Book of Achievements 2019

Parent's Association

Syndal South Primary School



The purpose of this book is to fondly look back on the Syndal South Primary School (SSPS) Parent's Association (PA) events for 2019. We look forward to achieving this and more in 2020. It is our honour to have you in the PA team, come join us.
We dedicate this book to our parents, grandparents, carers, teachers and friends who contribute their time, effort and love to build a better place for our school, children and community.
Thank you.
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Our first PA meeting in 2019. We keep our PA meeting information, events and schedule updated on School Rocket and Compass from time to time. Check out the Compass invitations on when the PA is meeting and how to get involved in the volunteer working group.

PA meetings are scheduled every month on an afternoon or evening basis. All parents are welcome to join the meetings to share your ideas and feedback, and to get updated about PA and school events. Meeting Agenda, Meeting Minutes and Treasurer Report will be shared to all the PA members every month.

To get more information about the PA team, email to us: pa@syndalsp.vic.edu.au.



2ND HAND UNIFORM SUPER SALE!!

Thursday 7 February 2019, 9:15AM TO 10:45AM
Uniform Shop (at OSHC Kitchen)

School Bags \$5.00

Bomber Jackets \$3.00

All tops/dresses/pants/shorts \$1.00

At this sale we accept <u>cash only</u>, please remember to bring small change ©







Second Hand Uniform Shop trading hours: The first Thursday of each month from 9am to 10am.

Thank you Deane Lam, Lisa Macdermott, Catherine Devanny, Michelle Sham, Nicki Harwood, Kate Edwards-Davis, Shalini Acharya, Sajila Raghu and Elaine Wong for operating the uniform shop. Thanks to parents for your donation of the school uniform, which continuously support our community and save the environment.

Do you know? This year we held first ever Saturday Uniform Shop Sale to coincide with the incoming Foundation students PMP day. It was a massive success with over \$600 in sales.



Helping Hands is a wonderful program run by the Parents' Association (PA). Sometimes things happen and families in our community need assistance. This may include cooking a meal for a family or perhaps helping get children to and from school for a short period.

We need volunteers to go onto a list and if/when assistance is needed the group will be contacted and asked to help. This usually happens only once or twice a year.

Support others during tough times

If you are able to help please contact our Helping Hands Coordinator

Nicki Harwood, email: nickiharwood@gmail.com

thank you for your support.

Other questions or feedback? Email: syndalsouthparents@gmail.com

Thank you Nicki Harwood for continuously coordinating this project to assist families in need.

Icy Poles at the School Sports Day



A huge thankyou to Kate Edwards-Davis who supplied the icy poles to all our students on the Sports Day. Thanks to all the parent who came out on a very hot day to hand out the icy poles to our very grateful students and teachers.

Election Day Cake Stall

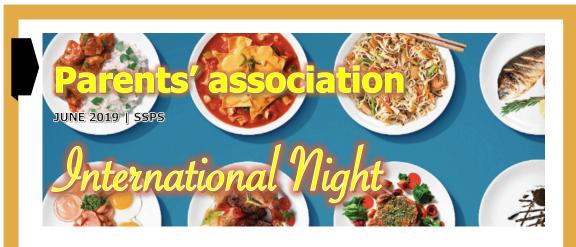


Thank you Catherine Devanny and Lisa Macdermott for managing the Cake Stall on the Election Day – receiving the baked goods before, registering them, packing them, pricing them, and coordinating the set up in the morning. Thank you Nicki Harwood and Inger Robinson for preparing and running the Crafts Stall for this event. Thankyou to Catherine Devanny and Sally Blaber for also preparing and running the Plant Stall. Thanks to all volunteers who scheduled their weekend to support the event. Thank you all SSPS families for baking and packing all the yummy cakes for the event. We could not have had a successful event without you.





Do you know? Further thankyou to the volunteers on the day who undertook shifts selling the items on a very cold day. It was a great success with over \$1,000 raised for the school reading program.



Bring a Plate and Share Your Culture!

Date: Monday, 17 June 2019, 6:30 - 8:00pm

Year 5/6 Building

BYO plates / cutlery / rug / drinks and a dish to share!

One of our traditional dinner nights at Syndal South Community to celebrate our cultural diversity.

Preparation & Set up

Please prepare a list of ingredients attached and a serving spoon/ladle.

Don't forget to bring your own plates, cutlery and drinks.

Extra thanks for those families who help to clean up

Contact

pa@syndalsp.vic.edu.au

Thank you Ruwani Kumarapperuma for arranging this warm and lovely event on a cold evening. Thanks to all the parents who brought their wonderful food and culture to our school to share.













Spoil the Staff Day







Thank you Lisa Macdermott, Catherine Devanny, Monique Venus for coordinating this lovely event for all our school staff! Thanks to all the School families supplying many beautiful food items and thanks to the students who assisted in this event.







School Disco



Thank you Lisa Macdermott, Janine Stockdale and the team for coordinating this evening for our children! Super thanks to all the parents who took different roles in the evening to ensure the children had a safe and fun disco night. A further thankyou to our junior volunteer team helped out to count the cash from the big sale of the glow party accessories.

Do you know? This Disco Night is always a massive successful event and the children have a fantastic time. The event also raised over \$4,000!



The whole school community are invited to come and share some dessert to celebrate the end of an amazing year.

All Welcome!!!

When: Monday 16 December at 6:30pm

Where: Syndal South Primary School Oval

or 5/6 Building (in wet weather)

BYO rug or chairs, bowl, serving spoon (essential) and a cup for coffee/tea + a DESSERT to share!

(List of ingredients essential due to Allergies!)

We will all share our desserts from 6:30pm and families are more than welcome to arrive early, grab a spot on the oval and bring a picnic dinner for themselves or eat dinner at home before arriving!

It is also a wonderful opportunity to gather with families and friends of all grades who are leaving Syndal South Primary School this year.

If you have any questions or are able to help on the set up please contact us at pa@syndalsp.vic.edu.au

Thank you Ruwani Kumarapperuma for coordinating this event. Very thoughtful that our school provides tea and coffee for our desserts! Thank you for all the families sharing their favorite desserts and the wonderful evening together.

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Do you know? We also run...

School Banking



Thanks to this team of parents for managing school banking for the children <u>every Thursday</u>. Some of the parents whose children are already in high school, and they continue to come and support our school. Thank you.

Footy Day Hot Dog Lunch



A wonderful event for Term 3 was a tradition the children enjoy – **Footy Day**. On this day PA ran a Hot Dog lunch. Thank you to Kirsten Turner for running the event with her support team. They did a great job and the children loved it.

Entertainment Books



Thank you Kate Edwards-Davis for managing the Entertainment Books fundraising project.

Community Fundraiser Card



Every time you make a purchase at this store, certain % will be donated to our school. So please remember to use this Community Benefits Card each time you visit.

PA Annual General Meeting 2019

AGM is held in December every year to summarize what we have achieved in the year, and to share the 2019 President's Report and the Treasurer's Report. Everyone is invited to attend. There is also a ballot held for the roles of President, Treasurer and Secretary for 2020.

Thank you for joining us. Especially thank everyone who participated in our School Community events and projects throughout the year. Thanks to our Principal, Office team, Teachers and all the staff who always support our PA team and our children.



Our Humble PA Team 2019



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