

FRIENDS OF FRAYNE MEETING MINUTES



URSULA FRAYNE: BALMORAL CAMPUS – THURSDAY 20 FEBRUARY 2020 7:00PM

IN ATTENDANCE

In attendance: Melody Miles, Jasmine Collier, Heather Nicholas, Josephine Daqui, Sally Okoye, Jess Pochintesta, Hanna Bradley, Anna Whitehase, Nikki Middleton, Jasmine Lockwood, Julie-Anne Simmons, Veronica Parker, Bianca Openshaw, Kelly Chambers, Samantha Swain, Krystal Baufield, Desiree Holz.

APOLOGIES: Heather

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

First meeting for 2020 no minutes from previous meeting.

MINUTES ARISING FROM PREVIOUS MEETING

Introduction of all Council Members and Class Coordinators

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

Made by Geoff Mills

Principles Report :

Outlook for the year: Focusing on stillness and silence using the word “Be” – ‘To be compassionate’- ‘To be centred in Christ’.

Ursula Frayne is 9th ranked (ATAR) out of 189 schools – moved from 87 to 88.9

English achieved the highest average score in Catholic education (3 years running).

Welcome new staff – Michelle Davis Yr.5 Teacher, Jennifer Ireland Campus Executive assistant, Emma Moynihan Teacher Assistant, Des Naughton Yr.7 Teacher, Amanda Nenke Library, Elena Santalucia Yr.6 Teacher, Chantel Smith Yr 3 Teacher, Kimberly Thuijs Psychologist, Jodie Walsh Learning Area Coordinator, Brown Webb Teacher Mathematics, Richard Williams Teacher (Science), Amy Chang Canteen, Merly Carter Aboriginal Teacher Assistant, Jayne Ekholm Teacher Assistant, Amy Lander Teacher Assistant and Amanda Sturrock Counsellor / Chaplaincy.

Frayne Graduate Statement Key words: Faith-filled, joyful, respectful of themselves, others and their community, environment that sustains them, grateful, resilient, competent, have a love of learning, reading to take their place in and make a positive contribution to the world beyond school.

Highly functioning parent group because its collaborative

2020 Major priorities:

1. Annual school improvement plan: we are focusing this year on patrol care program usually focuses on discipline focusing more on mental health. Sense of belonging, school extension of family. Dr Helen street Book given to all staff to read “Contextual Wellbeing”.

2. Development of the school improvement plan (2021-2023) Catholic education commission of WA
3. Provide opportunities for cross-campus professional learning (Teachers, teacher assistants and support staff)

Other items:

Another push on the nature play, if FOF could help with that.

Overhang put in on the climbing wall at the high school perhaps with donation from FOF.

Singing away stress at work if FOF can lead with this – UK study has found that 96 per cent of people in singing groups feel less stress by the demands of work.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Made by Melody Miles

Class co-ordinators: Come to FOF for support, they are not representatives for parents, they are there to help us with FOF mission 'To support us and have friendships and community'. They look out for people who may be suffering in some way and FOF can support with that. Either a death in family we offer/ give care packs discreetly also for positive/happy reason e.g. A new baby. They also help with Setting up rosters for various events and meetings with heads of schools.

Hackathon: Panel listened to Year 7 students present ideas late 2019. FoF interested in seeing some of these in relation to environmental initiatives. If we could have details from those presentations to look at in closer detail for FOF to support.

Open conversation during president's report: Sally from Duncan street campus mentioned to look for parents who aren't as involved and reach out for them to help on Duncan street campus.

COUNCIL REPORT

Treasurer's Report Made by Jasmine Collier

- School Banking closed and has come to an end with \$5.50 balance
- Balance of working funds= \$50,057.19
- Treasurer's report attached.

AGENDA ITEMS

Board Briefing Submission (made by Julie-Anne Simmons):

Tribunal outcome: Application for review has been refused for Teague street.

Parent event 13th June Duncan Street Campus: Music bingo night. Trivia versus bingo. Themes have worked in the past, great way to break the ice and conversation starter. Send through to class reps to put the

question out to parents for ideas. No need for real fundraisers its all about getting parents together to have a great time.

Yr 7 Parent Info and Social Evening: Middle school info night Yr.7 went off with success. Thanks to Alana and many others who contributed. Location needs to be looked at perhaps some lights near the stairs or to move the location.

FoF Movie Night (Friday 13 March): Movie night: Lego movie 2, food trucks organised and movie purchased. FOF to promote this on Facebook page and Newsletter. Class Coordinators to assist.

Balmoral Campus 'Your Move' Day (Friday 3 April) - Make a move day: 3rd April. FoF will seek parent helpers.

Duncan Campus Open Day (Wednesday 25 March) - Duncan Campus open day: 25th March – Pauline over sees this one. Great for parents to be there to meet and greet some parents. Sally to touch base with Pauline for this.

Junior school swimming Carnival: Sam to check logistics on using the coffee van for this event as Aqua life has their canteen up and running now.

OTHER INFORMATION

Hats: Veronica: 2020 priority to have hats for high school students trying to change the relationship with the high school students and their hat wearing habits. Sally suggested: Hat's to be worn on a high UV rating.

Office Max: Changes being investigated in 2021 for Booklists/stationery orders.

NEXT MEETING

16th March 2020 7:00PM at Duncan Street Campus

Motion to adjourn meeting at around 8.45pm and was passed unanimously.