**APS P&C Newsletter – Building Bridges – February 2024**

**Save the Date**

**Friday 8th March 4.30 – 6pm** - Welcome back BBQ – Please rsvp by Wed 6th March: <https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSf4IgKglO6ztlEjSRhPoMcI9A2jfbpDCTQaqJnIKsv_9UqhlQ/viewform>

* And Clothes -go-round – Pre Loved Adult’s clothing sale. Everything $2 or less. *Please bring your spare change.*

**Sunday 17th March –** APS Working Bee

**Tuesday 19th March 7.30pm**– APS P&C meeting

**Sunday 7th April 2 – 4pm –** Clothes – go – round

**Events Co-ordinator & Committee members needed**

The P&C **urgently** need a volunteer Events Co-Ordinator, and Events Committee members. If you can assist with either role to run P&C events, please contact asquithpublicpandc.president@gmail.com

Fullsupport provided.

**Canteen Update**

Canteen lunch orders are available on Wednesdays and Fridays. Online orders available this week via Spriggy.

If you would like to assist by volunteering in the canteen, Carrie appreciates all volunteers. Please sign up here: <https://signup.zone/aps-snackshack>

All volunteers will need:

* A valid Working with Children Check (WWCC). You can apply for a WWCC here: ([https://www.service.nsw.gov.au/.../apply-for-a-working](https://aus01.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.service.nsw.gov.au%2F...%2Fapply-for-a-working%3Ffbclid%3DIwAR1LLiESJ8L3MKK1892V2el8BEE260gqWeVdzFbuWg38VhcOlvGf0FBgc_8&data=05%7C02%7CHeidi.Nelson%40det.nsw.edu.au%7C5a9744721fad49fc4dd608dc3712013e%7C05a0e69a418a47c19c259387261bf991%7C0%7C0%7C638445797664233086%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C0%7C%7C%7C&sdata=x7YViQk8KxSk6e9zDOXNv2nTfbCnwRqen%2BRCNo1M%2Bfk%3D&reserved=0)...)
* Food Safety Training Certificate - this is a free online course which takes about 1.5 hours to complete: <https://www.hornsby.nsw.gov.au/.../public-health/food-safety>

**APS Working BEE**

Our next working bee will be Sunday 17th March. Working Bees are a great way to meet other families in a relaxed and informal setting, whilst working with others to improve your child’s school environment. We will be focusing on pruning the eco garden, weeding and other maintenance tasks

* Garden club helpers are also welcome any Friday lunchtime – please contact the envirohub: asquithenvirohub.au@gmail.com

**Fundraising**

A big thank you to those who ordered books via the Scholastic Book Club in Dec 2023. Approx $130 was raised, which will be returned to benefit our children.