

BOSSLEY PARK HIGH SCHOOL Incorporated with the P & C COMMUNITY SUPPORT GROUP MINUTES

DATE: 24/03/25

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT TO COUNTY:

We the Bossley Park community would like to acknowledge the traditional custodians of the land on which we stand, the Darug Nation. We also pay our respects to the Elders both past and present. As a school full of many nations, united as one we focus on excellence and success while caring for the land on which we live and learn.

MEETING OPENED: 6:01PM

PERSONS PRESENT: Ask all to sign the sign-on sheet going around Attendance list completed and will be scanned.

MATTERS ARISING FROM THE PREVIOUS MEETING: Nil

CORRESPONDENCE IN:

CORRESPONDENCE OUT:

PRESIDENT REPORT:

Election BBQ – possible election in May, also include a Bake Sale, all funds go back to the school. Kim to assist Grants – Kim Thompson (CLO) to assist Potentially have SRC assist with the cooking and selling of BBQ on Election Day. Donations from local butchers to subsidise cost. Getting details of potential supplier.

TREASURER REPORT:

- Commonwealth Bank Account:
 \$
- School holding in Trust: \$4,742.00

Treasurers report moved by:

PRINCIPAL REPORT: C. Hollis

SRE – 2 providers contacted school
Starting Term 2 Week 2
7-8 Catholic
7-12 Combined Christian
Survey from school community was positive hence the new opportunity.

Roll Call now re-established. Roll call has been positive from teachers in recent survey. Principal Hollis is noticing playground is quiet, no delay no lag.

Annual School Report Now called Annual Report Finalising report and will be published on school website for community to view.

Student Pay through Sentral Exploring new ways to accept payments for the school canteen. Students can pre order lunch or recess from either the Parent Portal or Student Portal. Cut off times for ordering each day. Current procedures: can pre order before school and recess.

Aim to reduce waiting times and waste of food.

Year 10 Formal The school does not organise formals for Year 10 students, the school only organises Year 12 formals yearly. Email sent to parents last year reminding parents/community the school is not liable for the event. Rumours going around saying students might profit from this event.

Enrolments - Currently at 1126 At end of Term 1 executive review will be conducted, Head Teacher position will be placed under review, another placed on review in 2027. Nominated transfers possible to occur, maybe 2 staff members. Not uncommon for schools, however due to declining numbers, this is the reason.

Pulse Alive

Brought together in space of 8 weeks

Over 3000 students participated across the whole NSW.

12 students in our Dance Ensemble attended, a big thank you to Ms Ulbrand for her hard work with these students.

School Infrastructure Projects No update from previous meeting.

DEPUTY PRINCIPAL REPORTS: K. Curic

Open Night Not a big turnout but hoping for a bigger one next year or later in the year. Links Café, food, BBQ were on offer.

HSC Achievers Evening Recognising our Year 12 Class of 2024 students with their outstanding Band 6 results. Dux Huey Ha.

NAPLAN Huge success with all exams taking place in the MPC.

International Women's Day Breakfast in Library for Year 12 girls, teachers and parents, sharing stories of inspiration.

Harmony Week Big success celebrating diversity Flyers not viewing properly in Parent Portal in app. Need to have better communication for next time and post on socials/school website.

Upcoming events:

ANZAC Day, Dawn Service, and Student Led Assembly, working on research project 110 years since landing at Gallipoli, taking place week 1 Thursday, invitation open to CSG Executive and parents on the team. Athletics Carnival

GENERAL BUSINESS:

Some parents have expressed concerns with receiving correspondence from the school. Will assist parents that have issues with either Sentral or School Bytes. Determining which platform is best for email correspondence to school community.

Suggestion of giving parents guidance on how to use the Parent Portals at an information evening. Recording videos and make how to guides for parents.

School camps – discussing why school camps stopped. Costing an issue Statistics show that 50% have expressed they are not going to the Year 12 Study Camp

School Discos Parents willing to help to make events a success

Work experience Potential for Year 9 or 10 students to participate in Work Experience

Robotics Team Funding Extra funding was provided last year.

Sponsorships have been discussed and waiting to hear back.

SRE came about when Chris Hollis was appointed Principal.

Enrolment new procedures put out by DoE in 2018. Principal Hollis discusses with surrounding principals if students enrol in Bossley if they are closer to their school in their catchment.

Curriculum changes for PDHPE Consent letter for changes to the syllabus Expressing concerns regarding what is being taught to Stage 4 and 5 students Letter should be sent at the beginning of the year informing the community of the course content. Content has been removed and teachers instructed to alter language when conveying information.

Discussion regarding Google Classroom Parent Emails

Discussion regarding changing into sport uniforms

NEXT MEETING: 19th May 6PM

MEETING CLOSED: 7:46PM