A Message from the P&F President

The final term of the 2015 school year is closing in on us at a rapid rate and the hard working volunteers of the Parents and Friends have been busy as usual.

Highlights of Term 3 include:
− Fathers’ Day stalls and Grandparents’ Day across both campuses
− the Mid-Year Function held in August
− the second round of funding submissions

And now we look forward to the biggest event on the Parents and Friends calendar – the Parish and College Fair, which will take place in November. Angela Cassidy and Joanne Brooks are skillfully and tirelessly working hard organising what is promising to be great fun and a great fundraiser.

Just a friendly reminder that all parents are most welcome to the Parents and Friends meetings, which happen on a monthly basis. We are always looking for new ideas and fresh input. Please feel free to contact me directly on 0410 526 612 or email dion@charlottepeterswald.com.au if you would like to discuss ways in which you can assist.

I hope everyone has a sensational break in the holidays and I look forward to seeing you in the new term.

Dion Flanagan
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The Parents and Friends Association held its mid year function on Saturday 15th August in the Sisters of Charity Centre, with the theme of a Masquerade Evening.

Taking quite a few months to prepare for the event, the focus was on having a fun and relaxing night for parents, friends and staff.

Guests enjoyed a lavish supper provided by Peppermint Ridge Catering, excellent bar service from the Huntingfield VET students, the smooth swing sounds of James Maddock and his Swing 3 band, a live auction, games, face painting and great company.

It would be agreed that the venue looked amazing and with the help from Jenna Magnus (Art Teacher HC), Russell Joyce (Woodwork Teacher) and the students of the Huntingfield Campus, a massive 3x3m *Phantom of the Opera* mask was constructed and installed in the Sisters Of Charity Centre. Masks were delicately decorated and used as props and decorations throughout the Centre. It really was a fitting atmosphere.

A deluxe photo booth was hired for the evening, and together with red carpet and more props, this proved to be a very popular addition to the night. Special thanks to Emily Anderson from *OhSnap! Photo Booths* for providing the booth. Face painting was another addition to the evening with Alison from The Hedgehog Fairy painting intricate artwork on some and offering an alternative to a physical mask.

Natasha Harris and her VET Hospitality students all worked exceptionally hard, were professional and looked the part on the night. This contributed towards their assessment for this VET course and it is wonderful that the Parents and Friends can assist in offering the event for them to gain experience and knowledge in the hospitality field.

Thank you to:
- Dion Flanagan for hosting the live auction
- Danielle Milic for organising the major fundraising items
- Kylie Pepper for running the games on the night
- Mr V for his assistance and setting up
- Daniel Groves and Scott Robertson for their help and the loan of spotlights
- Selina Munro for arranging drinks on the night
- Stephen Palmer for his time, energy, strength and commitment to making the night go ahead
- To all the businesses who provided prizes, vouchers, donations and more for the auction. The support from these businesses is amazing and we are so grateful to have such support for our College.

**Veronica Palmer**
Thank You!!

Artistic Input and Creations Team

Jenna Magnus
Michael O’Donnell
Russell Joyce
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Callum Andrews

For all contributions big and small – your efforts are appreciated

Dion Flanagan
Mr V
Mirko Milic
Selina Munro
Scott Robertson
Kylie Pepper
Stephen Palmer
Lizzie Donovan
Danielle Milic
Sam Pepper

All teachers, staff and parents for their attendance and support

Elaine Doran
Brendan Gill
Janet Gadomski
Mylinda Fletcher
Simone Reynolds
Rachael Adams

Brendan Bannister for your electrical supply and safety checks on the equipment to make for a safe night
The Fathers’ Day Stalls held at both Huntingfield and Kingston Campuses in the last week of August were exceptionally well supported, with 80% of all presents sold. For the first time, a lunchtime stall at the Huntingfield Campus was trialled and worked well. This allowed those volunteering on the stall to still be able to attend the Fathers’ Day Mass. It was wonderful to see so many children purchasing gifts and the joy and excitement on their faces. Close to $800 profit was made and the Parents and Friends thank all the families of the College who supported this fundraiser.

The Fathers’ Day Stall would not have been possible without the hard work of the Coordinator, Martina MacFarlane, who took on this role for the first time in 2015. Thank you also to those who assisted with wrapping the gifts prior to the stall and also helping to serve on the days of the stalls - Wendy Palmer, Danielle Milic, Lisa Kean, Erica Ramage, Selina Munro, Danika Bumford, Melissa Dance, Claire and Issy Preece, Rachel Veith, Kara Wolfe, Caroline Jager, Margaret Squires, Amanda and Elsie Boon, Tammy Baker, Taryn Kruiswijk, Alison Brereton, Belle Legge, Alison Bradburn, Mariza Stott, Kate Broadhurst, Caterina Thompson, Yami Nuriyanti, Jane Steele, Luci MacFarlane, Jimena Strk, Catherine Golding, Duncan MacFarlane and Triline Services, Simon and Laura MacFarlane, Di and Joe van Tienen, Giovanna MacFarlane, Angela Cassidy and Mal’s Hire and Hardware.
On Wednesday 9th September at the Parents and Friends Meeting, applications for the second round of Funding Submissions were presented and discussed. Everyone in the College Community, from teachers to students to parents, have the opportunity to request funding for College resources. There are 5 categories in which funding can be sought – Curriculum, Grounds, Sports/Arts/Culture, Community Enrichment and Discretionary Fund for areas that fall outside of the other categories.

The following submissions were approved:

**Kingston Campus:**

- 7 Chess Boards, 5 Easy Chess Clocks (used in tournaments) and some spare chess pieces to replace missing pieces from existing chess sets to be used for Chess Club. $595.00
- Browser Tubs for picture books in the Kingston Campus Library to replace shelving system. $819.43
- Funding towards the construction of a storage shed at the end of the blue carpet outside the end Kindergarten classroom. $4,000.00
- Sand play equipment for the large playground sandpit near the fort. $200.00

**Huntingfield Campus:**

- Funding towards the purchase of WeDo Lego robotics and WeDo software site licence. $1,590.00
- Glass cocktail shakers, wood muddlers, glass cloths and coffee knock tube for use with VET students. $233.45

**Total Funding Approved** $7,437.88

The total value of items funded by the Parents and Friends in 2015 is $29,167.88.

It is extremely rewarding to see the funds directly assisting our children across both campuses over a great number of programs and events.
Bring a Grocery Day
Lucky Grocery Stall Coordinator Tanya Griggs thanks everyone who supported the Bring a Grocery Day. The Kingston Campus had an outstanding contribution of over 830 groceries items. Special congratulations to 3F for bringing 92 groceries items and 2OS for bringing 74 - an amazing contribution. The Huntingfield Campus and Parishioners donations brings the total to over 1200 grocery items, which is a fantastic response for this new stall.

Kingston Campus Dojo Points Awarded were awarded as follows:
• 3F & 2OS both receive 20 Dojo points + bonus 10 Points for their outstanding contributions
• Kinder R, all Prep Classes, all Grade 1 classes, 2S, 2T, 3G and 4W all receive 20 Dojo points
• Kinder J and 3FS - 15 Dojo Points
• Kinder, 4R and 4B – 10 Dojo Points

House Points were awarded at the Huntingfield Campus with Aloysius bringing the most groceries items, followed closely by Fides, Charity and Aikenhead.

Tanya would like to thank Angela Cassidy, Joanne Brooks, Leah Willis, Georgiana Ulrych and Daniel Groves for their assistance with collecting and counting groceries at the Kingston Campus and to Angela Cassidy, Joanne Brooks and Bec Sward for their time sorting the groceries. The Lucky Grocery Stall will be a great success and lots of fun thanks to everyone’s support.
**Cake Stall**
Families should have received a hard copy flyer this week with information about the Cake Stall. If you are able to provide cakes/muffins/biscuits/slices and/or jams/chutney for the Fair, please complete the return slip and drop off to either Campus Office in the first week of Term 4.
If you would like further information, please contact the Cake Stall Coordinator Sonia Andrews on 0414 899 589. A copy of the flyer will also be available on the College website under the College Notices section.

**Bring a Bag of Toys**
On Friday 16th October, the first Friday of Term 4, will be a collection day for the Toy Stall.
For more details, please see the flyer attached to the College Newsletter this week.
If you have any queries, please contact the Toy Stall Coordinator, Sonia Vince on 0407 933 041.

**Plant Stall**
If you have plants, seeds, bulbs, pots or any other gardening donations for the plant stall, please contact Erica (0415 803 854) or Michelle (0419 657 674).
All donations are gratefully appreciated and pickup of donations can be arranged if this would be more convenient.

**Thank You**
We would like to thank the St Aloysius Soccer Committee their kind donation of left over soft drinks and tomato sauce from their presentation day. Your donation is most appreciated and will all be used on Fair Day.

**Facebook Page**
As Fair Day approached, the Fair Facebook page has been established and is now posting and sharing information. We will no longer be sharing on the St Aloysius Catholic College Parents & Friends Facebook page, so if you haven’t already liked the Fair page, please do so and share with your friends. The more people who are made aware of the Fair, the more successful it will be.
The Fair Facebook page is also a great way for us to thank and support those businesses that support our College and Parish.

Wishing you all the very best for the holidays… enjoy, rest up, spring clean and get ready for Fair Day!
We sincerely thank all those who have shown their support for the Fair and welcome anyone to contact us if they are able to contribute to the Fair.

**Fair Coordinators**
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St Aloysius Catholic College & Parish Fair - Joint Fair Coordinators 2015

Next Fair Meeting - Tuesday 27 October at 7pm  
Huntingfield Board Room - Everyone is very welcome.
Businesses Supporting the 2015 College & Parish Fair
A reminder that the Parents and Friends Noticeboard is fully installed on the Kingston Campus, located on the exterior wall of the Sisters of Charity Centre, adjacent to the Canteen.

Parent and Friends Meeting Dates for 2015

Wednesday 14\textsuperscript{th} October
Wednesday 11\textsuperscript{th} November
Wednesday 2\textsuperscript{nd} December

We have a wonderful and dedicated group of Parents and Friends, but are always welcoming of more members from the College Community to help make a better College for our children.

Parents and Friends Committee meetings are held in the Parish Meeting Room located under the Church, with the entrance off the College car park. Meetings start with a glass of wine at 7.00pm, with formalities commencing at 7.20pm.

The Entertainment Book has proven to be a very successful fundraiser for another year and the Parents and Friends Association would like to thank Melanie Crayford for coordinating the distribution and collection of the books for the first time.

For another year, the College is one of the top sellers of the books, raising a total of $3,263.

There are still 6 months left for families to take advantage of the great discounts and offers within the book.