Elizabeth College Parent and Community Group Minutes
4 March 2016

Present: Jonathan Hurn, Lyn Fulton, Rena Renshaw, Jocelyn Seabourne, Andrew Beltz, Karin Hodel, Louise Brown, Fiona Lohrbaecher, Meg Denholm, Claire Lovell, Irene, Dianne Purnell, Karen Clark, Stephanie Kelleher

1. Student Leadership Report (Anna and Irene)
   SLG reported on initiatives they are working on:
   - Meet every Monday at 12.30pm
   - Have 2 members on the newly created Grounds Committee
   - Improving FTC deck area – planter boxes, watering roster, shade cloth, new seating
   - Installing new bike racks (doing survey on all students re this)
   - Have received funding for the new EC Hoodies – will be a student design

2. Lobbying re Metro changes timetable and bus interruptions
   - Suggest the PG do a survey of students

3. Principals Report
   See attached

4. Election of Chair
   Meg Denholm was elected, will require some help due to other commitments

5. Study Skills and Revision
   - PG to hold a forum on TASC, TCE, and study expectations and skills
   - To be held Monday 2 May 5.00-6.00pm in Theatre
   - Advertise at the Meet the Teacher evening

6. Bring your own Technology
   - WE are receiving no funding to replace technology
   - A student survey has been done in HG re the types of devices students have access to
   - PG to be involved in new policy
   - Jonathan Hurn offered his expertise in this area

7. Other business
   - 2016 plan review – to discuss at next meeting
• Integrated EFTPOS – frustration at not being able to pay over the phone – Karen said that NTHS use both integrated and non-integrated AFTPOS machines to get around this issue. Stephanie to discuss with Debbie White the possibility of this.

• Discussed having a guest speaker come in and talk to the group at one meeting

• Bus stop on Elizabeth Street (item carried over from 2015) nothing eventuated, so keeping quiet re this for now

• Lack of bike lane in North Hobart makes it dangerous and difficult for students to ride to school

• Karen and Dianne to arrange next meeting date