



PARENTS AND CITIZENS ASSOCIATION

VERESDALE SCRUB STATE SCHOOL

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P&C Newsletter – October 2017

P&C Meeting

Thank you to everyone who attended the last meeting. It was great to see some new people attend. The next P&C meeting will be held on Monday 6th November at 3.30pm, at the school. All parents are welcome to attend. Children are welcome, but not supervised. We are always looking for new people to join. Please know you can place any ideas, suggestions or issues you have into the P&C box at the Office. This can be done anonymously or you can leave your name.

Tuckshop

The free breakfasts that are on offer to the students on Wednesday mornings are proving very popular and we are doing our best to continue them for the Term. We rely on donations and to ease the pressure, we have reduced the options and are only asking for donations of bread and condiments. Any donations are welcomed and can be dropped off at the office or Tuckshop on Wednesday or Friday Mornings. Volunteers are also needed to assist in the Tuckshop on Friday's. If you can help for a couple of hours, from 9am to around 12 noon, please let us know. There is no stress and the children love to see different parents. Just one day makes a huge difference to the workload on the current volunteers. All we need for the tuckshop to continue is just 3 hours of your time a Term. If we had just 10 people put their hand up, it would cover all Friday tuckshops. Baked goods are also welcomed and the students love the variety of food. Please send your details to Yaz or, alternatively, to the office and they will pass on your details.

Student Banking

Student banking day is on Fridays. If you require further help or information please see Sarah McWatt on Friday mornings at the hall. It's very easy to get started and the school receives \$5 for each new account opened and 5% commission from each deposit. For every 10 deposits made, the children will receive a prize. The Commonwealth Bank will have a representative at our Open Day on the 26th of October if you would like further information about the student banking.

Uniform Shop

The Uniform Shop is open Friday mornings 8.30 – 9.00am. If you need to place an order on other days, please leave your order in the P & C box in the office. Please include payment and your mobile number and we will let you know when the order has been filled and is ready for pick up. Hopefully you have been able to have your say about the change of Senior Shirt for next year. There have been samples on display at the Uniform Shop and at the front of the school on numerous occasions showcasing new design options and fabric. A decision on the style chosen will need to be made in the very near future.

Halloween Disco

Come along to our Halloween Disco for a spooky fun filled night of music and games on Friday, 27th of October from 5.30pm to 8pm. The cost is \$3 per student for entry and there will be food and drinks available for purchase on the night. Attached is a form to pre-order the Pizza Meal Deals. The donated goods were excellent last year and we are hoping for the same this time. If you can donate any spooky food, it would be greatly appreciated. To assist in making this night awesome for the students, volunteers are needed to set up and decorate, and to help throughout the night with being an MC or games co-ordinator. We need adults to supervise in the hall, assist with food preparation and arrange toilet runs to ensure the safety of the children. If you would like to be involved in this amazing night, please let the office or one of the P & C team know and we will have jobs waiting for you.

Family Portrait Photos

More details will be coming, however, keep the 26th of November free to book in for your Family Portraits. Laura Jean Fundraising is arranging for a photographer to come to the school and for every shoot that is booked, a portion is donated back to the school. This will make a great Christmas present for those relatives that are difficult to buy for or maybe the photos could be used for the front of Christmas cards. Bring those embarrassing jumpers out and make some funny

family memories. As soon as further details are received, we will send a letter out regarding costs and how to book your sitting.

Cooling Ideas

As the hall is going to become hot and stuffy in Summer, we are looking at different options for cooling the area down. If you have any ideas or know of anyone in the industry, please let us know. All ideas will be tabled at the next meeting.

All positions on the P & C team will become vacant at the AGM at the start of next year. We need more people to come along and join the team to support our school. If you are interested in holding an Executive position, please come along to the next meeting or speak to one of the current members for more details. There are great systems in place which make it easy for anyone to succeed in the roles. Have your say on what is happening in and around the school and what events are held throughout the year.

Remember to check the Facebook page for information or the blackboard at the front of the school.

**Cheers,
P&C Executives – 2017**

HALLOWEEN DISCO MEAL DEAL

WHEN: FRIDAY 27TH OCTOBER 2017

Surname: _____ First Name: _____

Class: _____

(One form per child please. Extra forms are available from the tuckshop or office)

Cheese Beef & Onion

Margherita Vegetarian

Pork & Onion Ham & Cheese

Available as Gluten Free or Dairy Free

Beef & Onion Vegetarian

Gluten Free Dairy Free

Pizza by Dominos

Pizza meal deal \$ 6.50 (includes 2 slices of pizza, drink & popcorn)

Drink - Water Popper

Amount Enclosed : \$.....

**FORM MUST BE RETURNED BY
Tuesday 24th October 2017**

