

# BNPS COMMUNITY GROUPS

|                                                                                                              | EDUCATION & POLICY                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       | GROUND                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         | SUSTAINABILITY                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      | FINANCE                                                                                                            |
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|  <b>VISION</b>              | To ensure Brunswick North PS students' education is reflective of community values and expectations                                                                                                                                                                                                      | To ensure the Brunswick North PS grounds provide a safe and engaging space for students to play and learn                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      | To create a sustainable future by integrating sustainability into all aspects of curriculum and operations at Brunswick North PS                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | To ensure Brunswick North PS finances are maximising the learning opportunities for students                       |
|  <b>OBJECTIVES</b>          | To provide a community voice on key education and policy decisions                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       | To improve and maintain the outdoor play spaces and sports facilities at Brunswick North PS                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | To promote and implement sustainable practices throughout the school and encourage a culture of environmental responsibility                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        | To review Brunswick North PS monthly finance reports and make recommendations to school council                    |
|  <b>KEY ACTIVITIES</b>      | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Provide community consultation on educational initiatives and decisions</li><li>• Support community awareness of the school's improvement agenda</li><li>• Provide feedback on school policies up for review, and community consultation when required</li></ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Organise regular working bees with targeted maintenance objectives</li><li>• Develop and maintain a master plan for maintaining and updating grounds</li><li>• Oversee major grounds upgrade projects, including seeking potential sources of funding</li><li>• Liaise with Council and related sub-committees for the identification and securing of grant, resourcing and other fund-raising opportunities</li></ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Support the implementation of the Resource Smart Schools initiative at Brunswick North PS</li><li>• Participate in community outreach and service projects that promote sustainability, such as park clean-ups or tree planting events</li><li>• Work with school administration to procure environmentally-friendly products, equipment, and supplies</li><li>• Organise eco-friendly transportation initiatives like walking, cycling, or carpooling to reduce carbon emissions</li></ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Review finance documents requiring endorsement of school council</li></ul> |
|  <b>MEETING FREQUENCY</b> | Monthly onsite or online                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | Monthly onsite or online                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       | Monthly onsite or online                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            | Monthly onsite or online                                                                                           |

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## PARENTS & FRIENDS

## POP UP COMMUNITY



### VISION

To foster a positive and collaborative relationship between the Parents and Friends, the school staff, the students and the wider community

Helping with specific events or purposes defined by the School Council



### OBJECTIVES

Providing a welcoming and engaging environment to all BNPS Parents & Friends and to:

- Contribute to the wellbeing of the school community
- Encourage the participation of all parents in the life of the school and the education of their children
- Provide opportunities for parents to get to know each other and to be informed about their child's school
- Provide opportunities for parents to extend their understanding of school operations, and general education policy
- Contribute to proposals on school policy and other educational issues (as identified or discussed with the Principal or School Council)
- Raise funds for the benefit of the school

Help the community and sub-committee groups on activities that have been highlighted in the yearly plan.



### KEY ACTIVITIES

- Organise school community events and activities that bring everyone together, such as School Picnic & Student Disco
- Annual fundraising event, such as Trivia Nights
- Wider community events, such as Fete or fundraising at elections
- Home Reader Book Drive
- Sausage Sizzle(s)
- Class Representatives
- Volunteer support for BNPS led events when required, such as art show and music concert

See below for a list of the current pop-up community groups at BNPS:

- The 'Wick Café
- Others to be announced through 2025



### MEETING FREQUENCY

Meet regularly onsite or online

Dependent based on request.