

Board of Trustees Update

July 27th 2010

Staff Leave

Marilyn Way is on leave until further notice. Sue McIntosh is filling the role of acting principal.

Trespass Order

The school has placed a trespass order on Richard Way and he is not to enter the school property for any reason.

Student Achievement Report-progress on targets.

Scott Cooper presented a report on student achievement and explained the results. Students were tested in February and again in June. There has been an overall progress to date. These results will be discussed at the 3 way conferences.

3 Way Conferences

Three way conferences will take place on Monday 9 August, from 2.00pm-7.30pm. The report form for the 3 way conferences is to be modified to show assessment data from February and June so comparisons can be made. This will be sent home along with the portfolios on the Friday 6 August which will give parents an opportunity to view and discuss their children's work prior to the conferences.

Property

The new school sign will be erected on the grass outside the principal's office. The contractors have been asked to install it as soon as possible.

Families leaving our school

Exit interview forms will be available for families who are moving their children out of the school. Exit interviews are a great way to gather valuable feedback and information which will assist the board with future planning.

Staff Resignation

Paula Howieson has tendered her resignation and will be relocating to Brisbane with her husband. Paula will be finishing at Clevedon School at the end of this term and we will be appointing a long term reliever for Term 4.

The permanent position will be advertised in September for next year.

We wish to take this opportunity to thank Paula for her significant contribution to Clevedon School and wish her and Dave all the best for the future.

Community Meetings

Strategic Planning

A community meeting will be held on August 30th at 7pm as part of a consultation process. The strategic plan is reviewed every three years and establishes the aims, objectives,

directions and priorities for intended student outcomes, the school's performance and use of resources. This will give the community the opportunity to put forward their ideas and objectives for the school going forward.

School Donation Meeting

This meeting will be held on 11th August at 7pm in the School Library.

The discussion will be primarily about school donations and matters arising from that. The meeting will be chaired by Adrienne Rossiter.

We receive most of our income from the government Operations Grant. This funding is used for administration, property, ancillary wages, teaching and learning resources, staff (teachers and ancillary) professional development. School donations are used to enhance and support curriculum delivery. They enable us to provide a wider range of activities than are covered by state funding. As a decile 10 school we receive less government funding per child than lower decile schools. Donations are used to purchase reading and maths materials, computers and ICT equipment, sports equipment, musical equipment and resources to enable students to carry out inquiry learning.

School Camp

The board expressed its appreciation of Karen Davies and Adam Easton and all their effort in organisation of the Year 7/8 camp - and is confident that the camp will be a great success.

Bubble Dome

The Bubble Dome Team is not prepared to cover the setup costs so we will not be proceeding with their programmes.

Carol McKenzie-Rex
Sheelagh McLeay
Alastair Hulbert
Emma Frizzell

Kerry Williams
Karen Eastgate
Caroline Walsh
Marilyn Way