

KIRKWOOD INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL PTA MEETING

Wednesday 16 March 2011

Meeting opened 8.05pm

PRESENT: Kim Berquist (Chair), Chris Philpott, Kirsty Anderson (Teacher Rep), Phil Tappenden (Principal), Debby Taylor, Rachael Stott, Mary Botting, Dianne Downward, Heather Barr, Lynn McKenzie, Wayne Dixon, Victoria Sergel, Karen Anderson, Lea-Ann Dow.

APOLOGIES: Sarah Hazlewood, Helen Evans

PREVIOUS MINUTES: These having been circulated were approved as accurate with Wayne and Karen added to the apologies

MATTERS ARISING:

Hockey Equipment – An invoice has been received for the playground hockey for \$539.

MOVED: that the invoice for the playground hockey be paid. Kim/Chris

CARRIED

CORRESPONDENCE:

MATTERS ARISING:

Treasurers report: Alredy presented at AGM

MATTERS ARISING: Nil

PRINCIPALS REPORT: Already presented at AGM

MATTERS ARISING: Nil

GENERAL BUSINESS:

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Teacher Interviews – The question was asked if it was possible to book teacher interviews on line. This is being organised hopefully for the next ones.

PE Uniforms – Victoria reported on PE uniform discussion at BOT. She has been given the task of looking into a new PE uniform and was wanting help. Karen and Deb have offered assistance.

Uniforms – Question was asked, could the culottes have the adjustable elastic waist that some other clothing has. This would make it easier to get the correct fit for each girl. Those present thought this to be a good idea. Victoria will take this suggestion to the BOT.

Quiz Night Prizes – A number of donated spot prizes were left over from the quiz night. These include a number of hats and t-shirts as well as a DVD (Nanny McPhee) and 2 signed rugby balls. It was suggested that the DVD go to the library and Phil will take the other things and sort out what to do with them. It was suggested that as the rugby balls were signed, some sort of competition could be used to give them away, or they could be put on “Trade Me”. Kirsty will look into the best option for the rugby balls.

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