



## Message from the P&C

Welcome to 2010 and a special welcome to new families at MGHS.

P&C meetings are held on the first Thursday of each month during school terms and are open to all who are interested in MGHS.

P&C meetings are a great way to be involved in many aspects of the school community – hearing from our Principal and guest speakers, learning about what is happening in our school, meeting other parents, sharing ideas, asking questions and supporting fundraising.

The Canteen is a sub-committee of the P&C and is a major source of P&C funds. In addition, the P&C holds a number of fundraising activities throughout the year.

In 2009, funds raised enabled the purchase of an interactive whiteboard and the airconditioning of five classrooms, as well as supporting regular activities such as the the end-of-year awards and the HSC Breakfast.

P&C events and information are posted on the MGHS website [www.mghs.com.au](http://www.mghs.com.au)

Items of immediate interest appear on the home page and there is a link to the P&C page, where you will find details of meetings, agendas, past minutes and newsletters.

The P&C can also be contacted via email at:

[mghspandc@gmail.com](mailto:mghspandc@gmail.com)

Your support, in any form, is much appreciated and we look forward to meeting you or hearing from you in 2010.

The P&C Committee

## Next P&C Meeting - AGM

Annual General Meeting  
Thursday – 4<sup>th</sup> March at 7pm  
in the School Library  
*All are Welcome!*

## Canteen

- The newly appointed canteen supervisor is Lisa Ellicott
- Hamburgers and Hawaiian Chicken Burgers have been added to the menu
- Foods supplied by the canteen are in line with the Government's Healthy Food Policy and are coded "red", "amber" and "green", with only a certain number of "red" and "amber" foods allowed
- The Healthy Food Policy allows for 2 "red" treat days per term, and these will be advertised
- Lisa is keen to get ideas and feedback from students, staff and parents
- The P&C would like to encourage Canteen helpers and thank those that have already given generously of their time. If you are able to assist in the Canteen, please contact Lisa on 49335792 or 0423239338

## Fundraising

- Fundraising activities are coordinated by Jen Davies and Lisa Ellicott and planned activities for 2010 are:
- **Garden Express Bulbs**
  - The P&C receives 50% of sales
  - Catalogues will be sent home and are due back to the Canteen by Friday 5<sup>th</sup> March – please make a copy of your order before returning it to the Canteen
  - Addition order forms are available from the Canteen or the Front Office
  - Orders can be collected from the school hall on Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> March
  - The student with the highest value order will win a prize
- **Entertainment Books**
  - Will be available for pre-order in Term 2
- **Bunnings BBQ**
  - Term 3
- **Engraved Commemorative Pavers**
  - Orders have been extended and order forms are available on the MGHS website, with this newsletter and at the front office.
  - Completed order forms with payment of \$30 are due at the Front Office by 30<sup>th</sup> June
- **Other Donations**
  - Sometimes, families choose not to support a specific fundraising activity, but make a small donation instead – your support in any form is greatly appreciated.



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**Garden Express Fundraising Growing Funds**

**\$5 Spring Basics Packs**  
Colourful, easy growing favourites at a great value price.

<p><b>1 Ranunculi Mixed</b> Multiple blooms, easy to grow.</p> <p><b>12 bulbs for \$5</b> 50cm Aug-Oct Sun</p>	<p><b>2 Ixia Candy Chimes</b> Hardy plant ideal for warmer conditions.</p> <p><b>10 bulbs for \$5</b> 50cm Aug-Oct Sun</p>	<p><b>3 Jonquil Erlcheer</b> Scented clusters of double blooms.</p> <p><b>3 bulbs for \$5</b> 50cm Jun-Sep Sun/shade</p>
<p><b>4 Grape Hyacinth Blue</b> Ideal for borders, pots &amp; beds. Fast multiplier.</p> <p><b>10 bulbs for \$5</b> 15cm Jul-Sep Sun/shade</p>	<p><b>5 Freesia Fragrant Mixed</b> Perfumed, ideal mass planting.</p> <p><b>10 bulbs for \$5</b> 50cm Aug-Oct Sun/shade</p>	<p><b>6 Anemone Poppy Mixed</b> Ideal for a mass colour display.</p> <p><b>12 bulbs for \$5</b> 55cm Jul-Sep Sun</p>

**\$5 pack FREE bulb surprise!**  
\*Any purchase that buys any 5 items or more from across the entire range, will receive a surprise pack of bulbs from our \$5.00 range. Absolutely FREE!

