susy Hamori; Gencer Koc; Sophie Ung; Shan Sharma; Liz Torokfalvy; Pete Herauf; Fiona Dunne Law; Priyanka Yedaty; Belinda Mison; Salinee Sunanta; Mariann Donnelly; Cathy Chase; Rucchi Bhandari; Joanna Zanello; Kristie Millgate; Tsvetana Dargov; Lyubomir Trifonov; Neenu Jose; Stirling Milward; Brenden van Blerk; Manusha Samaraweera; Abirami Prasanna; Susheela Tamang; Chiao Huang; Zoe Drenova; Lena Jones; Phannaporn Tiamaithai; Matthew Short; Maria Laura Wigdorovitz; Erkhembileg Tsogtgerel; OZGUR VARLIK;

andy shapley; Samuel Humbert; Winnie Law; Priyanka Yedaty

**Apologies**: Rhys Williams

Minutes from: Lee Auzin accepted the minutes from Tuesday 10 November

Correspondence In/Out None.

### President's Report:

(Sarah Robinson)

- Great turn out for the P&C
- Hybrid onsite and zoom for P and C
- Background on the P and C awesome bunch of parents educational and sporting programs
- Working on ideas for this year so please feel free to share ideas: Love parent's ideas on how we can
  improve the school.
- Voluntary contribution –term 2 invoice
- Get involved: e.g. Kiss and Drop (green form); Class Parent
- Term 1 usually pretty busy so encourage people to work within their class groups.
- AGM Tues 9<sup>th</sup> March 2 vacant Class Parent; Vice President: to vote 2 need to be onsite and gold coin donations. Plus parent contribution and spend on wish list.
- Google class lists please complete
- Extra c activities will be sent soon.
- Crossing supervisor still in recruitment
- Traffic please be really careful around the school.
- Huge thanks to the school team especially the Admin staff have done an awesome job to help everyone with smooth transition

# Principal's Report:

(Mrs Unity Taylor-Hill)

- Welcome particularly new families great to have hybrid P and C and so many people attending.
- Covid plans
  - Department saying less than 30 people. Keen to start looking at other ways to get kids on school grounds.
  - Well done to Kindy parents who have helped keep in the guidelines.

- Team are looking to have more events such as excursions e.g. Stage 3 to Canberra in March
- Kept up with Hygiene on entering and during class rooms, plus cleaners on high touch surfaces
- School needs to provide any child unable to come to school home schooling support plus plans in case we need to move to learning from home.

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- **Enrolment audit** 805 children for 2021. Really exciting as allows school to have additional support e.g. Admin support. 32 mainstream and 2 support classes.
- Staffing exciting to welcome new teachers including full time librarian. Unfortunately Nathan Hedger (General Assistant) will be leaving for a promotion will be working to replace.
- 2021 new school planning cycle 4 year plan includes external validation plus surveys from parents. Doing data deep dive to evaluate what is going well and improvements. 3 areas for strategic direction - Foundations; Synergy and Belonging.
- Parent Teacher evening over next few days. Will be sharing the PDF were multiple kids on the
- TeamKids great to see TeamKids and received excellent feedback from parents. Weekly meeting
  with Unity including the Snr team in TeamKids. Open to providing any issues. Kathryn OOSH P and C
  rep. Please provide feedback via Kathryn through <a href="mailto:AnzacParkpandC@gmail.com">AnzacParkpandC@gmail.com</a>. Particularly pleased
  with staffing support.

#### **Treasurers Report:**

(Diane Manoughian/ Troy Robinson)

#### • CBA: \$118,137.66 (08/02/2021)

- Financial year 2020 will be discussed at the AGM in March including future APPS P&C spending plans. This will encompass new as well as existing expenditure ideas, budgeting for school equipment/infrastructure replacement and additions.
- Voluntary P&C contributions were greater than previously reported due to additional funds received.
   \$51.8K in total for 2020.
- December second hand uniform raised just under \$2.7K raised. New Square POS used to enable card payments, thank you to Lee Auzins for initiating and organising.
- An additional \$450 raised by the sales of swimming carnival goods. Thank you to Fiona Dunne for the donations and for coordinating the sale.

#### **Income YTD**

APPS families contributions: \$51.8K

Event income: \$1.7K (Welcome BBQ 2020 \$1.7K)

Second hand uniform sales: \$8K

Envirobank collections: \$831 to date (latest collection amount still tba)

Entertainment book: \$832 Playground grant: \$20K

**Expenses YTD** 

Playground equipment: \$173.5K in total. Event expenses: \$1.2K (Welcome BBQ 2020)

Donation APPS \$1,500 for teacher and staff thank you lunches

School Year 6 disco: \$240 Subscriptions: \$891 (Konnective, Xero, Zoom) Insurance: \$575 (increase due to number of pupils in school being greater)

#### **General Matters:**

#### Tunnels Update - (Rhys Williams).

- Please see attached document
- TNSW has requested meeting with Unity and will provide feedback

# Parent feedback Stationery communication timing - Kirsty Cranfield

• Happy to take on board and look to communicate earlier

# Portuguese lessons onsite at APPS - Evelyn de Moraes

- ABCD extra curriculum Community Language need to take kids to North Dem
- # Children plus other schools will Speak to the office

#### Pedestrian crossings around APPS - Miller St gate access - Anastasia Naryzhnaya

• Would be good to get onto North Sydney Council Traffic Committee. Liz will continue to work with Council on the speed signs and other. Liz to put note on social media for - send to P and C.

#### Welcoming committee for K 2022 - Ben Hoch

• Year K - meet and greet work with P and C

# BYOD policy - school to purchase devices - Ben Hoch

- Not happy to give to Year 3 in other schools the school provides the devices.
- How do we support home device uses. Look at this as part of Belonging strategic pillar.
- Resources Dr Kirsty Goodwin supporting behaviour for kids and screen time.
- BYOD popular program Unity to come back with more information. Challenging to provide updated devices for the school. Feel that there are some issues with BYOD. School also has options for lease and to provide those families who can't afford. Feel the 1:1 device to do more programs.

Contact to the P&C at <a href="mailto:anzacparkpandc@gmail.com">anzacparkpandc@gmail.com</a> or via the Konnective App

Meeting Closed at 7.36pm

Next Meeting - AGM Tuesday 10 March 2021, 7pm

Next Meeting carry over:

#### The length of crossing times for – (Rhys Williams).

• Miller & Ernest St lights; Miller St Freeway off ramp (near Rosalind St) lights