SVAPA PARENT SUPPORT GROUP MINUTES

MEETING

Wednesday 1 September 2010

OPENED

Meeting opened at 7.05pm.

ATTENDEES

Dr Dale Irving, Jane Packham, Melanie Wood, Kerrie Brown, Shellie Carter, Teresa McClelland, Jan Uridge, Leanne Murray, Moss Johnson, Sharon Cockroft.

APOLOGIES

PREVIOUS MINUTES

Motion to approve Minutes of 2 June 2010. Moved Kerrie Brown, Seconded Melanie Wood.

BUSINESS ARISING FROM MINUTES

OVERSEAS ARTS TOUR 2012

Deferred to General Business.

GROUP BOOKINGS FOR COMING EVENTS

- Shellie Carter discussed group booking system with email list receiving coming events emails.
- It was decided this would be too difficult to organise with one person chasing payment for tickets, etc.

REPORT FROM HoLA: ARTS, DR DALE IRVING

- 1. Response to survey re 2012 tour.
- 2. SVAPA Choir change in time (Mon 3-4pm); on-application involvement in Channel 9 Carols.
- 3. Funds for Saturday 11 September workshop. 4 artists at \$500 each for the day = \$2000. Planning time and production of final CD/DVDs. Lunch providers.
- 4. Support for Titus with supper, etc. (14-17 Sept).
- 5. Workshop for Year 9 SVAPA with The Duckhouse Theatre collective. This workshop is to develop their devising skills and to reference the work of a young theatre company. Sunday 24th October. Proposed 3 hour workshop with 5 presenters/performers @ \$100 per hour = \$1,500. (This may be less).
- 6. 2011 Parent Welcome evening 16th November.
- 7. Special 10/11 SVAPA event?

TREASURER'S REPORT

No report.

Dr Irving informed meeting that the SVAPA Honour Board does have Ashleigh Morris as the 2009 recipient engraved on it.

GENERAL BUSINESS

- 1. Awesome Festival. To be held end of November. Year 8s to participate in workshop and year 9s to see theatre performance. Motion to agree in principle to fund or subsidise up to \$1,300 for these 2 excursions. Moved Kerrie Brown, Seconded Melanie Wood.
- 2. Shakespeare Excursions. The Year 8 excursion to the Twelfth Night by the Black Swan Theatre Company on 5 August was subsidised by the SVAPA Parent support group. The Year 9s saw MacBeth by WAAPA students on 26 August but this was not subsidised by the SVAPA Parent group (oversight by staff). Motion to transfer the agreed in principal funds of \$650 over to the next SVAPA workshop being held on 11 September to cover lunch and increased workshop cost. Moved Kerrie Brown, Seconded Teresa McClelland.
- 3. In preparation for the Year 9 performance of The Odyssey, motion for Duckhouse (devising group) to come and do workshop for the cost of \$1,500. Moved Kerrie Brown, Seconded Melanie Wood.
- 4. Titus Andronicus tickets will be sold via the Trybooking website. Dale has set this up with the help of Penny Scott from the Music Parent Support Group. Melanie will email John Pryor to send out the Trybooking web address to the SVAPA parent and the P&C mailing lists.
- 5. Suggestion of Choir workshop for SVAPA Choir by choir leader Martin Meader. Teresa McClelland making enquiries as to whether he would be available/interested.
- 6. Reminder for response to expression of interest letter for arts tour in 2012 to be sent out. Tour committee to be formed at next meeting to commence planning and costing.
- 7. SVAPA Soiree to be held in conjunction with 2011 SVAPA Year 8 Parent Welcome Night. To be held Tuesday 16 November at 7pm. Kerrie Brown will ask Joanna Stimson for a copy of the SVAPA Parent Information Brochure handed out at previous welcome nights. Existing SVAPA parents to bring a plate. Sharon Cockroft to contact Suzie regarding wine supplier. Will require float and liquor licence for the night.

CLOSED

Meeting closed at 8.30pm. The next SVAPA Parent Support Group meeting will be held Wednesday, 27 October 2010, at 7.00pm in the Tricycle Theatre – entrance via Learoyd Street Gate at the rear of the school.