

NEWSLETTER

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College Mission . . .

Building on a foundation of Christian values, the mission of Aitken College is to enable students to become informed and compassionate members of the wider community by inspiring academic achievement and creativity, nurturing self worth, encouraging environmental responsibility and committing to service with and for others.

Important Diary Dates for 2016

Mon	18 Jul	Term 3 commences
Tue	9 Aug	Parent Teacher Interviews (Prep-12)
Thu	18 Aug	Parent Teacher Interviews (Prep-12)
Fri	19 Aug	Professional Learning Day (student free)
Fri	16 Sep	Term 3 concludes
Mon	03 Oct	Term 4 commences
Mon	31 Oct	Mid Term Break
Tue	01 Nov	Melbourne Cup Day Holiday
Fri	18 Nov	Report Writing Day (student free)
Wed	07 Dec	Presentation Night (Years 3 to 12)
Fri	09 Dec	Term 4 concludes

Term Dates for 2016

Term 3	18 July	to	16 September
Term 4	3 October	to	9 December

Thought: "Pursue some path, however narrow and crooked, in which you can walk with love and reverence." Henry Thoreau

From the Principal

Term 2 has been a rewarding one. Students have engaged in many activities where they have celebrated academic, sporting, artistic, language, environmental and technology successes. Students have also been engaged in service and fundraising activities - many of these the students initiated. Students are being encouraged to involve themselves in curricular and co-curricular activities to expand their learning and experiences. The last few weeks have typically been a demanding one for students and staff involved in assessments and some students having the added pressure of exams. End of semester reports will again be available on-line in the community portal for parents to read through with their children. Parents will find that the reports will exist as one document and that absences for Prep to Year 7 students are noted. It is important that parents understand that extended student absences can have a detrimental impact on learning. Year 3 and Year 7 Reports will have a new format which has been explained at information sessions for students and parents. Continuous feedback for work done in these classes has been occurring through MyAitken.

Thank you to the wonderful work undertaken by the Parents and Friends Association and volunteers in assisting with school programs. Volunteers assist in the Kitchen Garden Program, the Classroom, Performing Arts activities and Parents and Friends activities. If you wish to assist and you have not already completed a volunteer form, one is attached to this newsletter.

Next term we welcome back Mr McPhie, Mrs Jarvis-Dymond and Mrs Scuderi from Long Service Leave. Mrs Pocervina, Mr Patchell and Mrs Tabone will be going on Long Service Leave next term. Mrs Flynn will be Acting Assistant Head of Dunhelen (Year 8), Ms Seivers will be Acting Head of Health and Physical Education during term three. Mr Dench and Miss Tzoumanis will continue for the remainder of the year.

The Hume City Council is currently advocating for support for improved Roads Infrastructure (especially those roads that fall under the responsibility of State Government). They have information in their Hume News with details on how you can support their campaign. For your information the following is an extract from the Hume News that should resonate and you are encouraged to continue to write to the following organisations to voice your concerns:

Ros Spence	State Member for Yuroke	ros.spence@parliament.vic.gov.au
Luke Donnellan	Minister for Roads and Roads Safety	luke.donnellan@parliament.vic.gov.au
	Hume Leader newspaper	hume@leadernewspapers.com.au
	VicRoads	https://www.vicroads.vic.gov.au/contact-us/feedback-and-enquiries

Mickleham Road Duplication

What is the issue?

- Mickleham Road is a key north-south road link in the Northern Growth Region. It connects established communities in southern Hume (Tullamarine) and Melbourne Airport with the suburbs of Greenvale West and Craigieburn two of the fastest growing communities in Australia.
- Mickleham Road is currently duplicated between Melrose Drive, Tullamarine and Somerton Road Greenvale which then reverts to a single carriageway as was the case when the road was constructed when it serviced a rural community in the north of Melbourne. New residential subdivisions are being established on both sides of Mickleham Road which is placing pressure on this section of the road.
- Since 2013, there has been a 38% increase in the number of vehicles using Mickleham Road north of Somerton Road, with over 21,000 vehicles per day battling congestion to get throughout the region, often bringing the road to a standstill. Additionally, there have been over 20 casualty crashes on Mickleham Road over the last 5-year period.
- This impacts on the reliability of travel throughout the area and has the potential to impact the bottom line of businesses travelling along this route - an issue that will be magnified in coming years with the new businesses to be established in the Merrifield Town Centre.

Why is it important to the Hume City community?

- The growth taking place in Greenvale (population predicted to double by 2036) and Craigieburn (population predicted to increase by 50% by 2036) is placing pressure on a number of key road links in Hume City's northern growth corridor.
- Compounding this, inadequate public transport provision in Greenvale and Craigieburn West and Craigieburn North has led to an overreliance on cars with over 72% of Greenvale residents, nearly 69% of Craigieburn residents and over 70% of Roxburgh Park residents driving to work by car. The time people spend in their cars on congested roads lessens the time they can spend with their family and friends.
- Without duplication of Mickleham Road between Somerton Road and Craigieburn Road, congestion will worsen. Additional capacity on Mickleham Road will result in a diversion of traffic from other major arterial roads in the Hume corridor, which will benefit the wider network and mitigate the implications of future population growth in this important part of Melbourne's north.

The Support We Need

- The Victorian Government to provide funding to duplicate Mickleham Road between Somerton Road and Craigieburn Road.

*Mrs Josie Crisara
Principal*

From the Deputy Principal

Holiday Program: Kelly Sports are hosting a holiday program for children aged 4 to 12 during the holidays from Monday 27 June to Friday 8 July. Flyers have been sent home to all Prep to Year 6 families. The program is being held at Aitken College, but is open to any families in the local area. All enquires to Kelly Sports at 9384 2204 or www.kellysports.com.au.

Term 3: Please note that Term 3 commences on a Day 6 on our two-week timetable. Student timetables can be viewed on MyAitken or on the Community Portal.

Student Absence: Please remember that if your child is going to be absent from school, please telephone the relevant number below before 8.00am and leave a clear message including student's name, year level, reason and duration of absence.

Prep - Year 6 9333 1866

Years 7 - 9 9333 9115

Years 10 - 12 9333 9107

*Mr Kim Forward
Deputy Principal*

Brookhill School Notices

End of Semester: As the last newsletter for the Semester comes around, it is time for Senior School students and parents to reflect on a very busy period and look ahead to the coming holidays and new term.

I would like to start by congratulating all Senior School students on their conduct and application during the mid-year exam period. The exams all ran extremely smoothly. Teachers new to Aitken this year remarked about how seriously the Senior School students took their exams and how well behaved they were during this period of time.

I would also like to remind all Year 12 students about the Red Zone. This is the **47-day period** from the start of Unit 3 on 8 June to the end of the July holidays. I remind students and families that focussed, efficient and diligent academic work during this period will result in enormous benefits at the end of the year; I also emphasise that students who fail to make the most of this period of time risk significant underachievement come final exams.

Subject Selection: Early next term, Year 10 students will start the process of selecting between undertaking a VCAL or VCE program. Those students electing to study VCE will have to choose their VCE subjects. All families of Year 10 students should look out for the VCE 2017 Information booklet, which will be posted out during the holiday break. It is important that families read this carefully, to start collecting information about the important course selection process. Students and parents should attend the 2017 Year 11 Information Evening on Wednesday 20 July, where they will receive important information about VCE/VET/VCAL programs and have the opportunity to talk to Heads of Faculty and careers staff.

In the days following this, each student will have an interview with a senior staff member and another meeting with the careers staff to help them put together the best program for 2017.

Families should also mark in their diaries the VCAL 2017 Information Evening to be held on Monday 25 July.

*Mr David Murphy
Head of Brookhill*

VCAL News

VCAL Information Evening: This will be held on **Monday 25 July** from 7.00pm until 8.30pm in room **B3**. If your child is in Year 10, it is **highly recommended** that you attend this evening together so that you are fully aware of the study pathways available to your child.

VCAL suits any student who is **clear** about their career direction and is **interested** in going to TAFE, seeking an apprenticeship, getting a job after finishing school or completing a TAFE certificate **before** entering a university course. VCAL gives students a head start into their vocation.

Aitken College VCAL students also take part in **The Duke of Edinburgh's Award**, which is an internationally recognised program that encourages young people to engage with their community and challenge themselves to achieve personal excellence as well as directly contributing to your child's VCAL certificate. The Award is highly regarded and valued in the VCAL program.

If your son or daughter is considering an alternative to VCE and would like to find out more about the VCAL program offered at Aitken College, come along to the **VCAL Information Evening on 25 July at 7.00pm in B3**. The current Year 11 students as well as former students will be attending the evening and sharing their experiences of VCAL as well as various aspects of the course. Please join us afterwards for a sumptuous supper and to chat with the students. If you are interested in attending, please RSVP to: brookhilladmin@aitkencollege.edu.au.

VCAL – A HEAD START INTO YOUR CAREER



*Mrs Jenny Lilley
VCAL Co-ordinator*

Dunhelen School Notices

It has been a busy conclusion to the end of the term in Dunhelen. Approximately 6 weeks ago, the Dunhelen Captains held a meeting to discuss what we can do to improve student involvement in a range of activities in Dunhelen. One of the suggestions they came up with was to run an art competition with prizes on offer. Thanks to all the students who submitted a piece of work. We had close to 30 entries and below is the art work that was judged to be the winning entries.



1st Place: Isabella Clementini Year 8



2nd Place: Nathan Ledda Year 9



3rd Place: Deniz Cetinkaya Year 9



4th Place: Olivia Di Pietro Year 8



Equal 5th Place: Ryan Smith Year 9



Equal 5th Place: Chelsea Vella Year 9

We are at the end of another successful term. I would like to congratulate all the students on their behaviour this term and I hope that many of them are pleased with their reports. For those who are not so pleased, I would recommend you use the holidays to reflect on what you could do to ensure your report at the end of the year is indicative of what you truly are capable of. This is what Mrs Crisara also emphasised at our final assembly on Monday.

It has been a wonderful term and I am pleased to have met lots of parents and students. I look forward to working with you again in Semester 2.

I must thank the very dedicated and hardworking Homeroom Teachers of Dunhelen. They work very hard every day and I thank them on behalf of myself and the students. I am sure, that they, like the students are looking forward to the break. I wish all of the Dunhelen community a very happy three-week break. Whether you are travelling or at home I wish you a safe, relaxing and enjoyable holiday. I look forward to seeing you all refreshed and ready to go for Semester 2. Enjoy the holidays!

*Mr Ben Prentice
Acting Head of Dunhelen*

Cumberland School Notices

Cumberland Dance Party. On Friday 17 June, students from Cumberland were invited to attend the Cumberland Dance Party organised by the Aitken Parents and Friends Association. The night was a great success and was well attended by students across all year levels. It was great to see so many children enjoying themselves, socialising and dancing the night away. A big thanks to the Parents and Friends Association for organising such a great night.



*More photos of the night have been uploaded onto the Cumberland Blog
<https://myaitken.fireflycloud.net.au/head-of-cumberland/head-of-cumberland-blog>*

Cross Country Running: Corey Akers (Year 6) and Lachlan Plant (Year 5) represented the District at the Regional Cross Country running championship last week. This is an extremely high level of competition with some of the best runners in the State competing. Both Lachlan and Corey represented the College wonderfully, Lachlan coming 42nd out of 70 runners and Corey coming 38th out of 70. Congratulations on an outstanding effort boys.

Handball - Aitken College District Champions: Congratulations to the Aitken Handball team who won the District Grand Final on Friday, winning 28 - 12. The students were brilliantly coached by Ms Brigitte Seivers and should be proud of their achievement. Students who were part of the winning side were: Riley Peters, Lachlan Plant, James Goodwin, Harrison Bachmann, Jake Pausi, Josh Webster, David Angove, Corey Akers, Ryan Prochazka, Xavier Plant, Chayce Currie and Thomas Crowley.



Songsters Performance: I was extremely impressed by the performance of the ‘Songsters’ at Cumberland Assembly on Monday. It is always great to see students using their gifts and talents so well. It is clear that there are many students in Cumberland who are extremely talented in this area. A big thank you to Ms Thomson and Miss Pace for their hard work with these students.

End of Term 2: I would like to wish everyone all the best over the midyear holiday period. I know all teachers, students and families have been working really hard over the past semester and the holiday period will provide a much needed opportunity to refresh and re-energise in readiness for a new semester of learning. I wish everyone a safe and happy break and look forward to seeing everyone after a well-deserved rest.

*Mr John Rudd
Head of Cumberland*

Fairview School Notices

A Special Thank You: Well done to all! It has been a very busy and hectic term and you all deserve a wonderful break. The children, staff and parents have worked extremely hard and the strong commitment and support to the College is witnessed amongst our school community.

As you read your child’s report, take the time to celebrate their wonderful achievements. They have worked extremely hard and achieved individual growth, which contributes to our wonderful community. It is not only their academic ability which is recognised; but how they establish and maintain friendships, and develop their long lasting social network. The Fairview staff wish you all a safe and relaxing holiday. I hope you enjoy the time with your children.

Bedtime: Young children utilise and need quite a lot of energy and concentration during their school day. It is crucial that they are provided with a healthy food diet and adequate rest and sleep. Late nights have an immediate or a delayed impact on the children; they feel lethargic and lack concentration. The Fairview children require a reasonable bedtime. Prep children should be in bed between 7.00pm and 7.30pm. Year 1 and Year 2 children should be in bed no later than 8.00pm. Adequate rest has a great impact on how children learn and relate to their learning environment. During the holiday break we tend to allow the children to go to bed later. Please ensure this does not become a daily event, as trying to establish the school routine will be difficult.

The Term 3 Assembly schedule is listed below:
Chapel (9.00am) and Assembly (9.30am)

Week	Date	Year Level
1	18/7/2016	Ms Neophytou
2	25/7/2016	2D
3	1/8/2016	1P
4	8/8/2016	1M
5	15/8/2016	Prep K
6	22/8/2016	Prep M
7	29/8/2016	Prep R
8	5/9/2016	Ms Neophytou
9	12/9/2016	2R

*Ms Kerrie Neophytou
Head of Fairview*

Careers News

Tertiary institutions offer a range of opportunities for student engagement. The chance to participate in hands-on workshops, meet academic staff, get a feel for a campus and gain an insight into an industry of interest are all obvious benefits. Former students speak very highly of these programs and credit them in contributing to informed choices and smooth tertiary transitions.

So, whilst we are all looking forward to the term holiday, the break does provide an opportunity for senior students **especially those in Year 12** to participate in a range of 'experience' type activities which will be a useful reference for course and career planning undertaken during Term 3. The majority of these activities are free. If time and resources permit, students are strongly encouraged to be proactive and get involved. Open Day calendars will be distributed early in Term 3 with a similar degree of initiative being encouraged.

The following are worth considering:

- **EXPERIENCE ACU** – See: www.acu.edu.au/uni-experience
- **LA TROBE ASPIRE PROGRAM**: apply now, close 31 August; see: www.latrobe.edu.au/aspire
- **EXPERIENCE LA TROBE** – See: www.latrobe.edu.au/study
- **EXPLORE OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY** – 14 July @ Austin; **Apply**: to keely.zenner@austin.org.au
- **NURSING AT DEAKIN**: See: www.deakin.edu.au/nursing-midwifery
- **MELBOURNE UNI VCE LECTURES** – Literature, Australian History and History Revolutions. Book: **Book Now** or email vce-arts@unimelb.edu.au
- **DESIGN EVENTS AT SWINBURNE** – 5-8 July, Hawthorn campus; \$160; **Register**: [Register now](#)
- **RMIT – FOLIO PREPARATION COURSES** – Call 9925 8111 or [click here](#)
- **EXPERIENCE RMIT** – See: www.rmit.edu.au/experiencedays
- **WOMEN IN ENGINEERING** – Contact Bianca b.vanmeeuwen@latrobe.edu.au
- **RMIT SCIENCE LAB TOURS** – www.rmit.edu.au/events/all-events/tours/2016/june/science-in-the-city-lab-tour/
- **RMIT MEDICAL LAB VISITS** – www.rmit.edu.au/events/all-events/tours/2016/july/medical-laboratory-visits/
- **MONASH COMPUTER GAMES BOOT CAMP** – See: <https://cgbc.monash.edu/#register>

Students can drop into B21 with any questions they might have about careers, courses and pathways. If you prefer, telephone us on 9333 1866 or email your concerns or queries to careers@aitkencollege.edu.au

Happy researching!

*Ms Rae Gibbs
Careers Adviser*

Chaplain's Corner

Hurt People, Hurt People: I was talking to the senior chapel this week about how hurt people, hurt people. Most bullies are people who have been hurt or are being hurt. These bullies, for some reason, cannot direct their anger and pain where it belongs, so it comes out in the wrong place, often directed at someone who is also vulnerable. My encouragement to the students was to try to find ways to care for the bullies, find out what is behind their anger and hear their pain and you could end up with a win-win situation! We watched the skit guys YouTube clip "The World" which is well worth a look. This thinking has the ability to assist all of our relationships inside and outside the school.

I wish all of our staff and school families a time of refreshment and renewal, and pray for a safe and happy holidays! See you all in Term 3.

Sunday Worship at Aitken Program

24 July	Winter warmer - sharing warm memories over a Hot Chocolate
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*Rev Jeanne Beale
Chaplain*

Humanities News

The inaugural Aitken Model Competition was held this month, and there were a number of outstanding entries. First prize and also the winner of the "Viewer's Choice Award" went to Oliver Habashi for his fantastic painted clay version of the Titanic. Angela Schultz took out second prize with an extremely realistic wooden version of ancient Greece's Parthenon. Rounding out the top five were Emma Cook (a dinosaur diorama), Arbleena Markhay (the Sydney Harbour Bridge) and Ellie Gwinnett (a dog from ancient Egypt).

Congratulations to all winners and thanks so much to everyone who got involved. Special thanks to our inspiring primary teachers, Ms Ainslie Ryan and Mr Ron Rees whose students contributed over half the entries! Stay tuned for Term 4 when we run our second Aitken Map Competition.



*Mr Ben Lawless
Head of Faculty Humanities*

Performing Arts News

Winter Music Soiree: Two fantastic concerts were held this week featuring close to 100 students. These students are part of some of the ensembles we have running, are involved in music classes or are taking private instrumental music lessons. Some of them fit into none of the categories above and just want to perform. We aim to offer opportunities for all students of the College to perform in this venue which we are so lucky to have. Any form of performing, on a stage such as ours, instils great confidence in students and is simply a wonderful experience for them to have. Thanks to the parents who have supported the students in preparing for the concert and to all those who showed their support by attending either of the show.



College Musical: Last Saturday, the College Musical Cast and Band ran the whole production on stage in the Chapel and Performing Arts Centre for the first time. *Pirates of Penzance* is shaping up to be one of the funniest shows we have seen at Aitken in a while with something for the whole family to enjoy.



Tickets are on sale now for the five performances which commence on Friday 29 July, including two matinee performances on 4 August at 4.00pm and 6 August at 2.00pm. Ticket prices are \$27.50 adults, \$22.00 for fulltime students and pensioners (plus booking fees). There is also a special family ticket price available with a family of four for \$88.80 (plus booking fees). Go to <https://trybooking.com/JKTO> to book your tickets now.

Once again, we are in the process of compiling the program for the musical and invite any families who would like to advertise a business in the program to get in touch. Prices are Logo/Business Card Display (\$55 inc. gst), Quarter-Page (\$137.50) or Half-Page (\$220).

Those taking out a quarter page will be offered two free tickets to opening night while those taking a half-page will receive four free tickets to opening night. Please express an interest by emailing mcooper@aitkencollege.edu.au by the final week of term (24 June) and an invoice will be issued for payment prior to 30 June. Final artwork will be required by Friday 8 July.

*Mr Michael Cooper
Director of Performing Arts*

Physical Education News

Year 5 & 6 Friday Interschool Sport: We have now completed what was an excellent season of Year 5 & 6 Winter Sport. Congratulations to the mixed Handball team who won the District Grand Final with a convincing 28 -12 win over Ilim College. Congratulations also to Ms Seivers who coached the team. Well done to all other Winter Sport teams who have competed commendably this Term and to the coaches involved. Next term we continue the Summer Sport competition from where we left off in Term 1. Our first match of Term 3 will be against Gladstone Park at Aitken College, on Friday 29 July.

Woodlands and NMR Cross Country: Well done to Lachlan Plant and Corey Akers who achieved placings in the recent Woodlands Division Cross Country. Lachlan was 2nd in the 11 year old boys event and Corey placed 3rd in the 12/13-year old race. Both boys went on to represent Aitken College at the Northern Metropolitan Region Cross Country, which is an outstanding achievement. Congratulations to both boys.

Hooptime Basketball: On Tuesday 19 July our Year 5 & 6 Hooptime Basketball team will compete in a tournament at Mill Park. Congratulations to those students selected. The Year 3 & 4 tournament will be on Thursday 25 August at the same venue.

*Mr Nigel Keegan
Primary Sports Co-ordinator*

Partners in Parenting

You are invited to participate in a free online Program targetted at dealing with Anxiety and related issues in Adolescence

All parents should have received an email recently outlining the offer by Monash University to any families concerned about Anxiety in their children, to participate in a special program which will address relevant issues in Adolescence. I reprint below one of the documents they sent me and encourage you to make contact with the program as indicated.

Want to know what you can do to raise a resilient teenager?

FREE online parenting program empowering parents to make sense of adolescence and parent their teenager with confidence.

As children become teenagers, it can be hard for parents to know the best way to stay connected with their child. *Partners in Parenting* is a new online parenting program that has been shown to help improve parent-child communication and reduce family conflict. Through interactive online activities, parents can develop skills in emotional intelligence, supporting their teenager through difficulties they face, and maintaining a close relationship with their teen. This program was developed by researchers at Monash University and the University of Melbourne, and is based on Parenting Guidelines that were published in partnership with *beyondblue*, and have been accessed and found helpful by thousands of parents worldwide.

Researchers are currently evaluating the longer-term benefits of the program by offering parents in Australia the opportunity to try it for free. If you are a parent or guardian of a child aged 12 to 15, you may be eligible to participate. Participation will take a few hours of yours and your child's time over 12 months. Both you and your child will be reimbursed for your time.

Find out more or register at: www.partnersinparenting.net.au or contact the researchers at: med-partnersinparenting@monash.edu or on (03) 9905 1250.

*Mr Chris Ward
Director of Chaplaincy & Student Services*



We invite you to register your interest in some of the activities parents are involved with at Aitken College. You can provide specific details if you wish next to the activities you have nominated. The College needs volunteers each year to assist with these programs.

We thank you for helping out – you make a BIG difference.

Please note: All parent helpers must have a valid Working with Children's Check.

Please provide a copy of your WWC Card when submitting this form.

Name:

Email: Phone: Mobile:

Students' Name: Year Level:

(Please provide eldest student's name and year level)

Classroom	Parents & Friends Activities	Fundraising Activities	P & F Committee
Sporting Events	Primary Kitchen Garden Program	Trivia Night	Canteen
Library	Learning Support	Performing Arts	

Fathers/Mothers Day Breakfast

Join us at the College as we celebrate a special day for parents/guardians etc. Prepare and serve a cooked breakfast.

Yes, I'd like to volunteer at the Breakfast

- Set up/Pack up
- Serve Customers
- Cook Breakfast
- Make/Serve Coffee

2016 Musical/Performing Arts

Be a part of the creative and fun loving team that brings our performances to life! Assist with CPA Canteen duties during performances

Yes, I'd like to assist with:

- Costumes
- Set Construction
- Backstage - during performances
- Setting up and removing set & equipment
- Arranging Meals/BBQ for cast and staff
- Canteen Duties

Preloved Uniform Sales

Sell second hand uniforms at our preloved uniform sales days.

Yes, I'd like to assist with:

- Set up shop
- Wash/Clean items
- Serve Customers

Fathers/Mothers Day Stall

Gifts for parent/guardian/grandparents.

Yes, I'd like to volunteer at the stall.

- Set up/Pack up
- Serve Customers
- Purchase items to send

Parents & Friends Trivia Night

Be an assistant for the organisation and preparation of a fun filled evening including auctions.

Yes, I'd like to assist with:

- Assist with organising the Event
- Arrange Auction Items for evening
- Set up/Clean up

S.A Kitchen & Garden Program

Put your culinary and/or gardening skills to work. Assist students in Food Tech and Garden preparing and maintaining kitchen and garden.

Yes, I'd like to assist with:

- Assist in Kitchen/Food Technology
- Assist in Garden (Gardening)
- Qualifications or Recent Experience

Canteen Duties

Assist with Canteen Duties on specified days.

Yes, I'd like to assist in the Canteen

- Thursday 11am - 2pm
- Friday 11am - 2pm

Performing Arts - Outside Hirers

Serve in the CPA canteen for outside bookings during theatre /performance intermissions.

Yes, I'd like to volunteer at CPA Canteen.

- Serve customers Make/
- Serve coffee
- Sell canteen items (food)
- Cook BBQ (if required)

Classroom Helper (Primary)

Get involved and assist in Primary classrooms with reading activities.

(Note: Parents must complete the Parent-helper course prior to commencing, this is arranged by the College)

Yes, I'd like to assist with:

- Reading Assistance
- Activity Assistance
- Excursion Assistance

Fundraising Activities

Become part of a team and assist with Fundraising Activities.

Yes, I'd like to assist with Fundraising:

- Parent Business Directory
- Apron/Tea Towel Drive
- Hot Cross Bun Drive
- Other

Once form has been completed please click on button

Or alternatively please print and hand in at Reception.



**AITKEN COLLEGE
PARENTS & FRIENDS ASSOCIATION
COMMUNITY BUSINESS DIRECTORY
FUNDRAISER 2016**



Dear Parents and Guardians

Many families in the Aitken College community manage or own a business. Each year as a fundraiser the Parents & Friends Association compile a Community Business Directory to provide a way in which we can support local business. The 2015 Business Directory was most successful and we would welcome your renewal for 2016. If you are a new family to our community, please consider advertising your business in this worthwhile and well used Business Directory.

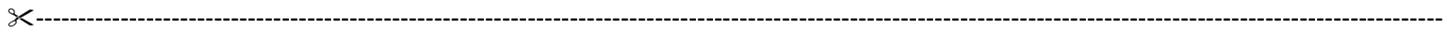
The 2016 Business Directory commenced early March and will be advertised on the College website and in the newsletter until the end of February 2017. Aitken families may purchase a space for \$50.00 to promote and advertise their business. All money raised from this most valued fundraiser will be used by the Parents & Friends Association to improve the environment, facilities and equipment of the College, to benefit our children. Please support this fundraiser by completing the section below and return to the Accounts office with your payment. An early booking is most favourable for your business.

We welcome you to browse the Business Directory 2016 on the College website:
<http://www.aitkencollege.edu.au/aitken-community/aitken-college-business-directory/>

Aitken College Parents & Friends Association

☎ 9333 1866

email: admin@aitkencollege.edu.au



**AITKEN COLLEGE PARENTS & FRIENDS ASSOCIATION
COMMUNITY BUSINESS DIRECTORY FUNDRAISER 2016 – \$50.00 PER SPACE
(Please complete and return with your payment to the Accounts office as soon as possible)**

FAMILY NAME: _____
PHONE: _____ MOBILE: _____
EMAIL: _____

BUSINESS NAME: _____
BUSINESS TYPE: _____
BUSINESS ADDRESS: _____
_____ Postcode _____

BUSINESS PHONE NUMBER: _____ BUSINESS MOBILE: _____

BUSINESS WEBSITE: _____

BUSINESS DESCRIPTION: (50 words or less)

Payment method:
 CHEQUE \$ _____ payable to Aitken College Parents & Friends Association

CASH \$ _____

CREDIT CARD: MasterCard Visa Amex

Card Number: Expiry Date:

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