P&C Updates

A big thank you to all of the volunteers who helped to make our **Ekka Fun Day** a great success last week! We'd also like to share our appreciation for all of the generous sponsors who are making our special event possible, including the Brisbane City Council, Heritage Bank, Margie Nightingale MP, Ramsay Pharmacy Forest Lake, Matt Groves Real Estate, Hon Milton Dick MP, Councillor Charles Strunk and Pralentine Solutions.

Our **Father's Day stall will be open from 1-3 September**, ahead of the upcoming Student-free Day (5 Sep). Don't forget to order your vouchers through Flexischools by 8pm Sunday 31 August, or you can send cash with your child(ren) on the day. Sign up [HERE] to help us run the stall, and share in the excitement of picking out the best gifts for all of our special father figures!

Upcoming Events

Father's Day Stall – 1-3 September [VOLUNTEER SIGN UP]

Next P&C Meeting – Tuesday 16 September at 6:00 PM

Please also save the date for the following P&C meetings on 21 October and 18 November.

Family Photos – 15 November (more information coming soon!)



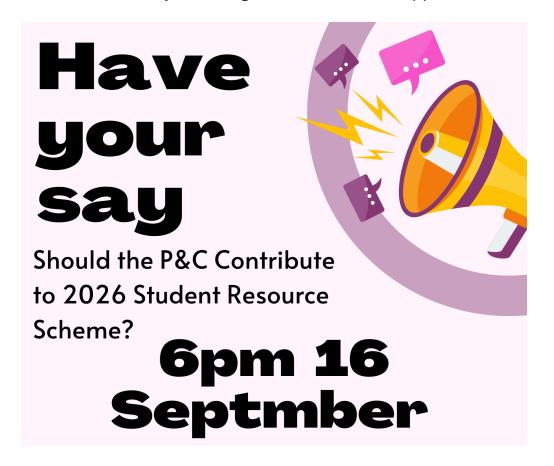


- Save the Date P&C Meeting
- Tuesday, 16 September 2025
- **©** 6:00 PM

Planning is underway for our 2026 budget, and at this meeting we will be discussing the support provided to the Student Resource Scheme in 2025. This initiative helped keep costs to families low and ensured all students had access to the same resources.

The P&C plays an important role in contributing funds to our school community, and your voice matters. This is your opportunity to be part of the decision-making process on how these funds are used to best support our students and families.

We'd love to hear your thoughts — should this support continue in 2026?



Tuckshop & Uniform Shop Reminders

Tuckshop – Flexischools remains our preferred payment method. We have observed an increase in over-the-counter purchases, requiring students to queue before school from 8:30 AM. If you need assistance with Flexischools, please let us know.

Uniform Shop – The uniform shop is open Tuesdays, Wednesdays & Fridays from 8.15-9.30am. Orders can also be made on Flexischools daily.

Thank You!

We sincerely appreciate the ongoing support of our wonderful parents, carers, and volunteers. Your contributions, whether big or small, help make Grand Avenue a fantastic place for our children.

For any questions, suggestions, or if you'd like to get involved, please contact us at pandc@grandavenuess.eq.edu.au or stay updated via our Facebook page: https://www.facebook.com/gasspandc.

Grand Avenue State School P&C



BECOME A GRAND HELPER

Volunteering at Grand Avenue State School

We welcome parents and carers to join our community of volunteers—our **Grand Helpers**. Whether it's helping in the classroom, supporting events, or assisting behind the scenes, your time and involvement makes a big difference in the lives of our students.

Volunteering is a fantastic way to:

- Stay connected with what's happening at school
- ✓ Build relationships with staff and other families
- Support your child's learning journey
- Strengthen our school community

HOW CAN YOU HELP?

There are many ways you can get involved as a Grand Helper:

- Classroom Support
- Reading groups and literacy activities
- Breakfast Club
- Sports carnivals and sporting events
- P & C association support
- Special school events and celebrations

We understand your availability may vary-volunteer when it suits you!



INTERESTED IN VOLUNTEERING?

To register your interest or find out more, please contact:



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We're incredibly grateful for the support of our Grand Helpers. Your time, energy, and care help make Grand Avenue a thriving place for learning and connection. We can't wait to welcome you to the team!

