Magdalene Catholic High School

Parents and Friends Annual General Meeting

5 May 2015

7pm

• Prayer
• Present and apologies: Please see Principal’s list.
• Minutes from previous meeting: seconded by Isabell Potts
• Principal’s Report – please see attached.
  o Half yearly exams for Years 9, 10, 11, 12
  o Naplan next week
  o Catechist program starts next week
  o 12 June winter sleep out
  o Magdalene Shines – 16 June to involve Year 12 students
  o Last Monday – school song released on CD
  o Da Vinci program at Mt Annan Christian School did well for gifted students
• Business Arising
  o Shading for play area – cost $50,000 (school to obtain 3 quotes before go ahead)
    ▪ Cancer Council to be contacted regarding the effects of white concrete on
epilepsy and pterygiums; sunglasses at a reduced price; SRC to look into
cost of glasses
  o Request for support for electronic signage at student bus stop – to highlight bus
numbers to students and convey messages where necessary (suggested cost
$50,000) quotes to be obtained by school.
  o Cathy McDonald to contact Chris Patterson’s office regarding Community Building
Partnership grant. Find out: when available; for how much and where it can be
spent.
• General Business
  o Facebook page about to go live
  o Future school hall discussed
• Treasurer’s Report – please see report
• Parent Consultation Committee
  o Mrs Kaperonis talking about assessment for learning procedure
  o Danny Avelos discussed technology
  o Parent technology survey to Years 7 and 8 for feedback
  o How to engage students and teachers to come out for all to comment
• Correspondence
  o Uni entrance
  o Fund raiser Cadbury chocolates
  o Catholic School Parent Assembly - 16, 17 May at Coffs Harbour
  o Felton Industries – school park and street furniture
  o Council of Catholic School Parents – leadership advocacy and support (CCSP)

Meeting closed: 8.45pm

Next meeting: Tuesday 28 July, 2015