

Casino West Public School Parents and Citizens Association Meeting 31 August 2022



Meeting opened: 3.44pm

Attendees: Lesley Mills, Donna Goldthorpe, Dean Campbell, Renea Scott, Julie Ewart, Felice Perkins and Gwendolyn Gray.

Apologies: Sue-Ellen Patch

Minutes from last Meeting

Read by:	Donna Goldthorpe
Moved by:	Felice Perkins
Seconded by:	Renea Scott

Correspondence

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Chris Gulaptis dated 11/08/22 Ref:8976 	Read by: Felice Perkins Moved by: Donna Goldthorpe Seconded by: Renea Scott
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Treasurer Report

<p>Money Raised: Athletics Carnival - Cupcake stall and sausage sizzle 50% split with SRC</p> <p>Other: GNF Casino \$100.00; Casino West Newsagency \$200.00; Riverview Gardens and Landscape Supplies \$30.00 all donations for the Casino West Art Show 2022.</p> <p>Expenses: Federation fees and total: \$797.00</p> <p>Account Balance as at 31/08/2022: \$37841.67</p>	Read by: Renea Scott Moved by: Seconded by:
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Principal Report

<p>Please see overleaf</p>	Read by: Lesley Mills Moved by: Seconded by:
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Membership:

<p>No new memberships. Vice President position: Open</p>	Read by: Donna Goldthorpe Moved by: Seconded by:
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Principal Report

It has been a busy term with many activities and projects undertaken.

Students have been engaged in dance groups, athletics, performance shows, Stewart House, Aboriginal Education Group STEM camp and Interest Groups have been introduced; teachers run interest groups of around 8 children for 2-3 week blocks on a Wednesday afternoon. All activities have been extremely successful.

NAPLAN results went home to families of Year 3 and Year 5 students today and school result tables should be published very soon. This data is used to inform our school teaching and learning programs. This information also goes into our Annual School Report.

The placement of concrete areas for handball courts and Stage 3 eating area are waiting for tables to be bolted on, this should happen soon. The curriculum shed is just about complete and will house new maths and science equipment boxes for class borrowing.

We have been successful with the Queens Jubilee Project thanks to the P&C and have received \$20,000 to create garden areas in the school. There will be a morning or afternoon tea for the planting of this project early in term 1 and families will be invited to come and plant a tree with their children.

Our school is engaged in a project with all Casino Schools to gauge the needs of the Casino community through the eyes of our students and their families. We will be having a student forum on Monday 5 Sept with students who have returned their permission slips.

Year 3/4 and year 5/6 students have received information about their class excursions and everyone is very excited. Year 5/6 are going to Sea World, staying overnight and then to Australia Zoo the following day. Years 3 and 4 are heading for a long day excursion to Currumbin Sanctuary. Thank you to the P&C for supporting the cost of these excursions to make them cheaper for all families.

Our proposed Art Show is gathering momentum with sponsors and applicants alike. There will be prizes and lucky door draws for those attending. Details to be finalised very soon.

Tell Them From Me survey is now open and we are going to encourage families to fill in the survey on the office iPad and offer a raffle entry for a prize for those who do. This survey will be undertaken by students in years 4-6, teachers and families, the link will be placed on Facebook and Skoolbag this week.

Lesley Mills
Principal

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Business arising:

Polly Esta booked for SRC Mini Fete Wk8/T4

Thursday 1 December
Booking for 3hrs (\$410.00). P&C to pay.

P&C letter written to:

John Baker Director, Janelle Saffin MP and Chris Gulaptis MP regarding ongoing concerns with Casino West PS not having a fully fenced yard.

Letters completed 5 August 2022

Response from Chris Gulaptis 11 August 2022

Lesley Mills spoken with John Baker re letter. He advised to f/u with Assets team and continue to report security issues.

Dorrroughby Environment Centre:

Tamlin has advised pH level sample showed result pH 6-9. Suitable for grevilleas for example. If get dirt mounds need to aim for this same pH level.

Plumbing works will be commence shortly in area near basketball court for taps. Considering automated sprinkler system in future.

Plants to be purchased from a selection of Nurseries i.e. Windarra, Riverview Gardens and Landscape Supplies, Youngberry's Nursery.

Julie going to request a flowering plant list from Windarra Nursery.

Ceremony date is 21 October 2022. Ceremony to occur in the small garden area on the cnr Lockett and Hotham Street.

Plantings to develop into a dense garden so bird attracting. Will be good backdrop for the signage on this corner.

Hoodies:

50% payment has been made. Hoodies will soon be in production and should arrive early in term 4.

Greenway Park PS:

Still considering options to thank staff for their considerable support to our school community. - Julie to f/u

School Crossing:

No action as yet. - Julie to f/u

Canteen:

Hospitality Student has withdrawn from course, so will not be coming to CWPS canteen.

Canteen balance is approximately \$51,000. Approximately \$20,000 is from the FIA /Flood Grant funds and of this approximately \$12,000 still to be utilized.

Those who expressed interest in volunteering to be contacted as not returned paperwork for necessary clearances. Julie to f/u

Tell them from Me Survey

Open for Years 4-6, Teachers and families. To encourage families to complete, families will go into a raffle to win a TV. To be put into Newsletter, on Facebook and Skoolbag app to promote.

Book Week Parade was a success. Children very engaged and participated in dress ups. Families really supportive.

Carer enquiry

Carer enquired if it is possible for the children that have sensory issued to maybe get NAIDOC shirts instead. P&C considering.

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Casino West Art Show

Visit by Gwendolyn Gray from Cassino Gallery.

On offer from Cassino Gallery:

Casino West PS Fundraiser 'Sip n Paint'

- Date: 23 September 2022
- Time: 6.30pm
- Address: Cassino gallery
- Price: \$50.00/per person (max 20)
- BYO: no children.

Costs to Gallery: \$10.00 per person/ Gallery will invoice.
Resulting in an \$800.00 donation (based on 20 participants)
Casino West PS to organize ticketing. Try Booking or Event Bright.
P&C to advertise and Gallery on Facebook.

Judges available:

- Ralph Smith
- Gwendolyn Gray
- Faith Denny

Cassino Gallery 1st Prize

1:1 session with Artist for 1hr lesson valued at \$70.00

Confirm date and time of next meeting: 19 October 2022

Meeting closed 5.15pm

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Casino Gallery will judge artworks from 4.30pm on Thursday 27 October 2022.

\$10.00 cost per artwork entry for students (primary and high school)

\$20.00 cost per artwork entry for adults

Artwork MUST BE READY TO HANG to be accepted. Artwork must be no larger than _____?????

Casino West PS will have a 20% commission taken if artwork sold.

Gold coin donation on entry to Art Show

Guests will receive a raffle ticket for lucky door prizes and stickers to indicate their favourite artwork – 'People's Choice'

Entry form MUST BE RECEIVED no later than 8 October 2022???

Artworks can be supplied to the school hall on ?_____?? ARTWORK WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED AFTER THIS DATE.

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Casino West PS students

45 CANVAS are available - \$10.00 entry fee which covers the cost of canvas and artwork entry.

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- Dean f/u St Mary's for freestanding boards (GA Paul Lyons)
 - Julie f/u tracking system and coloured backing board for hall
 - Lesley / Felice f/u flyers
 - Donna f/u flyer for Sip n Paint
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TIPS from Gwen Gray 0432 111 790 /Casino Gallery

Framed canvas, ready to hang, no tape or string.

Layout for art show – complimentary colours