



HARRINGTON STREET PUBLIC SCHOOL

Parents & Citizens Association



P&C FORUMS

We strongly encourage parents and carers to attend the forums to keep updated with school and community activities. All P&C forums take place in the Community Room or Hall in Weeks 4 and 8 of each school term. We look forward to meeting you soon!



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CONTACT/ MORE INFORMATION

Please see Mrs. Misa Tran (Community Liaison Officer) at the school office for more information on the P&C's activities and how you can support our children and our school.

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EYE TEST



If you see this watermelon as:

- RED** You are a normal person
- GREEN** You are a bit odd
- BLUE** You need to volunteer at school



All Welcome

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WHY SHOULD YOU JOIN THE P&C?

- Be the voice for parents and carers and get the inside story on what's really happening in our school and influence school policy. Our principal and deputy principals are usually in attendance to answer all your hard questions.
- Have a say in the development of school activities such as excursions, camps and curriculum.
- Guide school management in its financial planning by helping prioritise the resource wish-list and projects.
- Contribute to the school's resources through various fundraising projects, and support children's activities.
- Meet other parents and form supportive networks.
- **Make your child proud and have fun!**

WHY "DO" P&C?

"I volunteer at my child's school. It is my local school. I find that giving up an hour or two each month to attend meeting where we as a group get to have a direct impact on my child's learning is priceless. I appreciate the fundraising that the P&C Association needs to do to ensure that our children have access to education materials and great facilities. I don't mind lending a hand."

IT IS THE LEAST THAT I CAN DO EVERY NOW AND THEN.

"My children like that I am involved in their school life and they love it when they see me at the stall or helping out at school community events. Yes, even the high school child gets a kick out of me participating - not that he would ever say that out loud or in front of his friends. P&C has allowed me to develop my skills. I have a better understanding of meeting practices and I have made lasting friendships. P&C for me also offers opportunities for my children. I get to show them the good that people can bring to their community. I am giving them a model to aspire to, I am showing them that I value their education, that they are not alone."

I AM INVOLVED

"These reasons may not interest you but I bet there is something for you at P&C. Our next meeting is the Annual General Meeting and my P&C Association is looking for members of the community who are willing and able to represent and advocate for parents. I bet your school P&C is exactly the same? Our school is a richer place for the contribution of parents and citizens."



ABOUT US

The Harrington Street Public School Parents and Citizens (P&C) Association consists of a friendly group of parents, carers and community members.

All parents and carers are welcome!

Each year, we organise whole school events to promote parent participation, build community networks and fundraise to assist the school in purchasing additional resources and equipment for our children.

P&C ASSOCIATION OBJECTIVES

- To promote the interests of the school by bringing parents, citizens, students and teaching staff into close co-operation; and
- To assist in providing facilities & equipment for the school & in promoting the recreation & welfare of the students at the school.

SOME P&C CONTRIBUTIONS

- Annual Year 6 Farewell (cake, flowers, photobooth)
- **\$25,000** in 2016 towards purchasing resources for the Key Learning Areas.
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- **\$30,000** in 2018 towards playground improvement and garden projects.
- **\$30,000** in 2019 towards the new computer room now known as the "Technology Hub".

SOME P&C EVENTS

- Breakfast Club
- Gelato Fridays
- Family Fun Day Food Stall
- Mother's Day & Father's Day Stalls
- Election Day and Bunnings BBQ
- Athletics Carnival BBQ
- Teachers' Appreciation Lunch
- Christmas Raffle

PARENT PARTICIPATION

The P&C Association strongly supports and encourages parent involvement in school and community activities. These include parent workshops on curriculum-related areas, sporting and cultural events, and parent excursions. Parent participation is the key to your child's achievement in their schooling!

YOUR CHILD NEEDS YOU!

EVERYONE is welcome to attend a forum/ meeting, and become a P&C member. If you join the P&C, you do not have to volunteer your time, you can do as little or as much as your time permits.

Joining the P&C simply means that you are informed about your child's education and school, and you can vote on the decisions made. **Please join us today!**

HAVE YOU GOT TIME FOR AN INVESTMENT?
JOIN YOUR P&C