



TUAKAU COLLEGE

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## Tuakau College PTA Meeting Minutes

19<sup>th</sup> September, 2023 at 6:30pm in the Staffroom

**Present:** C Betty (Principal), J Burton, G van Nierkerk (via zoom), S Pearson and S Tregurtha

**Apologies:** Nil

Meeting started at 6:40pm.

Meetings of last meeting read.

**Moved:** G van Niekerk      **Seconded:** S Pearson

### CORRESPONDENCE IN

1. Prizegiving Funding Request
2. Graduation Dinner request
3. Accounts

### CORRESPONDENCE OUT

1. Letter to Daniel Overturn Goulding

### ACCOUNTS

- As of 19/09/23 - 00 - \$3560.34
- As of 19/09/23 - 12 - \$5108.32 (money from lawyers has come through)
- Decided to move \$3000 to the 12 account as that gains more interest.

Accounts report confirmed.

**Moved:** S Tregurtha      **Seconded:** C Betty

### PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

- Roll at 925.
- Roll for next year is at 1030 (still missing students from Tuakau Primary). Predicated to be 1060, but should exceed that.
- Behaviour has improved the last couple of weeks
- Five new classrooms going in. Looking at the end of Term One/start of Term Two before they can come in. Looking at spaces where we can teach. Waiting for final approval for Master Plan for roll growth.
- New staff have started, with some more expected over the following weeks. Two more Physical Education teachers needed, two more Mathematics teachers needed, two more English teachers needed, one more Year

7&8 Teacher needed, one more Science teacher needed, and one Head of Transition. The School Nurse has resigned and leaves at end of this week. Two are replacing her - one part timer and one full timer.

- Head students have been finalised.
- Bus network – we have received a submission back from the Ministry and they are still not willing to fund a bus from Pokeno. C Betty meeting with the Ministry and council on Thursday.
- Changed photocopier suppliers to Canon, from Toshiba.

Move the Principal's Report.

**Moved:** J Burton      **Seconded:** S Tregurtha

#### GENERAL BUSINESS

- Prizegiving funding request – C Betty moved that the PTA give \$500 for prizegiving funding.  
**Moved:** C Betty      **Seconded:** S Tregurtha
- Graduation Dinner request – Move that the PTA give \$10 per student to attend the Graduation Dinner.  
**Moved:** C Betty      **Seconded:** S Tregurtha
- Money received from the old PTA scholarship account was \$3,910.06. C Betty moved that it is to be used for scholarships (like Anita) only.  
**Moved:** C Betty      **Seconded:** J Burton
- Anita – write up for the newsletter.
- 1<sup>st</sup> PTA meeting – have a wine and cheese meeting (PTA meeting 13<sup>th</sup> Feb) – that advertised on new student day. At that meeting get parents organised for Samosa, send out samosa order forms and additional support needed info the next day.
- Samosa fundraising – 14<sup>th</sup> of Feb the forms go out, 11<sup>th</sup> of March due in, 19<sup>th</sup> March pick up.
- Cultural Performance night – beginning of Term 3 (first two weeks) – S Pearson to look into this.

Meeting closed at 7:50pm.

#### NEXT MEETING

Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> November at 6:30pm in the Staffroom