

17 May 2023

Good morning/afternoon PC community

Wow! The weeks are just flying by, we are currently in Week 5 of our 10 week term.

The past few weeks have been super busy. We were so proud of our students as they respected the Anzac traditions both at school and those that attended the local community service.

We have had some great success stories on the sporting field with Brooke, Tahlia and Narquiez reaching regional representation in their respective sports and our soccer team and cluster sports teams doing themselves proud.

Thanks to the P&C for the recent Mother's Day stall which hopefully provided many of you a beautiful gift to open on Mother's Day.

Facilities Update

Thankfully our recent Fire Ants outbreak has now been treated, all activity eliminated and the oval back in play. Happy students..... now for the rain to hold off to enable ongoing use.

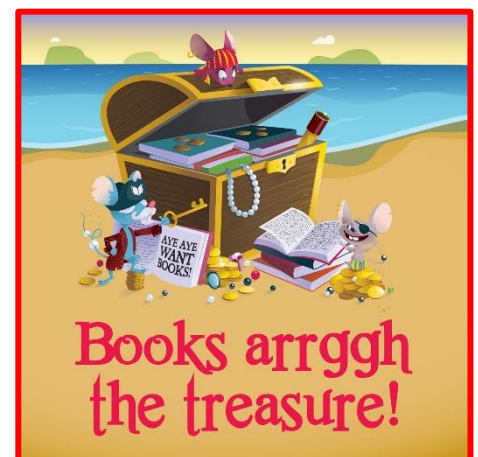
Unpaid 2023 Student Resource Scheme

We recently sent reminders to all families with outstanding 2023 Student Resource Scheme invoices; where no payment plan has been arranged. If we have not received a response to this reminder by way of payment or payment plan arrangement, access to online learning platforms will be restricted for your child/children effective today.

Please contact the office if you wish to arrange a payment plan. Alternatively, payment can be made via QParents or Bpoint. Once payment is made, please send through the confirmation of payment to the office email and we will be able to reactive access for your child/children.

Message from the P&C - Scholastic Bookaneer Book Fair is nearly here!

The theme is **Bookaneer Book Fair**. We will have a wonderful selection of engaging and affordable books for every reading level. Please make plans to visit our Book Fair and be involved in shaping your child's reading habits. Students will be able to view all of the books for sale - and create their wishlists - from 30 May to 1 June [during class times - schedule TBC]. The following week - 5 to 8 June - the Book Fair will be open before school and at the end of the school day for purchasing. So come along to find the best new books and help to earn free books for our school!



For all updates, [please follow the event we have set up on Facebook](#). And if you have some time during either of those weeks to volunteer at the Book Fair, please add your name to the [sign up sheet!](#)

Online payment, EFTPOS and cash payment will be available during the second week.

Student Council News

To celebrate the first State of Origin game, **on Wednesday 31st May, all PC students can wear a sporting team jersey of their choice (not limited to QLD/NSW) with their school shorts.** Please remember that the jerseys must have sleeves to be sun safe.


This is a free event so no donation is required.

Community News

Amity Road Update - Some of you may have noticed work done on the school signage on Amity Road, near our back pedestrian access gate. Please be advised a speed camera has been installed and is currently being implemented – Safety is Everyone’s Business!


Crossing Supervisor recruitment – See advertisement below.

School Dental Service - The Dental Van is currently situated at Pimpama City Shopping Centre see below for details on booking appointments.




PAID JOB
SCHOOL CROSSING SUPERVISOR
PICNIC CREEK STATE SCHOOL

- \$33.27 per hour (great way to supplement a pension)
- 1.5 hours per day maximum
- Work before and after school
- If successful TMR provides:
 - Health Assessment
 - Blue Card (Authority to work with Children)
 - Training
- Interested? Email southportroadsafety@tmr.qld.gov.au.



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**Visit us at the
Mobile Dental Clinic
located at
Pimpama City
Shopping Centre**



Please phone 1300 300 850 for an appointment as soon as possible to ensure you don't miss out.

Who
All children aged 4 to grade 10.
Eligible adult patients


When
2nd May – 29th June 2023

We look forward to caring for your family

* Eligibility criteria applies for adults, non-school aged children and students in years 11 and 12.
For more information scan the QR code or visit www.goldcoast.health.qld.gov.au/oral-health



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Dates to remember:-

Monday 22 May – Yr 2 Excursion rescheduled (2A, 2C, 2D & 2/3)

Tuesday 23 & 30 May – Year 5 & 6 Interschool Sport

Wednesday 24 May – Bravehearts Prep Ditto Show

Friday 26 May – Active School Travel Breakfast (7.45am)

Wednesday 31 May – Student Council Jersey Day (see article above)

Thursday 1 June – P&C General Meeting @ 8.30pm

Friday 2 June – Term 2 Instalment of Student Resource Scheme due (\$35.00)

Monday 5 June to Thursday June 8 – P&C Scholastic Bookaneer Book Fair stall open

Friday 16 June – Year 5 Camp permission and payment due

Looking forward to continued partnerships in learning.

Regards

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