

P&C NEWS

Bull Creek Primary School

11 February 2011

Get Involved With Your P&C In 2011!

Welcome back to Bull Creek Primary School for 2011. Last year was a busy year for all of us with the P&C raising over \$52,000! This money comes from the Canteen which is co-ordinated by the P&C and run by our wonderful Canteen Manageress's and volunteers; from income generated by hiring out the Amenities Centre co-ordinated by the very organised Marina and all the other fundraising events such as the Bunnings BBQ's, raffles, Father's Day BBQ and the many events in which you and your children have participated throughout 2010. Thank you everyone for your contributions all the money raised has gone towards things from which our children will benefit greatly such as: air conditioning for the two new buildings (4 new classrooms), library books, the Endeavour Awards, the Graduation Ceremony, Choir competition uniforms not to mention upgrades to both the Senior playground (completed 2010) and the Kindy/PP playground (2011).



Bull Creek Primary School has a strong tradition of parent involvement and with a new year here we are looking for helpers on the P&C. The Annual General Meeting will be held on **Monday 21st February at 7:30pm in the Staff Room**. All roles will be declared vacant and traditionally we ask the person currently doing the role if they wish to continue. If they do not then feel free to put your hand up as we know that there are a lot of parents and guardians out there with skills that they may wish to contribute but are unsure of how to do so. Just come along as new faces and ideas are always welcome! This year there will be quite a few vacancies as parents have taken on new work commitments or parents have left as their children leave the school. Please take the time to have a look at the roles outlined below. Taking an active interest in your school's P&C is a fantastic way to show your kids that you value their education and are interested in their school life.

President: Coordinates the general activities of the P&C as well as conducting the General Meetings held twice a term.

Vice President: Back up for the President. Thank you to Christian Caspelherr for offering to take on this role for a second year in 2011.

Treasurer: Treasurer for the P&C. Thank you to Belinda Ladner for training for this role in Term 4 2010.

Secretary: To take the minutes at General Meetings and to process the incoming and outgoing mail.

P&C News: To produce a P&C Newsletter at least once a term.

Canteen Coordinator: To liaise with the Canteen Staff and the P&C Committee.

Fundraising and Events Co-ordinator: Fundraising encourages both social interaction amongst our school community as well as raising necessary funds to carry out the projects that we as parents value.

Amenities Centre Co-ordinator: Amenities Centre bookings contribute greatly to our fundraising efforts. We currently have several regular bookings and offer the Centre for one off bookings as well, all of which require co-ordinating. Thank you to Marina for continuing in this role.



Please turn over as there is more on the back!

School Council Representative: To represent the P&C at the School Council Meetings. Thank you to Sarah Appleton for agreeing to continue in this role for 2011.

WACSSO Representative: The Western Australian Council of State Schools Organisations represents the voice of P&C's within public schools. This position keeps the school informed and current by attending the regional WACSSO meeting once a term.

Uniform Shop: Thank you to Kylie and Tara for learning this role last year and continuing it in 2011.



Grounds Committee: To keep our school grounds and playground equipment looking their best and up to date, the P&C require a committee to top up the great work that Tad, our gardening and maintenance guru, is employed to undertake on a part time basis. A 5 year plan has been developed for anyone interested in contributing.

There are lots of ways to help out around the school in your child's classroom, in the Canteen – no skills required here just need to be able to make a sandwich! Even helping out once a term is a BIG help to the Manageresses and the children LOVE it when their parents are on duty in the Canteen! Or volunteering to help out on the P&C. You don't have to take on one of the roles above but all of the roles need help along the way so please don't be shy come along and lend a hand. We look forward to seeing you there!

MONDAY 21ST FEBRUARY 7:30PM

IN THE STAFF ROOM

SEE YOU THERE!

Snack Shack Snippets

Canteen Roster Reminders

WELCOME BACK! Hope everyone had a lovely holiday. Thank you to the wonderful parents who have already added their name to our roster this term. We still have lots of spots to fill—Mondays and Tuesdays especially. You don't need to be experienced we will teach you as we go. If all families did just one shift a term think how quickly we could fill our roster 😊

Mon 14th Feb

9-11.20 Help Needed!!

11.20 -1.20 Loi

Tuesday 15th Feb

9-11.20 Mrs Han

11.20-1.20 Loi

Thursday 17th Feb

9-11.20 Help Needed!!

11.20-1.20 Lyn H

Friday 18th Feb

9-10.00 Paula McK

9-11.20 Paula McK

11.20-1.20 Paula McK

11.20-1.20 Joyce

Thank you from the Canteen Manageresses Fiona Henderson & Phillipa Spence Ph: **9332 5278**.

New morning tea/recess item!!

We are trying something new to replace the Tropicana pizza muffins for the remainder of the term. We have *Mini Cheese & Bacon Quiches* available as of Monday for \$1.00 each.

Uniforms

Shop Hours: wednesday 8.45 - 9.30 am

Located in the new Art & Music Block

Any queries, please contact our
Uniform Coordinators:

Kylie Atkin Ph: 9313 7377

Or

Tara Snell Ph: 9310 6613

2011/2012 Entertainment Books

The 2011/2012 Entertainment Books are coming to Bull Creek Primary School! You only have to use your Entertainment Book a few times and it will have paid for itself...it is great value for money! The typical family saves hundreds of dollars each year by using the Entertainment Book. Order forms and a sample copy are available in the front office. A portion from the sale of every book supports our school's fundraising.