

**Warragamba Public School  
P&C Meeting 16 June 2008**

Present

Steve Bloem	Ben Matthews
Barbara Laria	Lauren Ranger
Kelly Callaghan	Glen Ranger
Catherine Davies	Nathan Smith
Michelle McKechnie	Jenny Cooper
Carolyn Lambeth	

Apologies

Nil

Meeting opened 7.05pm

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President's report - Sports Carnival was a great day and would like to pass on thanks to the teachers who were very encouraging. All the kids were having a go at all the activities. Well done.

Treasurer's report - Report distributed see attached

Secretary's report - nil to report

Principal's report - Attached

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**Business arising**

Wish list - Ben has had a look at the bistro blinds and would like to get quotes on a product that is more secure as has concerns that the one he has look at could be easily stolen. This may cost more and the need for 3 quotes to be obtained was discussed.

Working Bee - considering September for working bee. Not to be held on the 6<sup>th</sup> as this is the date of 60 year celebration.

School Crossing- Ben informed the meeting that the Council has some ideas to improve the school crossing. Council advised this will be resolved by the end of August as the staff member involved is pregnant and will need to have the issue of the crossing finalised before going on leave. Steve offered that someone from council may wish to attend P&C meeting. Discussion occurred on the number of egress routes out of the school. Also discussed need for curb and guttering on Farnsworth Avenue.

Family Photo Day - Sunday 23 November will be Family Photo Day. This will give enough time for families to get their photos prior to Christmas.

Location for photos will be outside but if weather is not suitable a studio will be set up inside.

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### **New Business**

Seating in Infants Quad - Carolyn advised that the concrete in the quad is cold, uninviting and filthy with spilt food. Is there alternative seating for kids to eat their lunch such as bring a chair out of the classroom. Ben advised that he will look into this as maybe seating could be arranged. OH&S would need to be considered and if they are moving chairs then this would take some of their play time.

Sunglasses – Barbara showed sunglasses that had been provided as samples to the school which students may wish to purchase. The cost price is small \$5.50, medium \$6.05 and large \$7.15 (amended). Whilst the recommended retail price was \$14.95 it was agreed that the P&C would be happy to sell these at \$10. It was agreed that the small would be unlikely to fit many (if any) students.

Ben offered to show them around to students to see if they would like them, check small size with some kindy kids and provided feedback to the next P&C meeting.

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### **Other business**

Fathers Day Stall – Catherine advised that purchases are nearly complete just need to finalise numbers.

School Photos – Ben circulated new book type photo option from the company that did the school photos this year. Agreed to stick with the individual option this year.

Annual Reports – Positive feedback given on the new annual report this year.

Sports socks - Consider for next year blue socks with white strips.

60<sup>th</sup> Celebration - Theme is not fixed but looking at "Come to our party" and there will be memorabilia to look at. P&C suggested having a stall perhaps tea, coffee and cake. Will consider further details at next meeting.

Meeting closed 8.05pm  
Next meeting 4 August 2008