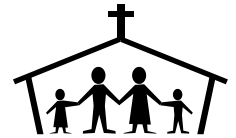




WHITFORD CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL
PARENTS' & FRIENDS' ASSOCIATION



**WCPS 2018 DAD &
KIDS CAMP OUT**
Saturday 10th February



**FUNDRAISING THERMOMETER
FOR 2017**



Dear Parents and Friends of our School Community



Thank you to the whole school community for your continued support during 2017!

The Staff Luncheon

A big thank you to everyone who donated food or their time at the WCPS Staff Luncheon yesterday. It's a time when we get to say thank you to all the staff for teaching, nurturing, guiding and supporting our children and has now become a wonderful tradition at our school.

The Holiday Raffle

The Holiday Raffle finalised and drawn, with a total of \$5,402.35 raised. Thank you to all the families that purchased or sold tickets and congratulations to all the winner – we hope you enjoy your holiday.

FUNDRAISING

Last week the school communities ACM was held and the P&F Committee presented our achievements for the year.

The total raised for 2017 as at 28th November was **\$33,879.17** of which the majority was disbursed or pledged back to the school.

Distribution of Funds

MAJOR UPCOMING EVENTS

2018

5th Feb – WCPS Fathering Project Launch (7pm in the library)

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

Contact Us

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

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Newsletter:

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

During this year the P&F has disbursed or pledged funds to the following:

\$800.00 – to the canteen to purchase fresh fruit during the year so that it would be available for free to the children;

\$13,000.00 – being a donation of \$500 to each class from PK to Year 6 as well as the music, dance/drama and science departments;

\$16,200.00 – to enhance the play areas around the school, in particular to assist with the installation of a nature based play area around the school oval;

\$530.00 – to purchase 10 clocks for the chess club;

\$3,300.00 – to assist with the purchase of a class set of mBots robots.

Thank you for your generosity in making 2017 another successful year. The continued support from the WCPS school community allows the P&F Committee to improve the facilities at the school and to support student experience. The funds we raise directly

Our achievements have only been possible because of the drive and commitment of the P&F Executive to our students and school. To all those other parents for their contributions of time, money or other donations – thank you. The funds the P&F raise directly benefit all the children and will assist them in their learning journey. Without your energy and help this school would not be the community it is.

To our wonderful teachers, thank you for your continued support in the work we do. Your enthusiasm and assistance with our ideas and initiatives makes our roles rewarding. You give our children different opportunities to learn and thrive and show them that school is not only a place of learning but also a community where everyone looks out for each other.

Lastly to Tamara. Your guidance, support and energy is greatly appreciated. You always have time for us when needed and you have created a wonderful environment for our children to learn and thrive in. Your willingness to embrace our ideas and all aspects of what the P&F represents makes this a fulfilling and achievable role for us all.

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

Save the Dates:

Monday 5th February 2018 – Official Launch of the WCPS Fathering Project (7pm in the Library)

Saturday 10-11th Feb 2018 – WCPS Dads and Kids Campout at Ern Halliday Recreation Camp.

ENJOY THE HOLIDAYS

Lastly the P&F would like to wish everyone from our school community a merry Christmas and a happy, safe and healthy new year.

Enjoy the holidays and see you all in 2018

**Kind Regards
The Whifford Catholic Primary School P&F
Committee**

