



Mona Vale Public School
P&C General Meeting - Minutes

Tuesday 2nd August 2023

7.00pm at the Mona Vale Bowls Club

Finished at 8:43 pm

No	Agenda	Who
1.	Attendance Attendees: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● See below Apologies: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Shannon Judge ● Vanessa Polito ● Peta Gorman ● Nadine Kliskey 	Secretary M. Donald
2.	Acknowledgement of Country	Matt Harris
3.	Presentations from guests not attending whole meeting: None	
4.	Confirmation of Minutes of Previous Meeting Karen McFadden	Secretary
5.	Business arising from previous meeting <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Trivia Night - was a great success. Originally planned as a community event (not a fundraiser) the P&C made \$1067 profit to be put back into school resources. Overall feedback was that it was a fun night with great entertainment value. However, the events team have realised in hindsight, that this time of year is busy with other external (club sporting presentations etc) events so while we would definitely do this again, it needs more lead in time with a greater push on advertising. TLC are happy to announce a profit of \$424 for their organisation as a result of their raffle and participation. ● Peter Pan Musical - off and running, amazing student performances. Parents were impressed with the production. Thanks to the MVPS staff for their herculean efforts to get this performance and grand opening of the PAC up and running. <p><u>Items to the floor for discussion:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Feedback was that Parents felt disappointed they couldn't be guaranteed at least 1 night performance ticket per family as 	Co V Presidents E. Brown M. Harris



	<p>many parents missed out altogether due to work commitments during the day.</p> <p><u>Questions for Principal Shannan Judge:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Is the musical to become an annual event? ○ Were permission slips issued and returned for the participation of students in the performances? Parents' comments reflected that students were taken out of class regularly for rehearsals and the performance, losing continuity of learning. For children (and families) who are not interested in performing arts, does this need to be a compulsory event in the future? ○ Can we please have a statement about the use of the profits from ticket sales to add in the newsletter? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Oliver St/Mona Vale Rd speed zone (Madeleine Koo) – We are working collaboratively with Rory Amon MP and Ms Judge to have the best possible outcome regarding the 40km school zone. Council have requested photos of gates on Mona Vale Rd, showing children are using the gate on the corner for the application to go ahead. Madeleine to follow up. 	
<p>6.</p>	<p>Principal's Report</p> <p style="text-align: center;">N/A</p>	<p>Shannon Judge</p>
<p>7.</p>	<p>Co Vice President's Report</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Father's Day stall – BBQ – providing breakfast, sausage, egg, bacon, rolls. Stall – simple table set up with the 366 gifts available. Date to confirm: Friday, 1st September. <u>Question for Shannan:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ As the school executive teaching staff, very kindly, offered their time on the BBQ for Mother's day, can the P&C hope for the same participation for Father's Day BBQ? Can we invite teaching staff to help? ● Emma St playground – Initial Grant was applied then denied. Should we look at funding for Emma St playground? Madeleine Koo will investigate some grant opportunities. <p><u>Questions for Shannan:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Students are coming home saying the Waratah St playground is not for play at lunch time and are being told to play at the Emma St playground. Is this correct? 	<p>Co V Presidents E. Brown M. Harris</p>



	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Are there school funds to resurface the basketball/netball courts? ○ Are the Waratah St cricket nets going to be replaced (on either Waratah or Emma St)? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● War memorial plaques – Further questions have been raised with the P&C executive asking if we could fund a lightweight replica to replace the historical boards. <p><u>Question for Shannan:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Can the school have a light weight, replica plaque(s) to recognize these historical people in place of the original? The P&C would like to help organise this and participate in the cost of these plaques. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Uniform shop – The uniform shop is not on the site maps. <p><u>Question for Shannan:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Can we please have the uniform shop on the site maps even though it is in a demountable building? Could there be a sticker on the maps? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Discussion had on the need to advertise the products and services P&C contributions have bought for the school in an attempt to increase contributions and volunteers. 	
8.	<p>Treasurer's Report</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● \$21,416 contributions from parents. This is down on last year. 	Treasurer
9.	<p>Sub Committees</p> <p><u>Canteen</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Picnic packs – great success. Thank you to the helpers. 	Karen McFadden
	<p><u>Uniform Shop</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Senior jackets – Discussions starting about next year's choices and printing. Karen has already started organising. 	Karen McFadden
10.	<p>General Business / Motions on Notice</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Uniforms – Students are looking scruffy, incorrect uniform, wrong school bag. <p><u>Question for Shannan:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ What is the current uniform policy and how are teachers enforcing this? What can the P&C do to assist? 	Karen McFadden
<p>Next meeting: 12th September, Week 9, Term 3</p>		



First Name	Last Name
Matthew	Donald
Emma	Brown
Matt	Harris
Bec	Gilfillan
Michelle	Holyhead
Karen	McFadden
John	McFadden
Amanda	Henry
Madeleine	Koo
Dawn	Waren