

GIPS Newsletter #15, September 14, 2016

Parents' Association News

Can anyone believe it's the second last week of Term 3? What a busy term it has been!

I hope the dads and special people enjoyed their Father's Day gifts. There was a lot of careful consideration about choosing the right gifts from the kids.

I hear the AFL gear was so enticing that some kids were so determined to buy anything regardless of their dad's affiliations.

Big thanks to Katrina Standen and Lisa Kelly for their work in organising such quality affordable gifts for the kids to choose and raising approximately \$800 for the school in the process.

It is Cake Stall time again, thanks to the families of Prep G, 4 S, 5/6 K & 5/6 C for providing the goodies and manning the stall. If you are a budding Masterchef, contributions from other classes are always welcome. Cake packs are available at the office.

Our attention is turning towards the end of the year and the exciting time for the grade 6 kids (and parents) as they look ahead to the next stage of their schooling.

We want to give them a great send off with their GIPS graduation and we are calling for volunteers to help with the various events.

If you can help, Jane Lukins and Jacqui Brown Yamada would love to hear from you

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****Last Call** Official Prom Night Souvenir Photos**

If you want to remember your special outfit from Prom Night forever, the souvenir photos will be available for purchase until the end of term at the link below:

http://www.galleries.gavinblue.com/1670819_gips_prom_night

Password: parents

All profits are being donated to the school.

The prices are:

- High Res downloads \$7
- 6x4 prints \$8
- 5x7 prints \$10
- 8x12 prints \$15
- Removal from web and deleted forever \$500 (this is a joke, don't buy this)

The Next **PA meeting** is on **Monday 18th September** 7.30pm in the staff room, we would love to see you there if you have an idea for an event, would like to contribute your time to school activities, or want to come and chat with other parents.

Thank you

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