What a fantastic start it has been to 2016, and much more to look forward to for the school community as we head into term two. On behalf of the Parents and Friends committee, I would like to sincerely thank you for the help that has been received in the fundraising activities to date and appreciate your ongoing support throughout the year.

This term will see some great shopping with the Mothers Day stalls, followed by healthy eating with our Subway days. Then to help us get through the colder weather we will be having a pie drive for those who wish to stock up their freezers. Let your family and friends know, or they may want some of your yummy chocolates that will be coming home.

It will definitely be a busy term especially when we have Education week to look forward to. This week, from Monday 16th May until Friday 20th May, is always full of wonderful opportunities to visit the school, especially on “Dads Day” on Wednesday 18th May.

Please note there will be no meeting in May. Our next meeting will be held on Tuesday 14th June in the Derrimut Heath staffroom, we would love to see you there.

Can you offer a helping hand?
All Parents and Friends fundraisers and events are run by volunteers and every one that helps out is truly appreciated. Whether you can spare ten minutes or a couple of hours - every little bit helps.

Is there any fundraisers you would like to see the school doing? We are always looking for new and innovative ways to raise money for school resources, please don’t hesitate to send your ideas into the office addressed “Attention Parents and Friends”. Heather - President Parents and Friends

Parents and Friends Calendar
Monday 25th April - No school for students - ANZAC DAY
Monday 2nd May - Setup for Derrimut Heath Mothers Day Stall at 9am
Tuesday 3rd May - Mothers Day Stall Derrimut Heath
Wednesday 4th May - Setup for Tarneit Mothers Day Stall in the afternoon
Thursday 5th May - Mothers Day Stall Tarneit
Friday 6th May - Derrimut Heath Subway orders due back
Friday 13th May - Tarneit Subway orders due back
Tuesday 17th May - Derrimut Heath Subway Day
Wednesday 18th May - Dad’s Day, all significant males and carers welcome
Monday 23rd - Tuesday 24th May - Chocolates go home to the Tarneit campus families
Tuesday 24th May - Tarneit Subway Day
Friday 3rd June - Derrimut Heath Tony’s Pie orders due back
Wednesday 8th June - Derrimut Heath Tony’s Pie Order Delivery
Thursday 9th June - Tarneit Cadbury Chocolates / Money Due Back to School
We are always trying to find ways to offer our families money saving opportunities and one of our recent efforts was the FUNDE discount book. For only $10 per book these books are great value. The vouchers for the current book are valid until the end of June 2016. As we have limited numbers available please send your ten dollars in an envelope along with your name and students grade to the relevant campus. We would like to know if there are many families that would be interested in the 2016 / 2017 book. The vouchers will be valid for a whole year at only $20 per book. Please email Sue Love at love.suzanne.s@edumail.vic.gov.au if you are interested.

**BANKING AT BADEN POWELL COLLEGE**

**A reminder for all families** : As all school banking is completed at the Derrimut Heath campus, all Tarneit bank books (in your class pouch) must be sent to the office by 9am on Tuesday. This means that all banking pouches will be at Derrimut Heath for banking on Wednesday. Bank pouches will be back at Tarneit by Thursday morning. So could all families please remember to send your child’s bank books in by Tuesday for Tarneit and Wednesday morning for Derrimut Heath.

**ENTERTAINMENT BOOKS GREAT VALUE AND A WONDERFUL FUNDRAISER**

Still sell only $65 with over $20,000 in valuable offers. Further details will be sent home soon.
Parents and Friends will be holding their Mothers Day Stall for our students at the Derrimut Heath campus on Tuesday 3rd May and at the Tarneit campus on Thursday 5th May.

Parents and Friends Mothers Day stall provides an opportunity for the students to purchase a surprise for their mother, carer, grandmother or significant female in their lives. A great range of products at reasonable prices. The students have fun choosing their gifts, and it is wonderful to see how happy they are when they see a member of their family helping on our stalls. To enable your child to purchase at the stall please remember to send along their money and a shopping bag on Tuesday 3rd May for Derrimut Heath and Thursday 5th May for Tarneit. Setup will be in the morning on Monday 2nd at Derrimut Heath and in the afternoon on Wednesday 4th at Tarneit.

If you would like to come along and help on the stall day, or even help us setup, we would love to hear from you, please fill in the form below and return it to school as soon as possible. Don't forget to fill in your preferred time(s). We do not expect you to stay all day but we would appreciate an hour of your time. We do look forward to seeing you on the day you have selected and thank you for offering your support. As we are not contacting volunteers to confirm times could you please come to the relevant campus at the times you have chosen. Parents and Friends

MOTHERS DAY STALL DERRIMUT HEATH

YOUR NAME: ____________________________

CHILD’S NAME AND GRADE: ____________________________

CONTACT NUMBER: ____________________________ EMAIL ADDRESS: ____________________________

Time and day I wish to help are: ____________________________

(Please indicate the day and time(s) you are willing to help)

MOTHERS DAY STALL TARNEIT CAMPUS

YOUR NAME: ____________________________

CHILD’S NAME AND GRADE: ____________________________

CONTACT NUMBER: ____________________________ EMAIL ADDRESS: ____________________________

Time and day I wish to help are: ____________________________

(Please indicate the day and time(s) you are willing to help)