

Would you like to join the P&C?

Interested? Curious? Why not come along to a meeting?

Meetings are held on Wednesdays at 7:30pm in the staff room which is opposite the School Front Office. There are two meetings per term (week 3 & week 9 of each term).

P&C meeting dates for 2016 are:

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| • 17 February (AGM) | • 3 August |
| • 30 March | • 14 September |
| • 11 May | • 26 October |
| • 22 June | • 7 December |

Check the Facebook page or School Newsletter for confirmation of meeting dates.

Become a P&C Volunteer Champion

Could you spare a few hours over the year?

Events and fundraising activities require support to be as effective (and enjoyable) as possible.

If you would be willing to help with a sausage sizzle, collect entry money at discos or events, lend a hand with set-up or pack-down... we'd love to hear from you.

More Information

To find out more about the P&C or to discuss joining this group who come together to ultimately benefit our children:



Please look us up at "Madeley P&C"



Email us at madeleypandc@gmail.com



Speak to a member of the P&C

Parents' and Citizens' Association Inc.

of Madeley Primary School



Proudly supporting
students and staff of
Madeley Primary School

The Madeley Primary School P&C consists of parents, caregivers, teachers and members of the Madeley community.

What does a P&C do?



Events

Annual events such as Easter on the Green and School Discos are coordinated by the P&C.

Fundraising

The P&C plans and implements fundraising initiatives. Examples include the seeking external funding, the Madeley Cookbook, Entertainment Book, school & community events and sausage sizzles.

Advocacy

The P&C liaises between the school and local community to best meet the needs of all parties.

Walking School Bus

The P&C coordinates the Madeley Primary Walking School Bus which currently operates on Wednesdays.

A Walking School Bus is a group of children who walk to and from school along a safe and enjoyable set route, accompanied by a minimum of two parent drivers/supervisors per 'bus'.

Contact the Front Office for information.



Allocation of Funds

The P&C invests funding into the school as needs arise or via submission from teachers. Recent examples include:

- numeracy and literacy resources
- soccer goals
- support for Book Week
- choir shirts
- subsidy for Year 6 camp
- support for Graduation
- additional play spaces for Early Childhood
- development of nature play spaces
- World Book subscription.

Canteen

Did you know the canteen is operated by the P&C?

The canteen is open on Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays.

Register today to start ordering at www.ouronlinecanteen.com.au

Volunteers are always welcome - just pop by and see the Canteen Manager or contact the P&C for more information.

Fathering Project

The P&C supports the Madeley Primary Fathering Project Schools Group. The Group is recognised and supported by The Fathering Project (www.fatheringproject.org) and aims to positively promote the important role of fathers & father figures to the entire school community.

Events are held throughout the year and the Group is actively involved in the school community. Please let us know if you would like to be involved.

Why join a P&C?

- 1 Connect with other parents and community members.
- 2 Have a voice in the school community. You can raise concerns, suggest ideas and input into how funds are spent.
- 3 Hear about important news and upcoming events at the school.
- 4 You can play an important role in supporting the school to acquire additional resources to benefit the students.
- 5 Volunteering your time can make a real and positive difference to children, educators and the school community.[#]



[#]Home-School Relations: Working Successfully with Parents and Families, by G. Olsen, M.L. Fuller