

P&C NEWS – WEEK 8, TERM 1

Welcome to another week of news and information. Only 2 and a half weeks of Term one left.

P&C ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

The P&C would like to welcome all families to our AGM which will be held tomorrow night (16 March) in the Library, 7pm. Our General Meeting will follow the AGM.

During the AGM, nominations will be called for the positions of the executive, so please come along and vote for the team you would like to represent you over the year. If you wish to take on any executive role or wish to put someone forward, please contact prsspandc@gmail.com before the AGM.

We have 2 roles that need filling.

Janelle Grace is stepping down as Vice President at the AGM to volunteer in one of our Subcommittees, If you are interested in taking on this executive role, please contact prsspandc@gmail.com for further information.

Kym Bierenbroodspot is stepping down as Coordinator of Fundraising & Events. If you are interested in this role please contact prsspandc@gmail.com for further information.

Please remember that membership of the P&C is annual so all current members need to fill in a membership form to renew their membership. The AGM is the only meeting where you do not need to be in attendance to lodge a membership form.

Membership gives you:

- voting rights should an issue arise about which you would like to have a say (you need to be a member before the meeting),
- covered by P&C insurance when on grounds, helping at working bees etc.,
- receive minutes of the meeting (even if not attending meetings) to be able to stay informed,
- membership is free.

We look forward to seeing everyone in the Library for our AGM.

DID YOU KNOW?

Sports House.

PRSS started with 2 sport houses (Moongara and Nooroo), the third, (Amaroo) joined the race in 1974. Moongara (Yellow) means Spirit, Nooroo (Red) means Speed, Amaroo (Green) means lovely place.

The Start of OSHC.

PRSS Parents were canvassed to see what was required for After School Care and in 1991 OSHC was setup in an old demountable building. OSHC has had many homes along the way, the Kindy Rooms (now Prep Rooms) to name one. The activities building OSHC is now located in was built in 1999. The wonderful SusieB has been with us in OSHC since 1998 and has been Director of OSHC since 2001. We would be lost without this amazing woman and the service OSHC brings to our school.



WHO WE ARE?

LEIGH PASSFIELD
Treasurer

How are you connected to PRSS?

Our family started at Payne Road in 2010 with our daughter starting Prep. Now we only have Zac in Yr 4.

What is your role at PRSS?

Currently Treasurer for the last 3 years. Prior to that President for 3 years and I have been a Parent Rep.

What do you love about PRSS?

I love how when you walk into the school it feels like you are in another world away from traffic and the hustle and bustle of the outside world.

What do you do for a living?

Well some say that they never see me work but I am a Mortgage Broker. I have an excellent team around me which gives me the freedom to be able to do things with family and friends when I want too and also give a bit of my time back to the community.

What are your passions?

American politics is my obsession at the moment but hopefully this will pass.

I also like to try and improve things where I can and can get fairly passionate about getting a fair outcome when I see an injustice.

Scary fact about you!

I am a bit of an open book but probably a surprising fact about me is that I used to model for a local boutique when I was young.

P&C ACHIEVEMENTS!

Hearing Screening by Hear and Say will take place at the end of the Term for our Preppies and new students at PRSS. The P&C raised funds for this program and we thank our families for the support given by volunteering and fundraising to make these achievements possible.

UNIFORM SHOP SALE



- **HOUSE SPORT SHIRTS ON SALE!** With the Cross Country Carnival coming up next week get your House Sports Shirts on SALE at the Uniform Shop NOW. \$20 instore only.!
- **PRSS TEA TOWELS ON SALE** at a reduced price of \$10. Purchase from the Uniform Shop or online <http://payneroadpandc.com.au/>
- **PRSS MERCHANDISE ON LINE** The PRSS Cookbook, Coolers and Coasters and as above, our Tea Towels (at a discount) are back online for sale. Follow the links on the home page to go shopping. <http://payneroadpandc.com.au/>

THANK YOU



Thank you to our wonderful volunteers that turned up to cover the new resource books in the Library on Friday.

TraceyH (who volunteered on her birthday), RevC (who continued on after everyone left), LeighP (our Barista), VerenaD, SonyaK, Susie & Taylor from OSHC and our legend Carolyn. Ladies, you are amazing – thank you for your support.

HELP NEEDED TO COVER MORE BOOKS! If you have any free time during the week, morning or afternoon to cover a few books here and there, please drop in to the Library. There are many more to still cover and we need your help. Thanks in advance.

SUPPORT INFORMATION

- **For the 2017 PRSS Music Events** check out the newly updated Music Supporters Group Events Planner. Go to <http://payneroadpandc.com.au/services/music-supporters/>
- **If you are on Facebook**, please go to <https://www.facebook.com/PayneRoadPandC> and Like the P&C Facebook Page. We keep you up to date with events and important information.
- **Check out our Website** payneroadpandc.com.au. We have mountains of information on how we can support you.

P&C UPCOMING EVENTS

WEEK 8

- **Thursday 16 March – P&C AGM, Library, 7pm – All Welcome**
- Friday 17 March – National Day against Bullying & Violence.
- Friday 17 March – St Patricks Day
- **Friday 17 March – Treat Time, Tuckshop, 2.50pm**

SCHOOL EVENTS

- We hope that our year 5/6 students enjoyed School Camp.
- Parent Rep Meeting – Thursday 16th March 9am, meet in the Breezeway area.
- Good luck to all our PRSS Students running the Cross Country Wednesday 22nd March.
- Have fun at Strings Camp Year 4!
- Good luck to our Year 5's at the Mt Coot-tha Cluster Spelling Competition.

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Thanks for reading.
PRSS President
Kym Bierenbroodspot