## **MINUTES**

COMMITTEE:	Baldivis Secondary College Interim School Council	SECRETARY:	Alison Parolo	DATE:	30 October 2012
PRESENT:	Keith Svendsen, Tim O'Keeffe, Donna Horbury, Jane McClure, Tracy Gschwendtner, Karen Illich, Susan McCormick, Nicola Batten, Sam Gall, Alan Macleod, Karen Deane, Alison Parolo				
APOLOGIES	Peter Rowe				

TOPIC	DISCUSSION	ACTIONS/AGREEMENTS		
PREVIOUS MINUTES				
	Motion: Karen Deane moved that the minutes be accepted as a true and accurate record of the previous meeting held on 31 July 2012. Seconded by Alan McLeod. Motion carried unanimously.			
MATTERS ARISING FROM PREVIOUS MINUTES				
Nil				
AGENDA ITEMS				
Principal's Report	Staffing – Academic Staff 15.8 FTE, Support Staff 7.4 FTE. All Learning Areas covered except LOTE. Just under 300 applicants for advertised positions.			
	Staff Induction day – 9 November 2012.			
	Connect – DoE initiative to facilitate communication between staff, students and parents.			
	Resources – Karen (Business Manager) and Terri (Finance Officer) busily acquiring resources. Kelsey (Library Services) working on acquiring library resources – combination of electronic and hard copy products.			
	ICT – Liaising with Samsung re: Smart School initiative – close to signing a MOU to be a Lighthouse School. Each student and staff member will be provided with a Samsung Slate PC			
	Enrolments – currently 189. Timetable and planning is being based on 220			

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	students.	
	<ul> <li>Motion: Donna Horbury moved that the Principal's Report be accepted. Seconded by Jane McClure. Accepted.</li> </ul>	
Financial Report	<ul> <li>Karen tabled and spoke to the following:         <ul> <li>Baldivis Secondary College Proposed Budget 2013</li> <li>Summary of Estimated Contributions and Charges</li> <li>List of Additional Cost Items for 2013</li> </ul> </li> <li>Motion: Karen Illich moved that the List of Additional Cost Items for 2013 be accepted. Seconded by Jane McClure. Carried unanimously.</li> <li>Motion: Susan McCormick moved that the Financial Report be accepted. Seconded by Alan McLeod. Carried unanimously.</li> </ul>	
Parent Information Evening	<ul> <li>Wednesday, 14 November 2012; 6.30pm</li> <li>Council members suggested that the following items be discussed/outlined at the Parent Information Evening: <ul> <li>Uniform Arrangements</li> <li>Bullying</li> <li>Mobile Phones</li> <li>Curriculum</li> <li>Canteen</li> <li>Year 7</li> <li>Timetable Structure</li> <li>Day One</li> <li>Plan of School</li> <li>Transport – Drop Off/Pick Up</li> <li>Buses</li> <li>Contacting the School</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	
Stage 2 Building Update	Keith tabled and talked to the Stage 2 Building Program. During 2014 construction will begin on the Year 7 Block.	

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Policy Discussion	<ul> <li>Draft Homework and Study, Anti Bullying and ICT Policies tabled and discussed.</li> <li>Anti Bullying Policy</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Ali to re-draft Homework and Study and ICT Policies based on feedback.</li> <li>Approved</li> </ul>	
GENERAL BUSINESS		•	
Site Visit	Builder has indicated that site might be available on 3 December 2012 for hand over. As soon as practical a site visit will be organised for Council members.		
Students with Special Needs	Ali is liaising with Primary Schools to gain insight into incoming students and plan for students with special needs.		
Bicycle/Footpath Access	Concerns raised re: student access to school. Keith indicated that he is intending to discuss these concerns with the Mayor and also with Central Office		
Acknowledgement and Thanks	Tim expressed his gratitude to Keith and Ali on behalf of the School Council for their efforts to date in laying the foundation for the college.		
NEXT MEETING		•	
	To be advised		