

## MINUTES LPSG Meeting

3<sup>rd</sup> June, 2020



1. **Meeting opened:** 7:47pm
2. **Attendance:** Yaolan, Linda, Tim, Leonie, Raff, Terena
3. **Apologies:** None
4. **Minutes of Previous Meeting:** Yaolan moved as true and correct. Tim 2<sup>nd</sup> – Carried.
5. **Treasurer Report:** Issues with Zero resolved. \$3,466.32 in bank.
6. **Business Arising:**
  1. Wine Sale Update. In progress – thanks to Tim for Marketing spiel! Possible other avenues: Mt Lawley Alumni facebook – Language teachers send to parents – Raff to check if allowable. Yaolan to write a review and Terena will add into any further marketing. Several parents may be able to post on informal year group facebook pages.
  2. Movie night / cooking class – Still very Covid-19 restrictions dependent, and waiting for how easing of restrictions affects school grounds. Raff to find out if this is possible plus max number of people. If can go ahead, aim for a movie night in term 3, on a Thursday night, week 7 or 8 (3<sup>rd</sup> or 10<sup>th</sup> Sept) – Year 12 exams commence 14<sup>th</sup> Sept. – can socially distance more easily than at a cooking class, as class requires people to be together, sharing the cooking space, utensils etc. Could have prepared noodle boxes in lobby, Korean movie in Tricycle Theatre. If receive go ahead, Tim to liaise with Jaeik with further details for next meeting.
  3. Funding request from Language Dept – received further details from Sonia re the request for funding for Native Speaker Tuition Fund. Due to Covid-19 restrictions, more money has been required for the conversation classes as the native speakers have had to be one on one, rather than with groups of students. These classes are very useful to the students, for year 11 practical exams through to ATAR speaking exam in year 12. It is a very valuable resource. Committee calculated that there would be sufficient funds to still provide the end of year Awards if this request was okayed. Just want confirmation that it is for multiple languages? Linda proposed a Motion to provide up to \$1,500 for Native Speaker Tuition Fund, spread over several Languages. Leone 2<sup>nd</sup>. Carried. Committee also keen to know how much of the \$1,500 allocated for purchase of language posters for classrooms is be going to be spent.
7. **New Business:** Did our updated Terms of Reference get adopted by P&C? Terena to check. Longer term discussion point: dedicated rooms for Language department.
8. **Teaching Report:** Teachers busy with exams.  
Looking at options for term3 to recruit year 10 students into year 11/12 languages ATAR, eg maybe having speakers for the students.  
Looking at getting Korean as an ATAR option, currently a Certificate course.
9. **Next Meeting:** Wednesday, 29<sup>th</sup> July, 7.30pm (Term 3 week 2).
10. **Meeting Closed:** 8:32pm

### Motions

#### **Motion #2020-02:**

Provide up to \$1,500 for Native Speaker Tuition Fund, spread over several Languages.