



ST KEVIN'S CATHOLIC SCHOOL PARENTS & FRIENDS ASSOCIATION

St Kevin's Catholic School Parents & Friends Association is our school's core support group, and a great way to meet others and work together to make our school a better place for our children, families, staff and the wider community. The P&F Association is an open and inclusive organisation and is actively involved in the affairs of the school.

OUR VISION

A proactive and vibrant community of families and friends with a shared passion for our children's education, working together to provide pathways for parents and carers to contribute and participate in the educational journey and holistic development of our children within a safe, healthy and sustainable school environment.

OUR MISSION

Engage St Kevin's families and friends in conversations about our vision and encourage active participation in activities and events that nurture and promote the wellbeing of our children.

OUR GOALS

FORUM FOR PARENTS AND CARERS

The P&F Association is a forum for parents and carers to communicate concerns, ideas and suggestions that affect our children's education and general welfare, and to present them to the school community for discussion and resolution, if necessary. We constantly engage with the school leadership team and all school staff to gain a better understanding of the specific needs of the children, and to come up with feasible solutions to address them.

FUNDRAISING

We operate as a not-for-profit group supporting St Kevin's school students, educators and staff. In order to create a sustainable organisation, we initiate and coordinate fundraising activities directed towards outreach services and supporting various school projects, facilities and resources.

SERVICE FOR FAMILIES

As part of a Catholic school community, we engage in outreach services within the school and outside of school. In extraordinary circumstances, we provide support for immediate members of our community. When sufficient funds are available, we provide assistance to address their needs. Our school's Patron Parent Program provides the general support for families within their class.

VOLUNTEER POOL

The spirit of volunteerism is at the heart of St Kevin's P&F Association. Our vision and mission are only realised through the work and support of our volunteers. We are constantly reaching out to the whole school community, seeking extra hands to assist in school activities.

REGULAR ACTIVITIES

We organise and coordinate social events for families, and source grant funding for various educational resources and school facilities. Our association is represented by Executive Committee members who facilitate activities and events, such as the following:

- Welcome BBQ
- Beachathon
- Breakfast for various special days
- Mothers' Day and Fathers' Day Stalls
- World Teachers' Day Morning Tea

The P&F Association holds an annual General Meeting and regular Meetings within the school year facilitated by the Executive Committee. All families and carers and school staff are invited to join the friendly discussions on matters that affect the school community in particular and the society in general.

P&F News and Updates are part of the weekly school newsletter.

GET IN TOUCH

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