

P&C Meeting

Term 2 Week 9 (postponed from Week 7)

23 July 2025

1. **What a fantastic Bunnings BBQ!** Congratulations!! We are so grateful for all our P&C does and is doing to support our students. Mrs Flynn is continuing to liaise with the cubby house people and our assets officer regarding installation and ongoing maintenance.
2. **DGR Status for a Library fund:** Due to enquiries from parents, we have commenced the process of establishing a DGR status for a Library fund (as permitted by Department of Education). Paperwork was submitted by Mrs Marczan on 11 June so hopefully it will be process [prior to end of financial year. Funds donated must be used for the Library but we will then allocate our money from the Library to purchase other resources.
3. **Term 3 leave:** Mrs Morton will be on leave for the first six weeks of Term 3. Mrs Sarah Martin (Assistant Principal, Learning and Support at Coniston PS) will fill the role. This will enable Mrs Flynn and Mrs Jacobs continuity in their roles.
4. **Book Week:** All that has been planned can proceed as expected. Information for parents – newsletter and Sentral calendar. Donations currently stored in Mrs Morton's office.
5. **Student activities since last meeting**
 - NSW Public School Student Survey (Years 3 – 6) – opt out process
 - Parent / Teacher interviews including interpreter organisation as required
 - National Simultaneous Story Time
 - Stewart House two-week camp – eligible students only (application process)
 - Gumaraa Reconciliation Week incursion – school funded
 - Reconciliation Walk – senior Aboriginal students as a trial
 - Gala Day Years 3-6
 - Class Spelling Bee plus final 23/6/2025
 - Wollongong Network of Schools SRC meeting – two senior leaders only
 - Public Speaking Competition and finals
 - Basketball program (funded through a Sporting Schools Grant)
 - Bunning BBQ - helpers
 - Whole school assembly – Darwinia 2 item (Mrs Jacobs)
6. **Professional learning / meetings (not an exhaustive list)**
 - Explicit Direct Instruction – teachers and Assistant Principals. Ongoing throughout the year. Delivered by Mrs Risi (Assistant Principal, Curriculum and Instruction) and Mrs Martin (Assistant Principal, Learning and Support)
 - School Excellence Plan – Mrs Morton and Mrs Flynn
 - Emergency Management Planning – Mrs Flynn and Mrs Morton
 - Finance – Mrs Marczan
 - English as an Additional Dialect (EALD) framework and evaluation – teachers and executive staff
 - Support class placement process – Mrs Flynn, Ms Thompson
 - National Consistent Collection of Disability Data – Mrs Flynn and Miss O'Brien
 - NDIS navigation – Mrs Flynn
 - Mathematics program (EAST maths) – Mrs Risi
 - Collaboration Day – all class teachers (professional learning, assessment)
 - Leadership in Aboriginal Education – Mrs Morton

- Problematic and Sexualised Harmful Behaviours – Ms Thompson, Mr Formica and Mrs Brown
- Leading Literacy and Numeracy – Mrs Risi
- Curriculum Resource meeting – Mrs Risi
- Resilience Project and Positive Behaviour for Learning – teachers and executive
- EALD online – Ms Mawassi
- Connect and collaborate sessions – Mrs Flynn

Thank you, Mrs Morton