The Kingswood High School P&C have been working hard over the last two school terms and have achieved some great results.

On the 25th of June KHS P&C, in conjunction with the year 11 hospitality class, hosted a dinner in the café, to not only showcase the amazing talents of the hospitality students but to also introduce the P&C to the school community. The dinner was a great success raising $1256.50. We would like to thank all those who attended the dinner and supported the students and the P&C. We would also like to thank our sponsors for the night, Trevi Restaurant, K-Mart and AMF Bowling Penrith for donating gifts towards our raffle. Big congratulations to our raffle winners on the night and a special shout out to Mr Ben Fox and his very talented Yr11 class. The P&C will endeavour to hold another dinner in term 3 2015 and look forward to having you attend.

During the month of July this year, the P&C worked with Harvey Norman to introduce to our school community a new way of fundraising. The fundraising program utilises the Harvey Norman Outlet Clearance Centre, which offers refurbished trade-in computers, laptops and tablets at heavily discounted prices. When a member of our school community shops at the outlet centre KHS receives 15% of the total sales made over the month back to our school. In July we received $256.80 (this was with only 3 sales being made by our school community). Imagine the return if more sales were to be made.

The P&C have decided to run this fundraising initiative again. This time it will be an ongoing event. At the end of each month your child will be given a Harvey Norman fundraising flyer to take home. All you have to do is buy something from the outlet centre, present the flyer (which will have a special KHS code on it) and at the end of each month the school will receive a cheque from Harvey Norman.

This fundraiser works well with the school’s BYOD (Bring Your Own Device) to school program. Why spend thousands of dollars on a laptop for your child when you can get one for less than half price, no more than a year old and 6-12 months warranty and the school gets something in return. Please check device requirements with the school before purchasing anything.

We need your support to make this a successful fundraising event. Flyers will be coming home shortly.

On Sunday 10th October the P&C held a Bunnings BBQ. It was a very successful day, raising $1240. Thank you to all our hard working P&C members, their family members who came along to help and to the year 12 students that also volunteered their time to help out. It was a successful day because of all of you. The P&C will be looking to hold another BBQ as soon as we can, either at Bunnings or at the new Masters store when it opens. We will keep you posted.

Over term 3 we also had a lolly guessing competition held within the school. It wasn’t as successful as we had hoped but every little bit helps a great deal. Thank you to all the students and staff who supported this event. Congratulations to the winner who went home with over 8kgs of mini M&Ms. Congratulations also to our two consolation prize winners who went home with approx. 3kgs of lollies each. The P&C will try to hold another lolly guessing competition next year.

Lastly the P&C would like to extend an invitation to the whole of the school community to come along to our meetings. Maybe you would like to join the P&C or maybe just offer some ideas, advice and/or experience, you are more than welcome to do so. The P&C need your support so that we can help the students of Kingswood High School have the quality of school life that they deserve.

Please support our hall campaign by sharing our video on YouTube. We use the hashtag #kingswooddeservesbetter

Our next meeting is Wednesday 12th of November at 7pm in the café. We look forward seeing you there.

Thank you, from your friendly P&C.
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