Amuri Area School PTA Meeting

Wednesday 9th November 7:00pm

Meeting opened at 7:00pm

Apologies: Nadia Clisby, Courtney Absalom, Casey Colebrook and Rachel Neppelenbroek.

Present: Hayley Frame, Carmen Cater, Marie Blomfield, Fiona Dwyer, Rachel Glassey, Wendy Croft, Anna Chenery, Vicky Hamilton, Olivia Rutherford, Deborah Wayne, Emily Shaw, Kathryn Langford and Matt Barlow.

Minutes from previous meeting seen and read, approved by Hayley, seconded by Emily. No matters arising.

Treasurer's Report: Read and approved by Carmen, seconded by Marie.

General Business:

Calf Scheme – Thank you Vicky Hamilton for all your hard work. Sale date the 8th of December. We will have between 60-70 calves donated which is similar to last year. Vicky is co-ordinating pick up with people. Thank you to Famrsouce for donating the ear tags. Livestock Exchange for the sale of the calves. Amuri Transport for transporting the calves and to Culverden Sale Yards.

Discussed a 'thank you' bbq. This was asked for in the past but had a very low turn out last year. Possibly hold again at Vicky's place but people must RSVP. Or Vicky will talk with Rachel and Farmsource about combing with a bbq at the store, possibly the 15th December.

Matt's Morning tea – The first day of the term a morning tea was held to welcome Matt. It was agreed the PTA would pay the Four Square bill \$130 and the school will pay the Bidfoods account.

Disco – This was a great success! Through the canteen we raised \$579.41. Possibly charge a small entry fee next time. Planning to hold two a year. Next time ensure parents know children are expected to stay in the community room, we will set up an outside area they can go if they feel they need some fresh air.

Craig Pickering Trailride – 19th of November 70 Lewis Pass Road

Simon Clisby has course under control. He is being interviewed on Compass FM

6-7 teachers required for the gates. Also great response from teachers to help at registration and on the bbq/canteen. No additional helpers needed, thank you to those that offered!

Farmsource supplying BBQ, Rachel will be running this and they are donating milk for the kids

Maire has organised a speaker.

Eftpos machine from the rugby club

Old real estate signs from Jackie Frame to use for directions.

Alister and Wills are working with Amuri Net to sort communications

Canteen will sell energy drinks \$4 and muffins, slice, chips, chocolate, fizzy drink \$2. Also hoping to have some Filipino food for sale

Culverden Hotel is supplying thank you beers to the men who help set up the course on Thursday and Friday and the sweeps for Saturday.

Golf Tournament –19th of February.

We would like to create a sub committee to organise this event. Please get in touch with Hayley or Carmen if you are keen to help.

Big Day In – 12th December

Hayley will catch up with Kylee about helping the teachers run the 'Big Day In'

Marie suggested 'Avocados to go' as a possible fundraiser. Hayley will look into this.

Next meeting will be held after the trail ride.

Meeting closed at 7:45pm