



## North Nowra Public School P&C

### Special Meeting – Changes to North Nowra School Uniform 15<sup>th</sup> September 2015

**Meeting Opened :** 6:50pm

**Attendance:** Amanda Warden, Amanda Volpatti, Catherine Cross, Sophie Pinchen, Anna Butler, Nerida Whitehorne, Tracey Holten, Stephanie Johnston, Tamie Floyd, Rebecca Edwards, Kay Noakes, Bronwen Lewis, Jo Richter, Melanie Drury, Peter Wright-Smith, Rae Thomson, Karina Miller, Liam Molloy, Sharon Molloy

**Apologies:** Mark Lambert, Rosie Lambert

Letter from Shoalhavens Womens Health Centre tabled  
Mel moves motion for Peter to chair meeting. Amanda V seconded. **Motion Passed**

**Motion 1:** **Make the uniform unisex by removing dresses, culottes and tunics and replacing them with grey shorts/pants and grey socks**

Moved by Peter. Seconded Amanda W. MOTION  
DEFEATED UNANIMOUSLY

**Motion 2:** **Make the uniform unisex by removing dresses, culottes and tunics and replacing them with navy blue shorts/pants and white socks**

Moved by Peter. Seconded Mel. For – 11. Against – 5.  
MOTION PASSED

**Motion 3:** **Retain dresses and culottes but reduce choice so all girls look the same for excursions and photos**

Moved by Peter. Seconded Catherine. For – 5. Against – 12.  
MOTION DEFEATED

**Motion 4:** **Make polar fleece jacket the only choice of school jumper and introduce a payment plan or lay-by system to make this more affordable**

Moved by Peter. Seconded Sophie. MOTION DEFEATED.  
2 ABSTAIN

**Motion 5:**                    **Introduce a long sleeve polo shirt for winter as close to summer design as possible.**

Moved by Peter. Seconded Amanda V. For – 12. Against – 4. 1 abstain. MOTION PASSED

**Motion 6:**                    **Change sports fabric to lighter, more breathable sports fabric but retain current design.**

Moved by Peter. Seconded Mel. For – 15. Against – 0. 2 abstain. MOTION PASSED

Motion to take list of recommendations for meeting moved by Peter. Jo seconded. PASSED UNANIMOUSLY

LIAM – Maintain embroidery on school shirts

AMANDA V – Try to stay with embroidery. Look at alternate jumpers

SOPHIE – Look at sports uniforms

ANNA – Look at alternate materials for jackets

TAMIE – Seek further consultation with school community

NERIDA – Have proxy forms

JO – Sloppy joes, how to promote uniform, consider offering promotions

PETER – Introduce payment plan or lay-by system

**Meeting Closed:**            7:50pm