

A Tradition of Excellence

Grafton Public School Newsletter



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Term 3 Week 5: Friday 18th August 2023

School Website - [Click Here](#)

Just briefly this week...

- This week you will have noticed lots of notes coming home with information on different ways to use any remaining Flood Funding. There are many options available including; end of year activities/excursions, deposits for 2024 major excursions, uniforms, headphones, backpacks, library bags and yearbooks. If you have any questions please contact the office.
- Volunteers are needed for the Fathers Day Stall. Infants Campus Tuesday 29th August from 10am and Primary Campus Wednesday 30th August from 9:30am. Please let the office know if you are able to help out!
- GPS P&C AGM will be held on 22nd August at 6pm in the Library. All welcome!
- Grandparents Day and Book Character Parade Thursday 24th August from 11:30am with Book Fair to follow. The Bacon Street gate will be open from 11:15am for special guests to allow easy access to the bottom Primary playground where you will meet up with your students. Books Character Parade will start at 11:50am.

Lets Hear It For The Kids!



Name: Tessa
Class: 1SW

Favourite part of school:
Art

Favourite thing to do on the weekend: Going on the monkey bars

If you could be anything in the world what would you be?: Stylist



Name: Maria
Class: 6TE

Favourite part of school:
Seeing friends

Favourite thing to do on the weekend: Hang out with Miah

If you could be anything in the world what would you be?: Famous person

This week around the school..

Our boys hockey team defeated Wyrallah Road Public School this week in the North Coast final of the PSSA Knockout Competition.
Congratulations boys!



This week Ms Philp and 4JP joined Forget Me Nots in a morning full of singing and dancing followed by a lovely morning tea.



Community Notices



P & C GRAFTON PUBLIC SCHOOL NEEDS YOUR HELP!

Meetings held on the 2nd Tuesday of the month at 6pm!



ABC
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P and C Recent Achievements

We would like to invite you to join us in making this school even greater for all of our children by attending our meetings or by assisting us in our fundraising events. Our meetings are held the second Tuesday of the month during the school term at 6pm in the library. The meetings are casual and friendly, a school representative provides an update on things happening at the school and we discuss ways to improve the school and ideas to raise funds. You don't have to attend every meeting and your children are always welcome, after all they are the stars of the show.

Contact us
gspandcsecretary@gmail.com



Purchased a school Slushie Machine and run Disco Events.



Raised \$8000.00 toward new playground equipment



Raised \$10000.00 toward new literacy books.



Grafton Public School

Kindergarten Transition Program 2023

School Tour and Information Session

for parents of children starting school in 2024 at GRAFTON PUBLIC SCHOOL on Monday 11th September

School Tour at 5:00pm followed by the Information Session at 5:30pm at our Infants Campus, Mary Street, Grafton.

Come and Play Session

Thursday 12th October, 1:30–2:30pm

Children and Parents are invited to an informal session to orientate students to the school environment. Parents are welcome to stay if they wish.

Kinder Kritters Whole Day Transition Sessions

For children starting school in 2024

Children are invited to attend ALL or as many sessions as possible. Children will need to bring a packed lunch, drink and a hat.

All sessions will be 9:30am–2:30pm
Wednesday 25th October Wednesday 8th November
Wednesday 1st November Wednesday 15th November
Wednesday 22nd November



Join us for the Farrer Experience Day 2023!

Is your son in Year 5 and starting high school in 2025?
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Grafton Public School P and C AGM

Please join the P and C for the annual general meeting. All committee positions will be declared vacant and financial members will be able to participate in the election of the 2023/24 executive committee.

SCHOOL LIBRARY
6PM
22 AUGUST 2023



CVCON

CLARENCE VALLEY CONSERVATORIUM

SHARON DAVIDGE FLUTE




SUNDAY 27 AUGUST
3:00PM
CLARENCE VALLEY CONSERVATORIUM
8 VILLIERS STREET, GRAFTON
ADULT: \$20 CONC: \$15 CHILD: \$10

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2 DAY VIP EVENT

20% OFF EVERYTHING*



AUGUST 24TH & 25TH





INSTORE & ONLINE

*T&C's apply, no rainchecks, savings off original prices.