

# **CPS P&C Meeting**

15 February 20237.00pmCPS School Staffroom

## Welcome & Acknowledgement



## Previous Minutes & Agenda (and Expectations!)



# About the P&C Association



#### Why does a school community need a P&C Association?

A P&C Association enables parents and citizens to meet to determine the needs and aspirations of the school community.

### What does a P&C Association do?

The objectives of your P&C Association focus on the improvement and provision of services to others, particularly children in public school communities. One of the aims of a P&C Association is to advance education.

### The objects of a P&C Association are to:

- > promote the interests of the school by bringing parents, citizens, pupils and teaching staff
- into close co-operation;
- assist in providing equipment required by the school;
- report to the Minister the material requirements of the school;
- assist the teaching staff in establishment of school policy and management in all facets of school activity.

# **CPS P&C: Who are we?**

• Short introductions (names/faces), our roles, why we joined

About CPS P&C

- Supporting our children's' educational needs and CPS
- Interface between school, families and community

Bound by set of protocols from P&C Federation including regular meetings, record keeping, reporting, decision making

Communication channels

Continuous improvement (processes, PR)

# **General introductions - attendees**

- Think, pair, share
- First name, child/grade, why here?
- Introduce the person next to you



# **P&C 2022** – what we did

- Return to face to face community connection & events Trivia Night, Mother's/Father's Day, Colour Run, etc
- Established true partnership with school
- New uniform shop built & open (P&C funded)
- Funds raised for new school playground & design complete (P&C funded)
- Funding for teacher in-class resources (P&C funded)
- E&S grants! & frog hollow. See E&S update

# Key focus areas 2023

**1. Community connection and celebration (People)** <u>How:</u> Events (organising and attending), band, communication, information sharing
<u>Measure of success:</u> Post events feedback survey

2. Environment (Sense of Place & Belonging) <u>How:</u> E&S Sub-committee, School grounds/infrastructure improvements, classrooms/learning resources, art <u>Measure of success:</u> TBC E&S Committee

### 3. Wellbeing | Active

<u>How:</u> Continue to fund for new School Playground <u>Measure of success:</u> Playground built (timing AMU-dependent)





# Environment & Sustainability Team

Emily Klineberg, Robyn Melean, Ngaire Duncan-Watt, Zoe Harpham, Maddie Stewart, Pete Kasby, Molly Stoneberg & Bettina Otterbeck

# 3 Pillars for 2023:

1. Develop sustainable practices and processes at CPS

2. Promote consideration of environmental issues and sustainability in the hearts and minds of the CPS community

3. Collaborate with CPS teachers and students to improve the school grounds e.g. grants and working bees for Frog Hollow, school garden beds, greenhouse, composting, planting native trees and shrubs

## 2022 successes













With thanks to Lorena Ramos, Nicole Newton, Anna Bragg, Zoe Harpham & Maddie Stewart

# Working Bees:













# **Working Bees:**

Term 1: Sun 5 March Term 2: Sun 28 May Term 3: Sun 20 Aug Term 4: Sun 5 Nov



Clean Up Australia Day @ CPS

Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> March 2023 9am - 2pm

Bring the family and join us in cleaning up our beautiful school



### Update – February 2023



### 1. Band Numbers - 2023

- The CPS band program has had a great start to the year, with five bands formed and in rehearsal
- Band participant numbers for 2023 are as follows: Concert Band 61; Big Band 16; Intermediate Band 46; Stage Band 21 and Junior Band 55

## 2. Key events for the diary

- Sat, 25 March 2023 Election cake-stall fundraiser
  - $\circ$   $\,$  This is a key band fundraiser for 2023  $\,$
  - Band parents are requested to make a baked goods contribution to the cake stall. We will also be looking for volunteers for the cake stall on the day
- Sat 29 Sun 30 April Band Camp for Intermediate Band and Concert Band
  - The annual band camp (Intermediate Band and Concert Band) will be held at Cru Galston Gorge on 29 and 30 April 2023
  - An end of camp concert will be held on the Sunday, with families invited to attend
  - $\circ~$  A one-day camp will be held for Junior Band later in the year

### 3. CPS Band Committee – More volunteers required

- The CPS Band Program is supported by a committee of parent volunteers. There are a wide range of ways you can get involved. No musical knowledge is necessary
- We are looking for additional committee members to fulfill the following four roles: Secretary (meeting Agendas and Minutes), Music Librarian, Instrument Co-ordinator and Second-Hand Uniform Co-ordinator
- Please get in touch for more information at cammeraypsband@gmail.com



# Q&A

- Join us afterwards
- Secretary role, volunteers
- Next meeting: Wed 15 March 2023 (7pm)

