

## **Xavier College Parents & Friends**

### **General Meeting – Minutes**

(Subject to acceptance at the next general meeting)

6 September 2016

Meeting opened: 7.10pm

Attendance and Apologies: Vicky Wilmington

Opening prayer” Read by Mr Patrick Finnerty

Previous Minutes: Not yet accepted - incomplete

Business arising from previous meeting:-

Pavers are no longer on school grounds.

#### **Correspondence in/out:**

NIL

#### **Principal’s report: -**

- The School is assisted in running by the Leadership team, not just the principal.
- Year 9 – expression of interest for camp (\$330-\$360) as the fee is not included in the school fee. 60 children have advised that they would like to attend the camp. The students suggested 3 events rather than the camp (cost roughly \$110) – Luna Park, Jamberoo and disco – rather than a camp.
- School is looking at Naplan and the breakdown of results. Literacy and Numeracy (band 8) benchmarks must be met for the child to be awarded the Higher School Certificate.
- The school received negative feedback on school photos. Year photos will only be in the College Year Book.
- Year 12 students will wear a gown for their graduation.
- Hosting a morning tea tomorrow for the 38 year 12 kids who were nominated for awards.
- Penrith Show went very well.
- Walk-a-thon rescheduled for 15 September 2016.

#### **Assistant Principal’s Report –**

- Newsletter information – if there are any suggestions please forward to Mr Finnerty.

#### **Presidents Report – Laura Muller**

- Thank you to Fiona for organising prizes for the Walk-a-thon. Any assistance for judging etc. you can volunteer.
- Annual Xavier Carnival – 4 November 2017. Assistance is required to organise the carnival.
- Chocolates are still sold in Uniform Shop. Possibility of once a week selling them with kids from school.

### **Treasurers Report**

Closing balance is \$2,769.73. 1 cheque still to come out for movie tickets.

### **Vice Presidents Report – Fiona Bax**

NIL

### **PRC Report**

- HSC Changes discussed.
- \$4,000 grant for Partnership – school should consider applying.
- Discussion on how to teach your kids to deal with anxiety – possibly term 4 parent forum.
- PRC now has sponsorships

NIL email for General business.

General Business:

- NIL

Meeting closed @ 8.26pm.

Next meeting: 1 November 2016.