

Greythorn Primary School
 Reading Ave, Balwyn North
 Parents and Friends Association Meeting



Date	Wednesday 10th February 2016
Venue	Staff Room
Meeting Opened	7.30pm
Meeting Closed	9.20pm
Attendees	Kim Dray, Danielle Brown, Carolyn Camm, Liddell Dawes (late), Fiona Casey, Lou Will, Stella Axup, Kathryn D'Alessandro, Patricia Ingram, Nicola Harvey
Apologies	Kate Locke, Jacinta Mossbauer, Karen Dixon
Minutes of last meeting	Accepted: Danni Brown Seconded: Kathryn D'Alessandro
Next meeting	Wednesday, 24 February (AGM) Wednesday, 23 March at 9.30am

Matters Arising

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Movie Night 	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mothers Day Tea 	It was agreed that a Mothers Day High Tea be held at Kooyong Tennis Club on the Friday before or after Mothers Day. Cost to be determined - around \$40-\$50.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Father/Daughter Camp 	To be held on 8-9 October 2016 at main camp, Mount Eliza (sleeps 50). Numbers must be confirmed by the end of Term 1. Expression of Interest to be sent out and a deposit of \$100 requested from each family.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Golf Day 	9-hole Ambrose on Sunday, 21 August 2016 at 10.30am. Freeway Golf in Bulleen. Min 20 people (five groups of four). An Expression of Interest to be sought before the end of Term 2. Cost is \$20.50.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reading Avenue Crossing 	Council was to send someone out in December to do a traffic count. No decision had been made to remove the Reading Avenue crossing guard.

Principal's Report – Kim Dray

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Preps have settled in well. • Classrooms set up at the end of last year. • Year has started out very organised. • Inducted new teachers at the end of last year and over the holidays. • Has been a focus on Learning to Learn, and children getting to know each other and their teacher. • There is a new timetable; driven by budget. • Peer observation program to be undertaken this year. • 26 classrooms this year (27 last year). • 572 children in 2016 (585 in 2015) • Parent teacher meetings are coming up next week. • It is recommended that the Parent Handbook be read by parents. • There have been several emergency drills.

- A SMS addition to Compass has been purchased. Only used for emergencies, or if a bus is late back from camp or excursion etc.

Treasurer's Report – Nicola Harvey

No new transactions since last report.

School Council Report – Lou Will

- No School Council meeting has been held.

Class Reps Report

- Not all Class Reps have been appointed yet. Notices to be issued to classes without a Class Rep.

Upcoming Events

Item	Action
Welcome BBQ 2016	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To be held on Friday 19 February 2016. • Flyer in newsletter and posters around the school. • Flyers to be sent to the Preps. • Kate Davis to help buy etc. • Email VolunteerSpot link to PFA to obtain helpers.
Easter Eggs	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Eggs to be purchased. Carolyn Camm to liaise with Anna Webb.

Other Business

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hot Cross Bun drive through Bakers Delight. Cost is \$7 per packet. School to receive \$1.50. Liddell Dawes to speak to Kate Locke to coordinate.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Danielle Brown to ask Kate Locke to find out how much money Greythorn PS has received from Bakers Delight.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Other events for 2016: • Election Day Stall/Car Boot Sale ?? – need to let the Electoral Office know what is planned (Danielle Brown) • Big fundraiser event – Gatsby Night? PFA to investigate (Term 2) • Movie Night – Winter/August? • Halloween Disco – Saturday, 29 October 2016 • Skaterz (Danielle Brown to determine dates) • Bounce Glen Iris (Lou Will to investigate) • World Teachers Day – 31 October 2016 • Oaks Day – 3 November 2016 • Family Portraits – 6 November 2016