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	Minutes of meeting Tuesday 17th October 2023
1.	Acknowledgement of Country – Michelle Pullen
2.	<p>Meeting attendees: Janine Marcus, Michelle Pullen, Heather Selwyn, Wandy Hochgrebe, Jan Bouwer, Jane Stanton- Gillan, Bronwyn Watt, Peter Silberberg, Amanda Keller, Seamus McCartney</p> <p>Apologies: Viv Fantin, Moz Flesser, Lisa Wentworth</p>
3.	<p>SRC update- No rep from SRC present tonight</p> <p>Michelle P attended the Yr. 12 grad ceremony and said the outgoing and incoming captains/vice captains were very impressive and gave beautiful speeches</p>
4.	<p>Previous minutes</p> <p>Minutes passed by Jane S-G</p> <p>Seconded- Michelle P</p> <p>Note-related to previous minutes, Curtis Miles to maintain facilitator role for maths program- congratulations Curtis</p> <p>Parents suggested Curtis may like to do a presentation on changes to maths curriculum for interested parents. Janine to ask Curtis if he would like to do this. This may be able to be extended to other departments/subjects as an informative tool for parents and promotional opportunity for the school. Janine to discuss with teachers.</p>
5.	<p>Treasurer's report</p> <p>Lisa W absent tonight- to hold report over until next month</p> <p>School/P&C insurance- to carry over to next meeting</p> <p>Next Positive Change market planned for November 18th by Year 10 kids with teacher Stuart Galletly. Market Insurance issues discussed. Discussed how much P&C is willing to contribute for insurance for such an event (see minutes from September 2023 meeting).</p> <p>Peter S suggested an amount of \$1000 for future market event (to cover insurance). \$1000 would cover 28 stalls.</p>



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	<p>Resolution- For the P&C to contribute \$1000 to cover insurance for stalls (with each stall costing \$35).</p> <p>Moved- Peter S</p> <p>Seconded- Jane S-G</p> <p>Passed- unanimously</p> <p>Stuart G invited to attend next meeting if he would like support for Positive Change Market</p> <p>Wider discussion on general purpose of P&C funding held- Emphasis on supporting students, and nurturing school community.</p>
6.	<p>President's report – Michelle Pullen</p> <p>No formal report</p> <p>Michelle wrote to Tamara Smith (State MP) regarding previous request for funding for COLA shelter. Awaiting reply from Tamara's office.</p>
7.	<p>Principal's report -Janine Marcus</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -New mobile phone policy implemented and all students doing very well -HSC Has commenced- Thankyou to Shirley Graham (HSC presiding officer) for supervising the HSC exams. -P&C offered to give Shirley a gift of thanks- Jane suggested a Book Room voucher for her coordination role -Referendum discussed at school assembly (responsibility of voting for such a referendum presented to students) -Planning for 2024 underway- orientation for Year 7 2024 (138 students expected). Jo and Amanda (support teachers) have been visiting primary schools to get to know student's needs. -Senior student grades being submitted to NESA currently. -Presentation at Parliament house for Highly accomplished teachers being held on 27th Oct- 3 teachers to attend with Janine (Simone Museth, Michelle Lowe, Stuart Galletly- will not attend). Congratulations All!! -World Teacher Day on 27th October- P&C offered to buy a cake for teachers to celebrate- Michelle P to organise. -Shade sails to be built over agility course. Tender has gone out.



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8.	<p>Fundraising update- Wandy Hochgrebe</p> <p>Trivia night next Thursday 26th Oct. Tickets still being sold.</p> <p>Mandy Nolan to Host- discussed gift for Mandy for volunteering her time</p> <p>Raffle- prizes now finalised. Will be drawn on 30th Nov. To be promoted at Trivia night.</p> <p>Bare foot bowls event discussed- to be postponed until early next year (too much going on with trivia night and raffle this term).</p> <p>Thank you to Wandy and Fundraising committee for all their hard work! 😊</p>
9.	<p>Other business and close</p> <p>Next meeting Tuesday 21st November 2023 at 7-8.30pm in school library</p>



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