

St Thomas P&F

Meeting Minutes 12th June 2018

Meeting Opened: 7.05pm

Attendees: x8 in attendance – Trish Coniglio, Helen Martella, Belinda Hammond, Lyndal Gallagher, Ann Johnston, Justin Tuohy, Nat Bogoiias

Apologies: Nicola Lovejoy, Damira Relota, Simone Mason

Opening Prayer: led by President, Carla Di Latte

Minutes of Previous Meeting:

Motion: 'The minutes of the previous meeting held 14th May 2018 be received by the committee as a true and correct record'.

Moved: Carla Di Latte, seconded by Lyndal Gallagher; motion carried.

Matters arising from the minutes – Art Show – to be discussed later in the meeting.

Principal's Report – Justin Tuohy

Learning:

- Staff – LSL. Nicky will be taking 5 weeks of LSL (Term 3 Week 6 – Week 10) Monday 20 August to Friday 21 September. Her replacement will be named once a decision has been made.
- The Year Six Assembly – Friday 23 June.
- St. Thomas' Cross Country Carnival great success. Interschool Carnival Wednesday 20 June. Thanks to Sharon for her work on the carnival and pre-carnival training. Also thanks to staff for assisting with the training.
- Interschool Sports Day (Netball, Footy and Soccer) this Friday 15 June – Year 5 & 6 students. Best of luck to all competitors.
- Night of the Notables – Tuesday 19 June
- Oracy for Year 3 – Thursday 21 June
- Eight of our Year Five students will be representing St. Thomas' on Friday 22 June – Academic All-stars. Big thanks to Lisa for preparing our students.
- Interschool Chess Comp at St. Thomas' – Wednesday 27 June. Once again thanks to Lisa for preparing the competitors.
- Term Three starts Monday 16 July.

Engagement:

- Enrolment interviews for 2019/2020 Kindy have started to take place. Don't forget that you the parents are our greatest advertising.
- Marketing committee - information



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- Edu-Dance Concert: The concert will be take place on Wednesday 27 June at Loreto Catholic Primary. The concert promises to be another great community event. The children are all very keen to show off their new dance moves.

Discipleship:

- 1st Holy Communion Retreat for Year 4 students – Friday 1 June
- 1st Holy Communion Parent Meeting – Wednesday 13 June.
- 1st Holy Communion – Sunday 25 June at the 9.30am Parish

Mass:

- LikeLink Day at St. Thomas' raising funds for Archbishop's Appeal – Thursday 24 May. Thanks Nicky
- Our next, Saturday evening Parish Mass will take place this Saturday 16 June. The Kindy class and Karen & Jeanette are rostered on for this mass.
- St. Thomas Feast Day & Presentation Sisters Mass – Friday 30 June.

Items for discussion

Defibrillator – money from P&F

The committee discussed the purchase of a defibrillator for the school grounds. Father Wayne and one of our families recently affected by a heart attack have pledged funds towards this purchase. The P&F approve in principle the funding of the balance of the costs – details to follow.

Treasurer's Report – Belinda Hammond

The Mother's Day Stall made a profit of \$1,200 with 80 items in remaining stock, which can be sold next year. Preparations for the Father's Day Stall are being made. Mel Trend has sourced the items requiring approval by the P&F of approx. \$800 to purchase.

Fundraising / Community Events Report – Nat Bogoiias

Show Parking - a roster will be organised, likely to be based on families from each year group assigned to a day. To generate interest in this event, students can vote for various items on which the proceeds will be spent - to be pitched at Monday gatherings.

Mural - The Town of Claremont has contributed \$3,500 towards the costs of the mural.

A contract from Linzi Carter has been submitted to the school – to be reviewed by Carla di Latte and Justin Tuohy.

Art Show - entry to the event will be \$5.00 Entry price includes afternoon tea and the purchase by parents / grandparents of their own children's / grandchildren's art work.

Nat is organising the following flyers to promote the show:

- School grounds
- Students to take home invite to parents / grandparents etc.
- Specially marked flyers to be circulated at day care centres / similar granting free entry for 'special guests of St. Thomas' upon presentation of the flyer

Frames are required for the Year 5 & 6 student's work - ideally the frames will be made of recycled materials – Ann Johnston is happy to source and organise the frames.

Motion: The P&F approve a spend of \$100.00 for frames for the Year 5 and 6 student's art works (ie: approx. \$2.00 per frame).

Moved: Ann Johnston, seconded by Justin Tuohy; motion carried.

There will be costs for mounting the art work – estimated to be \$400.00

Motion: The P&F approve a spend of \$400.00 for mounting costs for the Art Show.

Moved: Nat Bogoiias, seconded by Carla Di Latte; motion carried.

There is an Art Show Committee meeting Thursday 21/06/18 at Unicorn Bar, Shenton Park.

President's report – Carla Di Latte

P&F Levy - The collection of the levy continues to go well; the vast majority should be collected by the end of Term 3.

EduDance - Clare McIllree has organised volunteers for the tea & coffee at Loreto in the under-cover area.

St. Thomas Feast Day - P&F is providing the sausage sizzle & juice box lunch – volunteers required to cook and serve. Nat Bogoiias and Trish Coniglio will co-ordinate the supplies and collection from Coles, Floreat.

Parish Rep Report – Ann Johnston

The Kindy class is hosting the Parish Mass Saturday 16th June.

The Pope's Plenary Council is to be held in Australia – He asks us 'What do you think God is asking of us in Australia at this time?'

General Business

- The Fathering Project met yesterday evening 11/16 – they will be forming a committee to organise fun events for dads and kids.
- Simone Mason to circulate P&F meeting agendas to class reps prior to the meetings.
- When P&F meetings fall on a Monday morning, a reminder will be made at Monday gathering.

Next Meeting: Monday 23rd July at 9am

Meeting Closed: 8.15pm

