Gardenvale Primary School Onward and Upward

Welcome back to GPS in 2022 from the Parents and Friends Association.



Feb2022 Year Level Parent Information Evenings

Who are the Parents and Friends Association of Gardenvale Primary School?

We are:

- Volunteer parents of GPS children.
- Interested in our school community.
- Supporters of the school.
- •Organisers of school fundraising and other fun activities.



What does the PFA do?

- We support the school community.
- We run fun activities for the school kids.
- We liaise between parents and the school via class reps.
- We fundraise for the school's special projects.
- And . . . we run fun activities just for the parents.

Some of our events include:

- The huge school fair
- Walk-a-thon day
- School disco
- Footy day
- Mother's / Father's day

- End of year concert
- Teacher thank-you
- Wine & cheese night

Kids Activities.



School dance



Landcox Park walk-a-thon fundraiser

Family Activities.

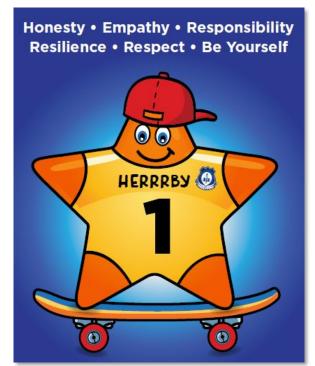


School Fair Extravaganza





Lockdown Activities.



Neighbourhood Scavenger Hunt





Spoonville



Online Fitness Sessions



Cooking

Plus

- Random acts of kindness.
- Online trivia night.
- Online craft night.
- Online disco.
- Photo contest.

Parent Only Activities.



Wine and Cheese Night



Flashback Disco



Tastings

For the class reps.

Firstly, a <u>BIG THANK YOU</u> for volunteering from the GPS PFA and all of the year level parents around you!

Your key roles this year will be:

- emailing the teacher or PFA communications to parents.
- managing the (optional) class WhatsApp group. Please keep it relevant and positive.
- enlisting a parent helper team to support the year level activity run by the PFA (details TBA).
- coordinating any class collections.
- helping to keep the year level informed and involved.

How all parents can get involved.

- Come along to a PFA planning meeting! (one evening per month).
- Join the GPS Parents Facebook group and keep track.
- Attend an event.
- Help at an event.
- If you can only spare a little time, let the PFA know you are interested in a back seat planner helper role.
- Get involved in running the year level major events during the year. Team up and help out!

Why get involved?

- Meet some great people.
- Help the school.
- Build on what is already a great school community.
- Have some fun in the process.



We look forward to hearing from you!



- School website Parents' Association page.
- Email pa@gardenvaleps.vic.edu.au
- Facebook page GPS Parents' Association.

JOIN THIS!

Thanks