Goals and Actions for 2010

**Goals for 2010**

*We intend to:*

- Develop structures to enhance prayer in the school (1I3, 5, 1E3)
- Investigate charism of the Sisters of Charity who administered SPC in the early years and the Marist Fathers who established the school (1I1, 1E1, 2, 3)

**Actions for 2010**

- Theme for year was established – Prayer, Just Do It!
- Books of Prayers provided to classes for prayer space
- Regular class masses celebrated with parish community
- Church visits for classes with the intention to enhance children’s knowledge of parts of the church, prayer actions and gestures, music and singing
- Professional development for all staff in Christian Meditation for implementation in classrooms
- Whole school contemplative prayer experiences eg. October Rosary
- Establishing a sense of reverence and sacredness in whole school gatherings eg assembly in quad, entering church
- Implement Staff Spiritfire prayer resources at staff prayer times
- Teachers continue to attend Spiritfire retreats
- Contact Marist Fathers and Sisters of Charity to invite guest speakers to present charism of the orders with the view to these qualities informing a virtues program
Partnerships

Goals for 2010

We intend to:

- Renew the vision and mission of St Peter Chanel School (1I1, 1E1)
- Investigate strategies to enhance the partnership with the St John’s Wood – The Gap parish community (1I2, 1E4, 4I1)

Actions for 2010

- Greg Sunter BCEO invited to participate in process to renew the vision and mission under the leadership of Tim Cotter APRE
- Data collection and consultation with all members of the community to identify the treasures of SPC
- Focus group to process and refine the data collected to feedback to community at regular intervals.
- Draft statement to be presented, validated and launched.
- Regular meetings with Parish Priest to be established
- Offer of school support of the parish Sacramental Program including APRE attending planning meetings, school buildings to be offered for parish gatherings
- Principal to attend Parish Pastoral Council Meetings
- Present “Who’s Coming to School Today” data to profile community in order to explore options for closer relations
- Enhance relationship with Mater Dei School through sharing of resources, professional dialogue and future curriculum planning
- Make connection with Marist College Ashgrove to explore avenues of cooperation
Goals for 2010

We intend to:

- Articulate our Vision for Learning (2I2, 2I4, 3I3)
- Focus Professional Development on the learning and teaching of Literacy (2I1, 2, 4, 5, 2E1, 7, 4I2)

Actions for 2010

- Sue Cronan BCEO and Jo Stower CST to lead a process of reflection and learning to articulate our school Vision for Learning
- Reference our vision for learning to key documents related to Catholic education including Archdiocesan Vision and Mission, BCE Learning Framework and Melbourne Declaration
- First Steps Writing professional development to be completed and philosophy and pedagogy to be embedded in curriculum planning
- Year level planning time to be provided across year and support from APRE and CST to be provided during this time
- Implement a whole school benchmarking assessment process to determine baseline overview of whole school and individual literacy and numeracy levels with view to determine future professional development planning and resource allocation
- Review approach to teaching phonemic awareness particularly in the early years (P-3) with view to promote consistency and best current practice
- Investigate strategies for engagement with the National Curriculum in 2011 including networking with trial school (St Ambrose’s, Newmarket) and consulting with BCEO staff.
**Goals for 2010**

**We intend to:**

- Review staffing provision and budget monitoring measures (7I1, 2, 3)
- Implement marketing strategy (7E2)
- Manage the Building the Education Revolution projects P21 and NSP (7E3, 4)

**Actions for 2010**

- Conduct a review of staffing provision including a staffing schedule, SWD funding and school paid staff audit to ensure effective utilization of BCE Staffing Provision
- Review 2010 School Budget to reflect current position
- Utilize BCEO Budget template including data from previous two years
- Review the School Fee and Levy structure
- Investigate Building Fund structure with a view to increasing collection rate
- Present Staffing Schedule and Budget to staff and P&F in the interests of transparency and ensuring that all are informed
- Use local community activities eg. Anzac Day march, shopping centre competitions ...as a way to increase the school’s public profile
- Strengthen relationship with community leaders ie political, church and other organisations and agencies eg C&K, sporting bodies
- Update school marketing and communication suite with BCEO staff including signage, website and media advertising
- Complete NSP projects and begin P21
- Review School Master Plan including BGA application and maintenance plan