

MINUTES OF THE HAWERA HIGH SCHOOL PARENT TEACHER ASSOCIATION
HELD ON TUESDAY 9th JUNE 2020 AT 6.15PM

PRESENT: Simon Walton, Peter Mihaljevich, Stephanie Phillips, Jodie Butler, Vikki Lynch, Rachel Williams, Denise Holmes, Anna Goulter

APOLOGIES: Pauline Hurley, Leah Coplestone

Carried: Steph/Denise

MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING: Minutes of the previous meeting were read as correct. Simon and Vicki did not get these. Steph to check the email addresses

Carried: Simon/Steph

MATTERS ARISING:

- Bean bags – do a photo still of these. Find out if they want more.
- Badges for PTA members have arrived. These will be at the next meeting.

Carried: Denise/Simon

CORRESPONDENCE:

Inwards: Nil

Outwards: Nil

Is this going to the school?

Carried: Steph/Denise

FINANCIAL REPORT:	Opening balance: 29/02/20	\$14,517.70
	Deposits:	\$ 6,019.09
	Expenses:	\$ 0.00
	Closing balance 29/02/20	\$20,536.79

It was discussed if we should look to do a term deposit to earn more interest

Carried: Vikki/Steph

PRINCIPALS REPORT:

- Focus has been getting the students back into study after the COVID-19 lockdown. Extra staff have been employed to track students learning. There is a lot of work ahead.
- Managing students back into school and monitoring their mental health.
- Mental Health Services throughout New Zealand have been busy with schools
- There is still a lot of work to be done on the new grounds were buildings. There has been flooding and this has caused the ground to sunken.
- New bus procedure is working well. All bus students from all of the schools now use the gate by the buses; and all other students must use other gates. This is working well to keep students separated.
- Devices only arriving now from the Ministry. 100 Hawera High School devices are being used by students. The ones received by the Ministry will be added to the schools asset schedule

- Mental health guest speaker – could the PTA use their money to help bring someone to the school? The speaker could talk to staff, students and parents. There could be a small charge for the parents to help cover some of the cost? Need to do soon if we are going to do. We discussed Nathan Wallis

Carried: Rachel/Steph

GENERAL BUSINESS:

- Push the PTA survey to the parents out to next term.
- Discussed a social PTA get together.

ACTIONS:

PTA badges	Bring to next meeting	Denise
Bean bags	Photos of bean bags and a write up in a newsletter	Steph/Denise
Speaker	Find out from Mr Pintor the costs of Nathan Wallis	Denise
PTA Survey	Ideas of what questions we could put in the survey	Committee
PTA Survey	Put the AGM Survey together - go out next term	Rachel/Denise

Meeting Dates: Next meeting Tuesday 11th August at 6.15pm

Meeting closed at 7.35pm

Confirmed as correct:

Simon Walton, Chairperson

Date