

Papakura Principals' Association

Minutes of General Meeting

Papakura High School – 1.30pm, Wednesday 05 April 2017

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Present:

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First Name	Surname	School
Jan	Robertson	Conifer Grove
Gus	Klein	Cosgrove
Clive	Morris	Drury
Kataraina	Nock	Edmund Hillary
Jane	Danielson	Hingaia Peninsula
Bec	KauKau	Papakura Intermediate
Sean	Valvoi	Opaheke
Rajit	Singh	Rosehill
Sue	Blakely	Rosehill College
Carolyn	Shapcott	Strathallan
Kevin	Bush	Te Hihi
Peta	Lindstrom	Holy Trinity Catholic
Sarah	Hynds	Karaka

Gideon Rihari and Alex Tarrant from ***The Rising Foundation***.

Talked to the group about The Rising Foundation. For students about to transition to high school and have potential but may need that bit of extra support. Currently runs at Rosehill College and Papakura High School.

Apologies: Charlotte Castle, David Tennent, Brigid Peterson, Judy Morgan, Kataraina Nock, George Ihimaera, Keith Tetzlaff, Maria Owers, Matt Williams, Kevin Bush, Tommy Robertson, Judy Morgan, Matt Williams

Motion: That apologies be accepted.

Sean/Jane

Minutes from Previous Meeting

14 Feb 2017

Motion: That the minutes of the meeting held on 14 February, 2016 be approved as a true and correct record.

Sarah/Gus Carried

Finance Nil

Reports for Tabling ‘As Read’:

RTLB – CAG –Gus - Tabled on OneNote

NZPF Moot Report – Jane and Sean - Tabled on OneNote

General Business

Health and Safety-

Regarding the safety reflection (placed in OneNote under correspondence) from a staff member from Te Hihi regarding the Year 6 and 6 Summer Sports at Ray Small Park and the public Toilets there.

Discussion:

Make sure that we have enough supervision to ensure that children are kept safe

Make sure that the situation is made clear at the beginning of the event

Ensure it is on the RAMS forms.

It is possible Maori Wardens could be asked to help with supervision.

Labour Party Visit

Everyone received the email regarding this event on 26 April

Email: ‘Andrew Little will be visiting Papakura on Weds 26th April and we will be hosting a meeting for interested school principals who may be interested to hear/meet him along with Chris Hipkins the Labour Education spokesperson. . I will be able to confirm the time shortly but as I’m guessing a lot of principals will be back at work then, there may be a number keen to attend. I’m pretty sure it will be in the afternoon. Can you please circulate that info in the interim.’. (John)

Official Opening of Holy Trinity School: Friday 9 June @10.30. All welcome.

Judy and Tommy

We have some gifts to give to them. A few will take to Papakura Normal after this meeting and then Tommy’s will be given at the Powhiri at Kelvin Road.

The Renaming Ceremony and Haka Launch at Papakura Intermediate School

A big thanks to Becs and co for organising this event, particularly the haka.

Becs explained that the purpose is for all school to have a haka – as a group and individually – 16 of the 22 schools in our cluster now have a haka. Opens it up to all hapu (all 7 in our area). How we launch it to all our schools. It would end up being a 15-minute continuous haka.

Something unique to all Papakura area schools.

We have lots of occasions together when this can be done as a group but can also be done as a school on various occasions.

Sarah – Is there an opportunity to learn more about the local area and Tangata Whenua? Maybe we could have something arranged for the conference.

Proud Papakura Proud – Business Association – Tikanga Talks – a forum to hear and learn more about our local area.

Bec – Can we break the world record and gain it back from France?

Possible venue - Bruce Pullman and possibly get sponsorship or a grant to cover the cost of buses. Gain media coverage for positive image story for Papakura.

Bec will decide on a date. Maybe Matariki


Teacher Only Day

Part of the NZEI Collective Contract: 1 Day available that you don’t have to pay back.

Next Meeting – 17 May 2017 Papakura High 1.30pm

Verified as True and Correct

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