Kariong Public School P and C Association
Minutes of the General Meeting held 16 February 2015

Meeting opened 7:30pm
Attendance as per attendance list. Apologies: Kylie Stephenson, Paul Jacobson, Danielle Beckman, Chris Styant, Jodie Williams, Justine Abell.

Confirmation of the previous minutes:
Moved: Bronwyn Lewis
Seconded: Rowena See
THAT: We accept the previous minutes CARRIED

Business Arising
N/A

Reports
Presidents Report
Swimming Carnival was a great success and a fun day for all involved. Congratulations to Kathleen Styant for being elected Central Coast Councillor for the P&C Federation.

Principals Report:
Report Tabled

Treasurers Report:

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Fundraising Convenors:
No report

Environment Committee:
No report

Publicity Officer:
Need to renew request for Bunnings and Masters BBQ.

CCC P&C Delegate:
No meetings held since October. Next meeting will be held 23rd February at Wyong public school.

THAT: The reports are accepted
Moved: Brooke Harvey
Seconded: Bernadette Grace CARRIED
Correspondence

- Sharryn Brownlee - NSW In Focus - 21 November 2014- Great to see Gonski Funding no 1
- Sharryn Brownlee - SMH : Gonski funding flows to most needy of NSW schools
- Sharryn Brownlee - Improving standards: Back to school for our teachers I dailytelegraph.com.au
- Sharryn Brownlee - The Daily Telegraph: Looking to the clouds to keep kids at school for longer
- Sharryn Brownlee - Universal Human Rights Day event 11th December - last 'Konversation' for 2014
- Sharryn Brownlee - HSC exams marked ahead of schedule but NSW students still have three-week wait for results - ABC News
- Sharryn Brownlee - Wyong Primary School canteen EOI
- Sharryn Brownlee - ACARA Civics & Citizenship report released today can be found on the National Assessment Program
- Sharryn Brownlee - Mannering Park PS Canteen supervisor advertisement
- Sharryn Brownlee - Minister Victor Dominello announces the appointment of the NSW advocate for Children and Young People
- Sharryn Brownlee - Canteen Monthly update - Get your canteen ready for 2015, Celebrating 10 years of Fresh Tastes @ School
- Sharryn Brownlee - Thursday 11 December evening with Rod Bower and Hector Farias - POSTPONED
- Sharryn Brownlee - Scoop! [Interview with Adrian Piccoli]
- Sharryn Brownlee - Human Rights Awards honour quiet Australian heroes Ms Hoddinott the principal of Holroyd High School received the prestigious Human Rights Medal
- Sharryn Brownlee - NSW public schools are to adopt a new benchmark for educational excellence to boost student achievement - PS News December 17th 2014
- Sharryn Brownlee - First NSW Advocate for Children and Young People
- Sharryn Brownlee - Government Gazette - extension of Administrator plus BOSTES appointment
- Sharryn Brownlee - Daily Telegraph: School closures highlight BER waste across NSW
- Sharryn Brownlee - The Age/SMH: Religious instruction faces massive enrolments drop, funding uncertainty
- Sharryn Brownlee - Parliament of NSW - Committees - Reports Home Schooling
- Sharryn Brownlee - Court orders to combat truant NSW kids up by half in two years I dailytelegraph.com.au
- Sharryn Brownlee - Ethics classes provider appeals to public for support - SMH Amy McNeilage
- Sharryn Brownlee - So concerns about teachers and literacy are not entirely new!!
- Sharryn Brownlee - FW: Teaching literacy a complex mix of methods I smh.com.au
- Sharryn Brownlee - Lament over standards as aspiring teachers flop literacy I Herald Sun
- Sharryn Brownlee - School attendance crackdown aims to boost school performance in Australia against Asia
- Sharryn Brownlee - Teacher training fails on literacy I The Australian
• Sharryn Brownlee - Revised P&C Federation Constitution Gazetted 16th January 2015
• Sharryn Brownlee - SMH Editorial: Much to learn from Gonski’s approach
• Sharryn Brownlee - Central Coast Express Advocate Gosford, 30 Jan 2015. NSW Education Minister ignores local parents
• Sharryn Brownlee - The Third Learning Difference Convention!
• Sharryn Brownlee - Shade and seating forum at Mingara 18th February 2015
• Sharryn Brownlee - AUSTRALIAN COUNCIL ON CHILDREN AND THE MEDIA (ACCM) E-Bulletin January 2015 Senate inquiry into online safety for Children
• Sharryn Brownlee - NSW Public Education Foundation News- Gosford High School Alumni Scholarship & 2015 Awards dinner save the date
• Sharryn Brownlee - CCC P&C General Meeting 23rd February 2015 7pm for 7.30pm Wyong PS
• Sharryn Brownlee - PS NEWS: State's first online school opens
• Sharryn Brownlee - NSW public schools are to adopt a new benchmark for educational excellence to boost student achievement
• Sharryn Brownlee - SMH - Teaching degrees fail to get a pass mark: review
• Sharryn Brownlee - Minister Pyne - Media Release - Teacher education review calls for critical reform

Motions on Notice
N/A

General Business

• P&C Federation Board Elections (Discussed in Presidents Report)
• THAT: Kariong Public School P&C will support the nomination of Brett See as Delegate or Councillor for P&C Federation.
  Moved: Kathleen Styant
  Seconded: Brooke Harvey
  CARRIED

• Kindy Welcome BBQ
  THAT: We allow $400 for the purchase of catering supplies for the Kindergarten Welcome BBQ
  Moved: Patty Polson
  Seconded: Bronwyn Lewis
  CARRIED

• Teachers Support Fund to be paid.
• Recruitment of helpers for fundraising and P&C events.
• Cake stall and BBQ at State Election 28th March (Agenda)

Meeting Closed: 8:54pm

Next Meeting: AGM followed by General Meeting, 16 March 2015 – 7:30pm