



P&C Meeting – Colo High School 20 May 2024 3.08 pm

Present: Michael Berrington (President), Tara Cullen (Principal), Lisa Evans (Vice-President), Jodie Moore (Canteen), Nicki Murphy (Canteen), Kristie Thorpe, Liz Wood (Secretary).

Apologies: Sonia Eaton, Kerryn Johnson, Nic Lennie, Vanessa Pilgrim (Deputy Principal), Jessica Wagner.

Review previous	Minutes from previous P&C meeting in March 2024 were accepted by Jodie Moore, seconded by Kristie Thorpe and	
minutes	approved.	
Canteen /	Reports have not yet been received back from the auditor so	
Uniform	they are unsure how much money will be handed over.	
Report	Auditor to clarify outstanding information.	
J Moore	Introducing an incentive for lunch orders.	
N Murphy	Considering offering canteen volunteers an incentive of a free	
	polo shirt for helping at least once a term.	
Treasurer	No activity in the last 3 months.	
Report	Savings account: \$56,284.27.	
M Berrington	General account: \$2,383.61.	
	Canteen funds from 2023 yet to be transferred.	

President	Deputy Principal	
Report	- Appointed Vanessa Pilgrim as Deputy Principal.	
M Berrington	Congratulations.	
	Canteen	
	- Canteen has been approved for \$8,760 electronic shutters fully	
	funded via a corporate donation. Timing to be worked out during	
	upcoming school holidays. Tara Cullen to provide contact	
	numbers for Jodie Moore or Nicki Murphy to attend. Work	
	Method Safety Plan required.	
	Voluntary Contributions	
	- \$6,492 about to be deposited for the voluntary contributions	
	which equates to 200 families.	
	Future Projects	
	- There were 113 votes at the March Parent Teacher Night and	
	57% voted for upgrading the car park and 30% for outdoor	
	learning and casual seating so these will be the projects we	
	proceed with.	

Principal	The attached report contains details, including:	
Report	- Strategic improvement plan	
T Cullen	- School oval update	



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(attached)	- Parent teacher night
	- Budget
	- Long service leave

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Major Project	1. Car park	
Voting	By the next meeting there will be quotes for the car park.	
M Berrington	There are currently no grants available but Tara Cullen	
	becomes aware of them as they arise.	
	2. Outdoor Learning and Casual Seating	
	TAFE NSW are coming in on Mondays over the next 10 weeks	
	building undercover seating areas near the dam.	
	2 outdoor umbrellas are being installed in two areas for seniors	
	and juniors.	

Term 2	Drafted week 4 to be designed and approved to go out week 8:	
Newsletter	- Treasurer Role	
M Berrington	- AGM results	
	- Cash flow	
	- P&C meeting dates	
	- Major project survey results	
	- Uniform survey	
	- Voluntary contribution update	
	- If it comes to fruition in time: Canteen volunteers offered an	
	incentive of a free polo shirt for helping at least once a term	
	- If it comes to fruition in time: Redbank BBQ call for volunteers	
	with an incentive like a discount on Year 12 formal tickets	

Other Matters	Redbank Markets An email has been sent to ask for an opportunity to do the BBQ to raise money for the school and if granted then we need volunteers to man it and will approach local businesses to donate or discount products. Colo Kudos Weekly With the school budget cuts the P&C will fund it into the future (\$500 to be paid directly to the canteen and to be topped up as required) Return and Earn Tara Cullen to consider implementing this in some form Bunnings BBQ	
	Bunnings BBQ Might be an option in the future	

Meeting closed at 3:51 pm

Next Meeting	Monday 3:00pm:
	- 17 June.
	- 12 August.
	- 9 September.