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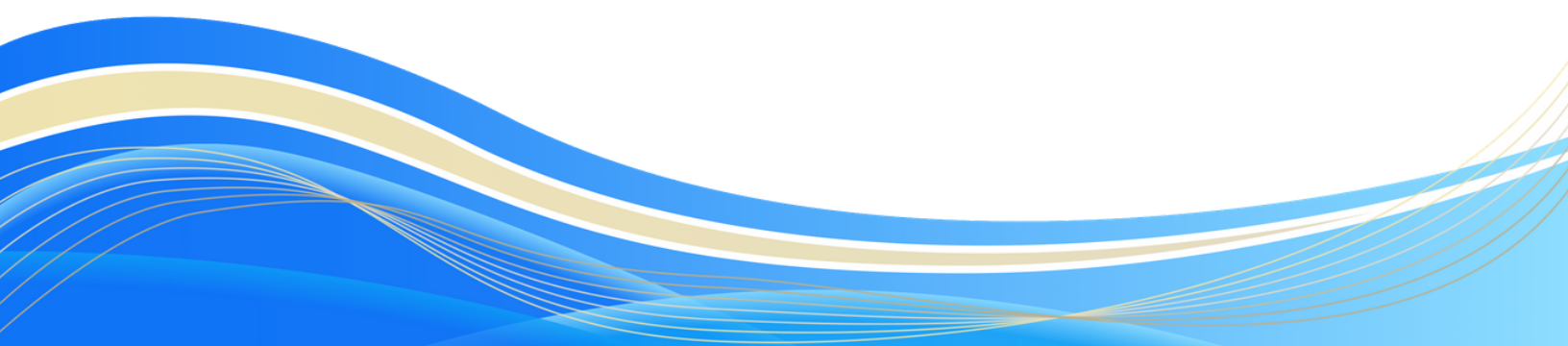


VALUES

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| Respect | Being understanding, polite and showing kindness |
| Integrity | Being honest and truthful through all our work and interactions |
| Inclusion | Being respectful, valuing diversity and with ongoing commitment to equality |

MISSION

“Learning and Growing Together –
We believe all children should be supported in the school environment to develop, grow and learn. We are committed to working with the school administration, Park Lake families and the community to provide the best opportunities for our students by providing funding and ongoing support”



WELCOME

ON BEHALF OF THE PARENT'S &
CITIZENS COMMITTEE

WELCOME TO PARK LAKE STATE SCHOOL

The P&C encourages closer co-operation between the school, parents and the wider community. P&C members work with the Principal and school staff on behalf of the students' families to foster an interest amongst the parents in educational matters as well as fundraising to provide financial resources for the school. Being a member (free!) is a great way to play an active role in your child's school community.

The P&C is responsible for:

- Fundraising
- Tuckshop
- Uniform shop
- Book Club
- Student banking
- Air-conditioning fund

We hope your experience at Park Lake State School is positive and memorable, and we hope to meet you soon!

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BEING A P&C MEMBER IS A
GREAT WAY TO LEARN
WHAT IS HAPPENING AT
THE SCHOOL
and to have your say



When you see this icon, mark the date on your calendar!

FUNDRAISING AND EVENTS

2018 achievements at a glance

- Purchased shirts & props for Kapa Haka Group
- Purchased sports shirts for students representing our school in sports events
- Students participating in an 'all schools' state sport competition
- Japanese excellence program shirts
- Study group gifts and lunches
- Student Graduation Gifts
- Athletics Program
- Sponsored Prep hearing tests
- Discos
- Mother's and Father's Day stalls
- Colour run
- Trivia Night

Current projects:

- Providing air-conditioning to all classrooms
- Improving the drop off/pick up experience for all parents and children

VOLUNTEERS

To continue helping our school grow and prosper we rely on the generosity of our volunteers. No matter the task, every volunteer makes a difference!! Contact us to register your support.



P&C MEETINGS



Meetings are held in the staff room at Park Lake State School in weeks 4 and 8 of each term at 6pm in the staff room.

Find out what's happening around your school and have your say on topics that matter. All are welcome!

Prep & new parents morning tea



The first day of school can be a mix of emotions, especially for parents!

From 8:30am on the first day, take your new students to class, follow the signs and come and enjoy morning tea. Have a chat to fellow school parents and enjoy a cuppa with us. 'Experienced' parents welcome too!





Uniform Policy

Under the Education (General Provisions) Act 2006 the wearing of the correct school uniform is mandatory as per the School's Enrolment Agreement. It is the policy of this school to implement a student dress code that will:

- Maximise student access to, and participation in, all educational experiences.
- Enhance student safety by ready identification of members of the student body.
- Ensure health and safety requirements according to relevant legislation and policy.
- Minimise harassment attributed to, and accentuated by, dress.
- Ensure that both male and female students have items of dress that allow full participation in physical activities.
- Minimise stereotypical ideas about appropriateness for female and male students.
- Promotes a supportive environment at the school by fostering a sense of belonging and school spirit.

The P&C Association of Park Lake State School resolves that it supports this Student Dress Code.

We believe that by encouraging students to wear a school uniform promotes:

- a supportive environment fostering a sense of belonging;
- an effective teaching and learning environment by eliminating the distraction of competition in dress and fashion at school;
- mutual respect among individuals at school by minimising visible evidence of economic, class or social difference.

As a school community we are aware that a variety of genuine cultural, medical and religious beliefs impact upon this dress code and discussion between the Principal and caregivers of students regarding any situation will aim to negotiate a compromise.

Visit the website for further information on the uniform policy.

The student dress code applies to students when:

- attending or representing the school;
- travelling to and from school;
- engaging in school activities out of hours including school excursions





UNIFORM

Sports uniform

- Park Lake SS polo shirt
- Black shorts or skorts
- Black shoes (leather or joggers) with black laces, buckles or velcro straps
- Ankle socks in white or black



Dress uniform

MUST be worn for all excursions, and performances outside of the school, school photo day, awards day and graduation day unless specified otherwise.

Exceptions would be school camps or the senior students attending sports competition days with other schools.

- Park Lake SS check unisex shirt
- Black shorts or skorts
- Black shoes, leather or joggers, with black laces, buckles or velcro straps (no white laces)
- Ankle socks in plain white or black



Hat

- Park Lake SS or plain black sun safe school hat is compulsory (no caps)

UNIFORM

Additions to the uniform

- Park Lake SS or plain black jumper/jacket (no hood)
- Plain black tracksuit pants (no jeans, no leggings)
- Black tights (full length with feet) may be worn during colder months underneath skorts/shorts. No socks are required if wearing tights.
- Hair ribbons/clips in schools colours (blue/black/white). No other coloured hair accessories.



Athletics and Swimming carnivals

- Students may wear a plain sun safe shirt in their house colour
- For swimming lessons and carnivals students are to wear a rash shirt and appropriate swim wear.
- The venues expect that students will wear a swimming cap.



Nail polish/make up and jewellery

- No coloured nail polish or makeup is permitted
- One pair of plain studs or sleepers may be worn in the earlobes only
- One watch
- Items identifying medical conditions allowed
- Religious or cultural necklaces may be worn underneath uniforms with school permission
- No other jewellery items may be worn to school, including bracelets, bangles, anklets, or other body piercings.





TUCKSHOP

Volunteers needed!

Kids love the tuckshop so it's a pretty busy place to be. To make sure we can provide continued service to our kids, we rely on our wonderful volunteers to help!



Who can help?

Anyone can help ... mums, dads, grandparents and friends. All training, recipes and coffee supplied!

No need to stay all day!

We understand how busy our parents are so we have a number of volunteering options available to suit everyone!

- 15-20 mins after school drop off to stick Flexischools labels on bags or to cut up fruit and salad items, wash lettuce etc
- 1 hour once a week to make muffins and cookies, pasta bolognese, fried rice or butter chicken
- 1 hour once a month to do the stocktake (bring a friend)
- Special cultural dishes that you'd be willing to make for theme days to allow the students to experience something new
- Or just come in and lend a hand!

Can't make it in but still want to help?

- Once a week wash aprons and tea towels at home
- Create flyers for theme days and healthy food at home
- Donate items such as sugar, flour, veggies, fruit, crackers etc.

All non-school parent volunteers require a Volunteer Blue Card. If you don't have one, we will help get it organised.



No more having to send the kids to school with cash!
Flexischools is our go-to for ordering:

- ★ **Lunches**
- ★ **Uniforms**
- ★ **Event tickets**

Full menus and price lists are available on the
Flexischools website.

It's easy to register, and free!

1. Go to www.flexischools.com.au
2. Click REGISTER NOW
3. Enter your email. Follow the link you receive in your inbox.
4. Choose a username and password and complete the form
5. Add each student and their Class
6. Pay for each order or top-up the account
(VISA or Mastercard preferred)



BOOK CLUB

Scholastic Book Club has been a wonderful way to get children excited about books for years.



SCHOLASTIC

At Park Lake State School our P&C run Book Club three times a year (once each in terms 1,2 & 3).

Booklets will be sent home throughout the year giving you a chance to order for your children. The books will be sent home with your child when they arrive.

As an additional bonus for our school each order accumulates points for your teachers to use to order resources for the classroom.



SCHOOL BANKING

Park Lake State School provides access to school banking with the Commonwealth Bank. It's a fun, interactive and engaging way for for all students to learn about money and develop good savings habits.



**Our banking day is Tuesday each week
between 8.15 - 9.15am in the
uniform shop.**

**parents will be notified of
any changes to banking day and times.*

CommonwealthBank 

Just one thing

If every family could do 'just one thing' we can continue to provide great experiences for your children

Name _____

Phone _____

Email _____

1 Committee Meetings

- Each term
- Week 4 and week 8
- 6:30pm
- Teachers staff room
- All welcome

2 Tuckshop

Choose a term

☐ Term 1 ☐ Term 2 ☐ Term 3 ☐ Term 4

Choose a day (all 9-11am)

☐ Mon ☐ Tue ☐ Wed ☐ Thur ☐ Fri

3 School & fundraising events:

- ☐ School Disco
- ☐ Bunnings BBQ
- ☐ Mother's Day Stall
- ☐ Father's Day Stall
- ☐ A/C Team
- ☐ Book Club
- ☐ Colour Run

Event information, including shift options, dates and times, will be sent to you as planning commences.

4 Specialised skills

As the P&C is run by volunteers we are always looking for members with skills that would help in the development and growth of our committee and school. This includes: grant writing, graphic design, photography, videography, and much more. If you would like to offer your help, please detail below:

Office use only

☐ Entered

Date _____

Signature _____





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