## St Paul's Music Supporters Group Report - May 2016

## Meeting held 9th May 2016

A busy month for both MSG and the Music Dept. with preparations underway for our annual Music in the Park event on Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> May. All ensembles perform on the outdoor stage and MSG are providing a bbq, bar, cake stall, jumping castle and face painting. This is a great social event and a good fundraiser.

Music ensembles have recently performed well in competition with Wind Ensemble achieving Gold and overall winner of their section at QYMA. Chamber Strings were also awarded Gold and Senior Strings achieved Silver. Choirs are yet to perform.

Big Band is performing at the Brisbane Jazz Club on Friday 20<sup>th</sup> May as part of Brisbane Big Band Festival. It is an honour to be invited to perform with very few schools taking part.

The students also have the opportunity to take part in St Paul's Solo Competition this year. Initial rounds will take place at school with the final taking place at Sandgate Town Hall on 16<sup>th</sup> June with awards for top soloist for Middle and Senior School.

MSG currently have a Beefy's Pie Drive underway with orders now available through Flexischools.

Next meeting Monday 6th June 2016