**TERM 1 2024** 



THIRD EDITION

# **COMMUNITY UPDATE**



### PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Welcome to Week 7 Term 1 2024

We value your partnership in learning and look forward to welcoming those of you that are booked in for the Parent Teacher interviews on Wednesday 6th March.

This year all interviews will be held in the hall and will be for 10mins duration. A map will accompany this correspondence. Please be sure to take a look over it before your arrival to ensure a smooth transition to the relevant table to meet the teacher.

Some of you will have received a "Great News Email" from me in the past few weeks. These emails are a new initiative to provide an additional form of positive news directly to your family about your child's work at school. These emails are not linked to the PC3 award certificates.

# PARENT AND COMMUNITY **FRAMEWORK**











The five elements above are key drivers of successful parent and community partnerhips within schools. The below graphic gives you further information about each of these:



#### AT PICNIC CREEK STATE SCHOOL WE VALUE COMMUNITY COLLABORATION.

THIS WEEK WE ARE SEEKING PARENT INPUT AROUND POSSIBLE PARENT INFORMATION SESSIONS THAT YOU ARE INTERESTED IN AND AN INDICATION OF WHEN YOU WOULD BE AVAILABLE TO UNDERTAKE THESE.

KEEP AN EYE OUT FOR AN EMAIL ASKING YOU TO COMPLETE A FORMS SURVEY.

**Believe Strive Achieve** 



## **ACTIVE SCHOOL TRAVEL**

It was great to share our first Active School Travel breakfast with you last Friday, March 1st.

It is wonderful to see the smiles on the children's faces when they arrived at school, got their bag tags stamped and enjoyed some healthy options for a breakfast snack. Hopefully you saw the video I posted to Facebook last Thursday which spoke of the signage and seating we have received as part of our "End of Journey" support from GCCC. If not you are missing outremember to LIKE the Picnic Creek Facebook page to be kept up to date on all things at The Creek.



## STUDENT COUNCIL NEWS

After the success of last year's drive, the Student Council is once again collecting donations of pet food to support the Animal Welfare League (AWL) in Coombabah.

There will be a green bin outside Mrs Domotor's Science room for collections.

Any brand, for any animal, however it must be sealed/ unused/ not expired.

Your support is appreciated





# DATE CLAIMER

Please note the following dates for your calendar:

Wednesday 6th March - Parent Teacher Interviews - new format and time - 2.50pm-7.00pm in the hall

Thursday 7th March - P&C AGM and general meeting

Wednesday 13th March - Monday 25th March - NAPLAN online for our Year 3's and 5's

Friday 22nd March - Cross Country Day Yrs 3-6 from 8.50am. Prep -2 from 11.30am

Thursday 28th March - final day of Term 1

Friday 29th March - Good Friday and school holidays commence