

BPS P&C Association Funding Request Form

All Funding Request Forms to be sent to balmainpspc@gmail.com a week prior to monthly P&C meetings to be tabled for discussion. Please note no funding requests will be agreed to without completion of this form.

Name of Project/ Resource required:	<u>Sustainability & Environmental Speaker Program</u> Stage 1 - Bush to Bowl
Summary of project benefits. Please provide a short summary of the benefits the funding will bring to the school and our students.	<u>Sustainability & Environmental Speaker Program</u> A program of carefully selected local businesses/speakers come and share their vision and their businesses impact on our local environment (land and the sydney harbour) with our Balmain Public School kids. Stage 1 - Who are Bush to Bowl? Are an 100% Aboriginal social enterprise focused on educating the wider public about our native bushfoods (cultivating and preparing) and Aboriginal culture. Bush to Bowl is a social enterprise aimed at creating a healing space and platform for First Nations people by connecting to Country and their traditional foodways. We practice our culture on a daily basis by giving back to Country, our mob and the wider community.
Name and contact details. You must be a parent or carer; Principal or teacher.	Felicity Bowman - (teacher) Kirsti Williams - (parent) 0402736411
What amount needs to be funded by the P&C this year? This is the amount that will be allocated in the P&C budget if the project proceeds. Please also include any non-monetary support required (e.g. volunteers).	<u>Total Cost (one time payment)</u> \$3,300 - an incursion at the school - all requirements supplied by the Bush to Bowl community
Is ongoing funding required in future years? Provide details of what ongoing funding is needed, please include an estimate of maintenance costs if applicable.	No maintenance - the Bush to Bowl experience a one-off. HOWEVER at the moment this proposal is only for Stage 3. There is an opportunity to extend to Stages 2,1 and kindergarten in the future.
Will some of the cost be funded in other ways? List any anticipated grants, donations etc.	<u>Previous Funding Allocation</u> \$300 will be funded from a previous grant that Renate (previous BPS P&C secretary) had secured from the school from the local council

<p>Is the funding request time critical? <i>Would the school miss out on a significant opportunity if this project is not funded immediately? Can the request be included within the school resource fees in the following year?</i></p>	<p>Yes it is is time critical</p>
<p>Is there any further information you would like to add?</p>	<p><u>Sustainability & Environmental Speaker Program</u></p> <p>There is a program of other speakers that we would love to bring to the school and we will provide a self explanatory presentation that the P&C will be able to circulate for your interest and prior to the next meeting.</p> <p>Following Stages to include:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. <u>SEABIN</u> - We are cleaning up ocean plastics in Sydney harbour while highlighting both sydneyiders consumption habits and uncovering WHO ARE THE LARGEST SYDNEY HARBOUR POLLUTERS (hint: FMCG companies) 2. <u>Reverse Garbage</u> - Established in 1975 by a group of teachers and community workers determined to ease pressure on the environment. Diverting industrial discards from landfill and reuse those materials in our classrooms. Each year 250 tonnes of commercial and industrial waste from landfill artist is redirected to actors, educators to electricians, collectors to charities, painters to puppeteers, students to sewists, vets to visual merchandisers. 3. <u>Wasteling Tribe</u> - Local Sydney Conservation Artist led workshops (2 hours) designed to inspire creativity, enhance connection and promote ecological awareness. <p>Using plastic sea waste kids will create a wasteling which will be a reminder of the importance of recycling and reducing plastic use.</p>