

VOICE OF THE VILLAGE

Dear Friends,

I hope you have had a happy week! Here are some important bits and pieces for you to know:

WHATSAPP COMMS

Thanks to those of you who have signed up to our new read-only comms channel on Whatsapp. We'd like to keep this a clear, clean space for you to find and re-find important FOTV information. Here's the link again if you haven't yet clicked through: <https://bit.ly/FOTVWA>

FUNDRAISING - WHERE YOUR MONEY GOES

I'd like to highlight what Friends of the Village is working so hard for in 2022. This year marks a significant change for our association in that we received a request from the school to support them by providing financial assistance towards Additional Learning Support Staff. At our first General Meeting of the year, we passed a motion to approve expenditure of \$12,500 and at our upcoming GM on 14 June, we'll ask you to vote on approving another \$37,500, bringing our fundraising commitment for this project up to \$50,000. This funding will benefit all students as the more ALS Staff we have, the more each student receives the dedicated and personalised guidance they require. We will also put to your vote a smaller Writer In Residence project which requires an amount of \$5000. Thanks to your generous contributions, FOTV are proud and pleased to support our school in these projects, aligning as they do with our joint vision to make school better every day for every student.

EASIEST WAY TO GIVE

Speaking of contributions, the easiest way to help is by paying the P&C Donation - General Levy on your Statement of Account sent by the school. This amount is \$200 per family, but you can choose to pay more if you wish. We expect you'll receive an emailed reminder from the school soon, so we hope you'll consider supporting FOTV by paying this levy.

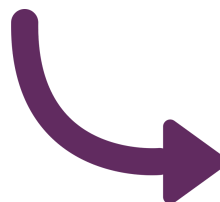
NOW FOR THE FUN BIT!

Lastly, if you like to focus on the fun in fundraising, block out the following evenings in your calendar: Saturday 20 August (low key) and Friday 28 October (high glam)! We have two exciting events coming your way! Please see the next column for how you can help and promote your business at the same time.

All my best wishes,

Lisa

PRESIDENT - FRIENDS OF THE VILLAGE



CAN YOU HELP?

Do you own or work for a business who would leap at the chance to assist our fundraising events and gain the love and support of our whole Village?!

We would love to hear from you if you think you might have a lead or suggestion for:

EVENT PARTNERS
AUCTION PRIZES
RAFFLE PRIZES
GOODY BAG PRODUCTS

Please send an email to friends@lvv.community and we can chat about how we can work together!



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livingschool

This week, we received a heartfelt thank you for our donation from our friends at Living School, who let us know they are in recovery phase and eternally grateful for the support they have received. They wrote: "Your support is part of the reason why our future continues to look bright and this has touched us all deeply."

Check out their Gratitude For The Giving video here: <https://youtu.be/DYknPXYgTS8>

FOTV Business Directory

COME JOIN US!

Did you know that Friends of the Village has a Business Directory? Our aim is to facilitate connections within our community. We want to have lots of businesses listed in our directory so that the next time you're looking for a particular good or service, you can take your pick from a Village provider! We'd really love to build up the Directory this year, so if you'd like your business advertised on our website, please shoot us an email at friends@llv.community

<https://bit.ly/FOTV-BIZ>



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SOCIALITE SNAPSHOT

- 1 Kindergarten Dinner & Drinks
Governor Hotel, Macquarie Park
Saturday 28 May
7pm
- 2 Kindergarten Putt Putt Day!
Thornleigh Mini Golf Course
Sunday 26 June
9:30-11:30am




GENERAL MEETING

Tuesday 14 June

Do you have an item to raise? Please email secretary@llv.community by Wednesday 1 June

FROM OUR COMMUNITY

**A PLACE WHERE
Wonder IS
UNCOVERED**



YOUR GIRL GUIDE CONTACT
Helen Choy
0421 982 862
East.lindfield@llv.org.au
girlguides-mawabrit.org.au

FIND OUT WHERE
joinguides.com.au

GIRL GUIDES MEET NEAR YOU

East Lindfield Junior Guide Unit
(For girls 7-9 years old)

Tuesdays 4.30-6pm

East Lindfield Guide Unit
(For girls 10-13 years old)

Tuesdays 6.30-8.30pm

East Lindfield Guide Hall
Corner Carlyle & Wellington Roads




SAVE THE Date

Join your Friends
for the party of the year!

FRIDAY 28 OCTOBER
7:30PM
MORE DETAILS COMING SOON

PREPARE TO BE GLAMOROUS