Beacon Hill P&C News



Thank You and Welcome

We held our Annual General Meeting last Tuesday Night and we would like to take this opportunity to Thank a couple of people who have given much of their time and support to the P&C over the last twelve months.

Claire Johnston, thank you for your organisational skills in co-ordinating the Fundraising events throughout the year and ensuring we are all insured, updated and following the procedures. Thanks.

Thank you to Alex King who filled the position of Secretary half way through last year, we are lucky that she has put her hand up for Assistant Secretary this year which means we are in Need of a Secretary to fill this position. If you would be interested in this Voluntary role, please email Alex at <u>secretary@bhpspc.com</u>

We welcome back Jonathan Sharp as President, Vice Presidents are Sally Bate, Hannah Creelman and Treasurer Sarah Garland, with Assistant Treasurer Jennifer Stuart and Tracey Clugston, and Alex King (Acting) Secretary.

We as a P&C Committee would like to acknowledge the P&C past achievements so that we can prepare for the coming year;

Last year as a School Community we donated \$35,000 to the school, and this money was for the purchase of new School Tents to provide shade to our children and various events throughout the year, and to the upcoming upgrade to the Sound system to the MPC which we will all benefit.

We have also contrubuted over the years to the upcoming upgrade to playgrounds.

With addition money was also donated through the cake days and a total of \$1200 raised, this money went straight to the Library.

We were also successful to receive a grant of \$25,000 for the Outdoor classroom SPOT project, with the help from Alison Watson and Tracey Plant.

The school has given us a new wish list for 2019 and we would like to display this list throughout the year to all to our Community;

The 2019 WISH LIST......

- Supporting the purchase of flexible furniture
- IT Maintenance, Support (HR) and replacement/purchase (continued to build our bank of laptops in the 3-6
- Supporting the Grounds
- Air Conditioning for spaces not covered by Cooler Classrooms (eg; Admin, Canteen).
- Supporting Green Team Sustainability initiatives Green house program. Solar panels.
- MPC upgrades Fans, Stage Curtains
- Shade over STEM balcony
- Electronic Sign
- Additional Flag pole.

What an incredible list we have received from our School.

With this list we are not able to achieve anything without our Children and all the Beacon Hill Families.

With this in mind, the P&C Committee at the end of last year created a list of fundraising events throughout 2019.

With this coming weekend with the State Elections what a perfect opporuntity to serve the local community yet support our Beacon Hill Community with a wonderful State Election BBQ. Please see below for further information.

Our next P&C meeting is on Tuesday 9th April 2019 – Libaray at 7.30pm, we really would like more community input so please come along and share your ideas.

State Election BBQ & Cake Stall– Saturday 23rd March



This Saturday we are holding the State Election Voting Poll at our MPC. We are having a BBQ and Cake Stall to feed the many people who come and vote.

If you would like to bake some treats and bring them down to the school on Saturday morning from 8am, we will have



volunteers to sell. Don't forget to supply the ingredients list to your donations.

If you are able to come and volunteer throughout the day, please add your name to the sign-up roster.

https://signup.zone/kvyAgzYssayEGdTwk

FAIR COMMITTEE NEEDED

With our discussion of ideas at the P&C Meeting last week it now time to put together a Committee to create a wonderful day for all to enjoy.

If you would like to be a part of this committee please send your contact details to Joanthan Sharp - jonathan@ripplemarketing.com.au

We are looking for everyone and anyone who can help in all different ways, the below list of all the things we need to get sorted.

Signage Banners Flyers Website Social Media T-shirts Maps Press / PR Animal Farm Mechanical Rides Inflatables Food Coffee Indoor Markets Volunteers Traffic Security First Aid Communication on day Lazer Tag Sideshow Other Stalls Maze Stage Acts Emergency Services Insurance Council Approval Back Oval Risk Assessment Money (before) Money (during) Music (Buskers) Ticket Sales (before) Ticket Sales (on the day) Clowns / Walkers / Jugglers Sponsorship School Decorations (bunting)

UNIFORM SHOP



GIRLS WINTER PANTS

The pre-order for girl's winter pants has now closed and the order has been placed. If you have ordered Winter pants, we hope to have them by the first week back after the autumn holidays.



The Uniform shop no longer accepts cash payments. We accept Eftpos in store or online payments. If you need your child to try something on for size but you are not able to get to the shop during our opening hours, you can order the item online and your child can come in on a Wednesday morning and try things on to get the correct size.

Thank you for your understanding on this matter.



Would you be able to spare an hour on a Wednesday morning and help us in the uniform shop and meet lots of our lovely community? We would love to see you. Please sign up at:

http://signup.com/go/LYaUhDM.

Opening Hours Wednesday mornings 8.35am to 9.30am

Online shop

Our online shop can be found at: <u>http://beaconhillpandc.com.au/uniformshop</u> Please remember to include your child's name and class in either the shipping info or the notes section so we know where to deliver your order to.

<u>Contact Details</u> Email us with any questions or queries at: <u>bhpsus@outlook.com</u>

CANTEEN

The Canteen is an awesome way to volunteer at School. The children absolutely love seeing the parents serving them!

If you could assist, please click on the link below to add your name to the roster. Canteen doesn't work without the support of our volunteers.

If you have any questions, please contact our Canteen Committee Chairperson – Liz Hanson at <u>elizabethhanson191@yahoo.com</u>

https://signup.zone/bhps-canteen

UPCOMING EVENTS

- Tuesday 9th April P&C Meeting
- Thursday 9th May Mother's Day Stall
- Friday 10th May Mother's Day Breakfast
- Saturday 11th May Working Bee
- Sunday 26th May SCHOOL FAIR
- Tuesday 11th June P&C Meeting
- Friday 21st June K-2 Disco

WORKING BEE – coming back to Beacon Hill PS

Saturday 11th May - we will be holding our first Working Bee of 2019.

More details to come, keep your eyes out, families welcome with lots of fun.

Steve Gibbons our Grounds Manager will be coordinating this event.

