

Freedom Model of Spider – 7pm in Staffroom.

We had three lovely ladies attend Megan’s presentation on how to use the new and approved Spider system. The system enables parents and caregivers with internet access, to access and view details of their child’s progress, report information, credit summaries and attendance etc. It allows the booking of interviews and payment of school activities among many other useful things.

For those who couldn’t make it to the evening, Megan is available at the school office to help, and also during school hours during the PST Interviews on 13th June.

Huge thanks to Megan Lea for her time and expertise.

Minutes of the Bream Bay College PTA

Meeting held on Wednesday 10th April 2019.

Present:

Wayne Buckland, Bev Webb, Sharon Carroll , Maree Wright, Vinnie Whyte.

Apologies:

M: Shaz S: Maree

Yvonne Boakes.

Minutes from last meeting:

M: Maree S: Shaz

Approved.

Correspondence – In and Out:

- Fun Run letters.

Bream Bay College PTA Treasurers Report - 31/03/19 to 11/04/19

PTA ACCOUNT Opening Balance **\$ 5322.49**

Income

2nd Hand Uniforms 2019 \$ 25.00

Refund

Millers Meats - Sausages \$ 130.44

Closing Balance SHOULD BE **\$ 7097.93**

NOTE - Report Difference \$1620.00 which Katrina needs to sort with Auditor.
Back in 28/02/18 report Balance of Furniture Expenses???

Closing Balance ON REPORT 31/03/19 **\$ 5477.93**

FUN RUN ACCOUNT

Still to be transferred into PTA Account **\$ 3948.27**

Principals Report:

Wayne Buckland

- On 03 May there was a Fire Arms Incident at the college, where a couple of students brought BB guns to school. Teachers at the college assumed correctly that the guns were BB guns and not real, but on debriefing later the school realised that a big percentage of the teachers could not differentiate between a toy or real firearm. It was concluded that the school's response should have been to call 111 and lock down the school. One of the students involved has already left the school.
- The School Ball went well. Students were well behaved and scrubbed up quite nicely!
- Show Quest. Well done to the students from Bream Bay College for another First Place, and numerous other awards.
- Vaccinations. In response to the Measles outbreak in New Zealand, the school is trying to update its database to include the vaccination history for each student. 210 students have yet to advise the office. Measles is a highly infectious viral illness that can be very serious. Unimmunised students who have been in contact with someone suspected of having measles are being advised to stay at home. It can take 7-14 days for a contact who has become infected with measles to start having symptoms. You can spread the illness to others during this time.
- The next PST day is booked for Thursday 13th June between 10am & 6.30pm. Parents of children who are of concern to the school will be contacted and encouraged to attend.

General Business:

M: Shaz

S: Maree

- **Ball Security.** Thanks to Mike Swords, Derek Heiwari, Andrew Wright, Andrew Whyte, Stu Neal & Matthew Spragg.
- **Ball catering** - Maree to discuss with Wayne re fundraising effort. Huge thanks to Mez Carter, Teri Mclvoy, Fran Powel & all the well-mannered and hardworking Year 10s for helping.
- **Quiz Night Fundraisers.** Shaz has booked a Quiz night at the Raza for Year 10 students fundraising for their upcoming trip on the Spirit of New Zealand. The students need to organise prizes and Auction items to help make money over and above the ticket prices.
- **Race Days.** Thanks to Sonya Hiki for continuing to coordinate parents wanting to fundraise for various school events.
- **Fun Run.** Reminder to approach Fresha Valley & Harcourts for sponsorship.
- **Working Bee.** With the old whare removed on 4th May there is a bit of mess to clean up. Matthew will organise the removal of the rubbish, and PTA have been asked if they could supply and sow some grass seed. Shaz mentioned that Paul Copland might be willing to help with the aid of some of his machinery.
- **Common Room.** Wayne asked if the PTA might want a project in the form of renovating the Year 13 common room. It needs a deck on the south side, new ranch slider with overhang and new cladding. There will be asbestos in the materials requiring replacement, and the feeling was that it might require more expertise and money than the PTA have, although Vinnie did volunteer the services of her husband, and Wayne thought that Northpine might be able to supply some of the wood free of charge. We will discuss at the next meeting...

Date of Next Meeting: Wednesday 12th June.

Other dates – 24 July, 14 August, 11 September, 23 October, 13 November, 11 December.

Meeting Closed 9.40pm