



Message from the P&C

Welcome to the 2nd edition of the MGHS P&C Association Newsletter.

Meetings

It has been pleasing to see a few new faces at our meetings so far this year.

In addition to the regular items, our principal Dr Di Soltau gives a detailed report each month and several speakers have given generously of their time to inform us about programs and other items of interest.

There have been some interesting and informative presentations:

- **March** – *Emma Cassidy*, Year 12 Student, spoke about fundraising activities
- **April** – *Michelle Nicholson*, Head Teacher CAPA, spoke about programs and activities
- **May** – *Nicole Crow*, Head Teacher PE, spoke about programs and activities and *Leanne Lacy*, English Teacher, spoke about debating and public speaking
- **June** – *Tracey Breese*, Deputy Principal, explained how MGHS is preparing students for a future beyond school in a technological world
- **July** – *Nicole Crow*, Head Teacher PE, gave an interesting demonstration of the interactive smartboard
- **August** – *Zoe Cox*, Head Teacher Maths, gave interesting demonstrations of the overhead data projector, wireless graphics tablet and student laptops
- **September** – *Deborah McCrohan*, Hunter Valley Youth Express, provided insight into the programs and activities relating to Career and Transition Support, Structured Workplace Learning, Adopt a School Support and Youth Pathways Services.

Reminders:

- Meetings are held in the Library at 7pm on the first Thursday of every month within the school term and all are welcome.
- The P&C can be contacted via email at **mghspandc@gmail.com**
- The P&C page can be found on the MGHS website at **www.mghs.com.au**

125th Anniversary Open Day

The P&C have been very busy preparing for the School's 125th Anniversary Open Day.

In this newsletter are details of the P&C's Commemorative Items and BBQ that will be available at the Open Day on Saturday 12th September from 10am to 2pm on the Hall Veranda.

Note that the Commemorative 3D medallions are limited edition – only 125 were made. Medallion No 1 will be auctioned at 11am and Medallion No 125 will be auctioned at 1.45pm in the Hall.

The engraved pavers can be ordered on the day, and order forms are also available at the office.

Several businesses have generously donated items for the Silent Auction. Bids will be taken throughout the day, closing at 1.30pm and the winning bidders announced before 2pm.

The list of items and businesses are also in this newsletter and we would like thank these businesses for their support.

We hope to see you at the Open Day and at one of our future meetings.

The P&C Committee

Canteen

- Canteen Supervisor Joy Wells is retiring at the end of this year after many years of valuable service
- Expressions of Interest for the position of Canteen Supervisor are now being sought. The position is 3 days per week.
- Any enquiries should be directed to the Principal, Dr Di Soltau
- Expressions of Interest should be addressed to the P&C President, Lindsay Moxey, and forwarded to the Principal, Dr Di Soltau.

Next P&C Meeting

Thursday - 1st October at 7pm

in the School Library

All are Welcome!



Maitland Grossmann High School Parents and Citizens Association



125 Year Celebration Commemorative Items and BBQ **OPEN DAY**

Saturday 12th September, from 10am-2pm, on the Hall Veranda

- **BBQ**—sausage sizzle and drinks
- **Commemorative 3D Medallions**—in a blue velvet box, individually numbered and only 125 made. Cost \$40
 - *Medallion No 1 will be auctioned at 11am in the Hall*
 - *Medallion No 125 will be auctioned at 1.45pm in the Hall*
- **Engraved Pavers**—orders taken on the day and order forms also available at the office. Cost \$30
- **Wristbands**—these come in 3 colours – dark blue, light blue and white. Cost \$3 each, 2 for \$5 or 3 for \$7
- **Pens**—variety of colours, many to choose from. Cost \$3 each or 2 for \$5
- **Silent Auction**—wonderful items up for bid. Cost is \$1 to place a bid, bids will close at 1.30pm and winning bidders will be announced prior to 2pm

Item	Donated By	Item	Donated By
1 The Complete Garden	Voucher \$30	8 Quest Hotel Maitland	Accommodation 1 x Night, value \$250
2 RNB Hair & Beauty	Voucher Hair Cut	9 Shenanigans Hotel	2 x Dinner vouchers
3 Heritage Holden Maitland	2 x Shirts and Cap, value \$110	10 Peter's Real Estate	Picnic Bag
4 Penton's Hair Salon	Voucher \$120	11 Peter's Real Estate	Picnic Bag
5 Lowes East Maitland	Voucher \$30	12 Peter's Real Estate	2 x Picnic Chairs
6 Tranter Lawyers	2 x Wills to value \$550	13 Jen Davies	Satin Hands Pack, value \$68
7 Hunter Pets	Fish Tank, value \$50	14 Jen Davies	Cap signed by Craig Lowndes



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- Winning bidders announced prior to 2pm

Many thanks to the businesses listed below for their support

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1	The Complete Garden	Voucher \$30
2	RNB Hair & Beauty	Voucher Hair Cut
3	Heritage Holden Maitland	2 x Shirts and Cap, value \$110
4	Penton's Hair Salon	Voucher \$120
5	Lowe's East Maitland	Voucher \$30
6	Tranter Lawyers	2 x Wills to value \$550
7	Hunter Pets	Fish Tank, suit Betta fish (fighting fish), value \$50
8	Quest Hotel Maitland	Accommodation 1 x Night, 1 bd apartment, bottle of Hunter red on arrival, night cap of port and chocolates, value \$250, use by Jan 2010
9	Shenanigans Hotel	2 x Dinner vouchers, free main course when you purchase another of equal or greater value, use by 30th Sept 2009
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