

## Forbes High School P & C Association

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Dear families and carers

## **FHS P&C Welcome**

On behalf of the Forbes High School P&C Association I would like to take this opportunity to welcome everyone back to school in 2023, especially our Year 7 families to Forbes High School and to introduce you to the FHS P&C.

The Forbes High School P&C Association is made up of an executive committee and members, who fundraise, support and advocate on behalf of the school and public schools.

In the last year, even though it was quite a challenging time, the FHS P&C were able to fundraise and provide some financial support to the school for additional resources and equipment for our students. This included:

\$ 500.00 Ag Show team

\$1000.00 Support Unit student to attend School Spectacular

\$ 800.00 supporting 16 students to attend state events, such as swimming, athletics, cross country and drama

\$7,587.08 grant towards our school community day.

Certificate of appreciation, gift and \$120 towards vouchers for four Year 12 students volunteering in the canteen

Supported school assemblies.

Volunteered in the school canteen and operate school canteen.

Supported on 5x merit selection panels.

Provided a thank you morning tea to staff at the end of the year.

In the process of implementing a new online ordering system within the school canteen.

Letters of support to school wellbeing grant applications

To continue to support the school and our children we would like to take this opportunity to welcome you to join the Forbes High School P&C. Please find attached a membership form for 2023-2024. Cost is \$5 per person. By being a member, you can be nominated as a committee member, support fundraising, meet new people, advocate for public schools, voting rights at meetings and help create an exciting and vibrant learning environment for our children, now and in the future.

Our current project is upgrading the canteen area for the students and staff at the school. While we have some funds towards the project, we do still need to raise additional funds to cover all costs.

We have our next AGM on Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> March commencing at 5pm at Club Forbes, with a general meeting to follow at 5:30pm. We have executive members stepping down from positions and we really would like to see new members join and step up to some roles to support. We would love for you to come along, say hi and join our small, but dedicated group.

Yours sincerely,

Forbes High School P&C Association

Natalie Walker

President