

Kedron Carnival 2017

Kedron Carnival 2017 will be held on Saturday, 22 July from 10am to 3pm. The carnival is held every two years and is our largest fundraising event.

The carnival is organised by the school's Parents and Citizens Association (P&C) with support from parents and carers, local businesses and organisations, volunteers and staff.

Kedron State School relies heavily on the support of our P&C, whose fundraising efforts support many of the facilities, services and activities which make a difference to the lives of our students and their families. Last year, the P&C contributed over \$61k to the school. Some of the priorities the P&C funded in 2016 as a result included:

- building and grounds works, including a safety upgrade to the main student playground
- additional educational and library resources
- purchase of additional technology aids (iPads) for student use, and
- production of the 2016 Yearbook for students.

The school focused on *connecting every learner, everyday in every way for success* and the Kedron Carnival is no exception. This year, students and teachers are once again working together to create unique pieces of art for our Art Auction. A Lego competition and poetry competition with the theme 'School of Dreams' will also be held in the lead up to the day – linking curriculum outcomes to real life learning.

Kedron Carnival is a celebration of unity with our school community – past, present and future. Local businesses and community organisations are showcased on the day and their generous donations make the day very exciting for all who attend.

The Carnival Crusaders are back again this year too! Carnival Crusaders are members of our student leadership team who promote the event to students to encourage participation in student activities and classroom stall preparations.

Want to get involved?

Organising a carnival is a big task and can be made easier if we have lots of helpers and support each other. If you are a parent or carer please contact your **class coordinator**. Alternatively, enquiries can be directed to the **Carnival Convenor, Allan Wrigley** on 0466 649 105 or email allan.wrigley@gmail.com.