



Colo High School

P&C Newsletter - June 2025

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Welcome

Welcome to our second newsletter of 2025. We would like to keep you informed about what the P&C does and is doing. In short, our (the school and its P&C) mission is to provide a better education for our students.

The P&C is led by President Michael Berrington, Vice-President Lisa Evans and Secretary Liz Wood, who, along with a passionate group of volunteers, dedicate their time and energy to various initiatives that support our school community.

New email address

Due to a change in policy by our former email host, the P&C has had to change its email address to:
colopandc@gmail.com

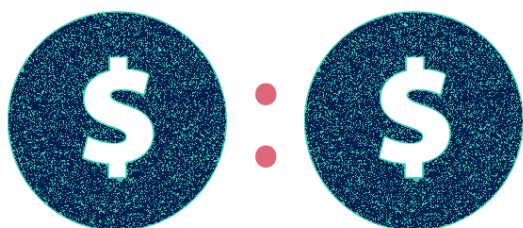
2025 AGM results

The 2025 AGM for the P&C was held on 19 May 2025 and the results were:

President:	Michael Berrington
Vice-President:	Lisa Evans
Secretary:	Liz Wood
Treasurer:	Michael Berrington

Dollar matching for the voluntary contribution

We raised \$11,160 from our dollar matching initiative, \$5,580 from families (31% of families) and a matching \$5,580 corporate donation. Whilst it was less than half of the possible total, it is still valuable funding for the school. You are still able to pay the \$30 P&C voluntary contribution at any time during the year.



Canteen volunteers

The canteen needs more volunteers. If you have never donated a day to the canteen, 2025 is a good year to do it. Put your name forward with Jodie and Melinda by emailing colohighcanteen@outlook.com.

Bingo Night - Saturday 8 November 2025

On the back of the success of the Trivia Night, people are asking what is next? Well you asked, we delivered.

Put it in your diaries and buy your tickets - Bingo Night on Saturday 8 November 2025 at 6:00pm at North Richmond Panthers. It is going to be a whole lot of fun with dress ups, prizes and lots of laughs. We are raising funds for more outdoor covered seating for the students.

Book your tickets here:

<https://forms.gle/TEUELDzrHsXhBhWG7>



Snapshot - P&C cash flow

The largest contribution to the P&C funds is from the canteen and uniform shop. We encourage you to support the canteen by purchasing meals for your children and volunteering your time. Every contribution, big or small, makes a difference!

We have been retaining our cash balance for our major projects and here is a snapshot of the P&C cash flow:

Cash balance 1 January 2025	\$54,557.05
<i>Receipts</i>	
Voluntary contributions	5,580.00
Corporate donations	\$22,296.70
Fundraising	6,267.35
Interest	\$140.67
Memberships	30.00
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	\$34,314.72
<i>Payments</i>	
Audit fees	2,695.00
Bank fees	\$60.00
Contributions to faculties	4,170.00
Contributions to Presentation Night	2,000.00
Outdoor seating	\$33,433.40
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Cash balance 16 June 2025	<u>\$46,513.37</u>



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Softshell jackets

As previously advised, softshell jackets are in stock for \$95.00. Students can visit our uniform shop on Mondays and Wednesdays.

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Visit our uniform shop on Mondays and Wednesdays



Thank you

Thank you for your time in reading this. New members are always welcome to join our P&C or contact us with feedback, ideas or concerns.

Michael Berrington
President

Lisa Evans
Vice-President

Colo P&C meetings are held on Monday at 3:00pm in the Staff Common Rooms on weeks 4 and 8, dates confirmed as follows:

- 11 August 2025 (term 3, week 4)
- 8 September 2025 (term 3, week 8)
- 3 November 2025 (term 4, week 4)
- 1 December 2025 (term 4, week 8)

P&C question, answer and input session

To maximise awareness and participation from our school community, our P&C President Michael Berrington will host a question, answer and input session on **Tuesday 5 August 2025 at 7:30pm** on Zoom. You will not be on camera and this will provide you with an opportunity to see what the P&C are doing and ask any questions or provide input.

There is no need to register, you can join the Zoom meeting from 10 minutes before the start of the meeting here:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86893333114>

You will be able to type your questions during the meeting, alternatively you can email colopandc@gmail.com.

Stay connected and get involved

- **Keep up-to-date on P&C activities:** Watch for P&C updates on the school's Facebook page. Click the link on the school website to read past meeting minutes and stay informed about upcoming events and initiatives.
- **Join the P&C and make a difference:** We welcome your involvement! If you would like to be added to our database or express interest in volunteering, please contact us at our P&C email address: colopandc@gmail.com