



P&C NEWS

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Welcome to Term 3!

Grab a cuppa, sit back, relax and read about all the things your P&C are up to this term.



Father's Day Stall

TERM 3
MINI-SCHOOL

The P&C will be holding a Father's Day Stall in person at Term 3 mini-school (on each campus) for students to 'shop' for their Father's Day gifts!

Gifts can be purchased from as little as \$2.00!

For those students in high school, on school camp or not attending mini-school in Term 3, an online catalogue will be provided with the option to have your purchases posted to you or collected from the school.

To sign up for the online catalogue, email:

Csdepnc.secretary@gmail.com



CAPRICORNIA SCHOOL OF DISTANCE EDUCATION P&C ~

CONTAINERS FOR CHANGE



Looking for an easy, low key way to support the P&C?

Collect your bottles and cans & donate them to the CSDE P&C at your local Containers for Change depot by using our member numbers:

C11485209 or C11511080



Just Do One Thing

The objective of the CSDE P&C is to work in a productive partnership with the Principal and school community to promote the interests of the school, facilitate its development and further improvement and to achieve the best possible outcomes for the students.

We believe that the Capricornia School of Distance Education is a great place due to our unique and diverse range of families in our friendly school community. We want to ensure every family (especially new families) have the opportunity to get involved. Volunteering on the P&C is a great way to meet new people, make friends and your kids get a kick out of knowing that you are helping to make their school better for them and their friends. Even if you don't wish to be on the P&C you can still volunteer in some way.

The P&C feel one of the priority areas for the school is parent engagement and we would like to encourage you all to become involved in our '*Just do one thing*' drive. We have 423 families attending CSDE across Primary and Secondary. We are hoping that every family can do "*Just one thing*" (**or more if you are able**) throughout the year to help make our school the greatest it can be.

We have compiled a list of "things" that we would appreciate your assistance with. Please tick one box (**or more if you wish**) and place your contact details on the last page. Email the letter to us soon as possible so that we can collate the responses PandC@capricorniasde.eq.edu.au. When the time comes someone from the P&C will contact you regarding participation.

Please find attached a P&C membership form if you wish to be kept up to date with information, meeting minutes and events organised by the P&C and email to PandC@capricorniasde.eq.edu.au. Becoming a member on the P&C does not mean you have to attend all meetings; it will allow you to keep up to date with what the P&C are doing and how you may be able to assist.

Thank you in anticipation of your valuable help. "*Many hands make light work*".

Yours sincerely

Tanya Lindley
President CSDE P&C Association



HOW CAN I HELP?

Committees, Meetings

- ☐ Attend P & C Meetings when possible – we hold approximately 2 each term.

Helping around the school (during and outside school hours):

- ☐ I can assist with the 'containers for change' by recycling at home and taking to the recycling depot and quoting our number.
- ☐ I can help with events that may arise throughout the year (Gates at a Race Day, Bar work at a campdraft, Athletics Day Sausage Sizzle)
- ☐ I am happy to investigate and organise new fundraising opportunities and social events (Trivia Night, High Tea, Online Raffle)

Upcoming Fundraising Events 2025:

- ☐ BiteSize Cookies (Term 3)
- ☐ Father's Day Stall (online and **face to face at** Term 3 Mini School)
- ☐ Pie Drive Rockhampton (Term 3)
- ☐ Colour/Slime Run Spectacular (Term 4)

Other Skills:

- ☐ I can be a "Virtual Volunteer" – I have access to a computer and can provide some help from home/office (e.g data entry, graphic designer, grant applications)

Please specify: _____

- ☐ I can provide baked goods or other food as required for fundraising events
- ☐ I have a skill that might be useful and am happy to help out.

Please specify _____

Other ways I would like to assist: _____

"Just one Thing"

Parent Name: _____

Email Address: _____

Year level of student/s: _____

Thank You

Bite Size Cookie Fundraiser



26/6/2025

We are so excited to announce a new fundraising initiative that will help us raise much needed funds for **supporting our students**. Not only is this fundraiser super simple, its also extremely delicious but we need your help!

We're selling: Bitesize 'FUN'raising Bites! These are Australia's highest award-winning biscuits! Each biscuit is packed full of natural ingredients for a superior taste, the biscuits don't contain any added flavours or preservatives. They are all 100% made in Australia so they support local farmers and businesses in the process with part of the proceeds being donated to the **Bitesize Kids Appeal**. Don't take our word on how amazing they are, enclosed are some little samples to try for yourself!

Each Carry box contains 15 Gourmet Bites Boxes and for every Carry box sold we will raise **\$28.80**. So, we're asking all parents, to sell at least one box for us. Please feel free to grab another box if you've got lots of hungry buyers lined up!

Please collect your box of Bites during Term Three Mini-school:

Date: **11 – 15th August 2025**. At: Emerald and Rockhampton Campuses. **More Information to come next term.**

Tips for selling your Gourmet Bites:

- Each Gourmet Bites Box sells for \$5.00 or \$75 for the entire box
- Sell to family members, colleagues, friends or neighbours
- Post on your Facebook page and watch the power of social media work
- We don't recommend that children sell the products – if they are involved, please ensure an adult is with them at all times.

Payment Options:

- 1) Cash (envelope provided inside the FUN box)
- 2) BSB & Account Transfer: BSB: 084 646 Acc: 764200125

Payment for the boxes along with any unused boxes need to be returned by no later than: Wednesday 17th September.

If you're finding it hard to sell the entire FUNraising box let us know as other parents may be able to help out.

With enough support from families (1 box per family), we have the potential to raise \$18,000 for our students.





BITESIZE FUNDRAISER

**ORDERS DUE:
FRIDAY 25th JULY**

☐ I would like to order _____ carry boxes of **bitesize biscuits**.

Family Name _____

☐ Primary

☐ Secondary

I will collect these during Term Three Mini-school from:

☐ Rockhampton Campus

☐ Emerald Campus

Please complete this and return to PandC@capricorniasde.eq.edu.au

Print Name (parent)

Date

Signature



Order forms can also be found in the School Newsletter.

CAPRICORNIA SCHOOL OF DISTANCED

P&C

Pie & Lamington Drive

Join us to raise needed
funds for 2026 school
camps



For more information:

0427 058 010



Orders Due:
1st August

email:

csdepnc.secretary@gmail.com



ORDER FORM ON NEXT PAGE AND ALSO IN THE SCHOOL NEWSLETTER



Capricornia School of Distance Education

Pie Drive Fundraiser

(Rockhampton Delivery Only)

Family Pies

Product	Price	QTY	Cost
Plain	\$15.00		
Chunky Steak	\$15.00		
Cheese and Bacon	\$15.00		
Curry	\$15.00		
Apple	\$18.00		
Apricot	\$18.00		
		Total QTY:	Total Cost \$

Lamingtons

Product	Price	QTY	Cost
4 pack	\$12.00		
		Total QTY:	Total Cost \$

Total Cost of Order	\$
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Name (payment reference).....

Phone Number.....

Email Contact:

DIRECT DEPOSIT ONLY PAYMENTS

MONEY TO BE PAID WHEN PLACING ORDER

BSB: 08 4646 ACC: 76 420 0125 Ref: PIEDRIVE# (Surname as above)

Date Payment was made:

Order Forms and Money due 1st August

Delivery scheduled for 15th August

MONTY'S COLOUR & SLIME FUN RUN

DOUBLE THE FUN!

Term 4

Mini-school



More info to come !!

Draft CSDE P&C FUNDRAISING CALENDAR

2025	2026	2027
	<i>To be scheduled:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Picture plates (sometime 2026 – earlier = better deals) - Online raffle (as major fundraiser for year) 	
Term 1	Term 1	Term 1
Yr 6 Legacy	Yr 6 Legacy	Yr 6 Legacy
	*Mother's Day Fundraiser? – (MD – May 10 th)	*Mothers Day Fundraiser? – (MD – May 9 th)
		Colour Run – T1 Mini-school
Term 2	Term 2	Term 2
Yr 6 Legacy	Yr 6 Legacy	Yr 6 Legacy
Paradise Lagoons Campdraft Bar	*Father's Day Fundraiser? (FD – Sept 6 th)	*Father's Day Fundraiser? (FD – Sept 5 th)
Clermont Rodeo Gate		
Alpha Races Gate		
Term 3	Term 3	Term 3
*Father's Day Fundraiser? (FD – Sept 7 th)		
Pie Drive		
Carcass Comp		
Term 4	Term 4	Term 4
Yr 6 Legacy	Yr 6 Legacy	Yr 6 Legacy
Colour Run – T4 Mini-school		
End of year function	End of year function	End of year function

CSDE P&C TRUCKER CAPS FOR SALE



\$25 each

To purchase, email:

pandc@capricorniasde.eq.edu.au

Remaining 2025 P&C General Meeting Dates:

T3 - GM 5th August + Special meeting

T3 - GM 16th September

T4 - GM 21st October

T4 - GM 11th November

T4 - GM 9th December