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Week 9 Term 4: 30 November 2022

# WHAT'S ON?

Check out our 'Calendar Events' snapshot from Qschools to see what's happening at JSS in the last two weeks of school!

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For the most up to date information, download the Qschools app directly to your device. See the JSS Info Point section of the newsletter for more details.

# PRINCIPALS DESK

#### Colour Run

A big shout out to the P&C for organising the Colour Run last week. The children had a wonderful time running around getting splattered with paint and slime, whilst tackling the obstacle course! These types of events allow us to let our hair down and have some fun with the kids and families. It will definitely go down as one of the best days I've had in a very long time!



#### Heading into 2023

Next year the school will see a few new faces in the Leadership Team. I would like to welcome Mr Dean Edgar to the Deputy Principal role replacing Mrs Petra Cooke, who is heading into retirement. Mr Edgar is looking forward to meeting everyone in the new year and being part of the Jindalee community. We also welcome Mrs Ann Hammond who will be our Head of Department – Curriculum. Mrs Hammond comes with a wealth of experience and is also looking forward to being a big part of the community. Our HOSES position will be finalised at the end of this week and we will share the outcome with the community in the coming days.

As we head into the last days of school, I want to say what a privilege it has been to be part of the Jindalee community. My time here has absolutely flown, but the experience will remain with me for years to come. I have met many members of the community who have been so welcoming and giving of their time to the school. I have been part of a strong and successful P&C that truly have all children's best interest at heart. I have learnt that Jindalee families are proud people, who not only want the best for their children, but for the future generations to come.

Therefore, I would like to take this opportunity to thank all of you for making me feel part of the community in this very short time and wish everyone the very best heading into the holidays and New Year. To the Year 6 students moving into a new phase of



their educational journey, I wish you all the best in this exciting time of your life!

Finally, a warm welcome back to Ms Penny Grant after a well-earned break. Ms Grant will recommence her duties Term 1, 2023.

Take care!

Jo Sinclair-Jones

# QSUITE

# QSchools

Our QSchools connections are now at 290.



These connections (families) have been able to receive timely push notifications (for example when an

assembly needs to be cancelled), updates when our school calendar has a new event.

## QParents

QParents has been live for almost three weeks, and we have approximately 20% of our families connected. Awesome effort by our JSS families.



The comments I have personally received have been around the genuine care JSS is taking to ensure our child's data is protected and how easy it has been to register.

Several parents have also mentioned the convenience of recording their child's absence or even updating past absences. Whilst others have also mentioned how easy it has been to see invoices and to pay them all in one place.

As always, if you need assistance, please email elearning@jindaleess.eq.edu.au.

# P&C NEWS

# 2023 P&C Opportunities

Are you interested in nominating for an Executive Role next year?



P&Cs Qld has a range of information available online. Check out their 'P&C Guide' here:

https://www.pandcsqld.com.au/public/135/files/ The%20Info%20Place/Related%20Documents/ pc-guide.pdf

#### Colour Splatacular Run 4 Fun

Wow JSS! What a day we had last Friday!

The sun was shining, the sprinklers were on, the slime was oozing and the colours were AWESOME!!

Thank you to all our parent/carer volunteers who helped bring the most colourful day at school to Jindalee! Without your help, we all



would have been wearing white shirts home!

Thank you to the JSS teachers and staff who helped us with everything from First Aid and supervision, to organising students and briefing them about the course - and a special mention to those staff who were fully committed - joining in on getting slimed and colourful!

Finally, a MASSIVE thank you to Mr Ken Hacker, who helped design and create the course, setting up from very early in the morning and packing up well beyond his normal home time! We are very lucky to have you in our school Mr Hacker!





A special thank you to Jindalee Complete Dental who very generously sponsored our activity stations this year. Due to their support, we were able to add our pool noodle obstacles, parachutes, hopscotch mat and bubbles to our course!

#### We hope you had a great day JSS!

#### Fundraising

The Colour Splatacular Run 4 Fun was our biggest fundraiser this year, raising a total of \$21875.60 of which we will receive \$12 250.34! That money, combined with the profit from our Games and Trivia Night last month, will allow us to support our school plans for a new playspace in the Burrendah Road entrance to the school and save for our major overhaul of our Snack Shack - so THANK YOU to all who donated and collected donations!

#### Prize Incentive Program

Thank you to the students who participated in the Prize Incentive program - your prizes will be distributed before school finishes next week. Congratulations also to the following students who achieved the milestones below.



#### **Highest Fundraisers**

Congratulations to Evie M from 6HI who was our Highest Fundraiser in the school, with a massive \$1007! Evie will be receiving a real life 30cm Monty plush and champions medallion. Thanks Evie!

The highest fundraising student in each class will receive a Monty handball, if you collected all of the online virtual badges, you will receive a Monty bag tag and if you raised \$100 or more online, you will receive a mini Monty plush!



#### Class Pizza Party Winners

Congratulations to 6HI for winning the highest amount raised with a whopping \$2251.50!

Thanks to More Estate Agents, you

guys will be celebrating with a Pizza Party before the end of the Term!

# Go Green Program

environment grow!

Students who participated in the 'Go Green' program raised \$3482.50 which is enough money to plant 41 trees and 127 coral plants - that's 168 more living things to help our



#### called coral spawning.

This awesome event only happens once a year - and it's when all the corals from your Plant-A-Difference or Go Green School Run 4 Fun programs find their new home!

https://australianfundraising.com.au/blog/ 2022-spawning-event/

If you collected all online virtual badges, you will also receive a monty mini plush and those who raised \$50 or more will go into the draw to win a Great Barrier Reef Holiday. Good luck!!



## Year 6 Graduation



As part of the Year 6 2022 Graduation celebrations, the Year 5 cohort, in conjunction with the P&C, is offering families the chance to pre-order a Subway or Sushi Meal Deal for dinner after the Graduation Ceremony.

All food must be pre-ordered and orders must be made and paid for by Monday 5 December - food will not be available for purchase on the night.

Thank You For Helping Restore our Reef!

Your valued fundraising is having an impact on the Reef right now!

The Great Barrier Reef Foundation's teams of researchers, reef managers and community partners have been out on the Reef this month making the most of a natural phenomenon

Place your food orders at myschoollunch.com.au or call 1300 065 164.

Please 'check out' with only 1 order in your cart at a time. No extra fees apply for multiple orders.



We will also be hosting a bar with light refreshments for parents and caregivers. Orders for drinks must be made and paid for by Monday 5 December. A very limited amount of drinks may be available for purchase on the night (no cash, EFTPOS only), so please pre-order to avoid disappointment.

To order light refreshments from our Bar, please go to quickcliq.com.au and follow the instructions below:

- Log into or create an account with quickcliq.com.au this is the same online platform used by the Snack Shack (tuckshop) and Uniform Shop.
- 2. Click on the three lines in the top left corner to reveal a drop down menu.
- 3. Click on 'EVENTS''.
- 4. Read the event information and click 'PLACE ORDER'.
- 5. Select the menu items and quantities you would like to order. Click 'CONFRIM'.
- 6. Select 'Pickup' under 'Shipping Details'. Enter your name and contact details.
- 7. Confirm your order by clicking 'PAY & PLACE ORDER''.
- Enter your payment details and click on the green "Place Order". Each order is subject to the .25 cent Quickcliq booking fee.

Pre-ordered Meal Deals and Bar drinks will be available for collection from the Snack Shack immediately after the ceremony.

# PLEASE NOTE:

You may have recieved an automated text message from our third party company used for our Subway Days.

This Subway/Sushi Meal Deal is ONLY AVAILABLE to those families attending the Year 6 Graduation in the evening.

We apologise for the confusion that this has caused.



# JSS UNIFORM SHOP

# 2023 Uniform Orders & Shop Hours

The Uniform Shop will close for 2022 on Thursday 1 December. We will be taking orders online through QuickCliq after this date, but items will not be available for collection until January. If you would like to receive your online order before the end of the year, you must order via quickcliq.com.au by 8am tomorrow!

The shop will then reopen for 2023 on Wednesday 18 January from 2-5pm and Saturday 21 January from 8-11am.

No appointment will be needed - just take a number and wait your turn to be served.

QuickCliq orders placed during December and January will be available for pick up on both days. Any orders not collected will be placed in teacher's pigeon holes in the staffroom to be handed to your child once school returns. Please make sure your child's new class/teacher details are updated in QuickCliq for correct delivery.

When school resumes, the Uniform Shop will open from 8.30-9.30am on Tuesday 24 January and Wednesday 25 January (in lieu of the Australia Day Public Holiday on Thursday 26 January).

From Week 2, the shop will then resume normal trading hours on Tuesdays and Thursdays between 8.30am and 9.30am during the term.

If you have any questions please feel free to send an email to Ann at uniformshop@jsspandc.com.au



The last day to order from the Snack Shack for 2022 will be this Friday 2 December.

There will be no orders taken in the last week of school as we are closed for stocktake and cleaning.

We would like to thank you for your support this year and look forward to feeding you again in 2023!



#### Next P&C Meeting:

February 2023

#### Click here to view our P&C page on Facebook

# JSS INFO POINT

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

#### The QSchools App

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

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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

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:

Windows

Android

Apple

#### **P&C Services**



PLEASE NOTE: Both the Uniform Shop and Snack Shack will be closed for stocktake and cleaning in the last week of school. No food orders will be taken and any online uniform orders made can be collected in January. Please see the P&C section of this newsletter for more information!

#### 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



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 <u>between 8:40am and 8:50am</u>
- If you have a child or children in another year level as well, please drop off your child <u>between</u> <u>8:40am and 8:50am</u>
- Please pick up your Prep and Year 1 child <u>between 3:10pm to 3:20pm</u>

#### Stop, Drop and Go Zone – Years 2 - 6

- Please drop your child off between <u>8:30am –</u> <u>8:40am</u>
  - 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 <u>8:30am and 8:40am</u>
- Please pick your child off between <u>3:20pm and</u> <u>3:30pm</u> as this will allow our Prep and Year 1 students to be picked up from 3:10pm – 3:20pm
  - 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

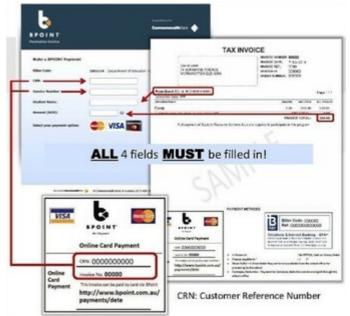
# **Financial Procedures**

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



When: Saturday 28th of January and Saturday 4th of February 2023

Where: St Cats Peter Lightfoot Oval Middle Park

#### Time: 8.30am - 2.30pm

St Catherine's United Football Club (St Cats) aims to provide children and adults with the opportunity to enjoy playing football and to develop their abilities as a player. **GREAT COMMUNITY, COMPETITIVE CLUB FEES!** 

For information please go to: https://www.stcats.org.au/ and to Pre-Register via https://qcsacats.myclubmate.com.au/myDetails/

We have teams to suit all age groups from under 6's right through to over 40's.

#### Mini Cats

This program is designed for 3-6 year olds. The program starts Term 1, 2022. For registration enquiries please email reg@stcats.org.au

