

## Bray Park State High School P & C General Meeting Minutes – 16 Feb 2026

P&C General Meeting Minutes		
<b>Date:</b> 16 Feb 2026	<b>Start Time:</b> 4:28pm	<b>Meeting Location:</b> Bray Park State High School
<b>Open and welcome by the Chair</b>	Bobbi-Jo Ives	
<b>Apologies</b>		
<b>Business arising from the previous minutes</b>		
<b>Minutes Moved</b>	<b>Moved:</b> Nicole Trafford <b>Seconded:</b> Sharon Davis Previous Minutes accepted	
<b>Correspondence received since the previous general meeting presented by Nicole Trafford</b> Inward (as listed) Outward (as listed)	<b>Inward:</b> 13 February 2026 From: P and C Queensland Re: Important Reminder: Child Safety and Reporting Obligations  <b>Outward:</b>  <b>Ongoing:</b> Tuckshop operations	
<b>Business arising from the correspondence</b>		
<b>Correspondence Moved</b>	<b>Moved:</b> Nicole Trafford <b>Seconded:</b> Hannah Burgess	
Treasurer's Report		
<b>Treasurer's report and financial statement, and any business arising from these. Presented by Kara Pook</b>	<b>TREASURER'S REPORT (16/2/2026)</b> As at 31st January 2026: Our CBA Account was \$ 122,110 Total income was \$12,557 Cost of sales was \$13,390 Operating expenses were -\$2,260 Total donations and sponsorships was \$0 Thus, net earnings was \$1,426 I table the month's main CBA statement and its reconciliation, as well as the balance sheet and profit and loss reports. I move that all bills and wages be paid, and that my report be accepted.  Draft report from auditor has been received and will be forwarded to executive team	
<b>Report Moved</b>	<b>Moved:</b> Kara Pook <b>Seconded:</b> Bobbi-Jo Ives Treasurer's report is accepted	
Principal's Report		

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## Curriculum

**Timetable 2026:** Very smooth start - Thanks to Mrs Eleana Kerr (DP) with support from office staff.

**Student Planner:** Mrs Trigger has produced a very helpful planner to provide students all the needed information about the school, plus to organise their studies. Particularly helpful for new students. A review currently underway re the Planner.

**Year 7 testing:** Student's reading and comprehension are being analysed in English class tasks and assessments and triangulated with past academic results. Identified students will then be further assessed using PROBE tests and provided with Literacy intervention.

**NAPLAN Practise Testing:** All year 7 and 9s completing readiness testing in week 5. Tests in Week 7/8/9.

**New Student and Parent Welcome afternoon** – Great afternoon planned on Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> Feb to welcome our new Bray families. Approx. 390 new students to the school this year.

## Staff

### New Staff 2026

Name	Teaching	From
Brenton Clutterbuck	English/Japanese	Cairns SHS
Ethan Lawrence	English/History	Roma SC
Bill McIntyre	ICT	Continuing
Sonia Sharma	Japanese/Science/Math	Graduate
Zane Farmer	Maths/Science	Graduate
Aaron Mancey	Maths/Business	Continuing after Internship
Connor Collette	Science	Continuing after PTT
Aiden Lavell	History/English	Graduate/TA/PNAC
Brook Hawkins	Inclusion/English	Murri School
Cooper Milne	Volleyball/Maths	Bray TA
Tracey Buchanan	Science	RAL Wavell SHS
Marie Aguilor	English/DigiTech	RAL Bray Park SS
Louise Compton	Art/Maths	RAL Kingaroy SHS
Jack Sweeney	Business	PTT
Beth Browne	Home Economics	Albany Creek SHS
Michelle Phillips	Hum/Eng/Mus/Art	BPSHS Term 4 2025
Michaela Crofts	Home Ec (Prac)	Beginning Week 7

**Staffing Updates 2026:** Wayne Prout on leave for term 1 2026 – Kim Watkins Acting HOD Maths.

Principal's  
Report  
presented by  
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**Leadership** – our team to attend a two-day leadership development and strategic planning program on the Sunshine Coast from 18-19 February. Supported by Mr Chris Rider, former CEO of the QCAA.

### Students

**2025 Results** – Very good results with Oliver Flynn awarded Dux of school 2025 with a 98.15 ATAR with 10 students attaining over 90 ATAR. 100% QCE attainment. Many excellent VET achievements. A 2.2% improvement in A-C data from 2024 to 2025 – great result!

**Enrolment Figures:** 1864 Students enrolled with 325 new year 7s. Our new Discovery centre has reduced pressure on our facilities at present – now some opportunity for out of catchment enrolments.

**Mobile Phones:** Students have been great in complying with the third year of this directive. Updated Student Code of Conduct tabled for signing.

**Senior and Junior Student Hubs:** spaces for students to visit for support around attendance, behaviour, uniform, bullying issues and wellbeing – Junior located near the tuckshop and Senior in the old Inclusion Block. YLCs for 2025 – Miss Coghlan Year 7; Mrs Knight Year 8; Mr Champney Year 9; Mrs Harvey Year 10, Mrs Morrissey and Mrs Dixon Year 11 and Mrs Hall Year 12.

**ARTIE Program:** Bray Park welcomed the ARTIE program back with a launch in week 3. The program aims to improve Indigenous student attendance and outcomes. Noah Williams is our ARTIE mentor.

**Yearbook 2025:** At printer now- great historical record and thanks to Lisa Fischer for her terrific work to compile.

**Swimming Carnival:** Terrific day of sportsmanship, competition, fun and house spirit at Lawnton Pool last Tuesday. Students all had a fun day and Wind house proved too dominant in and out of the pool this year.

**Student Investiture:** Badges were presented to our 2026 leaders on 11 February. Leaders are working hard this term to progress their initiatives well supported by Mrs Gleeson who is taking the role of Student Council Co-ordinator. Lovely morning tea to share with proud parents – thanks to year 11 hospitality. 2021 School Captain and now HR consultant Miss Georgia Woodforth was our special guest.

**Chaplaincy Trivia Evening:** Registrations open for the 14 March event. A great night planned for a good cause to support our students.

**Innovate STEM Tour 2026** – Planning well underway for the New Zealand Innovate STEM Tour for 2026. The opportunity will provide Bray Park SHS students with a once in a life time chance to immerse in a different culture, participate in a NASA approved Space Camp and experience vast natural landscapes typical to New Zealand's plate tectonic boundary region.

**Problem Solving Challenge:** 10 schools and over 35 teams to attend BPSHS as we host the annual STEM focused challenge. Teams of four students from years 5,6,7 and 8 vying for the honours.

**Gifted and Talented Team:** Champions in each faculty have been appointed who promote activities and strategies to nurture our enthusiastic and creative minds.

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**Music Ensembles and Dance Troupes:** all are in full swing with many students involved in before and after school rehearsals. Many music ensembles are being split due to demand.

**Leadership Training Days:** Very positive leadership development day held in week 3 of Term 1. Year 11/12 leaders worked towards their legacy through the Peer Power Program. All came away excited for the year ahead.

**Primary Principal's Morning Tea** – On Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> March our local feeder school principals will visit the 14 year 7 classes to see how they are going at high school. Students really appreciate this follow up and are proud to show their new school.

**Co-Curricular Activities Program:** passionate teachers offering a range of lunchtime, before and after school activities for students – Clubs in Robotics and Chess, Music, Maths and English Tutoring, Sport, Social and Cultural activities.

**Focus for the year:** Explicit Improvement Agenda – Our focus for 2026 is: 1) Innovative curriculum and pathways, 2) Supportive Wellbeing and Inclusion, 3) Engaged Teaching and Learning and 4 Facilities.

**Finance and Facilities** Financial Reports tabled; AIP and Strategic Plan. New Building completed and to be opened on 16 March by Education Minister the Hon. JP Langbroek, New Outdoor Learning Area planning, New tuckshop toilets, Science rooms refurb.

## School Opinion Survey 2025 – Parent Survey Attached – approx. 250 Responses

Parent/Caregiver school report, 2025 (2173) Bray Park State High School		Your school							References			
Parents/Caregivers were asked to think back over the school year, and to indicate the extent to which they agreed or disagreed with the following statements, for their eldest child in the school.	n	Strongly disagree	Disagree	Somewhat disagree	Somewhat agree	Agree	Strongly agree	Agreement	Last year 2024	Your school type	Your region MNR	Old state schools
<b>Fairness / Clarity of rules</b>												
The expectations and rules are clear at this school.	263	3.0	3.4	3.0	11.8	42.6	36.1	90.5	-4.5	-1.2	-2.2	-2.3
Teachers at this school treat students fairly.	256	5.9	4.3	7.0	23.8	39.5	19.5	82.8	-2.6	-1.3	-5.7	-4.8
Student behaviour is well managed at this school.	254	10.6	4.7	12.6	20.1	38.6	13.4	72.0	-10.0	-5.4	-9.2	-8.5
<b>Safety</b>												
My child feels safe at this school.	263	4.6	3.8	8.7	21.7	35.4	25.9	82.9	-8.0	-3.8	-6.7	-5.9
Teachers at this school are interested in my child's wellbeing.	261	5.0	4.2	6.9	24.1	34.5	25.3	83.9	-4.2	-4.0	-7.5	-7.0
<b>Partnerships</b>												
This school works with me to support my child's learning.	254	6.3	5.9	4.3	21.7	40.2	21.7	83.5	0.3	-3.5	-4.9	-5.3
I can talk to my child's teachers about my concerns.	247	3.2	5.3	6.5	20.2	37.7	27.1	85.0	-3.6	-5.2	-7.5	-7.5
This school keeps me well informed.	261	5.7	5.7	7.3	18.4	38.3	24.5	81.2	-5.4	-5.1	-5.2	-5.5
Staff at this school are responsive to my enquiries.	251	5.6	6.0	6.0	19.9	35.9	26.7	82.5	-2.0	-6.3	-8.0	-8.3
Staff at this school are approachable.	250	2.8	3.6	6.0	20.0	40.8	26.8	87.6	-0.9	-3.5	-5.2	-5.3
This school asks for my input.	236	10.6	15.3	10.2	20.3	32.2	11.4	64.0	-11.0	-11.5	-14.9	-14.9
This school takes parents' opinions seriously.	219	11.0	6.8	11.0	20.5	36.5	14.2	71.2	-5.8	-7.6	-9.8	-10.4
<b>School culture</b>												
My child likes being at this school.	262	6.5	5.3	3.8	14.1	38.2	32.1	84.4	-4.5	-0.7	-6.3	-5.0
This school celebrates student achievements.	248	3.2	3.6	3.6	15.7	37.1	36.7	89.5	-5.2	-2.9	-4.2	-4.5
This school fosters respectful relationships among all students.	245	7.3	3.3	9.8	18.0	43.3	18.4	79.6	-9.6	-5.1	-9.7	-9.1
Teachers at this school motivate my child to learn.	257	4.7	6.2	7.4	28.0	34.2	19.5	81.7	-3.9	-2.5	-7.8	-7.5
This school looks for ways to improve.	245	3.3	4.9	7.3	21.6	41.2	21.6	84.5	-4.3	-1.6	-3.3	-3.5
This school treats students equally, regardless of gender.	223	4.5	4.5	4.9	17.0	39.5	29.6	86.1	-1.3	-0.6	-4.9	-4.2
This school has a strong sense of community.	253	5.5	2.4	4.3	17.0	42.7	28.1	87.7	-2.1	1.5	-1.0	-1.3
This is a good school.	260	5.4	3.5	20.8	33.1	33.8		87.7	-3.9	-1.0	-3.8	-3.4
<b>Teaching and learning</b>												
Teachers at this school expect my child to do their best.	256	2.3	2.3	3.5	10.5	51.6	29.7	91.8	-5.8	-2.6	-4.1	-4.0
Teachers at this school provide my child with useful feedback about their schoolwork.	253	3.6	4.7	5.9	24.9	37.5	23.3	85.8	-0.7	-1.3	-2.5	-3.0
My child is making good progress at this school.	256	6.3	4.3	6.6	19.5	39.8	23.4	82.8	-1.2	-4.2	-7.0	-6.3
I understand how my child is assessed at this school.	254	3.9	4.3	11.0	18.5	41.3	20.9	80.7	-5.5	-6.6	-6.1	-6.9
My child is interested in their schoolwork.	256	7.0	8.6	6.3	28.1	30.1	19.9	78.1	-3.0	-2.8	-8.3	-7.5
My child's learning needs are being met at this school.	256	7.4	6.3	7.4	21.1	39.8	18.0	78.9	-2.3	-4.0	-6.9	-6.7
<b>Other</b>												
This school is well maintained.	252	2.4	2.8	2.8	14.7	41.7	35.7	92.1	-5.0	0.7	-0.2	-0.2

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Other Reports	
DP Report by ...	Nil
HoD Report by ...	Nil
Councillor Report	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Carpark spaces to be marked along Lavarack Road and Nanbaree Drive</li> <li>Women Leadership Breakfast details to be forwarded to Peter</li> </ul>
Chaplaincy Report by Hannah Bongers	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Trivia Night 14<sup>th</sup> March</li> <li>Other events may come up from Joint Chaplaincy group</li> <li>Service fee has increased significantly this year</li> <li>Request for P&amp;C to consider increasing donation to help with covering increase</li> <li>TV (earnt via Milk Bottles) to be raffled at Trivia Night</li> <li>Moved to new building</li> <li>Programs up and running</li> <li>Student request for bible study, which would be fully student run with Hannah providing supervision</li> </ul>
Student Council Report by Kahlie Gleeson (See full list below)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Aim is to continue to increase student involvement</li> <li>Roster system for attending P&amp;C</li> <li>Successful singing valentines</li> <li>Next event is International Women’s Day which will be a lunchtime event</li> <li>Free Dress Days – students keen to continue but staff working through logistics to ensure clear boundaries (Term 1 = PJ Day; Term 2 = Jersey Day; Term 3 = RUOK day)</li> <li>Removing Mothers’ &amp; Fathers’ Day stall, rather provide lunch time craft activity</li> <li>Open Night BBQ (6<sup>th</sup> May) - funds to go towards Kokoda Challenge</li> <li>Student vs Teacher State of Origin touch game (Term 2)</li> <li>RUOK day (Yr 12s permitted to wear blue in memorial)</li> <li>Movie Nights instead of Social (separate Junior/Senior)</li> <li>World Teachers Day (Term 4)</li> <li>Yr 12 Spirit Week updating themes</li> <li>Term 4 Battle of the Brains</li> </ul>
Tuckshop Report by	Nil
Reports Moved	<b>Moved:</b> Sharon Davis <b>Seconded:</b> Jim Maloney All reports Accepted
Motions on Notice	
Wellbeing payment	\$1000 payment to continue in 2026 <b>Moved:</b> Kara Pook <b>Seconded:</b> Nicole Trafford

### School Opinion Survey 2025

Question - THIS IS A GOOD SCHOOL

	Agree	Vs 2024	Vs Like
Parents	87.7	-3.8	-1.0
Students	76.2	-2.3	5.3
Staff	91.7	-4.8	1.1

Peter Turner, Principal

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General Business	
<b>Student Concerns</b>	<p><b>Girls Senior Uniforms</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- White shirts very see-through and tight fit around sleeves and some of the shaping</li> <li>- Skirt fit challenging (waist band can break); new style has improved stretch and waist band</li> <li>- Skirts have small pockets and only one</li> </ul> <p>Peter to organise Alinta to come and meet with students to discuss concerns</p> <p><b>Toilet</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Soap dispensers rather than bars</li> <li>- English &amp; IC bathrooms hot spot for phones and vaping</li> </ul> <p>School looking at making toilets more visible which helps minimise behaviours. Peter encourage students and parents to email so that the message can get through to “Facilities”</p> <p><b>Yearbook</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Quotes for Seniors</li> </ul> <p>Peter Turner explained changes due to minimal input from students and this year there will be a different format</p>
<b>Chaplaincy</b>	P&C to explore options as the year progresses, but keen to support as able
<b>Planners</b>	Better for younger students
<b>Membership Applications</b>	Rebecca Rigoni
<b>Date of Next Meeting</b>	16 March 2026 at 4:30pm (AGM)
<b>Close</b>	5:27pm

Action Items	Person Responsible

SRC EVENTS – YEARLY OVERVIEW		
Event	Details	Requirements

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Term 1		
Singing Valentines Friday	Friday Week 3  Year 12 students to sell and deliver roses, cards and serenades to students during period 3 on Friday.	Staff email  Student compass roll  Volunteers  Roses  Order to take place over three lunch breaks
International Women's Day	International Women's Day morning tea in hall – year 12 students & year 11 leaders. Hospitality to cater.  Week 6 - Friday 5th of March 2026  First break – Hall  Guest speakers – Olivia Brumm  <i>This even occurred in 2024 and 2025 and was a lovely way for students to connect with senior staffing team. It also started to bring year 12s together right from the start of the year.</i>  <i>Budget required - SRC to confirm.</i>	Meals on Wheels catering  Hall booking – front section  Booking equipment <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Tables x 4</li> <li>• Tablecloths</li> <li>• Rows of chairs for students</li> <li>• Microphone &amp; lectern</li> </ul>
Student Free Dress Day	Theme - Pyjama Day  Week 9 - Friday 27 <sup>th</sup> March 2026  Money to go to designated partner charity  Gold Coin Donation	Collection of gold coins  Parent communication, Facebook post, compass notification reminders
Fun event		

Term 2		
Student Free Dress Day	Theme - Jersey Day (Sport team attire)  Gold Coin Donation	Collection of gold coins  Parent communication, Facebook post, compass notification reminders

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	Week 7 - Friday 5th of June 2026	
Mother's Day Lunchtime Craft	Week 3 - Friday - 8 <sup>th</sup> May Mothers' Day lunchtime craft activities - card making etc	Creating cards for parent/carer. Compass notices, announcement on assembly.
Fundraising Event	Open Night BBQ - 6th of May - Week 3  Kokoda Challenge fundraising	
Fun Event - State Origin Touch Game	Fun touch game for staff and students at lunch time  Week 9 - 17th of June  2nd break on the Oval	

<b>Term 3</b>		
R U OK Day  SOMETHING YELLOW - Wear something Blue (year 12's)	R U OK Day – Wear Yellow  Students Free dress day + activities during first break.  Week 9 - Thursday 10th September	Staff to supervise lunch time activities – email out to volunteers. 5 required supervisors.  Parent communication, Facebook post, compass notification reminders
Father Day Lunchtime Craft	Father's Day lunchtime draft activities  Week 8 - 3rd of September	Creating cards for parent/carer. Compass notices, announcement on assembly.
Fundraising Event – Senior Movie Night	Week 5 - 14 <sup>th</sup> August - Friday night	
Fun Event – Senior Battle of the brains	Week 4 - lunchtime comp  Teams of four compete in trivia  Staff and student teams	
<b>Term 4</b>		

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World Teachers Day	Cards for each teacher delivered to their desks Week 1 - Friday 9 <sup>th</sup> of Oct	Survey for teachers to be filled out during Life Skills in Term 3.  SRC to design and make cards
Year 12 Spirit Week – Week 4/5?	Spirit Week is a series of themed activities designed to foster school spirit and unity among the Year 12 students let by the students themselves. This week offers them a chance to celebrate their final year together, creating lasting memories before graduation.	Each day of the week a different committee will organise look after one lunch time activity – overall organised by social.
	<b>MONDAY:</b> Funky Tie/Sock Day	
	<b>TUESDAY:</b> Seniors of the school/Op Shop Chic	
	<b>WEDNESDAY:</b> We wear Pink on Wednesdays	
	<b>THURSDAY: Throwback Thursday</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Year 12 Picnic</li> <li>During first break year 12 students will have a picnic in the grove with picnic games and music.</li> <li>Picnic games - Three legged races, Wheelbarrow race, Egg and spoon</li> <li>YLC to be invited – photos to be taken to prepare for final assembly.</li> </ul>	Picnic - Hospitality catering  Equipment student to bring <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Picnic rugs/blankets.</li> <li>Picnic games equipment</li> <li>Spoons – science</li> <li>Ping pong balls - HPE)</li> <li>Prizes – to be purchased</li> <li>Music – speakers from the hall</li> </ul>
	<b>FRIDAY: Someone who inspires you/You look up to</b>	
Fundraising event - Junior Movie Night	Week 9 - 4th of December - Friday Night	
Fun Event - Junior Battle of the Brains	Week 8 lunchtime comp  Teams of four compete in trivia  Staff and student team	