

Pittwater House

COMMUNITY TEAM

Term 2, 2019 Information Morning Friday, 7th June, 8:30am - The Great Hall

Prepared by: 2019/20 PHPA COMMITTEE

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WELCOME

Hello and Welcome to our 2019 Community Information morning. Our aim is to encourage all parents and guardians to engage with the Pittwater House Parents Association in whichever capacity they are able to and support us in our fund-raising and community building efforts. The aim of these termly sessions is to share with you all the exciting events we have planned for the year ahead, communicate where your donations are being spent and to provide you with information on how to get involved.

The Pittwater House Parents' Association (PHPA) is a small group of volunteer parents who meet regularly to plan and organise a number of regular and one off events throughout the year. The PHPA committee also manages the Pitt-Stop Canteen and the Second-hand uniform shop. All funds raised are donated back to our school for the benefit of our students. The committee members are made up of parents/guardians from across the school and have the time to fully commit to organising these events & initiatives.

OUR FOCUS

Whilst fundraising is our ultimate goal, we are also passionate about creating a vibrant and thriving parent community that truly reflects the school values. As we move forward this year and beyond, we want to ensure that every Pittwater House family feels welcome and is able to be involved in whatever capacity they are able to, in a fun, enjoyable and non-judgemental environment. This involvement may be in the Canteen, Clothing Pool or at any of our many events. We encourage you to join us in any way you want or can.

We look forward to a great year of fun, fundraising and community.

Warm Regards, Kate & Connie 2019/20 PHPA Co-Presidents

NETWORK PARENTS



By volunteering as a network parent for your class, you fulfill an essential role, not only for your class families but also for supporting your school and the PHPA. We will always be there to offer help, whether it be welcoming new families or point you in the right direction should you have any questions relating to the shcool.

VOLUNTEERS



The PHPA relies heavily on the efforts and involvement of the wider Parent Community. You can be involved as little or as much as your time allows - every little bit helps.

We have detailed below how you can still get involved this year and read on to find out how the Volunteers at our 2019 Mothers' Day events had a huge impact on not only the amount raised but on making the week so memorable and fostering our Community Spirit.

HOW EVERYONE CAN HELP...

- Save the date for Term 3 & 4 events and share with your class parents & friends via email & Facebook pages, and get your tickets as soon as they go on sale to avoid disappointment!
- Lend a hand at Fathers' Day Breakfast August 30th. We need a team of Mum-unteers to help spoil the Dads!. Put you name down here: *volunteersignup.org/LC8XL*
- Check out the Canteen! This amazing service is so important for community engagement and of course, keeping our students and staff fed and watered! Each class/year group will again be assigned a week in Semester 2, however YOU can volunteer at ANYTIME by visiting: *volunteersignup.org/J847W* and putting your name down. Whilst the Canteen is managed and run by employed canteen staff, it cannot fully function and keep costs to a minimum, without volunteers sourced from Pittwater House families. So don't delay, sign up today!
- Invite your friends to join the Pittwater House Parents Association closed Facebook group.
- The next Community Information morning tea in Term 3 will be **Friday 6th September** and for Term 4, will be in conjunction with International Volunteer Day, **Thursday 5th December**
- Want to be more involved? Drop us an email at PHPAvolunteer@tphs.nsw.edu.au and we'll get you added to our Community helpers list and you will be the first to hear of any exciting opportunities.

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It seems such a long time ago since we held our now infamous Pittwater House Mothers' Day Lunch and the inaugural Gift Bazzar! Contributing to this magnificent week were our always present Committee members, the gorgeous gift elves, our hard working Mum-enteers, our ready to serve Dad SOS squad, our beyond talented catering team and everyone who stayed after the event to tidy up ready for assembly on Friday! We would also like to acknowledge all the TPHS Staff from Marketing, Campus Help, Creative Arts and Admin for all your help and support. It was a true testament to the beautiful community spirit that we all play a part in creating.



The gift bazaar, a last minute addition to our fundraising calendar this year, was initially aimed at the Junior school, but after some fine tuning we were able to offer our wares to senior school students and staff. All gifts had been carefully curated by a very talented PH mum who also organised a parent working bee to beautifully wrap nearly 600 gifts! Hope you were one of the lucky recipient and enjoyed your thoughtful gift.



At this years lunch we tweaked the script a little with the refectory style table setting à la Hogwarts style! We felt that it encouraged everyone to connect with parents and guardians within their year groups and beyond! Everyone seemed to embrace this new dynamic going by the positive & complimentary feedback we have received.

The Raffle, yet again, was legendary - Thank you Network Parents and your respective classes & year groups for your incredible generosity by providing a huge bevy of hampers and treats that delighted all the winners and broke the hearts of those of us who #didnotwinathing!

We are delighted to announce that all your hard work, generosity and engagement in all 2019 Mothers' Day activities raised a whopping \$18,170.00 with MDL 2019 contributing a record breaking \$15,681.00 and the Gift Bazaar \$2,489.00. We will add this to the PHPA piggy bank, read on to see where this will be spent in 2019 / 2020

PHPA EVENTS & INITIAVES

What's in store for Semester 2...



Entertainment Books - *available now!* www.entertainmentbook.com.au/orderbooks/203p913

COMEDY NIGHT

(in association with World Challenge) SATURDAY, AUGUST 24TH GOLF DAY & DINNER FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 8TH

FATHERS' DAY BREAKFAST FRIDAY, AUGUST 30TH

CHRISTMAS CAMP OUT SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 30TH

Proposed dates for 2020...

Welcome Drinks Jan 31 Mothers' Day Lunch May 7

Fathers' Day Breakfast Sep 4 Christmas Markets Nov 28

PHPA FUNDING

All your donations are used to enhance the facilities at Pittwater House. The PHPA Committee works closely with the Business Manager and Facilities team to allocate funds to projects that will have the biggest impact for the benefit of all students.

> The \$50,000 raised from the 2018 Christmas Markets has been allocated to the re-lining of the School pool. This mammoth undertaking is scheduled for Winter 2020 and quoted at \$180,000. The PHPA committee has agreed to keep adding our 2019/20 initiatives to this amount and with the MDL 2019 funds, this leaves us with a goal of \$110,000 to raise over the next 18 months. We'll keep you updated by way of a donation barometer on the PHPA Community noticeboard (a copy of which will also be on Skoolbag!). We are already 40% of the way there!

> In order to make the pool the jewel in the crown of Pittwater House, a number of other works such as a new sophisticated heating system is required. The PHPA committee will fund this endeavour from monies that were previously earmarked for projects that have now been incorporated in the Master Plan. The great news is that work on this can start this winter.

2019/20 PHPA COMMITTEE

Meet the parents behind the PHPA



Connie Pople Co-President



Kate Parsons Co-President



Asia Punter Treasurer



Helen McMahon Volunteer Liaison



Petrina Rousel Network Parent Liaison



Joe Jones Dad Liaison

GET IN TOUCH

General Enquiries: PHPA@tphs.nsw.edu.au To volunteer: PHPAvolunteer@tphs.nsw.edu.au

The PHPA & World Challenge 2020 team present, in association with Comedy for a Cuuse...

Saturday August 24th, 6pm

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TICKETS ON SALE JUNE 14



Pittwater House

TRYBOOKING.COM/BDCON

A fun morning for students and their Fathers to come together for breakfast before each start their respective days. Bacon & egg rolls, pastries plus hot chocolate, coffee & juice will be on offer, alongside the annual Book Sale & for the first time ever a special Fathers Day Raffle! THE PITTWATER HOUSE PARENTS ASSOC. PRESENTS

CHRISTMAS CAMP OUT '19

NOVEMBER 30TH, 2019 FAMILY CAMP OUT ON THE OVAL!

MOVIE BBQ CAMP-FIRE & MORE...

Sponsorship

SPONSOR A HOLE

\$895

SPONSOR FEES INCLUDES:

Branding and promotion on your hole.

4 x Golfers and 2 x Carts. 4 x Dinner & Drinks. Exposure in the weekly School newsletter. Letter of appreciation for your business lobby.

CONTACT SPONSORSHIP MANAGER

Tim Powell on 0413 725 801

Or visit TryBooking.com for more details

MONA VALE GOLF CLUB.

Save the date

Socialise with parents of the Pittwater House School community. Have a team round of golf and enjoy drinks, music and much more at the post game Dinner. All families, friends and business colleagues welcome.

Beginners welcome. Experts treated with suspicion.

Proceeds go to supporting the PHPA fundraising efforts for the benefit of the TPHS community and all cancellations will be considered donations to this effort.

Mona Vale Golf Club

3 Golf Ave. Mona Vale NSW 2103 We kick off at 11:30AM on Friday 8th November.

SOCIAL GOLF & DINNER DAY FRIDAY 08 NOVEMBER 2019



For event information please visit: TryBooking.com

or call Tim Powell on 0413 725 801

HOSTED BY THE **Pittwater House** Parents Association PITTWATER HOUSE PARENTS ASSOCIATION INVITES YOU TO THE

Social Golf & **Dinner Day**

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Schedule



JUST DINNER



JUST GOLF

\$80 per person

GOLF & DINNER



4 + GOLF + CARTS & DINNER

\$650



Nov REGISTRATION DESK OPENS AT 11:30AM

Save the Date and Join Us for a Day of Social Golf & Dinner

HOSTED BY THE Pittwater House Parents Association

Donate raffle prizes & auction items

As a result of outstanding feedback from sponsors and participants the Pittwater House Parents' Association (PHPA), in collaboration with the School's Principal Dr Nancy Hillier, have decided to include the Social Golf Day and Dinner once again on its annual social calendar.

Proceeds go to supporting the PHPA fundraising efforts for the benefit of the TPHS community and all cancellations will be considered donations to this effort.

All donations for prizes are welcome

If you are not in a position for a hole sponsorship, we are also looking for Raffle prizes & Auction items to be donated. Please advise if you are able to assist with these items.

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