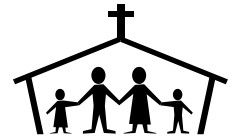




WHITFORD CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL
PARENTS' & FRIENDS' ASSOCIATION



BUSY BEE

Saturday 9th September

COMING SOON

**HAMILTON ISLAND RAFFLE
FUNDRAISER**



**FUNDRAISING THERMOMETER
FOR 2017**



Dear Parents and Friends of our School Community

It's hard to believe that we are in the final weeks of Term 3!
Where has this year gone?

Spring is only a week away to it's time for a general tidy up around the school, planting of some new veggie beds, removal of old play equipment and more. So come and join in the WCPS community spirit and family fun – see Dad's Corner for more details.

DAD'S CORNER by Andrew Dunlop (WCPS
Dad of 3, P&F Vice President)

Hi WCPS Dads,

Try out the following old classics to cheer up your crew!

*Did you hear about the restaurant on the moon?
The food is great, but there's just no atmosphere!*

*How do you find Will Smith in the snow?
You look for the fresh prints!*

*When my wife told me to stop impersonating a flamingo...
... I had to put my foot down!*

And finally...

*I gave away all my dead batteries today...
... Free of charge!!!*

Ha!

Keep smiling out there and remember to save the dates for
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MAJOR UPCOMING EVENTS

Term 3

29th, 30th & 31st August – Father's Day Stall

01st Sept – Father's Day Breakfast

9th Sept – Busy Bee and Family Fun Session

20th Sept – WCPS Dad's Dinner Night at the Northshore Tavern

TBA – Holiday Raffle to be Issued

TBA – Free Sausage Sizzle

Term 4

14th Nov – P&F AGM and Holiday Raffle Drawn

2018

10th-11th Feb – WCPS Dad's and Kids Campout.

Contact Us

**Whitford Catholic Primary School
P&F Association**

Email: pandf@wcps.wa.edu.au

Newsletter:

<http://www.whitfordcatholicps.wa.edu.au/p-f-newsletter-events>

Sat 9th Sept – WCPS Busy Bee and Family Fun Session

- **Come and join in the WCPS community spirit and family fun.** We'll kick off with a **Busy Bee** to get some jobs done around the school. Further details in coming weeks, but the more volunteers we can get the better! Bring yourselves, your families and your gardening tools, wheelbarrows and the like, there will be plenty to do!
- **Free sausage sizzle** afterwards!
- Then the fun begins with the Family Fun Session – **Dad's and Kids Footy Game** on the school oval and the **Family Tug of War**. Some good all round fun! We'll make the footy non-contact so that all the kids can join in. It should be a great afternoon, but we'll need some umpires, scorers and general helpers. Do you run with any of those jobs at your local footy or Auskick club? **If you'd like to play or help out with anything on the day, please email pandf@wcps.wa.edu.au**



Wed 20th Sept 7:30pm – WCPS P&F Dad's Dinner Night

- Come and grab a meal and pint at the Northshore Tavern from 7:30pm or so;
- **RSVP to pandf@wcps.wa.edu.au.** Look forward to seeing you there!

Sat 10-11th Feb 2018 – WCPS Dads and Kids Campout.

- Save the date for the WCPS Dads Campout on again at Ern Halliday Recreation Camp.
- More details in Term 4.

NEW FUNDRAISER

HAMILTON ISLAND HOLIDAY RAFFLE

Just in time to beat the winter blues We have an exciting Hamilton Island Raffle Fundraiser happening this year. Each family will receive a book of raffle tickets to sell with the proceeds going towards our commitment to enhance the play areas around the school. **First prize is 5 nights at the Reef View Hotel in Hamilton Island for 2 adults and 2 children plus \$1,500 Virgin Australia voucher. Total prize valued at \$3,350.**

If you do not want to receive a book or raffle tickets to sell or buy, please complete the Opt Out Form that has been sent out. Alternatively, if you wish you can opt out and still choose to make a \$20 donation (the profit from each book sold) to the P&F Committee. Any queries please email the PF or contact Nadine on 0433 994 268.

Good luck!

This will be our last fundraiser for this year, so please support it if possible. Our children benefit directly from all our fundraising efforts!

DISBURSEMENTS OF FUNDS

No further disbursements have been made since May when the P&F donated \$500 to each class. Below are some more thank-yous and pictures showing how the money has been spent:



Mrs Pitman from Dance/Drama spent the \$500 on new Liturgical Dance costumes. The students wore these at the Catholic Performing Arts Festival earlier this term. They looked beautiful!



The Chess Club students have been learning to use the new electronic clocks that were purchased by the P&F. This is a skill they need for interschool competitions next year.

All remaining funds raised this year will go towards the P&F commitment to improve the play areas around the school.

OTHER INFORMATION

Cadbury Chocolate Fundraiser

All monies from this fundraiser **were** due back on Friday 21th July 2017.

Payment options include, cash, cheque (please make cheques payable to Whitford Catholic Primary School P&F)

OR direct bank transfer to NAB, BSB 086-495, A/C. 508300231. Please include child's name and class.

There are prizes for quickest fully paid returns. Extra boxes are also available. Please ask at the office. If you have any queries please email the P&F or contact Lisa Briscoe on 0438317561.

More Important News

Agenda Items for Monthly P&F Meetings

Prior to each monthly meeting, the P&F will call for any agenda items that the school community wishes to be discussed. Parents who are passionate about helping to build a strong parent community at our School are encouraged to attend these meetings. If you are unable to attend please provide a committee member with details of any issues you would like raised.

Thank you for your support and we look forward to seeing you at some of the upcoming events.

The next P&F meeting will be on Wednesday, 20th September at 7:30pm. Meetings are held in the staff room.

All are welcome.

Kind Regards
The Whitford Catholic Primary School P&F
Committee

