Meeting: Tuesday 11\textsuperscript{th} October 2016
Meeting Start Time: 7.45 pm
Meeting End Time: 9.00 pm
Location: School Library
Chair: Sade Kalasabail – P&C President
Attendance: 12 as per the sign-in book
Apologies: Julia, Denise, Nalika, Raymond Wan, Ellon, Jsong, Edward Ross

Part 1: Opening Session

- Principal’s Report (Principal: Mark Anderson)
  - Another successful year is coming to an end and final year 12 boys are ready for the HSC.
  - During term3 school holidays, there was a break. Steel copper was stolen. Fortunately, there was no other damage.
  - Renovation of Cricket net is finally completed.
  - Major upgrade of the admin block is in the pipeline.

Part 2: Business Session

Minutes of Last Meeting
Motion 2016 – 10A to accept the minutes of the last meeting
Proposed: Praveen, Seconded: Bindi, Motion Carried.

Motion 2016 – 10B to fund the Robotics team’s registration fees of $7026.42 for the Macquarie University competition
Proposed: Helmut, Seconded: Bindi, Motion Carried.

Correspondence
Second Hand Uniform Sales
Sam discussed with Sustainable School Shop and provided detailed information regarding the setup of Second Hand Uniform sales. It will be valuable for parents to buy and sell uniform in good condition. P&C has agreed to pay the initial set up cost for a one-year trial basis period. The response from parents will then be evaluated. The more details will be available on the Newsletter.

Motion 2016 -10C to implement the Sustainable School Shop website for sale of second hand uniforms and pay setup cost of $199 and one year membership of $450.
Proposed: Praveen, Seconded: Julie, Motion Carried

This is to be reviewed in 12 months, and in particular, whether the P&C should subsidise the membership cost on behalf of users.

REPORTS

- President’s Report (Sade Kalasabail)

Gonski Petition - Gonski needs your support

NSW Premier Mike Baird and NSW Education Minister Adrian Piccoli to fight Turnbull’s Gonski cuts. P&C Federation is asking parents to unite and support Gonski, if Malcolm Turnbull cuts funding after 2017. The impact on our public schools and most importantly our students will be devastating.
To save Gonski we need to work together to make sure the Turnbull plan is rejected by state and territory governments and the Senate.

- New research reveals that along with getting rid of Gonski, the Coalition will direct money away from the public schools and students who need it most.
- Under Turnbull’s plan schools in NSW would miss out on $1.4 billion in funding in 2018 and 2019 alone.
- Gonski funding is changing lives and the full six years are vital to ensuring all schools get the resources they need.

These facts have been published in the School newsletter and on Facebook. Please help in the campaign by signing this petition opposing the cuts.

- **Treasurers Report**

  After income of $468 for Entertainment Books and school project expenses of $4300, the trading account has a closing balance of $220.99. The ING account has a closing balance of $144,336.94. After approved expenses, there are $130,730 of available funds.

  **Motion 2016 – 16D to accept the financial report for September**
  Proposed: Sam, Seconded: Ting - **Motion Carried.**

- **Fund Raising Committee Report**
  - Francis’s will bring the Entertainment book for Dennis or others.

- **Function Committee Report**
  - No upcoming Event

- **Canteen Report**
  - The 4 door upright freezer has been fixed and there has been no more leaking
  - The new sink will be fitted during the summer holidays as the plumber could not fit it during the October school holidays
  - Canteen has also ordered 2 display cabinets to be used at front of canteen

- **Grounds Report**
  - Term4 Ground day will happen on Saturday 5th November.

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Next meeting: Tuesday November 08th 2016. And also the AGM meeting