DAPTO HIGH SCHOOL P&C General Meeting
17.06.2014 7.00pm in Library

Attendance: Traybee McLean, Sean Quinn, Dayle House-Chapman, Sandy Kwan, Renae Mears, Sue Zirogiannnis, Kerrie Phillips, Diane Sutton, Caitlin Sutton, Trish Morgan, Gretch Turner, Helen Pirangi, Peter Smith,
Guest Speaker: Sharon Moran
Apologies: Warren Neil, Lorraine Naylor, Andrew FitzSimons,

Meeting opened 7.00pm in the library.

Presentation by guest speaker Sharon Moran

Previous Meeting Minutes 17.06.2014, Moved SQ, Seconded TM

Uniform Presentation by Di Sutton – senior dress presented, daylight to design, Gretel to wear at school, feedback to be provided

Business arising:
- 5th bus shelter in place
- SQ has been researching cost of refurbishment, will present figures at next meeting, SQ suggested TM contact Darcy Moore seeking approval to use the new system to gain a response for helpers/support
- Next scheduled Bunnings BBQ will be held on 25th October
- Lorraine Naylor is yet to deliver files

Principal’s report – see page 2

Treasurers Report: SZ
- $975.33 - P&C Fund
- $2974.84 – Building Fund

General Business
- TM re: the P&C federation email, DHS P & C registered on 28th July 2014
- PS will attend merit panel training, P&C looking to have more people trained. TM called for a parent to nominate for panel for Truancy Officer, date to be determined, possibly PS
- Trish Morgan suggested the P&C approach Darcy Moore to attend the next P&C meeting re: BYOD for 2015

Mail
- Letter from Health Kids Association re: insurance
- Letter from Aust. Mobile Dental Care
- Letter from Christopher Pyne re: 2014/15 Higher Education Budget
- Commonwealth Bank Statement
- Letter from Sound Lighting re: wireless microphones – referred to Shane Wood
- Letter from AF re: sponsorship for end of year presentation prizes for students

Meeting Closed – 8:45pm

Next Meeting – Tues 2nd September 2014
Principal Report – Accountability

1. New Deputy appointed – Mr Daniel Inness (from Barrenjoey HS) – will formally start in Term 4 (2014) but will be visiting in Weeks 8 and 9 – Term 3.

2. Strategic Executive meeting – Held at Sydney Trains Base Headquarters in Wollongong in Week 3. Thanks to Warren Neil for assisting in organising this venue. The focus was induction of new staff at DHS and the new process for the school plan 2015-2017. Daniel Inness attended the afternoon

3. Changes in staff at DHS – Mrs Jill Jones and Mrs Jennifer Wilkinson new teachers in HSIE and an English/Drama teacher position is currently being advertised.

4. Literacy and Numeracy across the curriculum strategy is being implemented with a whole school approach to identifying and targeting areas that need improvement

5. School Plan – new process with a consultative approach for with all stakeholders – more information next meeting

6. Bus Bay – buses will still drop off and pick up in Marshall Street for the next 2 weeks then change to Cleveland Road. The new parking and “kiss and drop” zone is now opened – WCC has designed this area to be safer for students. It is not expected that parents will use the main entrance at the start and end of the day except on occasions where they have a student who needs additional assistance.

7. Canteen Refurbishment – plans to be finalised ready soon so that costings can be completed.