



Term 2, Edition 1

May 2018

Mark Your Calendars!

P&C Federation 2019 Conference: 1st & 2nd March, 2019

P&C Federation Awards Dinner: 1st March, 2019

Save these Dates and Stay Tuned via our [Website](#), [Facebook](#) and [Twitter](#) for more updates.

Inviting Nominations for P&C Federation 2018 Casual Vacancies- Councillor and/or Delegate/s

P&C Federation encourages members to consider applying for the casual vacancies for Councillor and/or Delegate/s to represent one of the electorates across NSW.



To read the 'Guide to Councillors & Delegates Roles,' please click [Here](#). For more Information, please visit: <https://www.pandc.org.au/pc-federation-elections-casual/>. Nominations close 5pm, 28 May 2018.

Upcoming P&C Federation State-wide Information Sessions

P&C Federation is continuing to deliver more Information Sessions in 2018. Information Sessions are friendly and interactive and will address roles, responsibilities and activities of a P&C Association. It's a great opportunity to network and ask questions. To register, please click [Here](#).



P&C Federation will be at:

- **Banora Point Public School** (97 Pioneer Parade, Banora Point, NSW 2486) on **Wednesday, 23 May 2018 at 6 pm**, for an interactive Q&A session on roles and responsibilities of a P&C Association.
- **Eleebana Public School** (70 Ian Street, Eleebana, NSW 2282) on **Monday, 31 May 2018 at 6 pm**, for an interactive Q&A session on Fundraising.

If your P&C Association would like to host an Information Session, please email Debbie at projects@pandc.org.au

P&C Federation has a New Insurance Broker

From 1st May, 2018, P&C Federation has a new Insurance Broker – Andrews Insurance.

P&C Federation's Insurance Brokers



Andrews Insurance will work with P&C Federation with all insurance enquiries including claims and payments are made via Andrews Insurance staff on behalf of P&C Federation.

Key Updates:

- P&C Federation will continue to offer low premium rates and reasonable excesses on claims
- Expanded Hours of Operation for Insurance – 9 am to 5 pm
- Email and Phone number remains unchanged. Emails to be sent to insurance@pandc.org.au or call 1300 885 982, option 1
- Ela Comertpay will continue to assist you and answer the phone as she is part of the Andrews Insurance Team.

Anti-bullying Website Survey

The survey gathers information about the design, content and function of the site, and the information collected will be used to review the site to make sure that is useful for parents/carers. The survey will take approximately 10 minutes to complete. Participation is voluntary, and responses are confidential. To participate in the survey, please click [Here](#).



National Walk Safely to School Day: Friday, 18 May 2018

This year the National Walk Safely to School Day (WSTSD) will be held throughout Australia on Friday 18th May 2018. Now in its 19th year, this annual event encourages parents and carers to walk to school with primary school age children and reinforce safe pedestrian behaviour. For tool-kit's, posters and more information, please visit: www.walk.com.au



Join the [#FairFundingNow](#) Campaign – “Together we can make change.”

P&C Federation is committed to equitable funding for education and extends its support to the “Fair Funding Now!” campaign. P&C Federation encourages parents to stand up for our kids and let your local politicians know that you are trusting them to advocate and support [#FairFundingNow](#) campaign, our students and public schools. For email template and how you can get involved, click [Here](#). To read the Joint Educational Council Letter, click [Here](#). Please share, sign and share again to show your support.



You can also share the campaign on your school/P&C Association’s Facebook and Twitter accounts and encourage other parents and community members to join [#FairFundingNow](#).

2018 Premier's Spelling Bee is Now Open!

The Premier’s Spelling Bee was introduced in 2004 as a fun and educational way for primary school students to engage in spelling. The program includes activities to encourage all students to improve their vocabulary and spelling and to promote literacy skills in combination with the English K-6 Syllabus. For Online Entry Form, please click [Here](#). For more information, please click [Here](#).



WriteOn Competition 2018 is Now Open!

Students in Years 1 to 6 compose an imaginative text up to 500 words in length using an image as stimulus. For Online Entry Form, please click [Here](#). For more information, guidelines and assessment criteria, please click [Here](#).



Schools Tree Day

Each year, around 3,000 preschools, kindies, primary and high schools across Australia take part in Schools Tree Day. Students nation-wide have learnt how to plant, and care for the seedlings they grow. Schools Tree Day 2017 will be held on Friday July 27th. Events are generally held on school grounds during a school day. It could be practical planting or nature care projects in the school playground or lessons and activities in the classroom. For more information, please click [Here](#).



Screen Smart Parent Tour

The tool aims to help parents and carers of children aged 10-14 keep up-to-date with online safety. Parents can find out more by selecting “get started” under the Screen Smart Parent Tour. For more information, please click [Here](#).

