

James Erskine Public School P & C Association



53 Peppertree Drive, Erskine Park NSW 2759

P & C MEETING 20.8.2025

Meeting Opened: 6.02pm

Item 1 - Present: Rose Kingi, Virginia D'Angelis, Julieanne Lokeni, Jessica Seymour, Sarah Elali, Chris

Lipman.

Item 2 - Apologies: Amanda G and Emily K

Item 3 - Welcome

Acknowledgement of country

I would love to start by thanking Louise and Jess for there on going support during the organising of the colour run. There was a few hiccups but honestly the day could not have been any more perfect. I was blown away of how many parents/ nan and pop and auntie's and uncles that's attended. I can speak from my side and say my mother in law and my children's auntie's and uncles said it was such a great day to attend because not only was the food good (that was a big win for them) but they also got to see inside my children's classrooms which they have never done before. I didn't see a line smaller than at least 5 metres on every food truck which was also so lovely to see helping out these local food trucks. I speak from all of the P&C and want to say thank you to all the teachers at JEPS who drove the colour run basically every day on the JEPS news channel and a massive thank you to those teachers who put their hand up to be slimed.

Our next event is the Father's Day stall Tuesday the 2nd of September and donuts with dad is Friday the 5th of September.

Item 4 – Previous Minutes Accepted by: Julianne seconded by: Jessica S

Item 5 - Matters arising from the Previous Minutes: NA

Item 6 - Principal's Report

School Garden

Thank you to Jessica Seymour – who at the last meeting offered to support the Garden Club with seedlings. Mrs Steel has communicated that we will wait for spring for these. She is asking P&C for funds to purchase tomato plants and blueberries however and is requesting \$73. Personally, I feel if P&C could donate possibly \$200 dollars, she wouldn't need to keep requesting for a little whole.

Kindy Excursion

We have had to cancel the Farm excursion due to rain and unable to secure another date until last 2 weeks of Term 4. We are now exploring dates to attend Sydney Zoo instead – we have been given a date in Term 4 week 5 and are attempting to finalise this before the end of next week.

House Points Board

New points will be up and running by mid-next week. Staff are now collating all the areas of points we are collecting from and add totals to update the board.

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Just a reminder that if you know people in the area with prospective Kindy children, encourage them to reach out to enrol. We are happy to chat with parents who would like to see what JEPS has to offer. We would like to hold an Open Evening early in Term 2 in the future for Kindy enrolments and would like to see this become a community/school partnership

Item 7 - Deputy's Report: N/A

Item 8 - Correspondence In:

Raise it fundraising limited information sheet

School Gifts - Father's Day catalogue

P&C Federation NSW Journal

Letter from School Garden Club for funding \$73

Email from Stage 2 about funding part of Incursion for \$3564 – which the P&C has said yes to.

Item 9 - Treasurers Report:

General account

Opening balance: \$34609.74 Closing balance: \$34670.43

Uniform Shop

Opening balance: \$29491.75 Closing balance: \$30083.92

We will also be paying back the school for the last part of the money for the school shirts they bought, we

will give them \$10104.

Item 10 - Uniform Report:

N/A

Item 11 - Fundraising Report:

The Colour Run was able to raise \$29199.81. The company will take about 40% of that, once we have the final figure we will let everyone know. Prizes have been ordered and we should get them in 4-8 weeks.

Father's day stall is coming up on Tuesday 2nd of September, gifts range from \$1-\$10. We will be holding a Donuts with Dad morning on Friday 5th of September. Dads and grandads are welcome to come and have a coffee and donut with their child before school starts.

Item 12 - General Business

Question – School photos – when will they be out. School reply – group photos proof have just came in.

Question – rainy day – what can we do to help the students when its heavy rain? School reply- have staff to direct and they will look into it.

Question – Zone letter – they need to be there before 8.30am they might miss out on Dads for donuts. At the moment it will stay the same because there is not a lot of room to move events around.

Meeting Closed: 6.26pm

Next Meeting: Term 4, 19th of November 6pm