

## **FOGS Meeting Minutes 17 March 2017**

Present: Raewyn, Sharyn, Victoria, Donna, Sarah

Apologies: Dinah, Ruth, Melissa, Kathryn, Esmae

We began the meeting by noting that volunteers are thin on the ground this year – Donna suggested we send a flyer home with Kiwi classes (Rooms 1/2, possibly 5/6/7) explaining what FOGS is and what we do

### **Planned Events for 2017**

#### **Blue Light Disco – 7 April**

- Helpers: Raewyn, Sharyn, Sarah – ask Dinah
- Food: bags of sweets (Victoria asking her mum), juice boxes
- Bag sweets on the day (after FOGS meeting)
- Float (lots of change)

#### **Bingo Night**

- Possible date: 30 June
- Emphasis on fundraising for the school there is no money pot at the end of each game to win
- \$10/ \$15 ticket (5 cards)
- 5 prizes (meat packs etc?)
- \$1 raffle tickets (prizes: boxes of chocolates, mini pamper packs, goodies pack)
- Sharyn's nephew to DJ? (Request a song between games)
- Donna or Debbie can sort out liquor licence
- Food: pies, chips to purchase, easy to distribute on the night. Supply snacks on tables
- Do dummy run with tables before selling tickets to check for numbers
- Hire chairs (or borrow from a church? Ask Dinah) and wineglasses

#### **School discos**

- Invite coffee cart to attend?
- Glow sticks?

#### **Knowledge-a-thon**

- Assembly 11 August; Sheets go out same day
- Tests on August 25<sup>th</sup>
- Start collecting Monday 28<sup>th</sup>, collect for 2 weeks
- Prize draw Friday 8 September
- Emphasis on Te reo in questions?

#### **Calendars**

- Donna to talk to Stacey about starting to prepare artwork now (ask for different artwork for each syndicate)
- print calendar sheets ahead of time
- ask COL schools if they can lend a binding machine?
- Back-up suggestions if art room ends up out of commission: students' pepeha, a poem or piece of writing

#### Raffles – Christmas/Mothers' Day?

- Make tickets much earlier
- Try doing a second raffle during Term 2 (put together one winter pamper pack as a prize)

#### Sausage Sizzles

- ensure we always have vegetarian and especially halal sausages stored in freezer at school
- suggested days: Monday 29 May; Monday 21 August; Monday 13 November

#### Milo after Mid-Winter Swim

- make in tea pots
- volunteers to give out stickers as well

#### **Other Events**

Mayow Fun Day – invite volunteers by class (as for a class trip)

Chop Suey lunch – if we get more helpers

#### **AOB**

We discussed the possibility of having a stall at Kelifest, but felt it was unlikely to be profitable

#### **Schedule of FOGS Meetings**

**To be held in staffroom at 9.10am**

Friday 7 April

Friday 12 May

Friday 23 June

Friday 4 August

Friday 15 September

Friday 27 October: ensure everything in place for Term 4