

**ST MARY'S PARENT SUPPORT GROUP  
MINUTES OF A MEETING HELD ON 31ST OCTOBER 2007, 7.30PM**

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- Present:** Angela Sutherland (Chairperson), Susan Bates, Necia Marriner, Yvonne Piebenga, David Gray, Julie Gray, Sarah Campbell, Janette Hale, Kate Keaney, Ruth Simpson, Melissa Martin, Henrietta Egger, Chris Te Whare.
- Apologies:** Nyree Grigsby, Andrea Colby, Lou Norling.
- Teacher Rep:** Julie Gray.
- Prayer:** Julie Gray.
- Correspondence:** Nil.
- Teachers Report:** Astroturf up and running.  
Walk for Health - amount raised to be advised. Was enjoyed by all.
- Treasurer's Report:** Susan Bates presented the Treasurer's Report  
Moved by Angela   Seconded by Necia.
- General Business:** *Hospitality Report*  
One family receiving meals at present.  
Mass and morning tea for new parents to be advised - Julie Gray.
- Christmas Day Gifts*  
Yvonne and Lou to check with Leon for a date to sell gifts in week 10.
- Sausage Sizzles*  
Fortnightly sausage sizzles are being run for PSG and alternate Friday sausage sizzles to be run by parents of next years year six students to help raise funds towards school camp fees.  
\$1.00 per sausage.
- Disco*  
Next disco date 06.12.07 to be run by parents of next years year six students. Money raised to help reduce camp fees.
- Gala*  
Fundraising for Pool Covers, Computer Suite upgrade.  
Will discuss use of ticket system at next meeting.  
Each food stand to be run individually rather than one person being responsible for all of them.  
We need volunteers to take ownership of each stand.  
Andrea organising new gala sign.  
Nyree has written sponsorship letter to go to business's around town for prizes for quick raffle. We need volunteers for this.  
Eddie Pascoe is organising power for gala.  
No Police Car in school grounds this year. Maybe Police car ride around block? - Melissa  
Fire Engine Rides? - Necia  
David Gray to look into "Dunk the Teacher" auction.

Any more ideas would be appreciated.

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*Raffle*

School raffle to be run in conjunction with end of year production. Tickets to be sold at the door of the production. Prize sponsors required. Kate Keaney to organise with help from Angela Sutherland and Sarah Campbell.

*Bike Safety*

On hold until next year.

*Quiz Night*

On hold until next year.

**Next Meeting:**  
at a local cafe.

Next meeting to be held 25th November 2007 followed by coffee/wine