

P&F President's Report - Annual School Community Meeting 2020

Welcome and thank you for attending the OLOL 2020 Community Meeting.

2020, let's start with why!!

This is my why.

My boys on their very first day of school at Our Lady of Lourdes Dardanup, and the ever-charming Alex not yet at school. My motivation to volunteer at our amazing school.



2020 Started with our Centenary celebrations, and the new entrance to our school. The P&F contributing towards our new Memorial Garden.

The year didn't quite go to plan, and I had a crash course in home schooling, hoping not to need those skills again.

We celebrated our Mothers with those still attending school going in the draw for our small P&F donated Mother's Day prizes.

In term 3 we were back together again and we all got to celebrate in our pyjamas at the school Disco. Only to be outdone by our Father's Day Breakfast. While I never want to cook 150 pancakes again, I loved rewarding our Mum volunteers with fresh coffee and seeing our Dads and kids enjoying breakfast.

The year is in full swing now in term 4 with our school Sports day and our Interschool Sports day. The P&F provided morning tea cake stalls and lunch for everyone. How good were the icy poles at the Interschool carnival?

Book fair is always a winner, with over a hundred books earned for our school.

With World Teacher's day celebrations and Grandparents day behind us there is little left to do, but the Christmas Raffle. Don't forget to get your tickets as the prizes are amazing!! And of course, we need to put something back into the school. This year I am pleased to say we will be purchasing new desks for the year 1 and 3 classrooms, ready to start 2021.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank our class reps, who have gone over and above helping to organise their allocated event

To Angela, thank you. Your help and guidance has always been welcomed and muchly appreciated.

To my P&F crew. I could not have done the last 2 years without you. Our talents are different, but have complimented each other well. Thank you for all that you have done.

As time progresses we all change, some more than others. As the P&F changes for next year, I wish the new committee all the best. Although one of my boys is leaving the school and I am leaving the P&F, I will still be in the background helping where needed.

Thank you.....Alison O'Rourke