# Minutes of a Meeting of the Whangaparaoa College Board of Trustees held on Wednesday 10 March 2010 at 25 Delshaw Avenue, Whangaparaoa, commencing at 6.30pm.

# **Present**

Mark Powell, Gilly Noon, Grant Dabb, Peter van Kampen, Trish Nathan, Greg Ellis, Berneece Tait, Wendy Glamuzina, Brian O'Connell.

## In Attendance

Ginny Catterall (Board Secretary)

## <u>Apologies</u>

Stephen Parker, Courtney Morgan.

# Minutes of the Previous Meeting

Motion: That the minutes of the previous meeting held on 10<sup>th</sup> February 2010 be approved with amendments as a true and correct record.

Moved: Greg / Gilly

## <u>Update on Action Points from Previous Minutes</u>

## a) NCEA Report

Brian needs more time to complete this as there is an error in the data. It will be presented at the next meeting.

b) IT Policy update

Deferred to next meeting.

# **Correspondence**

Inwards: (for Information Only)

- a) MOE re National Standards
- b) NZSTA re Renegotiation of Teachers' and Principals' Collective Agreements
- c) NZSTA re Ratification of Support Staff Collective
- d) NZSTA re Paid Union Meetings and Requirements to keep schools open
- e) NZSTA re Update on Paid Union Meetings
- f) NZSTA re Triennial BOT Elections
- NZSTA re Review of Transferring Employee Requirements Under the FRA
- h) ERO re ERO Reviews in 2010

Motion: That the inwards correspondence be accepted.

**Moved Mark** 

## **Principal's Report**

Report Presented.

## 1. Targets

Attendance Targets have been set for all year levels. Work completion rates are being reported from classes.

Brian

#### 2. International Students

A summary will be presented in July.

#### 3. New Learners

Two staff have been allocated to monitoring new learners to the school.

#### 4. National Standards

The college will continue to use Asttle. Reporting on standards is not due until 2012. We will take the middle ground. The next update will be at the June meeting.

Brian

## 5. Extra Expenditure

Report presented.

Extra spending is required on shading windows.

#### 6. Draft 10YPP

A very healthy position for funding from property plan.

Motion: That the draft summary of the 10YPP as presented is accepted.

Moved Greg / Peter

# 7. Delegated Authorities

Motion: That the Delegated Authorities as presented are accepted.

Moved Grant / Peter

## 8. Proposed Vanuatu Trip

The trip proposed by Vicky Tarr is endorsed by the Board and is to be presented in the context of overseas trips.

Brian

## 9. Library Report

Resources are to be allocated to the silent reading area. The Board thanks the librarian for reporting and commends her on the work she is doing.

# 10. March 2010 Draft Revision of Operating Budget

Motion: That the draft budget as presented is accepted.

Moved Grant / Peter

# **Finance**

- a) The deficit has increased due to depreciation and write-offs.
- 5YPP funds are to be added to the annual accounts following advice from the auditors.

Motion: the Annual Accounts as presented are accepted.

Moved Peter / Greq

# Policy, Guidelines and Review

Five policies as presented were reviewed and updated.

- a) Procedure for Property Management
- b) HIV Aids
- c) Procedure for Management Units
- d) Professional Development
- e) Financial Management

Paper copies are to be signed off by Brian after the board meetings.

### **Property**

- 1. The Clean and Tidy school is underway. More rubbish bins and noticeboards have been added to the capital budget.
- 2. A new recycling system for paper is to be introduced.
- 3. Priorities for money left in the budget are 1. The area between Te Maramara o Tane and A Block. 2. A door for the admin staffroom 3. The area between A block

- and the gym.
- 4. Window shading is yet to be completed.
- 5. Draft 5YA plan presented. Shows a very healthy financial position through to 2018.
- 6. STA block issues are to be resolved at the Ministry's cost.
- 7. A function will be organised before the end of term to thank the property team.

# **General Business**

a) It was agreed at the committee meeting held on 10<sup>th</sup> March 2010 of the Whangaparaoa College Board of Trustees to apply to Pub Charity, the Lion Foundation, the Perry Foundation and the Trillian Trust each for a donation of \$15,887.50 to fund costs of a climbing wall.

I certify that this is a true and correct record of a resolution passed at this meeting.
Signed: Ginny Catterall  Board of Trustees Secretary
Student Issues
At the next board meeting Berneece will present a report on behaviour including improvements, recommendations etc.
Signed: Mark Powell, Chairman
Meeting Closed at 7.50pm. Next meeting: Wednesday April 14, 2010 at 6.30pm.

**Berneece** 

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