

Papakura Principals' Association

Minutes of General Meeting

Papakura High School – 1.30pm, Wednesday 25 October 2017

Gold Sponsor: Furnware

Present:

Brigid	Peterson	Ardmore
Raj	Dullabh	Conifer Grove
Clive	Morris	Drury
Jane	Danielson	Hingaia Peninsula
Heather	Tanner	Kelvin Road
George	Ihimaera	Kereru Park
Bec	KauKau	Papakura Intermediate
Sean	Valvoi	Opaheke
Keith	Tetzlaff	Papakura Central
John	Rohs	Papakura High
Charlotte	Castle	Red Hill
Sue	Blakely	Rosehill College
Maria	Owers	Rosehill Intermediate
David	Tennent	St Mary's Catholic
Matthew	Williams	Kauri Flats
Peta	Lindstrom	Holy Trinity Catholic

Welcome: Leigh Tasker from Furnware NZ Sales Director (taken over from Brenda) In the process of appointing a new accounts manager. Use Brenda's email. Close off date 7 Dec for beginning of year furniture.

Apologies:

Kataraina Nock, Sarah Hynds, Derek Lington, Michelle Hayward, Julie, Kevin,

Minutes from Previous Meeting **13 September 2017**

Motion: That the minutes of the meeting held on 13 September, 2017 be approved as a true and correct record.

Matters Arising

Correspondence

Outwards –

Inwards -

Murray Wratt – Letter of Thanks for the Magnolia tree given on behalf of the PPA.

Reports for Tabling 'As Read':

- Finance Nil.
Matters: Subs May need to go up next year – possibly by \$50.
You will need to budget \$600 minimum for the conference next year.
The Exec will look at the tier structure and subs in Feb. A taonga of \$500 will be purchased for the rangitahi.

APPA Report

- Restraint and Seclusion issues raised re training and MoE ability to support re forms and training.
- PLD needs to sit within national priorities and be around student achievement
- VBS and ABTP - need to wait until we know who is in government to know what is happening
- Ed Personnel - they are able to help most schools who approach them and are MoE 'funded' if certain protocols are complied with - be wary of costs to schools if permanent
- Lots being done between APPA and ASPA with MoE re staffing crisis - more information coming soon. A timeline and actions from MoE has been requested. Any difficulties re staffing or overseas teachers gaining the requirements to teach in NZ please email APPA with info
- Any stories re staffing crisis please share with APPA
- WAG to be formed - Speech Comp (Helen Varney), Principal Hauora and Student Mental Health, Special Education

General Business:

- Dates for 2018 - see calendar and doc
- Sports: Swimming – cost now \$100ph instead of \$400ph. Or if you leave 2 lanes free then there is no cost. Just book for the time you are physically in the water.
If all schools did 2 sports then there would be more equity.
Sports meetings Year 5/6 30 Nov, Year 7/8 29 Nov. Hingaia will take the Yr5/6 meeting but may need to be 28th Nov.
- Maori Language week 2018 – Lets do our Haka at the start of Maori Language Week – on the Friday 7th (if this is the Friday before). TBA when the dates for Maori Language Week are set for next year.
- MindLab – Papakura Intermediate are considering hosting this next year. Let Bec know if you have teachers interested in doing this.
- Sean to email Gus around PTC – whether he will would be willing to do this next year.
- Committees - music, conference, hauora etc – Are we having a music festival? Or could we combine more of the Choir festival into Rangitahi? Rangitahi next year 2 Nov 2017
- Venue for meetings next year – upstairs with blacksmith was suggested as this could be booked.
- 2018 subs to be confirmed (see finance above)

- PPA End of Year Lunch Friday 1 December John Hill
- David thanked PPA for their support.
- George informed us that he will be on study leave next year
- Peta – extending to Year 7 and 8 next year

Meeting Closed 2.30pm

Next Meeting – 15 November 2017. (Optional - Pizza Box from 12.30pm)
Papakura High 1.30pm – Wifi – phsguest Guest 2016.

Verified as True and Correct

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