

Report for the 150th and Fete Committees – as at February 2021

150th anniversary:

Foundation Day Assembly

- Foundation day was successfully held on Friday the 6th of February.
- Year 5 and 6 were able to attend along with approx 25 special guests including past principals and eldest alumni at 96 years old. Covid safe planning restricted the numbers we could have in the hall.
- Tree planting ceremony and ribbon cutting replaced cake cutting in line with Covid safe planning.
- A video was made and will be available online for people to view in coming weeks.
- Students received commemorative badges as a keepsake. A retro version and spare copies of the badge are available for purchase on a square shop that has been set up for merchandise, with more merch coming online throughout the year.
- A big thank you to Chappy Jenny and the rest of the 150th committee, choir, ensemble, students and guests for creating a fitting tribute to the foundation day 150th anniversary.

Next event is the Anzac Day ceremony.

Commemorative book:

Commemorative book is in editing phase as we speak and pre-order information will be coming out shortly. This will be a collection of memories, tales and history along with photos and interesting snippets of information about the school.

Commemorative tiles:

- Commemorative tile campaign is underway and we hope to have tiles and a display of the tiles ready for viewing at the fete. Artwork needs returning by 5th March.
- Installation of the tiles - we are hoping to have the tiles installed in the new dental building renovations. as we are unaware of the time line for the building we will have a temporary display (z) made up to give students (particularly in their final year at Yeronga) a chance to see what the wall will look like.

Fete:

- Back into full swing if planning mode after the summer break, the team is busy chasing sponsors, planning stalls and programming.
- Current focuses
 - Stall leaders - seeking out stall leader volunteers to lead the in-house run stalls at the fete
 - Class performance schedule - finalising the student's performance program with music heads and teachers to be able to release the program at the same time as opening the volunteer options for fete day.
 - Sponsors -We have a few more sponsors who have come on board. At this point we would like to thank:
 - Lauren McHutchison - Platinum
 - Brisbane prestige plunge pools - Fireworks
 - Miller electorate - Supporter
 - Brisbane City Council Lord mayor's fund - Supporter
 - Balance Gymnastics - Silver
 - Fred street architecture - Bronze
 - Lume Outdoor Furniture - Bronze Prize
 - The Studio Dance and Arts - Bronze Prize
 - Kip McGrath - Bronze Prize
 - We have a few more in the pipeline which we will be excited to announce once they are confirmed.