





### *PFFWA – P&F President's Induction Evening*

Mike Feltham attended the recent PFFWA P&F President's Induction Evening

- The induction programme is an online induction programme and has been developed for P&F Executive members and some associates. The programme is an online training package and provides them with a better understanding of each of their roles and the roles of others. The online course takes approximately 45 minutes to complete.

Other items discussed were

- The PFFWA is encouraging each school's P&F to look at friend raising rather than fundraising to build a greater communities
- The PFFWA would like the P&F committee to encourage all school families to attend parent info nights and to provide the teachers with feedback throughout the year.
- The P&F constitutions of many PFFWA affiliated schools are held by the PFFWA for reference purposes. A copy of the MGCPS P&F constitution is held by them.
- Successful learning workshops. This is a course offered by the PFFWA for parents of children in Kindy through to year 3. The course is provided at a cost of approx. \$140 for 20 parents to attend 2 sessions of two hours each. The course is to help parents to prepare and support their children for learning.
  - 1) An expression of interest is to be sent out to parents with children in Kindy through to Year 2 to determine interest in this course. Options for times and dates will be examined. A further course could be offered at the end of the year for new parents to the school in 2018.
  - 2) It was suggested that the P&F fund the course which is expected to be about \$7.00/parent attending + course materials.
  - 3) Mike Feltham will speak to the PFFWA to get a clearer understanding on the associated costs of the course.
- Mike Feltham will hand out some copies of the PFFWA P&F President's Induction evening questionnaire. These will then be compiled and sent to the PFFWA.

*School Banking days will be changed to a Thursday*

Suggested for a class to run as a fundraiser. This will be discussed at next week's P&F Executive and Parents Class representatives meeting

*Pram and wheelchair friendly curbs*

Mark Powell will talk to the council to investigate the option of modifying curbs in the carpark

**Next Meeting:** 15/3/ 2017

**Meeting Closed at:** 8.30 pm