

# Falls Road Primary School

## P and C Matters.

26<sup>th</sup> October 2016

The General Meeting was held on Monday 24<sup>th</sup> October and was well attended. The meeting was very productive and we managed to cover lots of areas.

Our **Fun Run** last week was a huge success and it was great to see all of the students having fun. Some ran 30+ laps and others just enjoyed the stroll chatting with friends. At this point in time we do not have a final figure for the amount raised but this will be announced at the next assembly along with the prize draw. I would like to take this opportunity to thank Tanya McGrath and her team for organising the event. I would also like to thank **Midland Cycles** and **Toyworld Kalamunda** for their kind donations towards the prizes.

**Chalk and Parent Direct** orders have started to arrive. Karen will contact you directly to arrange collection.

### Projects that are underway at the moment are:

- **Completion of the Patio outside Room 3 and Canteen**

We are just waiting for the weather to improve before the painting of the patios takes place. Once this is complete the areas will look awesome.

- **Quiz Night**

The Quiz Night is approaching Friday 4<sup>th</sup> November. Tickets are on sale \$15 each. Tables are of eight, please note, you are able to purchase individual tickets and have a mixed table. The theme is Music and Movies. Get your costume together or even have a theme for your table. We have prizes for the best fancy dress costume. Inger Johnston and Clare Ward are co-ordinating this event. Any donations for prizes/ auction items can be left at the office. If you require a letter for your boss or business please let us know and we can provide one for you.

- **Kalamunda Show**

We have been invited back to run the Burger Stall at the Kalamunda Show on Friday 7<sup>th</sup> and Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> April. This is the last Friday of Term 1, 2017. We are looking for a show of hands from families who will be able to help out and who are unlikely to be going away on holiday at that time. If you are willing to help out and know you are not going to be away please can you return the slip to the office as soon as possible? I need to let the show committee know if we are unable to do it. Unfortunately if we do not do the stall this time we will not be invited to do it the following year. This event has proved to be a fun weekend, boosting our fundraising funds considerably. It would be a great shame to let this one slip away.

### Areas we are looking at to spend funds

We will be looking at play equipment / obstacle course equipment to spend the Fun Run Money on.

If you have any ideas or things you would like to see improved in our School, feel free to come along to the P & C meetings or let one of us know so it can be discussed. Meetings dates are on your term planner and advertised in the newsletter.

### Uniform Shop

The Uniform Shop will be open on the following dates:

**Term 4**      Monday 7 November  
                  Monday 21 November  
                  Monday 5 December  
                  Monday 12 December – Back to school pick up only.

**Term 1, 2017** Friday 27 January – Back to school pick up only.  
Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> February  
Monday 6<sup>th</sup> February  
Monday 13<sup>th</sup> February

Orders can also be left in the office with full payment or details of credit transfer to the **P and C account**. These orders will be filled as soon as possible and left in the office for collection. Please note there will be some slight price increases on uniforms from January 1<sup>st</sup>. We are also introducing a new school hat. The hat will be a reversible bucket style hat with the child's faction colour on the inside. The new hat will be introduced to Kindy only until the existing stocks of the current hat are sold. Once these stocks are diminished the hat will be available to the whole school.

**School Banking**

School Banking is every Monday morning before school. If you would like to join up or get more information please see the ladies in the undercover area and they will help. A fee is paid to the P and C for each new account opened and a percentage of all monies banked by the children is given back to the P and C. Clare Ward is looking for someone to take over the school banking co-ordinator next year as that will be her final year at the school. She is willing to train the volunteer and shadow them during the year. If you are able to help out with this role please let us know via the office.

**P and C Positions vacant for 2017**

At our first meeting of the school year we hold our AGM, at which all positions are deemed vacant and nominations taken to fill them. At this stage we know we have several positions to fill- Treasurer, Fundraising Co-ordinator, Uniform Co-ordinator and School Banking co-ordinator. If you are interested in taking on one of these positions please let us know via the office.

**Local Business Support**

There are several local businesses who continue to support our school:

**IGA Sanderson Road** donate 1% of all sales back to our School. Place your docket in the box marked Falls Road Primary and they will do the rest.

**Bakers Delight Kalamunda** also donate a percentage of all sales to the School. Call in to the office to collect a card or just mention Falls Road prior to paying and they will input the information and do the rest.

**Dates to Remember:**

- 4<sup>th</sup> November - Quiz Night
- 18<sup>th</sup> November – Burger Day
- 13<sup>th</sup> December - Carols By Candlelight - more info to follow
- 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> April – Kalamunda Show

**Catrina Thin**  
**P and C President 2016**

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**Family Name.....** **Mobile Number.....**

We are able to help out at the Kalamunda Show 2017. We understand that more details will be available in Term One as to the requirements for the weekend.