We hope everyone had an enjoyable and restful holidays. This term so far, we have had a catering evening at a Sienna Wood Supper and our first Xavier Winter Market on the weekend. The School Athletics Carnival, Father’s Day Celebrations and then the Interschool Athletics Carnival are to follow; once again proving a busy time ahead!

The P&F is not just about fundraising, although we do various fundraisers throughout the year, a lot of what we do is more about providing a service and promoting our school community, such as the Coffee and Chat mornings, Food and Drink stands at the Sports Carnivals and the Sienna Wood Supper.

We would like to thank and remind everyone that their contribution, no matter how big or small, is greatly appreciated by the P&F Committee and no doubt the whole school.

Our next Coffee and Chat Morning is **TUESDAY, 2 SEPTEMBER**. These mornings are a fantastic opportunity to have a coffee, chat and catch up with friends at the school. This is an informal morning tea and will be in the OSHC meeting room.

**XAVIER WINTER MARKET**

The Xavier Winter Market was a great day, with over 20 stalls attending and a steady flow of visitors. Most of the stallholders were very impressed and are asking if this will become a regular event. Amy Shields, 2014 MasterChef Contestant was just beautiful, happily chatting to everyone and had some wonderful cooking tips. So THANK YOU once again to ALL our amazing and dedicated parents and students that helped showcase our school and family businesses. Below are some pictures from the day.
OUR NEXT P&F MEETING WILL BE HELD ON TUESDAY, 19 AUGUST IN THE OSHC MEETING ROOM. MORNING TEA WILL BE PROVIDED AND ALL PARENTS ARE WELCOME TO ATTEND.

XAVIER P&F INTERSCHOOL RAFFLE
Last week you would have received raffle tickets for the Xavier P&F Giant Football, signed by 2014 West Coast Eagles Team (including coach Adam Simpson). Tickets are $2 or 3 for $5 and need to be returned to your class teacher by Wednesday, 13 August. The raffle will be drawn at assembly on Friday, 15 August. If you wish to see the GIANT football it will be on display in the school office along with extra tickets, if required. Good luck!

LIGHTNING CARNIVAL JUMPERS
We would like to thank our P&F, GM Concreting (Johnson Family) and TurfIt Landscaping (Richins Family) for our awesome Xavier School AFL & Soccer jerseys, as well as Netball bibs. The bright colours along with our amazing attitudes made Xavier a stand out team at our Lightning Carnival.

FACTION ATHLETICS CARNIVAL—29 AUGUST
The P&F will be providing morning tea and a lunch option for the parents that attend the school Faction Athletics Carnival on Friday 29 August. Closer to the date we will be requesting donations of cakes, slices, muffins or biscuits so if you’re able to help out this would be fantastic!

FATHER’S DAY CELEBRATIONS

Father’s Day Gift Shop
New for 2014, we will be holding a Gift Shop for the children to purchase a gift for Father’s Day. You can buy Dad, Grandad, Uncles a special gift and help raise money for the school. Gifts will be $5 and the gift shop will be open on Wednesday, 3 Sept from 9-11am. A flyer with all the details will be sent home towards the end of August.

Father’s Day Breakfast
The P&F invite all our students to bring their Dad, Grandad or Male Guardians to our Annual Father’s Day Breakfast. This will be on Friday, 5 September starting at 7.30am. We will be selling yummy Bacon and Egg rolls for just $2. This is a wonderful occasion to celebrate Father’s Day and will be followed by the school’s Father’s Day prayer service at 8.50am.

Father’s Day Raffles
We will be having a Father’s Day Raffle and are in the process of sourcing prizes. We would gladly accept any items or ideas that you think Dad may like! Please see your P&F class rep if you are able to help. Stay tuned for further details in our next P&F newsletter.