Minutes
P&C Meeting
18th March 2015 – Bangalow Public School

Meeting opened: 7.35pm  
Chairperson:  Jenny Kennedy

Present:  Margo Simpson, Kari Adams, Peter Doherty, Camilla Butler, Lesley Kermode, Chloe Rowland, Kylie Redden, Sarah Hanna, Susie Boyle, Gavin Burton, Rebecca Sargeant, Anouska Gammon, Jen Cummings, Isaac Brandon, Claire Ryzak, Damion Cavanagh (left at 7.45pm)

Apologies:  Viv Fantin, Tanya Honey, Cath Rogers, Katrina Cavalieri

Minutes of previous meeting:
The minutes were accepted as a true and accurate record. Moved: JB  Seconded:  GB

Business Arising from previous meeting:

Correspondence In:
P&C Journal
Legal Deposit for NSW State Library for Bangalow Banquet
DEC school Global Funding Report
Letter from NSW Labor Candidate for Ballina

Correspondence Out:
Cookbook Coordinator handover letter to Bangalow Banquet stockists

Principal's Report
Presented by SB at meeting.  SB talked about moving P&C discussion of Mad Hatter’s at this week’s assembly.  Agreed by P&C.

SB presented immediate staff wish list for P&C funding allocation, see report for details.

Motion: The P&C agrees to purchase 4 netbooks at cost of $551.34 each to bring the new classroom in line with ICT resourcing of other classrooms within the school. M:  RS S:  CB. All in favour.

President's Report
Presented by JK.  JK made special note of thanks to Utopia for providing fresh fruit and vegetables, chopping and cleaning containers.  Louise Grofski parent organiser picking up and distributing food. Thank you to Pete, Cath and Barry for continuing to run raffles at bowlo and pub.

Treasurer's Report
Presented by RS at meeting.

Canteen Report
Presented by RS at meeting.

Cookbook Report
71 copies left to be sold

Uniform Report
Presented a new dress options to P&C and raincoat option.
Motion: The P&C agrees to update the school dress as per the Uniform Convenor’s sample presented to the meeting. M: AG, S: IB. All in favour.

Motion: The P&C agrees to purchase 35 bottle green raincoats at a cost of $20 each for trial in the uniform shop. M: JB, S: CR. All in favour.

**New Membership**

Rebecca Sargeant, Leslie Kermode, Katie McCloskey, Jessica O'Halloran, Margo Simpson, Jacqui Wood, Sarah Hanna, Sally Cowan, Beth Powditch, Viv Fantin, Melanie Rowsell, Felicity Scott, Alice Cadwell, Vicki Martin, Joelle Baker, Megan Wright, Josh Rogers, Tina Hulbert, Jen Cummings, Peter Doherty

**General Business:**

1. Mad Hatters – proposed budget tabled

Motion: The P&C agrees to approve the Mad Hatters proposed budget of $8022.00. M: PD, S: JB. All in favour.

2. Trivia night – raised $4380

3. Sandpit shelter (carry over)

4. Soccer fencing (carry over)

5. Musical and Art Show - SB spoke about making CAPA productions sustainable. Issues with auction of art last year and the perceived negative aspects of putting a dollar value on creative works (with some fetching higher prices etc). Teachers have proposed a new art exhibition concept with artwork being displayed and then kept in hall longer term for decoration with parents able to donate for art supplies. A second exhibition on landscapes will present works in the hall and also sculptures out in the school grounds.

6. Vegie patch – ideas and solutions for maintaining. Need a coordinator who is able to come in one lunch or recess to work with Yr6. CR suggested we approach the Bangalow Gardening Club to support. CR to approach relevant community garden clubs to seek support. SH suggested we approach Ballina TAFE horticulture students to volunteer or provide expertise.

7. Safety: car parking, bus transport, and pedestrian friendly-access for our students

JK to put an EOI in newsletter for parents to join a car parking/safety committee.

**Meeting closed:**

9.13pm

**Next meeting:**

Wednesday 22nd April