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BULLETIN # 2

Important Canteen news

Over the past few years we have fought hard behind the scenes to keep the school canteen open for business. Different strategies have been attempted by a group of hard working and committed staff and community members to keep the roller shutters open for our students and staff.

For a canteen to remain open within the schooling system we must break even or make a profit from the sales it performs. It cannot run at a loss, especially for a prolonged period of time.

It is with sadness that I announce that the school canteen will be shut down and closed on the last day of school Term 4. **The official closing date is set for 10/12/2021.** Please continue to show your support to our canteen in the meantime and order lunches and purchase snacks for recess.

This decision was extremely hard for Governing Council to make, but it is the right decision. Canteen Managers are employed by Governing Council, not the school.

I acknowledge the pressure and stress this decision may have caused Governing Council members and thank them sincerely for their work.

I would like to acknowledge the commitment and hard work Sandra has performed on a daily basis to ensure students and staff receive a beautiful lunch every day. Moving forward, Governing Council are looking at alternative options to accommodate students and staff that usually rely on the school canteen. I will keep you updated with any decisions that are made.

Please keep safe during the holiday period. I am updated daily on the status of COVID and will share information when it is released from my Department.

Regards

Bryan Rotherham
Principal