

# St Mary's Parent Teacher Association

## Minutes of Meeting held 26<sup>th</sup> November 2008, 7.30 pm

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**Present:** Angela Sutherland, Julie Gray, Henri Egger, Chris Te Whare, Kate Keaney, Janette Hale, Necia Marriner, Yvonne Piebenga, Andrea Colby, Leon Volschenk.

**Teacher Rep:** Julie Gray

**Apologies:** Nyree Grigsby and Susan Bates.

**Prayer:** Julie Gray

**Correspondence:** No correspondence.

**Financial Report:** In Susan's absence Kate presented the financial report.

**Teachers Report:** Twilight Christmas Carols and Family Picnic is all going to plan. Help is needed to dismantle stage from inside school hall and reassemble on school field. This will need to be taken back into hall after carols. Music Stands are needed. PSG members to hand out carol programmes. Henri is to talk to Debbie regarding info in school newsletter re times.

**Charities Commission:**

Angela has been in contact with the Charities Commission office and we are currently at review stage. We may know the final outcome by the year end.

**Principal Report:**

Leon presented the school wish list, with Digital Active Boards being at the top of that list at a value of \$25,000 for each board.

It was voted that the Gala will be raising funds for Digital Active Boards.

**Hospitality:**

Yvonne commented on the coaches afternoon tea. All went well with plenty of food.

Julie Stevenson is in hospital and the family is being provided with meals.

**Gala:**

Chris has booked most of the marquees needed for the gala.

Yvonne has organized a team to help her with the Quick Fire.

Henri and Necia are taking on Andrea's role as food organisers.

It was discussed that the money from the Mufti Day could go towards meat packs etc for the Gala.

Kate has spoken to the EFTPOS provider and school night system needs to be changed on the day of the Gala for the EFTPOS to work all night.

Andrea will put Gala Sign up 17<sup>th</sup> January and organize a police car for rides.

Julie will organising teachers for Teachers Alley and a performance to be given by a group of children.

PSG has purchased two new BBQ's and gas bottles to the value of \$383.00. Thanks to Chris for organising this.

Next Meeting 28<sup>th</sup> January 2009.