During 2013 MWPS Parents & Friends committee (P&F) had many successful fundraising events. The major fundraisers for 2013 were:

- **Discos** $2,387
- **Entertainment Books** $2,242
- **Family Fun Day** $28,180
- **Federal Election Day food and stalls** $2,426
- **Raffles** $2,005
- **Ritchies’ CB cards** $2,808
- **Sausage Sizzles** $4,269
- **Special Lunches – Subway, hot dogs & pies** $6,002
- **Stalls – Mother’s Father’s & Christmas** $6,507
- **2nd Hand Uniform sales** $2,012

The money raised from Family Fun Day is going towards the new Maths Garden being created and installed this year. The remaining money has and will be allocated to improvements around the school. Last year we funded the new Library Borrowing Computer Program and already this year we have funded the installation of an Interactive Whiteboard for the Music Room.

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<th>Fundraising Revenue during 2013</th>
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A huge thank you to all the parents, students, families and friends who assisted with these events and activities we held last year. Without the support from MWPS community, we would not be able to run these events so well.

2014 is also a very busy year for us. Just take a peek at our calendar--- >

Thank you to all families who returned the Community Assistance Program (CAP) forms. We have been overwhelmed with responses, but we always welcome more offers of assistance.

If you have not had a chance to complete the questionnaire, please visit the MWPS website [http://www.mountwaverleyps.vic.edu.au](http://www.mountwaverleyps.vic.edu.au), and click on P&F CAP form – it only takes a couple of minutes.

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**Upcoming MWPS P&F Meetings, Events and Activities**

**March**
- 12: PCR and P&F meetings
- 31: Hot Cross Buns delivery

**April**
- 2: PCR and P&F meetings
- 4: School Disco (to be confirmed)
- 20: End of Term Subway Lunch Entertainment Books

**May**
- 7&8: Mother’s Day Stall
- 14: PCR and P&F meetings
- 24: Bogan Bingo

**June**
- 1: PCR and P&F meetings
- 20: School Disco (to be confirmed)
- 27: End of Term Subway Lunch

**July**
- 11: PCR and P&F meetings
- 23: Ivan’s Pies’ drive

**August**
- 20: PCR and P&F meetings
- 29: Subway Lunch

**September**
- 4&5: PCR and P&F meetings
- 12: School Disco (to be confirmed)
- 17: PCR and P&F meetings
- 19: End of term Sausage Sizzle Lunch

**October**
- 15: PCR and P&F meetings
- 18: Melbourne Cup Phantom Call

**November**
- 7: Twilight Markets
- 12: PCR and P&F meetings
- 29: State Election Day (to be confirmed)
  (Sausage Sizzle, Fairy Floss, Cake Stall, 2nd Hand Book Stall, Raffle)

**December**
- 3: PCR and P&F meetings
- 11: Sausage Sizzle – Carols Night
- 11: Christmas Stall – Carols Night

PCR=Parent Class Representatives’ Meeting - Staffroom 9:10am-10am
P&F=Parents & Friends Meeting - Staffroom 7pm-8:30pm
Bakers Delight
Dough Raiser Program
Fresh bread tastes even better when you know it’s helping raise money for your school.

So, when you make a purchase from Bakers Delight Mt Waverley or Pinewood, mention Mt Waverley Primary School and 5% of your purchases will go to our school.

On 20 October 2013, MWPS held their second very successful Family Fun Day. There were rides, activities, food, entertainment and lots of sunshine.

The final profit figure of $28,180 is a credit to the Family Fun Day committee’s planning and preparation and to all the MWPS parents, families, friends, students, teachers and staff who assisted prior to and during the event.

Thanks to all who took the time to complete the Family Fun Day evaluation questionnaire. The responses have been collated and ready for the 2014 team to review.

The things that were most liked:-
Hurricane, dodgem cars, inflatable challenge, lucky mystery jar, jaffa smasher, lucky dip, books, silent auction, trash ‘n’ treasure, animal farm and stage performances.

Some of the comments were:-
• It’s a terrific idea to bring all together and great for the school
• Stalls were well set up and manned and there was a friendly atmosphere around the whole school.
• A good selection of free events and a great way to get the local sports and other clubs involved.
• Should have had the rides on the oval (couldn’t do - we had to protect the new turf on the oval ~ FFD committee)
• Food was yum and big variety
• Food ran out too early (so many people and so many mouths to feed ~ FFD committee)
• Awesome day and no rain too
• More rides (yes, agree and there will be more in 2015 ~ FFD committee)
• Let’s have the Pirate Ship (would love to, but this ride costs too much for one day - $12,000 ~ FFD committee)

Ritchies’ Community Benefit Card Program donates 0.5% of the money spent by their customers to their nominated club, school or charity.

If you wish them to donate 0.5% or your Ritchies’ purchases to MWPS, all you need to do is collect a Community Benefits card from MWPS General Office and hand it to the checkout cashier when paying for your Ritchies’ purchases.

It’s that easy!