

School Board meeting 10th August 2020

The School Board had a busy agenda at the meeting held on Monday 10th August. The Board welcomed Paul Kebble and Matt Cooper who are new parent representatives on the Board, and Councillor Mark Bain from the City of Canning, who is our new community representative.

The Board was very interested to hear a presentation about *Climate Clever* which is an app to assist schools to reduce their carbon footprint, save money and go carbon neutral. Schools in our local area have adopted this app and made substantial savings and, as the app can be used by students, there are STEM and numeracy outcomes.

Ms Carey presented a technology update to the Board, giving an overview on how the program has evolved over the last three years to a point where technology is integrated as a learning tool in the classroom and Bannister Creek's successful technology program is showcased to other schools in the area.

The Board were advised that the virtual assemblies are a success, with many views on YouTube and that the parent-teacher interviews went smoothly, with great positive feedback received.

Finally, we were delighted to hear that Bannister Creek won the Interschool Cross Country for the fifth year in a row. This is a reflection on the excellent physical education program and the hard work our kids have put in.

The next School Board meeting will be held on Monday 7th September. All observers are welcome.

Liesl Ludgerus, School Board Chair