

MINUTES GAT Support Committee

Date: 7:00pm, Wednesday 2nd September 2020

1 Welcome

1.1 Apologies

Amanda, Anja, Brad

1.2 Attendance

Rosanna, Louise Chapman, Darren, Jim, John

2 Minutes of Previous Meeting

Accepted by Darren, Seconded Louise

3 Matters Arising from Previous Minutes

3.1 GAT BBQ/Picnic

Rosanna presented flyer for comment – favourably received by all.

Rosanna will organise printing and Louise will distribute to GAT classes.

Gingham tablecloths will be used on day to highlight area.

Rosanna to contact Patricia Kritas regarding P&C insurance.

3.2 Movie Night

Held Over

3.3 Kyilla Markets

Rosanna put together a document outlining a potential proposal for Kyilla markets

3.4 Mentor System

Rosanna will meet with Lesley Street in near future and raise with her

4 New Business

4.1 GAT End of Year Awards

The GAT committee sponsors prizes given to GAT students at the end of year assembly. In the past this has consisted of 8 x \$50 gift cards. Rosanna motioned to set aside \$400 for this year. Louise seconded. No objections,

Motion 20200902-4.1 passed

John informed the committee that future financial motions will require seven days notice before being put forward. If being put forward at an executive committee meeting, only two days notice is required. Ideally an

agenda would be put out 7 days before a committee meeting listing proposed financial motions.

4.2 GAT Student Induction for 2021 Year 7s

Rosanna will be presenting at the GAT student induction on Wednesday 9th September. Families will be invited to attend the coming GAT BBQ Picnic.

5 Reports

5.1 Gifted and Talented Education Coordinator

Louise presented written report as attached.

5.2 Treasurers Report

No change since last meeting.

6 Next Meeting

Wednesday 28th October 2020, 7:00PM

7 Meeting closed

Meeting closed at 7:55pm

Financial Motions

20200902-4.1 - \$400 to purchase 8 x \$50 gift cards for GAT awards (refer item 4.1 in minutes)

GAT Teachers' Report
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Michelle Lee

Maths

The Maths Talent Quest has been completed for year 8s. Three entries were sent to be judged at the state level and are awaiting results.

The Australian Maths Competition and ICAS have been completed.

The year 7 & 8 reward excursion is planned for Thursday 24th September.

Integrated Studies

STEM activity for Integrated Studies – designing Mouse Trap Racers.

Tanyushka fitter

Science

The year 7s went to the zoo today Wednesday, 2nd September.

Nicola Messervy

HASS

The National History Challenge took place in year 8 HASS last week. Entries have been submitted.

Rebecca Davis

English

The Write a Book in a Day is taking place tomorrow, Thursday 3rd September in the school library from 8am-6pm. This incursion has been planned for year 7-9 GAT/AE English students as a unique and creative experience for writers. This enrichment opportunity assists students to improve skills such as creative thinking, problem solving and questioning while working in a team.

Louise Chapman

Chinese and Italian

GAT Club 3

All Italian and Chinese students in years 7-10 on Friday 4th September from 10.45am-2.50pm will be going to UWA for a Future students' presentation with a Languages focus. Students will also participate in a campus tour.

Year 6 GAT Induction Day

Wednesday 9th September in the staffroom. The event formally starts at 8.45am and the morning tea is from 9.45 - 10.15am.

I invite the GAT Committee to attend to meet next year's GAT parents and mingle with them during morning tea. This will also provide an opportunity to promote the GAT Committee.

Year 7 GAT Middle School Assembly

Tuesday 15th September, 9 - 10am in the school gymnasium

All year 7 GAT parents are invited to attend the assembly where their child will receive a GAT certificate and badge. Straight after the assembly, year 7 GAT parents are invited to a morning tea in the staffroom from 10am-10.45am. There are also a few year 9 GAT parents that I will invite who are new to GAT.

I also invite the GAT Committee to mingle with year 7 parents to promote the GAT Committee.