



McKinnon Primary School

Parents Club

What is Parents Club?

Parents Club is where parents from the school community work together with the purpose of making a positive impact on your child's time at school. It is a great opportunity to meet new people, make new friends and become involved in the school community!

What type of things does Parents Club do?

Parents Club organise a range of events throughout the year to bring some fun and community spirit to our children's school experience, such as:

- ★ Welcome Back event at the beginning of the year
- ★ A sausage sizzle at the end of each term
- ★ Weekly "Friday Treats" from the canteen
- ★ Mother's and Father's Day stalls
- ★ Afternoon teas for the new Foundation parents
- ★ Thank you Lunch for the teachers
- ★ Movie night
- ★ Family Fun Night
- ★ Parents' Social Nights
- ★ Annual Walkathon
- ★ Charity morning teas
- ★ Night Market/Fair

...as well as some helpful services such as managing lost property and holding second hand uniform stalls.

What are the benefits of being involved with Parents Club?

Firstly, your child(ren) will be thrilled to know their mum or dad is involved at their school! You will meet many parents and make new friends and possibly learn new skills or share your skills with others. You can attend the monthly meetings to stay informed about the Parents Club upcoming activities and how you can be involved.

I am new to the school and don't know any of the other parents...

Parents Club is very welcoming; it may appear that the parents already involved are old friends, in fact many did not know each other before joining parents club and have made new friends. Ask another parent from your child's class to come to Parents Club with you and you will make new friends together and make a positive impact on your child's school life. Everyone is welcome!

How do you get involved?

Simply fill in the enrolment form on the back of this notice and return to the school office (along with the nominal membership fee of \$1). You will then be added to the mailing list and will be informed of all Parents Club activities. Your help will always be appreciated if you can spare some time at particular events, or you may wish to take on a more active role on the Parents Club committee. You can do as little or as much as you are able to, but most importantly you are getting involved in your child's school!

We thank you for your interest in Parents Club and hope you will join us!

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