Xavier College Parents & Friends
General Meeting – Minutes
(Subject to acceptance at the next general meeting)
6 September 2016

Meeting opened: 7.10pm

Attendance and Apologies: Vicky Wilmington

Opening prayer” Read by Mr Patrick Finnerty

Previous Minutes: Not yet accepted - incomplete

Business arising from previous meeting:-

Pavers are no longer on school grounds.

Correspondence in/out:

NIL

Principal’s report: -

• The School is assisted in running by the Leadership team, not just the principal.
• Year 9 – expression of interest for camp ($330-$360) as the fee is not included in the school fee. 60 children have advised that they would like to attend the camp. The students suggested 3 events rather than the camp (cost roughly $110) – Luna Park, Jamberoo and disco – rather than a camp.
• School is looking at Naplan and the breakdown of results. Literacy and Numeracy (band 8) benchmarks must be met for the child to be awarded the Higher School Certificate.
• The school received negative feedback on school photos. Year photos will only be in the College Year Book.
• Year 12 students will wear a gown for their graduation.
• Hosting a morning tea tomorrow for the 38 year 12 kids who were nominated for awards.
• Penrith Show went very well.
• Walk-a-thon rescheduled for 15 September 2016.

Assistant Principal’s Report –

• Newsletter information – if there are any suggestions please forward to Mr Finnerty.

Presidents Report – Laura Muller

• Thank you to Fiona for organising prizes for the Walk-a-thon. Any assistance for judging etc. you can volunteer.
• Annual Xavier Carnival – 4 November 2017. Assistance is required to organise the carnival.
• Chocolates are still sold in Uniform Shop. Possibility of once a week selling them with kids from school.
Treasurers Report

Closing balance is $2,769.73. 1 cheque still to come out for movie tickets.

Vice Presidents Report – Fiona Bax

NIL

PRC Report

- HSC Changes discussed.
- $4,000 grant for Partnership – school should consider applying.
- Discussion on how to teach your kids to deal with anxiety – possibly term 4 parent forum.
- PRC now has sponsorships

NIL email for General business.

General Business:

- NIL

Meeting closed @ 8.26pm.
Next meeting: 1 November 2016.