

Raleigh Public School P & C

Date: 25/03/2021 **Location:** Raleigh Public School – And Via Zoom

Start Time: 3:40

Present: Danielle, Irene, Katrina, Marcus

Apologies: Renae Pike, Kerrie Links, Amelia Disspain, Phil and Marcia Bell, Melissa Cormac, Georgie Thornton and Amy Rosa.

Minutes from the previous Meeting where read and moved by Irene and seconded by Danielle.
Treasurer report was presented by Irene, moved by Irene and Seconded by Danielle.

- See attached Current Balance \$2046.34

Business arising from minutes:

Nil

Principal Report

- 24 students - 2 classes
K-2D Bernadette Driscoll
3-6M Mon- Wednesday Katrina Meenahan, Thurs/Friday Danielle Corcoran
Wednesday's Jamie Sherwood works every 2nd week when Kik is not on. He works on 3-6 in the morning and every week in the afternoon on a Wednesday on K-2.
- 2021-2024 School Improvement Plan

Every four years we develop a new plan and Strategic Directions to focus on for the coming years. Over the past 6 months we have been analysing data and looking at what are our areas of strengths and needs. As such we have developed our 3 new directions for 2021-2024 are

Strategic Direction 1: Student Growth and Attainment

Strategic Direction 2: Assessment, Data and Practice

Strategic Direction 3: School Culture and Wellbeing.

I will discuss each of these further and show you our new plan in General Business.

- This year the students in Years 4-6 will be attending a major excursion in Canberra, it is expected that there will be 10 students from Raleigh going. We will be attending with Repton, Orama and Crossmaglen. There will be a total of 69 students and 6 teachers attending. The excursion will be in Week 9 Term 4. It is expected to cost approximately \$605 each. Next P&C meeting we will discuss if the P&C would be willing to donate some money to support our students to go.
- While Years 4-6 are in Canberra the students in Years K-3 will also attend and participate in local day excursions and activities around the local area.
- We currently are having tree issue outside the 3-6 classroom. The large flame tree has died at the top and in the crown. It has a number of tall and large branches that have died. Although the arborist has listed this as a low risk of falling onto the awning or classroom we are exercising caution and have closed off the classroom, awning and front path area. The students and staff are having to share the K-2 learning space in the library, the staffroom and the COLA while the weather has improved. We hope to have the arborist come out very soon to remove the affected parts. Unfortunately with the extreme weather event and enormous amount of rain, they are currently very busy.

General Business

- Katrina shared the 2021-2024 School Plan via Zoom. Each Strategic Direction was discussed and there was very little discussion or questions. Marcus was very supportive of what we are already currently doing at Raleigh PS.
The 2021-2024 School Improvement Plan was unanimously accepted and endorsed by the P&C.
- Pie Drive –After the overwhelming support and success of the Pie Drive in 2020, we have decided to run this again in 2021, but do it over the cooler months. Renae and Katrina have discussed sending out the order forms at the end of Term 2, so families can sell them over the holidays and keeping the orders open for a week on the return to school and then placing the orders and having them delivered around Week 3 Term 3. This was seen as a good idea by everyone.

Meeting Closed 4pm