**WARNERVALE P&C ASSOCIATION**

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**Date:** 8th May 2012
**Meeting Opened:** 1.05pm
**Attendance:** See the book.
**Apologies:** Melissa Turner, Melissa Turner, June Wallbank, Jason and Leanne Nicholson, Dee Molina, Alison Bancroft, Anne Marie McClelland, Harold Raff,

**Minutes:** Sent out via email, posted on school website, read by Bronwyn, minutes be accepted, Moved Maryanne Barton, seconded Nicole Lothian

**Matters Arising:** Bob Burch from WSC said the new parking signage has been approved. Time to educate the parents and give notice in advance prior to the installation possibly over the school July holidays. Biggest Morning Tea has been co-ordinated by Melissa Turner (Snr) before assembly on Monday May 28th. Choir to possibly perform at assembly, Sarah M asked to check for labeling if cakes are being sold to children.

**Correspondence:** (In)- Fundraising information
(Out)- Thank you letter from P&C to Wyong Shire Council re gardening maintenance carried out on Ebony Drive.

**Presidents Report:** See below (fundraising and uniforms)

**Fundraising:** 27 Easter raffle prizes, many winners, raised $764.26, thank you for all the donations. Hot Cross Bun orders raised about $156 and Cross Country sausage sizzle raised $294.50.

**Uniforms:** Second hand Uniforms to be displayed on a hanging rail, need donations of coat hangers. Sale dates to be advised, possibly before or after assembly on a Monday.

**Treasurer:** March 2012 report read and tabled.
April 2012, read by Kirsty Raff as follows:

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Closing Balance  $2,267.02

Oustanding cheques $139.45 Swim caps

Estimated balance $2,127.57

**Principals Report:**

**Enrolment – 431**

**2012 Staffing**

Mrs Donohoe – leave form end of Term 2 – staffing has not been finalised for 1D

Term 2 Leave – Mrs Nakhoul, Mrs Wilkins, Miss Moran

Mrs Hanan – leave, Mrs Mudie will be on leave from May 23

Mr Alexander is currently assisting in the writing of the Science syllabus for the Board of Studies.

**Professional Learning**

December 20 / May 12 – Assessment and Reporting

Technology – ongoing sessions each fortnight

**L3 and L2 Programs**

Kindergarten teachers are receiving training each fortnight in **L3** – Literacy, Language, and Learning. This program requires children are taught in small groups of 3 – very intensive, amazing results. Mrs Pitts is being trained in a pilot program **L2** individual students are given intensive support with their Literacy skills 30 mins per day. Similar to Reading Recovery program.

**Learning and Support**

Originally Funding Support and Support Teacher Learning Assistance

Major changes to this system will take place in Term 3

No longer will funding be given for Individual students as in previous years – we will receive an allocated teaching position and a much smaller amount of funding.

**Sport**

Fundraiser on Monday for Cassidy who is representing NSW at Nationals

Regional trials in various sports are on at present and various children are trying out.

Shaun Paes is running 30 min fitness sessions for all Year 4 – 6 classes

LMG Sport has commenced for Term 2

K – 2 are participating in Sport for Life Athletics

Athletics Carnival will be held on June 15: 8 yrs + Warnervale Oval K – 2 – School

**JRock**

Well underway. Requests for assistance with costumes in the next few weeks

**Environmental Project**

30 children are involved in a special project 4 sessions and a special day in collaboration with Louise Duff, the Regional co-ordinator of Wetland Care Australia, we will study the Porter’s Creek Wetland and Warnervale Catchment, wetland flora, our school vegetation and the water cycle. This unique opportunity has only been offered to 3 schools in the area. Our Environmental Club students will develop critical thinking skills and deepen their knowledge and understanding of one of their special interests.

First Prize for our Vegetable / Herb display at The Gosford Show
Harmony Day – March 21
Very successful day program was held. Thank you for your support for Fruit Break

Anzac Day
Successful series of activities were held for all students in 2/3 H – Year 6. Ceremony was also well attended.

Year 6 Leadership
Captains will be attending a Leadership Forum with other Central Coast Schools on Friday May 11

SRC
Stewart House Mufti raised $366
Disco tonight to support JRock

Annual School Report
Tabled and discussed

School Plan 2012-2014
Tabled and discussed

You Can Do It
Would love to encourage you all to attend the parent Session, next Wednesday at 2 pm in Library.

Photos
Possible change of company for 2013 – will discuss after photo packs have arrived.

DATES for Term 2
May 11   Leaders Forum
         Environmental Project
May 14   Fundraiser for Cassidy
May 15, 16, 17  NAPLAN Year 3 & 5
May 16   You Can Do It Presentation
May 25   Environmental Project
May 28   Cancer Council Fundraiser
May 29   Hansel and Gretel Opera
May 30   Kindergarten Dental Check
June 1   Mufti Day – Year 6 Fundraiser

General Business:
You Can Do It  Presentation for parents by the same facilitator, all welcome to attend. Wednesday May 16th at 2 pm in the Library.

Pixie Photo  A few issues with communication, possibility of changing to another company used by other schools in the area. Possibly Advanced. Will discuss at a P&C meeting when information arrives from other companies.

Biggest Morning Tea  2-6 Assembly for Monday May 28th. Melissa Turner to co-ordinate. Choir Performance. Please make sure if we are selling the cakes to children at recess food must be labeled.

OC Class for 2013  Meeting this Thursday 10th May, for OC class information in the office.

Girls Tights  Jill will follow up with Lowes regarding availability of tights
For winter school uniform.
Mothers Day Stall  
Wed 9th May, Thurs 10th May and Friday 11th May. Thank you to all the parents helping to serve on the stall. A huge thank you to Rachael Raccani- Hewitt for all the time and creative effort to produce wonderful hand made gift tags. There are 10 different choices of gifts for the children to purchase including, travel mugs, beaded bracelets, porcelain mugs, shower sets, votive candles, glamourous key rings, photo frames and more.

March AGM  
We will look into the possibility of moving the AGM to a March date instead of November. Research and check our P&C constitution. Purpose: to enable new families an opportunity to attend this meeting, contribute and maybe take up a position on the committee.

Invitation to P&C  
Work on a welcoming initiative to provide a personal invitation to P&C meetings for Kindergarten parents and carers and new families to the school.

Christmas Event  
First Planning Meeting is on Wednesday 16th May at 7pm. Meet at Lake Haven MacDonalds. Maryanne Barton offered some pergolas if needed from Coleman for shade or wet weather.

Canteen News  
Canteen meeting to be organised by Sarah M with Lynn and parent representatives, involvement in planning, discuss menu, food ideas, make money, provide for families. More variety including banana bread, base tomato sauce cooked, soups, sausage rolls, pastas, lasagne etc. New Lisarow butcher, P&C people to build rapport with businesses and the Toukley Fruit Shop. Communicate with Lynn regarding shopping for ingredients for baking etc.

P&C Email  
Please note new P&C email address, we could not find the password to old email address. We now use warnervalepandc@gmail.com

Meeting closed: 2.45 pm
Next meeting: Tuesday 12th June 7pm

Bronwyn Barnes
16.5.12