

Minutes of the Meeting of the Board of Trustees
Held on Tuesday 28 May 2019 at 6.00pm in the School Board Room

Present: Nick Mackeson-Smith (Chair), Janine Irvine (Principal), Sarah Sutcliffe, Nicola

Taylor, Sanjeev Deva and Shanthan Naidu, (Trustees)

In Attendance: Dawn Wood (Associate Principal)
Apologies: Jamie Galloway, Gowan Duff

Scribe: Janet Glover

No		Meeting Items	Action and Follow Up
1.	1.1 Administration	Welcome Declaration Conflicts of Interest There were no conflicts noted in relation to the set agenda.	
	Karakia	The trustees joined in a karakia	
	1.2 Minutes	Minutes of a meeting held on 26 March 2019 were distributed prior to the meeting. Recommendation that the minutes of meeting held on 7 May (April meeting) 2019 be accepted.	
		Moved: Sarah Sutcliffe, Seconded: Nick Mackeson-Smith MOTION: Agreed	
2.	Correspondence	Inwards Correspondence NZEI- Notice of Strike - Wednesday 29 May - school will be closed. NZEI - Notification of Paid Union Meetings for Support Staff - not all our support staff are union members. This should not have a big impact on the school. NZSTA - NZSTA AGM Email - Ruth Wilkie BOT - Scholarship Application (in committee) MOE - reply received accepting letter of notice of strike. Advice that is will not affect our total number of school days. Outwards Correspondence MOE - Board acknowledgement of school striking School Uniform Centre - update of additional uniform items	
		Recommendation that the Inwards Correspondence be approved and the Outwards Correspondence be ratified. Moved: Nick Mackeson-Smith MOTION: Agreed	



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3.	Monitoring Annual Plan	3.1 Principal's Report Principal's Report for May was distributed prior to the meeting.	
		Janine presented her report to the meeting	
		Camp - there have been 4 successful camps with very positive feedback from parents.	
		Data Update - Janine presented a report to the board	
		Board discussed the report. Parent Interviews - good uptake of parents meeting with teachers.	
		Teacher Aid / ORS Funding Shortfall - A shortfall after Ministry funding has been received is approximated \$3,500 per term. Covered by Teacher Aide Budgets set for 2019. Janine to continue further investigation of usage across budget codes.	Janine monitor codes
		Health Survey / Parent Consultation - a survey will be distributed to parents on school health programmes, ie: Keeping Your Child Safe, Puberty, Kia Kaha etc.	codes
		Teacher Shortage - shortages of teachers in Auckland is still a problem. Finding teaching staff is becoming a difficult situation - expensive housing and transport in Auckland being some of the issues being faced.	
		Retention Unit payments - investigation as to whether the board can fund support for teachers using this funding pool.	Janine to check
		Letter from the Board giving a strong message of support of the teaching staff - Nicola Taylor to draft up a letter to be sent.	Nicki to draft letter to staff.
		The Overall Teacher Judgement Report was distributed prior to the meeting. The board discussed the report. Keep in mind what some of the commonalities might be. Janine will keep tracking.	Janie to track data at the end of each term /Cohort
		Recommendation that the Principal's Report be accepted. Moved: Janine Irvine, Seconded: Nicola Taylor	reporting

MOTION: Agreed



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Property and Finance

3.2 Property and Finance

3.2.1 Finance/Property Committee Report

The Finance / Property Committee meeting minutes and action plan were distributed prior to the meeting.

Sarah provided a report on the meeting held prior to the Board meeting.

Paint contractors are presently submitting quotes for maintenance of the school buildings. These will come to the next meeting.

Property Vision - tabled at the meeting - a visual direction of changes around the school - have this on the website or displayed in the office.

MOE Visit - Property facilitator visited and was very impressed with the school grounds and buildings. - standard of classrooms, maintenance. Thanks go to Shane, management, future and present boards for state of the school, and to parents and children for being part of this commendation.

Discussion on whether the gates be locked. What is most important when you are looking at the health and safety of students during the care of the school.

Chaos in the Carpark - the west carpark by the tennis club is again becoming an issue. Parents are turning right out of the carpark causing holdups

School Donations - starting to get closer to targets.

Recommendation that the Financial Statements for months ending 30 April 2019 with a surplus of \$278,003 be accepted.

No further update on the hall upgrade. 5YA/10YP update complete

<u>2019 Budget</u> - the final 2019 budget with a deficit of (\$78,037). **Recommendation that the Final 2019 Budget with a deficit of (\$78.037) be accepted.**

Moved: Sarah Sutcliffe, Seconded: Janine Irvine MOTION: Agreed

Recommendation that the Annual Report and Audited Financial Accounts for the Year Ended 31 December 2019 be accepted.

Moved: Sarah Sutcliffe, Seconded: Sanjeev Deva

MOTION: Agreed

Property Vision to be created as soon as possible Shanthan, Janine and Shane

Nick to talk to AT - safety



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		Finance / Property Report Recommendation that the Finance / Property Report be accepted. Moved: Sarah Sutcliffe, Seconded: Shanthan Naidu MOTION: Agreed	
4.	Committee Reports	3.2.3 Health and Safety Report Policy Committee No policy meeting held, Community No new items Friends and Family No new items Fair Committee No new items Student Discipline Committee Nothing to update. Personnel Committee Report New appointments (defer in-committee). Reunion Committee To bring up with new board after election. Recommendation the Committee Reports be accepted. Moved: Sarah Sutcliffe, Seconded: Nick Mackeson-Smith MOTION: Agreed	
5.	Strategic Discussions	WorkPlan The trustees self-reviewed the meeting. The trustees went into In-Committee - 8.00pm	
	Board Induction:	A list was compiled of ideas to bring up with new board Governance / Management Code of Conduct Administration - Minutes - Workplan - Action register - Communication platforms / electronic	



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Committee Structure (one on one handover) - why - what - do - options Major Issues - Fair / Hall upgrade - Flag Day - Reunion - ERO - Education reform School Struction / Systems - Delegations - Reporting - Data Analysis	
Went into in-committee at 7.40pm Dawn left the meeting.	

The Board of Trustees Meeting Ended at 7.20pm Next Meeting Date - 28 May 2019 - 6pm