

Parents and Friends

P&F meets twice a term on Tuesday evening from 7:30pm. It is an opportunity for parents to become involved in school activities, discuss issues of concern and provide informal feedback to the school.

Reports from the Principal, Treasurer and the P&F School Council representative are tabled.

Social events, working bees, etc. are organized and planned, school staff present information about new initiatives, projects or activities in the school and decisions are made regarding the allocation of funds raised by the school fete. Funds in the past have contributed to the shade sales, purchased: digital cameras, DVD & TV, BBQ, numeracy & literacy resources and computer software.

There are three sub committees that organise and plan for different activities.

Welcome to St John's and we look forward to meeting some new parents in 2011.

Ann Kirkham & Linda Errey
P&F Co Chairperson's

Social Events

This sub committee organizes a couple of whole school social events each year such as the welcome BBQ and Art Alive. This year the Welcome BBQ is in the second week back which is Friday 12th February . P&F provide all meat, salads, bread, etc. and families can BYO drinks. It provides a great opportunity for new and existing families to meet in an informal social atmosphere.

Art Alive is held in August and celebrates some of the great artwork the children produce. In addition to this, the sub committee also assists with other activities as requested by the school such as helping to serve morning tea for grandparent's day, assisting with 'Fruit & Veg Week breakfast and P&F helped with afternoon tea for the new school building opening.

Fete

The fete subcommittee organises the fete each year. It is an amazing event and last year we raised over \$14,000.00 for the school. This is the one activity we request all families to be involved in as this distributes the work across all families – it is an expectation that all families will participate in some way. There are over 30 stalls, activities and events and parents can nominate where they would like to help out. The fete is held at the end of October or early November and is a fun day for everyone.