

THE FUTURE LOOKS BRIGHT

Our intention is to now host an evening at the school for students, parents and the wider community. Uncle Micklo will welcome everyone, we'll show our documentary – that was made for this project, and then we'll launch into the aim of the evening, which is for the teachers to pitch their ideas to the students and stakeholders. We are thinking Shark Tank style. We'll use the dot democracy method again to determine which projects are most popular.

Students and stakeholders will be given the opportunity to ask questions and the session will be interactive. The benefit of having the community and parents present is that they will be engaged in the school and what's happening. This is one of the reforms Gonski says is essential to improve the quality of education. In addition, they may be able to offer their skills and resources to facilitate the delivery of the project. As a member of the P and C, one of the biggest issues, is parents not being connected to the school. This will certainly help to address this concern.

Anyway – wish us luck as we begin Phase 2 of Eat Dirt!

Stay tuned for regular updates on the website and additional resources as they become available.

Mel Tyas on behalf of the Eat Dirt Project Team.....



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