

Please find following a summary of the key items discussed at the WGPS School Board meeting held on Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> August 2025 4:00pm-5:30pm. (Postponed to week 4 due to availability of board members).

### **Attendees**

Principal: Wayne Press (relieving Principal Term 3)

Staff Representatives: Alison Demanlig, Cade Donegan, Darren Beard (a)

Parent Representatives: Sarah Zuchetti, Adrian Kelly, Lisa Cyr, Alena Clark

Community Representatives : Jessica Stojkovski (a) , Fil Filidei

### **Summary of discussions**

#### **1. Introductions**

Welcome from **Wayne Press**, relieving Principal for Term 3. Warm welcomed received by the students, staff and wider school community.

#### **2. School Finances**

Wayne outlined the **one-line budget** – explaining how school funding is allocated.

Voluntary contributions are at **71%**; reminders will be sent to families.

Campion school supplies provider was endorsed to continue for 2026 (unanimous vote).

Thank you to **MLA Jessica Stojkovski** for securing \$30,000 in funding for the *Kiss and Ride* initiative.

#### **3. Principal's Report**

Professional learning on **staff wellbeing** was held on the recent School Development Day.

#### **4. P&C Updates**

Fundraising goal: upgrade the **Years 1 & 2 playground** area.

Other initiatives:

DAWGS *Lego Robotics* program, Quiz Night (raised ~\$5,000), Open Night sausage sizzle, Breakfast at the athletics carnival

#### **5. Public School Review (PSR) & Business Plan**

Work is underway to align the new Business Plan with PSR recommendations and current strengths.

School looking into gaining community perspective for next business plan.

The Board will receive regular updates on PSR progress and Business Plan actions.

A tracking structure will be created so the Board can see progress and support effectively.

#### **Tabled for next meeting:**

Review and discussion of school performance data (NAPLAN & other assessments)

2026 booklists and charges

School Culture Survey (student focus)

Next Board Meeting: Term 3

Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> September (4pm-5:30pm) week 8

If you'd like to know more, get involved or for further communication, please email the School Board Chair, Lisa Cyr: [wgps.schoolboard@gmail.com](mailto:wgps.schoolboard@gmail.com).

### **School Board Meeting Dates 2025**

Term 3

Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> September (4pm-5:30pm) week 8

Term 4

Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> October (4pm-5:30pm) week 2

Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> December (4pm-5:30pm) week 8