



MLTAQ March 30 meeting

Welcome

Apologies: Tanis Heeres, Jodie Ishizaka, Loretta Kishihara, Jo Fullerton.

Attendees: Simone Sebban St Hildas School, Jackie Mikami Aquinas College, Anna Belousova Russian School, Danielle Swainson Somerset College, Cathy Galligan Benowa SS, Giovanni Picariello Southport SHS, Peter Nyberg Beenleigh SHS, Tracey Somerville UCSC, Cathryn Very Benowa SHS, Susie Fenton Guardian Angels, Leigh Kirwan Griffith University, Aileen Seidman Saint Stephen's College.

Minutes from prior meeting moved and accepted.

Motion to make Catherine Galligan PD officer and Simone Sebban for Print and Multimedia contest moved by Leigh Kirwan and seconded by Peter Nyberg.

Language Teacher's Forum about ChatGPT had biggest turn out ever - recording link sent out to MLTAQ list.

Webmasters report: on track

Treasurer's report: Balance today \$7051.00. Receipts into GC from invoices sent to Brisbane. To be fixed.

Print and Multimedia Contest: Review discussion from last year - Align judging criteria to Australian Curriculum, firm up the criteria. Possibly using standard elaborations. Look at Term 2. Finalise date for entry and judging at next meeting May 4. Possibly reducing cost to \$2. Judging after MLTAQ meeting possibly?

Speech Contest - updated convenors list (attached)

Leigh met John Paul Langbroek at Emperor's birthday dinner and he said he would be happy to be invited as guest speaker for speech contest.

Leigh received an email from Sunshine Coast branch asking about our cost. Move to raise price for 2024 for Gold Coast Speech Contest to be discussed at next meeting.

Sponsors and donations needed. Increase of numbers may improve costs. Peter noted speech contest was run at a loss in 2022.

Gold Coast 300 members - Membership not final until speech contest.

Leigh's School of Humanities at Griffith had a meeting with 5 staff offering to help and support Speech contest such as artwork - marketing materials. University sees it as a good way to promote Griffith.

Aileen would appreciate help with the Yugambah Contest.

Danielle referred a PHD Candace Kruger Elder of Yugambah who works at Griffith.

Acknowledgement to country instead of Welcome to country preferred for Speech contest. (New wording has been shared to schools - send to Leigh). Yugambah choir to be requested for Speech Contest award ceremony.

Speech Contest convenor: Changes - Primary Japanese will be done by Susie, Secondary Jackie, all others the same. Attached is convenor list.

PD list attached from Cathy Galligan for 2023.

March 30 PD - Simone Sebban ACARA V9 (slides attached).

In Term 1 four teachers Simone, Peter, Jackie, and Aileen from the MLTAQ team attended the QCAA workshop at Sharks Convention centre for a day with over 30 Gold Coast teachers and Heads of Department. Simone reviewed the PD for the MTLAQ Gold Coast branch and shared comparisons. QCAA will run an assessment PD on ACV 9.0 in Semester 2.

Meeting closed at 6pm.

Dinner at Muso Ramen.

Attached: PD list, Speech Contest Convenors, AC V9 PD



