

WILLUNGA HIGH SCHOOL



Meeting Minutes

Team	GOVERNING COUNCIL	Date of meeting	10 May 2021
Chair	Katherine Loney	Location	Willunga High School

Acceptance of Previous Minutes

Attendees	Staff - Kim Hughes, Sharmaine Mills, Haley Przibilla Parents - Katherine Loney (Chair), Jenni Mitton, Kerri Hall & Jason Loney
Apologies	Lauren Cox, Anthony van Ruiten, Lee Graham & Lisa Jones
Absent	
Attachments	

We acknowledge that we are meeting on the traditional country of the Kurna people and we pay our respect to Elders past, and present. We recognise and respect their cultural heritage, beliefs and relationship with the land, which continue to be important to the Kurna people living today.

Acceptance of Previous Minutes

Moved	Kerri Hall
Seconded	Jason Loney
Amendments	

Actions from Previous Meetings / Business Arising

Name	Action

Agenda

Topic lead	Item	Actions (Who & When)
1. Correspondence In	Parent Say Magazine & SA Association of School Parent Communities renewal notice	nil
2. Correspondence Out	Nil	

Reports

Principal	Parent Teacher conferences Very successful, over 1000 appt bookings, 298 parents/families. Whilst numbers slightly down on previous years this could be due to the improved and more consistent use of SEQTA by teachers (provides	
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	<p>families with more up to date information on student progress).</p> <p>Feeder school presentations going well – Willunga and McLaren Vale have been conducted, McLaren Flat next week. Very positive feedback from Principals and families.</p> <p>Training and Development in Term 4 for WHS Teachers around primary teaching with Year 7's arriving in 2022.</p>	
<p>Finance</p>	<p>Financial reports circulated prior to meeting and tabled for GC</p> <p>Canteen showing loss – Kim highlighted that this is due to the transfer of funds for school improvements being funded by GC.</p> <p>10 invoices for write off, totalling \$1792 – majority school card approved at other sites, one small amount on compassionate grounds and also subject fees waived.</p> <p>Moved Kim Hughes Second Katherine Loney</p> <p>Kim proposed that GC approve proceeding with Debt Collection - 345 families to be pursued, total \$203,840</p> <p>Moved Jenni Mitton Second Kerri Hall</p> <p>All in favour</p> <p>Kim acknowledged the outstanding effort of Kellie Sylvester in Finance for keeping on top of fees</p>	
<p>Staff</p>	<p>Year 9 Sammy D Foundation – Year 9 presentation last week Quite confronting for some students and started some good conversations in Naplan taking place this week</p> <p>Year 10 Flinders University mentors visited the school in Week 1 Wellbeing program, PEP talks, good feedback</p> <p>Year 9 & Year 10 Students visited the Japanese – Himeji Garden</p>	



	<p>Student Voice – all levels doing Bullying & Harassment workshop and then reviewing policies and procedures.</p> <p>Arts Showcase – 21 May at Hopgood Theatre</p> <p>Middle School – 8 & 9 Attendance competition for the first 5 weeks, friendly competition amongst home groups. Catered pizza lunch as prize.</p>	
Student Voice	No report	

General Business

Haley	<p>Second Language – IBMYP Auslan & Kaurna not considered international languages so cannot proceed with either of these as an option.</p> <p>Parent interview night there was option for families to make suggestions and vote on preferences.</p> <p>German, French & Italian were the top 3 – next step in consultation will be getting feedback from staff and then the broader school community (perhaps via Facebook).</p>	
Jenni - **by email circulated 24 May**	Request for Long Service Leave made by Nola (Canteen). 31 May to 16 June. Helen will cover Nola during her absence. Moved Katherine Loney – second Jason Loney. All in favour	
Haley	Parents from feeder schools interested in joining Governing Council	

Meeting Closed: 7.00pm

Next Meeting: Week 8, 21 June at 6pm