

PRINCIPAL REORT

P&F MEETING – 8th February 2017

- Firstly welcome to our first P & F meeting for 2017. We have so many wonderful generous parents who give their time and expertise to our school and we are eternally grateful. If you are new to this committee I can promise you these meetings are always fun and enjoyable and so many awesome things happen because of the drive of this group.
- A special welcome to our new families, towards the end of December and even this past two weeks we have welcomed many new families into our school community. I know it will not take you long to get to know our new families
- It has been a busy start to 2017, you would have seen our School Board has been working hard to improve the pre-primary area, the new patio has been installed the new fort and soft fall area as well as the new extended grass area for play. The Board want to ensure that our students are constantly catered for and have the best facilities.
- Also we have seen the kindergarten area have a spruce up with a new tap placed in the sand pit, a new stage and the beginning of a nature play area. This year we are hoping to continue working with are amazing parents to further build three nature play areas, one in the kindergarten, pre-primary and senior play area. Last year saw a great group of families come and create our first nature play area we hope to continue this practice this year.
- The staff have been working hard to prepare their rooms for 2017, many hours have been spent preparing the rooms and programs and I know they are very excited about this year. I don't think a day has gone past in January that someone has been in their rooms, there has been a lot of laughter and smiles in the corridor and that is always a good thing.
- Once again school bathers can be found in the uniform shop, they are not compulsory but I must admit they do look great. Just a reminder to parents about purchasing the correct shoes for the school year. It always saddens me when we start the year and children are not in correct uniform.
- I have been happy to see that once again our children are excited to be back at school and I see a lot of smiling faces every day.

- We have our new group of leaders this year and so far they have been great, I look forward to see them leading our school.
- Great to see our Centurion Club up and running thanks to the great work of Bree Dudek, Kerry James and Catherine Hancock, this was their brain child and the turn out we saw on Tuesday was just amazing. Congratulations also to the mums and dads who also joined us and took to the oval.
- We have our rainbow run coming up very soon and we hope all our families support this wonderful event. Sunday 26th March

REQUESTS

→ Last year we did discuss maths equipment for the school I look forward to purchasing the equipment when we are financial.