School's Plan for Success

School Resources Fee
To support learning in the classroom and to supplement the resources supplied by the school, parents contribute to their child’s consumable needs. Generally, this is done through the school book list which can be ordered from an external supplier.

Some items are no longer included on the book list as they are purchased by the school and instead parents make a resources payment to the school for these items which are used by students in their learning. These include photocopied worksheets and materials which save parents purchasing additional textbooks, classroom computers, programs and printing, student reference material, maths and science materials, stationery, writing and drawing materials.

This year, the government required schools to issue invoices for these items separately and advised that these amounts were voluntary contributions. This appears to have resulted in some confusion and some members of our community have yet to pay this resource fee.

The simple fact is that if the fee is not paid, the resources and support will not be able to be paid for by the school and students will not have access to them. If this results in a significant loss to the school, other programs will be affected.

I would urge all members of our community to pay the resources fee immediately. The funds are critical to Jindalee State School providing the educational opportunities our students need. In cases of genuine financial hardship, please contact the school office to arrange a confidential appointment.

Landscaping Project
As previously advised, the Burrendah Road entrance to the school is to undergo a transformation due to ongoing maintenance problems. (See newsletter 20 February).

The first stage will occur this weekend with the removal of the four leopard trees that have been the cause of root and leaf damage to pluming and drainage. Once the site is cleared, the replanting and landscaping can occur. It is expected to be ready for the new school term commencing mid April.
School Shoes
As part of the school dress code, students are required to wear black shoes with the school dress uniform, (boys with grey socks and girls with white socks) and black or white sports shoes with the school sports uniform (white socks for boys and girls). Shoe laces should be black for black shoes and white for white shoes. Sports shoes may have a subdued stripe or small pattern as long as they are predominately black or white. Other coloured shoes and coloured laces are not part of the school uniform and may not be worn.

Harmony Day Celebrations
Wednesday 20 March
Jindalee State School will celebrate Harmony Day on Wednesday, 20 March. Harmony Day is celebrated around Australia and is an initiative of the Department of Immigration and Citizenship. It is a day for all Australians to celebrate cultural diversity and provides an opportunity to celebrate the benefits and potential that cultural diversity brings.

Although the official Harmony day is designated as Thursday, 21 March, we will celebrate on Wednesday, 20 March, with a special Junior School (Prep-Year 3) assembly at 2:00pm at which the Year 3 choir will perform and a special Senior School (Year 4-7) assembly at 2:30pm at which the Senior Performance group will perform.

On Harmony day, (Wednesday) students and staff are encouraged to wear an orange shirt. It is not a free dress day, simply a day where an orange shirt can replace either the formal school shirt or sports shirt.

Easter Hat Parade and Concert
Thursday 28 March, 2:00pm – 3:00pm
Our annual Easter Hat parade, followed by a short concert in the hall for Prep, Year 1 and Year 2 classes will be held on the last day of term, Thursday, 28 March.

The Parade, where the children walk around the school in their wonderful Easter hat creations (which are made at home with parents) will commence around 2:00pm, after which the students make their way down to the hall, where a short Easter concert will be held. Parents, grandparents, relatives and friends are encouraged to attend the Easter Hat Parade and concert, at which we hope we will receive a visit from a very special Easter friend!

Start preparing your child’s wonderful Easter hat now!

Readers of the week:
Aaliyah Goodland 1H
Daniel Fraser 5H

Lucky book:
"Goal-Getter" borrowed by Lochlan Rutch 5G

Chess Tournament Success
Congratulations to our two Chess Teams who competed in the Somerville House Summer Chess Tournament on Sunday. The Beginners Team came third in their competition and the Novice Team came second. Wow! What great results.

Beginners Results - out of 76 Children
1st Evan Fraser
2nd Dudley Radcliffe
17th Siddesh Karekal

Novice Results - out of 181 Children
16th Daniel Fraser
23rd William Du
42nd Abhinand Vasudevan
66th Austin Prentice

Just a reminder, Chess Club commences this Tuesday afternoon, 12 March from 3:10pm to 4:00pm in the Old Library. Please note, this is an eight week season for years 1–7 children.

Regional Swimming Championships
Congratulations to our swimmers who participated in the Regional Championships at Chandler last week. We had a number of outstanding efforts and, as a result, three boys have made it through to the State Championships to be held at Chandler.

These students will represent Metropolitan West Region in the following events:

Ashley Barnett (boys 11 years) – 2nd 50 Butterfly, 2nd 100 Butterfly, 2nd 50 Backstroke, 2nd 100 Backstroke, 2nd 50 Breastroke.

Ryan Dew (boys 12 years) – 2nd 200 Freestyle, 4th 100 Butterfly, 4th 200 IM, 5th 50 Butterfly.

Remi Gordon (boys 12 years) – 4th 50 Breastroke, 5th 100 Breastroke.

Mothers’ Day Stall
The Craft Club meets every Friday at 12:30pm in the room above the hall. We are currently working on items for the Mothers’ Day stall (which will be on the Friday before Mothers’ Day).

We are seeking donations of buttons -any sizes, shapes and colours would be great! Please leave them at the office with the craft club clearly written on the outside. New members are always welcome - no special talents are necessary (although always loved)! Come along one Friday and meet the rest of the team! JSS P&C Craft Club

Violin 1/8 Excellent condition $100
Violin 1/2 Good condition $85
Phone: 0418 730 771
P&C News

Amenities Taskforce ... Can you help??
Thank you to all of you who took the time to complete the P&C survey created by Julie Bazal at the end of last year, to provide us with some ideas for new projects. We are planning to review these responses at the next meeting.

One of the suggested projects is lighting for the multi-purpose courts, which would provide another facility to hire out to raise revenue for the school. There is a grant which closes on 25 March which we have earmarked for this project.

We need an electrical inspection of the Kirinari building (the Library) as part of the process. If there are any parents who are qualified to provide this advice, please contact me asap on my mobile 0421 160 075.

Louise Johnston
JSS P&C Amenities Taskforce
0421 16 0075

Active School Travel (AST)
Walk to School from the Jindalee Police Beat Thursday, 7 March (tomorrow)

Students are invited to walk to school from the Jindalee Police Beat, 31 Lanena Street. Our local adopt-a-cop, Snr. Constable Ben Harm, and AST committee members will walk with the students.

Parents can drop off their children between 8:15am and 8:30am and collect them in the afternoon from the Police Beat between 3:15pm and 3:30pm. In the afternoon, students will meet in front of the Tuckshop for the walk back from school.

Uniform Shop
Opening Hours
Every Tuesday 8.30am to 9.30am
First Wednesday of month - 4.30pm to 5.30pm
All other Wednesdays of month - 2.30pm to 3.30pm
Uniform Shop Ph: 3725 5715  Helen 0431 882 068

Tuckshop Volunteers
Please consider volunteering for Tuckshop duty. If you can spare some time, please contact the Tuckshop directly on 3725 5719 or leave your contact details at the school office. Any assistance is much appreciated.

Term 1: 29 January to 28 March (9 weeks)

March
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19  Start Smart - Yr 5
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21  Wolston House - Yr 2
26  Cross Country - Yrs 1-3
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Junior 1:50  Senior 2:30

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Tuckshop News

Hello everyone. We are trying to promote healthy eating in the Tuckshop and as per the QAST Guidelines, all burgers and torpedos must be sold with salad; otherwise they are classed as a Red Item and cannot be sold in Tuckshops. Thank you for your understanding.

Donations: Black Markers

Tuckshop Roster

11 - 15 March 2013

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Ash Tennis

We have a limited number of spots left for junior coaching at Jindalee State School in Term 1 2013! Places are filling up fast so get in touch now to lock in a spot!

Give us a call on 0413 697 692 to sign up, or send us an email on info@ashtennis.com

If you would like more information or enrolment forms, please see our website www.ashtennis.com. Look forward to seeing you on the court!

Go-Sports will be offering Cricket (grades 1-4), Soccer (grades prep–1) and Netball (grades 2–5) on Thursday mornings 7:55 – 8:40am. To register online please go to www.gosports.com.au

Go-Sports is also offering PRE-PREP multi sports (3.5–5 years).
WEST BRISBANE FALCONS U10 BOYS BASKETBALL PLAYERS NEEDED

Are you a boy turning 8 or 9 in 2013 and would like to play basketball but haven’t joined a team yet?
West Brisbane Falcons are looking for some more boys for their U10 Boys program for 2013.
If you are interested in playing please contact the club at 0450 105 252 or westbrisbanebasketball@hotmail.com
Centenary Stormers Soccer Club
Atthows Park, Monier Road, Darra
It’s not too late to register for the 2013 season.
Season starts Saturday 20 April.
Players still wanted: Prep Ball: 3 – 5 years
Small Sided Games: 6 – 11 years
To register please visit our website www.centenarystormers.org.au OR contact Alan Wilkins on 0407 038565 OR email secretary@centenarystormers.org.au for more information.

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Crunch Club
@ Mt Ommaney

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Unlimited attendance – no set appointments – fun & friendly

There are no set appointments to keep when you join The Crunch Club! This new service is the ultimate schedule friendly way to participate in tutoring and learning support.

These sessions are designed for your learner to ‘drop in’ when they need help with homework, time management, a project or presentation, or just to have something proofread.

Bookings open NOW for Term 1

Tuesday – Wednesday - Thursday
3pm to 5pm
Horizon Room - Centenary Community Hub
171 Dandenong Road, Mt Ommaney

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www.bairui.com
To contact the school:
Mr. Charles Birch 3325 1180

TAYLOR BRIDGE
JUNIOR RUGBY UNION
2013 SEASON

TBJRC has a high proportion of players from this school represented and would greatly welcome more. We are particularly in need of players in the 11, 13 and 14 year age groups. If you have any younger siblings, they are also welcome to sign up in our younger teams. Club rugby for U6 –U9 is played on Saturdays and U10–U17 is played on Sundays. Training is on Friday nights at 5:30pm at Graceville Memorial Park (across the road from Graceville State School), starting Friday 1st March.

REGISTRATION
1st player - $260
1st sibling - $230
2nd+ sibling - $210

For more information, please contact the Club on 0431 254 482

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Would you like a domestic goddess to come and help to keep your home clean?
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Contact Anna on 3279 4203 or 0421 423 996.

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