



## Rainbow Street Public School P&C Association

### General Meeting Minutes 7th November 2022 – Zoom Edition

Attendance: Craig Muldoon; Morag Taylor; Jessica Wheatly (acting for Margaret Nalovsky); Jacquie Counsel; James Richmond; Joanne Sayers; Ian Stevens; Kristle Romero Cortés; Yeonji Seo; Annie Butler; Christie Adams; Onida McBride; Matthew Dimaris; Paula Agiamarnoitis; Gregory Dodwell

1. Welcome and meeting overview: Craig welcomed all and gave brief overview
2. Apologies: none
3. Approve and sign-off September minutes: Moved: Morag Taylor; Seconded: Yeonji Seo — *Carried*
4. Correspondence: please see enclosed
5. President's report: please see enclosed
6. Treasurer's report: please see enclosed
7. Principal's report: please see enclosed
8. Fundraising/community building
  - o Dr. Rip
    - Morag liaising with James Richmond over time tables and student availability
    - Catered for different stages
  - o Teacher thank-you breakfast
    - Yeonji presented
    - Band contacted; unfortunately they can't play that day
    - Food and coffee delivery fixed
    - Financial donation link-site available
    - Thank-you message for signing available that day
9. Business arising from previous minutes
  - o School Centenary
    - Messaging important
    - Craig has been contacting Alumni
    - Other schools had a week of celebrations (each day representing a decade, for example)
    - Ms Sayers — to be successful, a committee of at least five needed
  - o Traffic Committee
    - Covered in Principal's report
    - Progress in survey, Kiss and Drop space, traffic needs
    - State Govt. sign-off soon
  - o TASK homework supervision
    - Craig corresponded with TASK directors:
      - TASK staff can encourage, but not compel students to complete homework
      - There is a dedicated homework space
      - TASK staff are not tutors
10. General business

- Accidental absconding of K pupil (responding to WhatsApp report)
  - Child apparently left during peak time — many children leaving, hard to monitor
  - Child was soon directed back to school
  - Ian Stevens liased with family
  - Sometimes young children forget their TASK days
- Cyber Security parent talk — followed up with similar talks tailored for students and teachers — positive feedback
- Blog posts — Craig: necessitated by current provider — Wix — changing subscription terms and limiting subscription emails.
- James Richmond growing a mustache for **Movember** — donation link in Rambler

Table 1

Date	Category	From	Notes
9 September 2022	Communications	P&C Federation	P&C Conference 29th October
16 September 2022	Communications	P&C Federation	eBulletin
19 September 2022	Communications	P&C Federation	Nominate your P&C for a Volunteer Award
20 September 2022	Communications	P&C Federation	Information about applying for placement in NSW high schools
23 September 2022	Communications	P&C Federation	Volunteer awards — 100 year anniversary
27 September 2022	Communications	Cr Veitch	
28 September 2022	Communications	P&C Federation	2022 Conference
30 September 2022	Communications	P&C Federation	Extending The School Day survey
30 September 2022	Communications	P&C Federation	Re Department Of Education survey and focus groups reviewing Suspension and Tutorial Centres
5 October 2022	Communications	P&C Federation	Re 2022 Conference
13 October 2022	Communications	ACNC	
21 October 2022	Communications	P&C Federation	Re 2022 Conference
24 September 2022	Federation Webinar	P&C Federation	Navigating Youth Mental Health
10 October 2022	Federation Webinar	P&C Federation	Understanding Selective Education in NSW
28 October 2022	Federation Webinar	P&C Federation	Vaping — what parents and carers need to know and Rewarding Excellence in Teaching
2 October 2022	Financial	Square	Sales total
3 October 2022	Financial	Rebel Sport	Offer expiry
3 October 2022	Financial	Rebel Sport	Community Givebacks credit
4 October 2022	Financial	Rebel Sport	Statement
27 October 2022	Financial	Square	Balance from Uniform Sale
1 November 2022	Financial	Rebel Sport	
1 November 2022	Financial	The Entertainment Group	Request for banking details
2 November 2022	Financial	Rebel Sport	Statement
4 November 2022	Financial	Square	
6 November 2022	Financial	Penny Johnson	Thank You Breakfast donation
29 September 2022	Financial/ Promotions	Square	Gift Card promotions
7 October 2022	Grants from Randwick City Council	The Mayor	
17 October 2022	Merit Selection Panel	Gabrielle Reid	Thread re request for further information

Date	Category	From	Notes
18 October 2022	Merit Selection Panel	Lana Bright	Thread re request for further information
26 October 2022	Newmarket development	Randwick Boys' HS & Randwick Girls' HS	Newmarket Development
7 September 2022	Outdoor play space	Georgia Deakin	Offer to find contact/helper from parent
19 September 2022	Parental Feedback	Peggy Leung	Re specific costs of some School capital works
3 November 2022	Parental Feedback	School parent	Re Cyber Safety talk blog post
9 September 2022	Parental query	Leanne Hopton	Thread re volunteer offer
23 September 2022	Parental query	Danielle Batista	Re TASK
27 September 2022	Promotional	Compost Revolution	Coming webinar
13 October 2022	Promotional	The Compost Revolution	
26 October 2022	Promotional	Bunnings Eastgardens	Flyer for Halloween event
14 September 2022	Promotional/ Information	Royal Hospital For Women	Renewal of fundraising collaboration post COVID disruption
19 October 2022	Rainbow Street Kiss and Drop	Randwick City Council	
21 October 2022	Survey request	DOE via Principal	Questionnaire on "Have Your Say On What School Success Looks Like"
6 October 2022	TASK	TASK	Homework support
6 September 2022	Website Anylitics	Wix	
7 October 2022	Website Anylitics	Wix	

## **Presidents Report – Nov 2021**

Welcome back after a 2-month meeting break and most importantly welcome back to school. I would like to acknowledge the amazing work by teachers, the school, and parents at our school.

Thankyou to Lana and Gabrielle, kindergarten parents that volunteered for the merit selection panels recently. It is great to see new parents getting involved as we do have some parents moving on next year.

A lot to look forward to this month with the Dr Rips Talks for all students and the Appreciation Breakfast for Teachers and Staff that Jeni and Yeonji and coordinating.

Next month is our AGM which we are hoping to hold in person at the school. All positions will be declared vacant & then subject to election. We are looking to file several roles with parents moving on next year so if you know anyone, please reach out so we may continue to deliver great things for our school and student community.

Treasurers Report		Nov-22			
Opening Balance as at		5-Sep-22			\$57,930.49
Date	Description	For	Income	Expenses	
1/10/2022	RSPS P&C membership	Jessica Purwa	\$1.96		
1/10/2022	Interest	Interest	\$35.71		
26/10/2022	Uniform sale	Cash deposit	\$208.00		
27/10/2022	Uniform sale	Cash deposit	\$5.00		
27/10/2022	Uniform sale	Square payments	\$686.63		
1/11/2022	Interest	Interest	\$52.71		
7/11/2022	Square payment	Membership x1 Killian McBide, Teacher's breakfast donatio	\$85.09		
			\$1,075.10		
				\$0.00	
Net loss/gain for month					\$1,075.10
Closing Balance					\$59,005.59



# Principal's Report

## November 2022 P&C Meeting

### Recent Activities

- COVID
  - Term 4 DoE procedures and advice for families are available from the DoE website.
- Stage newsletters have been distributed.
- Film By The City – The Blame Game was a very successful entry. Congrats to Ben and Stage 3. Plans are in the pipeline for an RSPS short film festival in 2023. Watch this space!
- Kindergarten 2023 Orientation and Transition has commenced. The final session is scheduled for tomorrow. Approximately 92 students currently enrolled.
- Sport
  - PSSA has recommenced after numerous wet weather rounds cancelled matches and closed fields. Bus costs and cancellation fees continue to be a concern for schools.
  - K-2 and Support Unit Athletics Carnivals held late last term.
  - Inaugural Sydney FC Cup event held.
  - League Tag sessions being conducted for all students.
- The ySafe cyber safety session for parents held last Thursday provided excellent advice and support for parents managing social media, gaming and screen time. Parent portal has been launched with access to a range of resources for parents.
- Professional Learning – Recently staff have completed:
  - Production Studio equipment and video editing (all teaching staff)
  - New budgeting tool (Principal)
  - LEED (Executive staff)
  - Cyber safety (all staff)
  - Various professional learning associated with individual performance and development plans
- Assessments/Surveys
  - Tell Them From Me – Students, staff and parents
  - House Names – Students, staff and parents
  - Check-in – Years 3-6
  - Phonics – Year 1
  - Staff Evaluation – LISC, Instructional Leadership

### Upcoming Events

- Wednesday 9 November – Olympian visit (Years 3-6)
- Monday 14 November – Stage 3 Dance commences
- Tuesday 15 November – Dr Rip (Years 3-6)
- Wednesday 16 November – Selective High School 2024 applications close
- Friday 18 November – Dr Rip (K-2)



- Week 7 – Swim School and NLE Observations
- Tuesday 29 November – Government High School Orientation
- Wednesday 30 November – Early Stage 1 excursion
- Thursday 1 December – Student Leader elections
- Monday 5 December – P&C AGM
- Tuesday 6 December – Stage 1 excursion
- Wednesday 7 December – Band mini concert
- Thursday 8 December – 6pm Bunnings Christmas performance
- Tuesday 13 December – Presentation Day
- Wednesday 14 December – Reports distributed; Year 6 Farewell
- Friday 16 December – Last day for students; Talent Show; Year 6 Arch

### **Other Information**

#### *Traffic Update*

Fennelly Street - CBUS is still awaiting detailed design drawings from Randwick Council.

Kiss and Drop – Comms re the proposed plan have been distributed to the school community and local residents for comment.

#### *Newmarket Development*

RBHS, RGHS and RSPS continue to work with CBUS and Lendlease to minimise the impact our school communities construction in the area has.

Any queries or concerns about the Newmarket Development, please contact the Lendlease Building project team:

Phone 1800 879 029

Email [newmarket@lendlease.com](mailto:newmarket@lendlease.com)

#### *Outdoor Classroom*

Alex Bitterman has been working with the school. Concept designs have been developed (shown at meeting). These plans are in the process of being checked and minor changes made to ensure compliance with e.g. disability requirements.

#### *Teaching Positions*

*Assistant Principal Curriculum and Instruction* - The panel met again today. Further information shortly  
*Classroom Teacher* (vacant due to promotion) – Advertisement was published last Wednesday. Applications close on Wednesday 16 November 2022.

*Assistant Principal, Special Education* (vacant due to separation) – Advertisement was published last Wednesday. Applications close on Wednesday 16 November 2022.

Joann Sayers  
Principal