St Anthony’s Primary School – Greenmount
P & F Minutes of Meeting
Tuesday 14th April 2013

1. **Meeting Opened**
   7:35pm

2. **Attendance**
   Aurelia Cooper          Fiona Rullo          Mark Casotti
   Samantha de Guzman      Greg Green           Peta Yukich
   Natalie D'Addario      Naomi Byrnes          Rob Nicholas

3. **Apologies.**
   Gina Hall          Sarah Bowell          Tracey Daljac
   Ruth Charles        Glenn Stubberfield

4. **Previous Meeting Minutes**
   The minutes from the previous meeting held on 9th April 2013 were read and accepted as a true and accurate record of events of that meeting.

   *Minutes were accepted by:* Natalie D'Addario
   *Seconded and passed by:* Fiona Rullo

5. **Business Arising from Previous Meeting**
   **Benches** – Naomi said the contractor came to deliver the benches to the office last Tuesday and we had no cheque for him and as it was a COD they were not delivered. They will be delivered tomorrow. School will pay the COD and then invoice the P&F to reimburse the school.

   **Midland Gate Run Around Australia** – We won a prize for one week for being the school to raise the most money. The prize was a necklace valued at about $300, that is being donated to the P&F to use for some fundraising activity or function. The Midland Gate Run Around Australia finishes on 26th May 2013.

   **Kidz-a-buzz Books** – 2013/2014 books don’t come out until September 17th. The books are valid until 31st October 2014. It was suggested we put out an advertisement in the school newsletter advising that the books were coming in Term 3. The price of the books is $20. We are unable to get the books on consignment and therefore would need to have pre-orders and payments done prior to be able to purchase the books direct. Pre-orders would be taken as of the start of Term 3.

   **Mother’s Day Morning Tea** – Thank you to everyone that helped out at the Mother’s Day Morning Tea. A positive response and feedback has been given in regards to the chocolates that were given to all of the Mums. We catered for 200 Mum’s. Payments still need to be made to Bakers Delight and Roz in the canteen on receipt of invoices. Once all payments are finalised we should come in on budget for the Mother’s Day Morning Tea.

   **P&F Federation Dinner** – No one actually attended, we will have to make an effort next year to have a table.

6. **Incoming Correspondence**
   Fundraising material

7. **Outgoing Correspondence**
   Nil
8. **Financial Report**

We have rolled over the Term Deposit #2 for 4 months at 4% interest. We are on track in accordance with the budget and we funds for a “Special Project”. With this in mind, the committee discussed and agreed to contribute $3,000 towards the Bag Pigeon Holes/Lockers for the Year 5/6 area. These have been installed over the holidays and look great.

Greg advised that Mathletics will not be going ahead this year and therefore the $1,800 budgeted for this could be used elsewhere. We were advised that Mathletics is something that can be revisited later down the track when we have the resources/computers to support this.

The school has recently purchased iPads for all of the staff. A motion was passed to donate to the school $3,800 for iPads. This $3,800 is made up of $2,000 as quoted and the $1,800 originally budgeted for Mathletics. All present agreed for the funds to be spent in accordance with the motion.

**Financial Report was accepted by:** Natalie D'Addario  
**Seconded and passed by:** Rob Nicholas

9. **Principal's Report**

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**PRINCIPAL'S REPORT**

**P & F Meeting**  
**Tuesday 14 May, 2013**

1. *Kombibars*  
Kombibars will be available at the next meeting.

2. **Approval of Ears & Vision Testing**

3. **Marching Band**  
The band is taking shape, Mrs. Watson is working with the team.

4. **Acknowledgements**  
These are a great asset to the school.

5. **Confirmation**  
A warm welcome to all present.

6. **Aboriginal Education**

7. **School Photos**

8. **Big Morning Tea**

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9. **Aboriginal Education**

   "Becky's Cultural Journey"  

   Becky shares many different aspects of her culture through demonstration, explanation and participation, combining traditional and contemporary elements. Areas covered include:

   - Traditional Aboriginal and Nakamala cultural dance
   - Dreamtime stories (Dreams)
   - Traditional and contemporary music
   - Bush foods and their medicinal properties
   - Customs and celebrations

   Becky captivates students with her thoughtful and well-informed delivery. Her performance strikes a special balance between entertainment, humour and information, ultimately bringing a deeper understanding of his culture.

9. **Big Morning Tea**

   We will be hosting a Big Morning Tea on Thursday, 23 May from 8am – 9:30am.
The school Entry Statement will be finishing up next week.

10. **New Business**
The Walkathon will be coming up later this term - week commencing 24th June 2013. At the next meeting we can discuss the prizes. The sponsorship forms will go out at the end of the first week of June. The return of sponsorship money to be eligible for the prizes will be before the end of term.

11. **Next Meeting:** Tuesday 4th June 2013

12. **Meeting Closed:** 8.15pm

Signed President:______________________  Signed Secretary: __________________________