

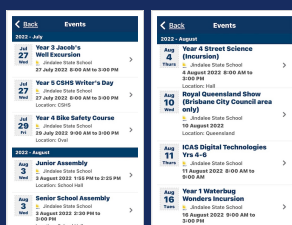


Week 3 Term 3: 27 July 2022

WHAT'S ON?

Download the QSchools App to keep track of what's on at JSS!

Our Family Calendar has moved into the QSchools App for easier access. See the article further below for more details or check our quick snapshot of what's happening this month.



QSchools is available for free download - click to download your preferred platform:

PRINCIPAL'S NEWS

Term 3 Update

It's hard to believe that we are now in Week 3 of the school term. On the whole, our students have returned rested and ready to learn for another term.

We have another busy term ahead with a focus again on improving our Writing outcomes as well as the many events and activities that this term has on offer with interschool sport and the many different incursions and excursions for our students to participate in.



COVID Update

Once again, we are finding that we are facing staff absences due to COVID and other illnesses this term. We are also seeing a number of student absences as well due to illnesses.

We acknowledge the impact these absences have on continuity of teaching and learning, however our teachers are very flexible and adaptable and plan to minimise the impact of absenteeism in classrooms. Our staff work closely together across the year levels to support each other during times of absenteeism.

As per my previous communications, it is important that if your child is unwell that they stay at home.

School Opinion Survey

The annual suite of School Opinion Surveys will be conducted in Term 3 and will close on 12 August 2022. All families, school staff and students in target year levels (5, 6, 8 and 11) will be invited to participate. We encourage you to take this opportunity to have your say about what our school does well, and how we can improve.

An invitation to complete the Parent/Caregiver Survey has been emailed to one parent/caregiver per family in the week

beginning 11 July. The invitation was sent from the Department of Education, not the school, and it will have the subject line School Opinion Survey for parents and caregivers, 2022. Check your junk email folders if you can't find it. The survey can be completed as soon as the invitation is received and will take approximately 5 minutes using a computer, tablet or smart phone.

Parents/caregivers who do not have access to the internet at home are welcome to complete their survey online at the school. School computers/tablets will be available.

Thank you to all of those who have already completed the *Parent/Caregiver Survey*. If you have not had a chance to complete the survey yet, please note that the online surveys will remain open until Friday, 12 August 2022.

Prep Playground

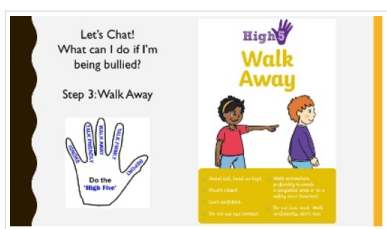
We are starting to see a number of students playing on the prep playground and surrounding flat areas directly after school. Please note that these play areas are not to be used by students after school, apart from those attending after school care.

Positive Behaviour for Learning (PBL) Update

For the first half of this term, our PBL focus will be on Bullying – what it is, how we can prevent it and what to do if you are bullied or you see someone being bullied.

As a school, we use the 'High 5' Model which is an effective whole-school strategy to develop problem-solving strategies for our students. It is a 5-step problem solving strategy that can be used in the classroom, in the playground and for perceived bullying incidents. We will be working on explicitly teaching and reinforcing each step of the model.

Examples of what is covered in a lesson:



Until next time, take care.

Kind regards

Penny

P&C NEWS

P&C Events

At last week's P&C meeting we decided on the following events to take us through the rest of 2022:

- Father's Day Socks & Chocs Stall - Wednesday 31 August
- Subway Lunch Fundraiser - Friday 16 September
- Throwback to the 90's Trivia & Games Night - Saturday 22 October
- Colour Splatacular Run 4 Fun - Friday 25 November



We will need help for ALL of these events, both leading up to and on the day. Please pencil these dates in and if you are interested in helping, email us at events@jssspandc.com.au or join our JSS Events Team group on Facebook.

We will also be looking for sponsors and donations for both the Trivia Jindalee State School P&C Trivia Night and the Colour Splatacular Run 4 Fun - email donations@jssspandc.com.au if you want to get involved!

Entertainment Memberships July Promotion



Support Jindalee State School P&C by purchasing an Entertainment Membership in the month of July and you will automatically receive a 2 month extension of your Entertainment Membership when you purchase a 12 month product.

That is an extra 2 months for FREE (14 months total) to use and save with your Entertainment Membership!!!!

<https://subscribe.entertainment.com.au/fundraiser/225x456>

Laura Jean Family Portrait Collection Day - 9 August

Thank you to everyone who supported our Laura Jean fundraiser on Saturday. You will be able to collect/view your photos at your organised time on Tuesday 9 August in the Uniform Shop.

An adult appearing in the Family Portrait may only view their own portraits. Additional portraits may be purchased on the viewing day. If you have any queries, please phone Bede on 0421 423 299.



Next P&C Meeting:

6:30pm Monday 15 August

[Click here to view on Facebook](#)

ELEARNING NEWS



Become e-aware and check out the government's eSafety resources for parents and carers.

<https://www.esafety.gov.au/parents>

ICAS 2022

https://jindaleess.schoolzineplus.com/_file/media/966/parent_icas_information.pdf

INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC NEWS

Fanfare Primary Finals

Congratulations to the Senior Strings who performed wonderfully at the Fanfare Finals held in Week 10, Term 2 at the Old Museum Building in Bowen Hills. They were one of 4 string ensembles selected from across Brisbane to compete. Whilst they didn't make it to the next round, they should be proud of their performance, and it was great to have the opportunity to perform at this special venue.



Beginner String Extravaganza

In Week 9, Term 2, all the Beginner String students attended the Beginner String Extravaganza held at Sherwood State School along with 100 beginner students from Ironside, Graceville and also Corinda. They had a fantastic day and ended the workshop with a concert for the parents.



Winter Music Showcase

Congratulations to all the students who performed at the Winter Music Showcase in Week 10, Term 2. It was wonderful to hear all the ensembles performing and showcasing their hard work of Semester 1.

WestCent Music Camp 2022

Good luck to the following students who are attending the Westcent Workshops in Week 3.

Jamboree Heights Camp:

- Angus C
- Joshua D H
- Sarah M
- Nathan M
- Khang N
- Gabriel O
- Liam S
- Quinn T
- Amelia T
- Yannick
- Julia E

Sherwood/Graceville Camp:

- Jeremy F
- Annabelle L

Jinda-jam Beginner Band Workshop

Congratulations to all the Beginner Band students who attended the Jinda-Jam Beginner Workshop in Week 9, Term 2. The Jindalee junior band students played with students from Jamboree Heights and Middle Park State Schools in a big day of music making and learning how to read music more fluently.

Instrumental Music Contacts

- Alex Grodecki Monday and Tuesday (agrod3@eq.edu.au)
- Josie Price Wednesday and Thursday (jpric211@eq.edu.au)

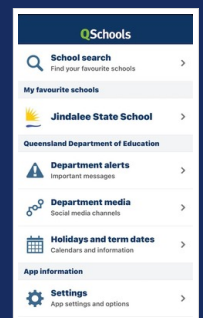
QSCHOOLS APP

The QSchools App is now active for Jindalee State School.

All Department of Education schools provide their school community free, direct access to the school's website and essential communications via the QSchools app.

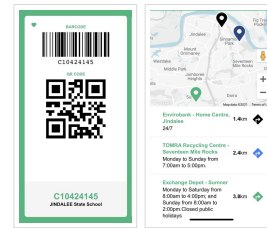
The Qschools app allows users to:

- find and favourite multiple schools
- receive real-time notifications about state-wide emergency alerts as well as school push notifications





Nominate JSS P&C to receive your funds from recycling when you take your bottles and cans to a recycling centre. Simply enter our Scheme ID: C10424145 or scan the QR code below:



Entertainment Book Memberships



You can now order online - memberships are valid for 12 months from activation (you have 3 months to activate). Simply purchase your package and download the app to instantly access substantial savings across dining, shopping, travel, car hire and more, with new offers being added weekly, for ongoing value all year round.

Click the link below to get your new Entertainment Membership today and support Jindalee State School P&C - 20% of each sale will go towards our P&C funded projects! If you have friends and family interested in purchasing memberships, please send them this link so they too can support our school!

<https://www.entertainment.com.au/orderbooks/225x456>

School Procedures

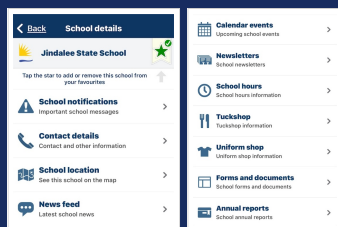
The Stop, Drop & Go Zone

Staggering the drop-off and pick-up times in the Stop, Drop and Go Zone has greatly assisted with the flow of traffic through this area, so when possible, we ask that you follow the procedures below:

- Stop, Drop and Go Zone – Prep and Year 1 children
 - Please drop off your Prep and Year 1 child between 8:40am and 8:50am
 - If you have a child or children in another year level as well, please drop off your child between 8:40am and 8:50am
 - Please pick up your Prep and Year 1 child between 3:10pm to 3:20pm
- Stop, Drop and Go Zone – Years 2 - 6
 - Please drop your child off between 8:30am – 8:40am
 - If you have a child in Prep or Year 1 as well, please drop all children off at the Stop, Drop and Go Zone between 8:30am and 8:40am
 - Please pick your child off between 3:20pm and 3:30pm as this will allow our Prep and Year 1 students to be picked up from 3:10pm – 3:20pm

QSchool users will be able to:

- access the latest news, events and newsletters
- the school calendar
- easily access tuckshop and uniform shop information
- view information about schools, including class times and contact details
- view any social media feeds.



The app can manage updates from multiple schools which is useful for families who have students in different schools.

QSchools is available for free download - click to download your preferred platform:

JSS INFO POINT

The JSS Info Point is your 'go to' reference zone for details on school policies, procedures and need to know info.

P&C Services

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<p>SNACK SHACK</p> <p>Email: tuckshop@jsspaandc.com.au Phone: 3725 5719 (during opening hours only) Hours: Monday - Friday 8:30am - 1:30pm</p> <p>Order Online: www.quickclick.com.au</p>	<p>UNIFORM SHOP</p> <p>Email: uniformshop@jsspaandc.com.au Phone: 3725 5715 (during opening hours only) Hours: Tuesday & Thursday 8:30am - 9:30am</p> <p>Order Online: www.quickclick.com.au</p>
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SCHOOL AGE CARE PROGRAM

<p>Email: admin@jindaleesacr.com.au Phone: 0421 787 789 Hours: Before School Care: 6:30am-8:30am After School Care: 3:00pm-6:00pm Vacation Care: 6:30-6:00pm</p> <p>www.jindaleesacr.com.au</p>	
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https://jindaleess.schoolzineplus.com/_file/media/927/ts_menu_0722.pdf

https://jindaleess.schoolzineplus.com/_file/media/965/uniform_price_list_2022_2_.pdf

P&C Fundraising Campaigns

Containers for Change Recycling

- If you have a child in Prep or Year 1 as well, please pick all of your children up between 3:10pm – 3:20pm

Please note the following when you are using this zone:

- It is a 2 minute only zone
- In the afternoon, the orange cones at the entrance will be removed at 3:10pm so cars can enter the zone – this is so that our students have adequate time to leave their classrooms and walk up to the zone
- Drivers must stay with their car
- It is a stop, drop and go zone
- Move to the front
- This is not a parking zone

It is important that we use this area correctly to ensure the smooth flow of traffic. To assist with the 'stop, drop and go', especially in the mornings, it would be beneficial for children to have their bags, belongings, homework, notes, hair done, shoes on etc. ready to go and organised so that when you stop, children can get out quickly and safely.

Sick Students

It is absolutely vital, that if your child is sick, they must remain at home.

Student Absence Notification Process

Please remember to call the school on 3725 5777 and leave a voice message (option 1), or email absent@jindaleess.eq.edu.au early in the morning if your child is going to be away, or late for school, so your child's absence can be recorded correctly.

Please ensure you state very clearly:

- Your name and contact number
- Child/rens name
- Reason for absence (ie> illness, holiday, appointment, etc)
- Duration of absence

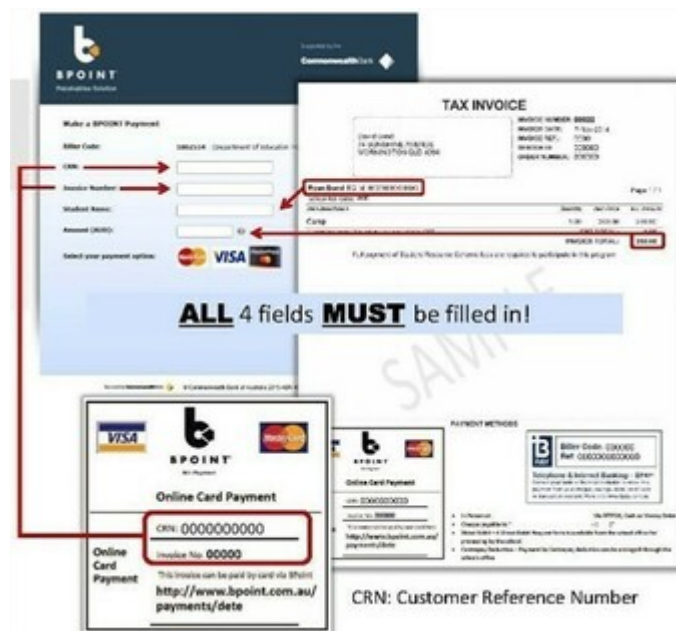
Financial Procedures

The office is no longer accepting cash payments, however EFTPOS is again available through the office payment window (Monday - Friday, 8:30am - 10:30am).

BPOINT is an online payment system and is the preferred payment method. This option is accessed through an internet weblink which appears on all invoices and statements.

When making payments via BPoint from the invoice or statement, please ensure to enter each payment separately using the invoice number and amount.

Payment will not clear if entered any other way.



Please be mindful when paying via BPoint for overdue invoices, as payments may take 48 hours to register in the system. To avoid any confusion, we strongly recommend you pay before the due date. We also encourage you to take a screenshot of the receipt and email to info@jindaleess.eq.edu.au.

If you are expecting an invoice for an excursion/incursion/camp or other school related program, please check your "Junk/Spam Folder" or search your emails for "@eq.edu.au". Invoices are emailed on the day of/or day after circulars are handed to students. If you still cannot locate the invoice and need another copy, please email us on info@jindaleess.eq.edu.au or call 3725 5777.

NB: Our system can only allocate 1 parent/carer per household to receive invoices/statements (unless your children live between parents/carers - then we can split invoices 50/50 - on request only).

2022 Student Resource Scheme and current statements have been issued. As mentioned above, please search both parent/carers emails & junk/spam folders, and if still having issues locating them, please contact the office to request another copy.

We appreciate payment of these as soon as possible.

SUBSCRIBING TO THE NEWSLETTER



The Jindalee State School newsletter is produced every fortnight during the school terms (beginning week 1). It is the best way to stay up to date with what is happening within our school community.

If you would like to have the newsletter automatically sent to your email each fortnight, please subscribe via the link below:

<https://jindaleess.schoolzineplus.com/subscribe>

COMMUNITY NEWS

https://jindaleess.schoolzineplus.com/_file/media/985/wests_baseball_come_and_try_2022.pdf

https://jindaleess.schoolzineplus.com/_file/media/970/openday_flyer.pdf



HOUNDS SUMMER TOUCH FOOTBALL SERIES

Hounds Summer Series Competition Information

- Nominations open for U6 through to U18
- Social and competitive players welcome
- You can nominate a single child or whole team
- 10 week competition starting Sunday 28th August
- School Holiday clinic - 23rd/24th September
- Level 1 Referee Course - 27th August
- Played each Sunday afternoon from 2pm - 6pm
- Played at Bert Saint Clair Oval, 247 Graceville Avenue, Graceville. *No across town travel*
- Family friendly community focused on inclusion and fair play
- Fees start from \$10.00 per person per game + \$35 for your very own Hounds playing singlet!!

Queries to: houndstouch@gmail.com | Hounds Graceville Touch Football Association

