



ST. PATRICK'S PRIMARY SCHOOL

FUNDRAISING, COMPETITIONS & ORGANISED GAMES POLICY

Rationale

Over recent years, some students have volunteered their time to run or organise various activities (eg: colouring competitions; guess the number of lollies; talent quests; etc.) with the aim of raising money for a specific cause. While it is great that some students are prepared to give up their time and show initiative, it has become increasingly difficult to properly manage the number of requests for these type of events. It also leads to disappointed students and/or poorly run events.

After much consideration, it has been decided that the only authorised fundraising events which will come under the umbrella of "Social Justice" are to be authorized by the Social Justice Student Leaders and the Deputy i.e. 'Project Compassion'

FUNDRAISING

Any money donated under the heading of Fundraising for Social Justice causes 10% of funds needs to go to Caritas Australia, the schools assigned official fundraising organisation.

COMPETITIONS AND ORGANISED GAMES

Some students have also indicated that they are keen to organise Year Level games or competitions during recess times. Once again it is our experience that these initiatives are successful if a member of staff is involved and that the event is aimed at the appropriate age group. Anyone interested in organising 'games' must first gain the support from a staff member and then pass on a formal written request to a member of the Student Leaders and the Deputy Principal for consideration.