



Frequently asked questions

1. What is the purpose of this event?

This event serves as an occasion to unite our Grammar families in a relaxed setting, celebrating the excellence of our school and its community. It offers a chance for new families to connect with other parents while providing existing families an opportunity to reconnect with familiar faces.

2. What is the fundraising objective of the event?

The inaugural long lunch event this year aims to generate funds for the school bus project. This project seeks to introduce additional buses to accommodate the growing needs of our students participating in both academic and extracurricular activities such as school excursions and off-site team events. This initiative will enable increased opportunities for students, alleviate traffic and parent involvement in after-school activities, and contribute to reducing carbon emissions and our environmental impact.

3. Who is responsible for organising this event, the School or the P&F?

The School and the P&F are collaborating to orchestrate this inaugural event, with the shared goal of raising funds for school projects that directly benefit our students and enhance their learning outcomes.

4. What is included in the ticket price?

For the ticket price of \$145 per person, attendees will enjoy a two-course seated lunch along with a dessert bar. A complimentary welcome drink upon arrival and entertainment are also included within the ticket cost.

5. Can I purchase individual or couple tickets if I don't have a larger group?

Certainly, you have the option to acquire tickets either individually, as a couple or as a larger group.

6. How will seating arrangements be managed for attendees unfamiliar with others?

Our aim is to thoughtfully match compatible guests based on the year levels of their child/children. Kindly specify your child/children's year level when booking, which will greatly assist our event organisers in seating allocations.

7. How will seating be organised at the event?

The event will feature long tables under an open marquee. All seats will be numbered, and guests will be assigned a numbered seat upon arrival.

8. Can I request to sit with another couple attending the event? How can I make such a request?

Certainly, you have the choice to either book tickets as a group to ensure seating together, or you can send an email to marketing@scgs.qld.edu.au requesting to be seated with another couple. While we may not be able to fulfill all requests, our event organisers will make every effort to accommodate your preferences.

9. Will transportation be provided post-event, and is it included in the ticket fee?

Complimentary post-event buses will be available. These buses will drop off at both the Buderim Tavern and the Mooloolaba Wharf. When purchasing tickets, please indicate your interest in utilising the bus service, which will aid in efficient resource allocation by our event organisers.

10. Are children welcome at the event?

Regrettably, this is an exclusive 18+ event due to the service of alcoholic beverages. Only adults are eligible to attend.

11. Can I invite friends who do not have children at the school?

Absolutely, all members of our community are warmly invited to partake in this event.

12. What provisions are made for attendees with dietary requirements?

Please inform us of any dietary specifications when purchasing tickets. We will work with our food and beverage suppliers to ensure your dietary needs are met.

13. Will ticket prices be adjusted for non-drinkers?

No, there is a fixed standard ticket price for the event. Non-alcoholic options will be available.

14. Will drinks need to be purchased separately on the day, and is it cash-only?

Upon arrival, your first drink will be complimentary. Subsequent drinks can be purchased using either cash or card transactions.

15. Can attendees expect entertainment during the event?

Certainly, the event will feature an array of entertainment options, including lawn games, roving entertainers and live music performances.

16. Will cash be necessary for auction items?

No, EFTPOS facilities will be accessible on the day for your convenience.

17. Can I contribute a prize or auction item? How can I proceed with this?

We welcome both prize donations and auction items. To donate, kindly send details of the item to marketing@scgs.qld.edu.au.

18. Where is the event venue located?

The event will be held on the Grammar Main Oval, situated within the grounds of Sunshine Coast Grammar School.

19. Will the event proceed if it rains?

Absolutely, the event is primarily undercover and will proceed in case of rain. We also have a contingency plan in place should torrential rain be anticipated prior to the event.

20. What is the dress code, and can high heels be worn? Is a hat necessary?

The dress code is lounge attire. While wearing wedge heels is advisable due to the event being hosted on the oval, hats and fascinators are optional.

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