

Bob Hawke College Parents & Citizens Association Inc.



220608 - BHC P&C - General Meeting

2022 Term 2 - week 7

Meet in the Library for in-person meeting.

When 08 Jun 2022 at 2:15 AM

Location: Bob Hawke College, Roberts Rd, Subiaco WA 6008, Australia

Chairperson Wayne Dropulich

Minute taker Paul Devine

Present John Burke , Ceridwen Clocherty , Paul Devine , Wayne Dropulich , Kirstin McGregor , Joli Mendez , Zac Morrow , Bruce Philips , Anthony Raykos , Fisto Satiato , Yolanda Sun

Apologies Paul D'Angelo , Nicholas Dufty , Malcolm Harrison , Amanda Jones

Minutes

1. Social Chat and General Q&A

2. Introductory Remarks

Before we begin, we would like to acknowledge the traditional custodians of the land we are meeting on, the Whadjuk people. We acknowledge and respect their continuing culture and the contribution they make to the life of this city and this region.

Welcome to all the parents and new members.

We declare that there are sufficient financial members present to constitute a quorum for a General Meeting. We declare the General Meeting open at 6:32.

3. Acceptance of Previous Minutes

meeting minutes were raised and Wayne looked for a second. Paul Devine was the second and the minutes were accepted

Decision

Motion to accept meeting minutes from May General Meeting. Seconded by Paul Devine. Passed.

4. Correspondence - In and Out

Nothing

5. P&C Presidents Report

No report tabled

6. School Board Report

Wayne read Tahnee's report.

Uniform changes have been amended. John Burke bought a new uniform to the meeting. Spoke about the new pants that are track suit pants. Fleecy lined to near the bottom of the leg to allow the feet to slip in and out without having to take shoes off. on and off. Question from the floor - is it part of the sport uniform only? Answer: No it will be part of the sports uniform. It will be part of the regular day uniform.

Board attended meeting with Minister Ellery. School safety and Vapping were brought up in that meeting.

Next College board meeting to be Wednesday August 3 in the Board Room

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7. Treasurer's Report

Anthony advised updated report was sent . Bank account moved \$30. \$73,237 currently in the account. New bank signatories are now completed.

Solmaz - Motion tabled for new parents morning tea funding from finance which will be held in term three week four. (\$100) . Time of day to be set. Morning was suggested however the fact that people work was raised.

Solmaz put the motion to the meeting

Seconded by Wayne

Show of hands. Motioned passed unanimously.

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8. Principals Report

Summary of report- Report attached. Items in principals report. Back two pages were copied from last report

Gearing for heads of learning meetings.

All staff have been given tasks to be in front of interviews when they take place.

One Home economics

Two English teachers will take long service leave in term 4

Retreat in term 4 will induct new staff and bring them on board.

30 new staff to be inducted.

Covid is declining however has impacted teachers and students alike. At one stage over 20 teachers were away. Relief teachers have allowed for most classes. 90% school attendance by students over the last two weeks.

Because of this there will be changes- Wont be a crew report written on each students because of the staff shortages and work load. Crew discussions will be general discussion with parents.

If there is specific questions parents should reach out to the specific teacher for answers.

Mandatory vax finishes this Friday.

Parent/Crew Teacher meetings will be held Wednesday, June 29 in the afternoon after 1pm to allow parents who work to participate. The college day will shift to 1-6pm and students will not be at school except if special circumstances.

Next week there are two parent information meetings for year nine parents regarding camp. Each house in year 9 will be taken out over two nights three day. They will do various activities over the three day and walk from camp to camp each day.

Aim is for students to move from early adolescence to adulthood.

Camp will be week 7-8 of term three

Question was - are the meetings just about the camp. Answer- No, also about student challenges.

John Burke asked a budget question. This year performing arts will use the Heath Ledger Performing Arts Centre. Cost is about \$20,000

Consideration to be given to funding bike stations and also the lockers. Want to replace existing lockers out and extend depth of lockers so kids can reduce the weight of their bags. Bag weight has been raised as a problem.

Lockers will be hot lockers so kids will not have a dedicated locker. Quotes to do this was between \$17k-\$23k

Electives for year 9 year ten subjects have just been tabled at meeting . See report and copy of electives attached. Published by week two of term three out to Parents.

Trip to east Kimberley for indigenous learning students next year.

Italian may be able to take trip to Italy.

There may be course costs for some courses , which will be published as they become available. Travel will be associated with a number of the electives.

Comment on recruitment- Teachers are making an effort about inclusion of all students. Fantastic effort. Makes a difference for students and parents

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9. Sub-Committee Reports - highlights only

9.1. Events - Events Lead

No report. No meeting took place as Covid intervened with members. Meeting will be held next week instead.

9.2. Social Media

Welcomed 20 new members to social media. 800 odd members now on social media

Question - Can Facebook links be published in newsletter. Answer YES. Newsletter goes out every fortnight.

 [2022.06.06_BHC_P_C_Social_Media_Report.docx](#)

9.3. Music

Report attached. Question for John. Music students don't have a performing uniform. Is there any update on approval of the design. Answer- Harvey will come back with samples this week.

Usually have two concerts per year. This first concert will be in Churchlands senior high school. Concert will start at 7.15pm. Looking to do a fund raiser to pay for instruments.

Adults tickets will be \$15 and children \$7. All funds go to instruments and music activities.

First Music Concert dates 23rd of June. May be Perth Mod for semester two concert. Next meeting Monday 1st of August.

 [MP_Collective_Report_June_2022.pdf](#)

9.4. Inclusion

Report attached- One sub committee meeting held. There was a meeting statement- Inclusion calendar to be published after it is approved by executive.

P&C events and comms to encourage participation in P&C events.

Discussion point- (Fiona) Good feedback from free dress day. However some children didn't attend school because it was overwhelming. Some pressure on children with disabilities. There was some worry by parents that some of their children might be bullied because of their dress. Zac put forward that call it a school sports day and or free dress. (John) there has been a push for more free dress days. Not a lot of support for that.

Free dress raised over \$6000 for Telethon.

John said that there was good feedback and welcomed by students in general. At assemblies information was disseminated that dress needed to be no midriff tops etc. and on the whole this was observed

Approximately 10% of students wore school uniform.

9.5. Fathering Project

No report

10. Business Arising and General Business

First item- Discussion on one general meeting per term and one executive meeting per term rather than two general meetings per term. Two general meetings perhaps not required.

Motion - structure meetings first term general meeting week two, the second meeting will be annual general meeting on week 7. There after each term one general meeting week seven and executive meeting only on week two.

Proposed by Wayne. Seconded by Anthony. Show of hands was unanimous.

Other

Decision

10.1. Motion to switch to 1 meeting per term

Decision

Motion - change to P&C meeting schedule. In Term 1 there will be a regular general meeting in week 2. The annual general meeting (AGM) will then be in week 7 of Term 1. Thereafter each term one general meeting will be held in week seven and executive meeting only in week two. Seconded by Anthony. Passed.

10.2. Calendar for 2022

11. Next Meeting - Term 3, Week 2, Wednesday, July 20th

Mtg closed 7.58PM

End of minutes.

Summary of matters arising are tabled on the following page.

Minutes of 220608 - BHC P&C - General Meeting on 08 Jun 2022

Summary of Matters Arising

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Summary of Attachments

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7.	Bob_Hawke_PC_-_Treasurers_Report_4_June_2022.pdf
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8.	Principal_Update_8_June_2022.pdf
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