JAMBEROO PUBLIC SCHOOL PARENTS & CITIZENS ASSOCIATION BY-LAWS

- 1. These rules are made under the constitution of Jamberoo Parents and Citizens Association [P&C]
- 2. The P&C is formed for the benefit of the students of the school, which will;
 - participate as much as possible in the activities of the school and communicate with all members
 of the school community;
 - co-operate in the activities of the Federation of Parents and Citizens Associations of New South Wales; and
 - promote the interests of public education.
- 3. The financial year of the association will close on 31st December each year.
- 4. The annual general meeting [AGM] will be held during February in the third week of Term 1 each year. An ordinary general meeting of the P&C Association will be held immediately following the AGM. The agenda of the AGM shall include setting the membership fee of the P&C for the next year and nominating the person to conduct the <u>financial review</u> of the financial records of the P&C where required. The following positions are also determined: President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer, Uniform Shop Manager, Social Media Administrator.
- 5. Each role on the executive committee may be held by an individual for a maximum period of three (3) consecutive years. If no nominee is available to replace the member this rule may be waived.
- 6. A general meeting of the P&C will be held each school term in week 3 and week 8
- 7. Any person eligible for membership may become a member or renew membership by paying the required membership fee as resolved by the P&C to the treasurer for which they will be issued a receipt. Membership will remain current until the close of the AGM in the following year. The treasurer shall be responsible for maintaining an up-to-date register of membership.
- 8. At a general meeting the quorum will be in accordance with rule 10 of the constitution. Where more than 50 members a quorum will be 11 members. Where the P&C has a membership of less than 50, a quorum will be 5.
- 9. All meetings will be conducted in accordance with the rules and policies of the P&C.
- 10. The P&C Committee will meet within two weeks prior to the ordinary general meeting to set the agenda and collate information for the meeting.
- 11. The agenda will be advertised one week prior to the ordinary general meeting and may be amended to add further notices as required.
- 12. Each ordinary general meeting of the P&C will be conducted as follows:
 - Welcome and opening
 - Apologies
 - Minutes of previous meeting read and passed
 - Business arising from previous minutes
 - Correspondence In/Out
 - Reports Treasurer/Sub-Committee (eg Uniform)/Principal or representative
 - General Business (new business from agenda)
 - Meeting close

12. P&C Expenditure – expenditure arising that <u>is not</u> incurred during the course of fundraising must be placed on the agenda for the meeting at which it is to be considered subject to point 12(a) and 12(b) below;

12(a). where the expenditure required is \$100 or less, 2 executive committee members may approve expenditure; or

12(b). where an expenditure amount has been approved in principal at a previous meeting (pending a final quote), the P&C executive may give final approval so long as actual expenditure does not exceed the agreed "in principal" expenditure.