FLINDERS PUBLIC SCHOOL
CANTEEN COMMITTEE MEETING
4/4/2011

Attendance: Alex Sime, Chris Hely, Janette Ford, Steve Holden, Elizabeth Vasconcelos.

Apologies: Janelle Sims, Jodi Misiti, Pat Kennedy.

Meeting started 9.30am

Previous minutes read and accepted by Alex Sime, seconded by Janette Ford.

Need to revamp daily responsibilities is on going but needs to be finished in Term 2.

Look at holding a name the canteen competition, have the students enter a name and logo, executive and artist to select 6 finalists who will win a box of chocolates, then the students will vote to pick a winner, who will win a voucher from the canteen. This is on going but needs to be finished by the end of Term 2.

Year 6 - This is now up and running for the year.

Lack of volunteers- The process of going through roster for next 2 weeks and put in newsletter days when helpers are needed appears to be working well.

Red days - allowed two per term, it was decided to do one in week seven and one in week nine of Term two. One red day to be similar to the last one and the other to be a meal deal.

Internet based ordering system, to be discussed in Term two.

Janette Ford raised an issue that she has paid for her food handling qualification but because the rules have changed she has to do an additional module but may have to pay again for the qualifications she already has. Janette asked to look further into the issue however there is a possibility that the canteen could pay all or part of the costs for employee qualifications.

E mail from Jodi Misiti reference ideas from the Healthy Kids Day was discussed:
- Mashed potato and gravy to be trialed 1st half of Term Two and if successful it will be made part of the permanent menu.
- Oven wedges to be trialed in the second half of term two if the mashed potato fails to sell. Some concerns here about the capacity to cook potato wedges and chicken nuggets etc at the same time.
- Hot chocolate machine may be a good idea but more detail is needed on contract terms, cleaning process and if there is a minimum amount of sales required.
- Jelly it was decided to keep the current commercial jelly cups. We can make our own jelly for special occasions like fruit promotions. The current stock of jelly packets with short expiry will be made up and donated to kindergarten classes for their 100 days at school celebration.

Suggestion from Jodi Misiti to change the current roster from Thurs to Wend to Mon to Fri was discussed in the absence of Janette Ford. The general consensus was that the Canteen Supervisors were hired based on the current Thurs to Wend roster being the norm and this is part of their current work contract. Any proposal to change this would have to be shown to benefit the canteen in some way.

Meeting closed 10.30am