

PRINCE ALFRED COLLEGE

2024 CHRONICLE



#### **Our Vision**

To be the leading educator of boys with exceptional people, programs and facilities.

#### **Our Purpose**

We nurture each boy to develop into well-rounded young men of good character, who are prepared to contribute positively to society.

#### **Our Values**

#### Respect

We respect ourselves, those around us and our environments.

#### Excellence

We achieve our personal best in everything we do.

#### **Belonging**

We ensure every member of our school community feels welcome and connected.

#### **Endeavour**

We are curious, courageous and will rise to a challenge.

#### Fac fortia et patere.

Do brave deeds and endure.

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# The College Council 2024

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## Executive and Senior Leadership Staff 2024

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Head of Middle Years	Mr G Duffy (2024), B.Sc.(Physics, Chemistry and Mathematics), HDip.Ed. (University of Cape Town), M.Ed.(Leadership and Management) (Flinders)	
Head of Operations and Timetable	Mr J Rylatt (2009), B.Sc.Hons. Geography (Royal Holloway College), PGCE (University of Bath)	
Deputy Head of Preparatory School	Mr J Shackleton (2017), B.Ag.Sc. (Melbourne), Grad.Dip.Ed. (Secondary) (Melbourne), Grad.Dip.Ed. (Primary) (Monash)	
Assistant Director of Teaching and Learning: IBDP	Mr C Bone (2024), B.A.(Hons)(Music and Performance Studies), M.Teach.(Music) (University of Sydney)	
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Director, Scotts Creek Outdoor Education Centre	Mr D Cibich (2022), B.Business Management (Marketing) (UniSA)	

## Headmaster's Report



It was a Sunday morning on the weekend of the Vailo 500 car race that I came into my office and looked over the rows and rows of Prince Alfred College Chronicles, as well as yearbooks I've collected at previous schools I've worked at. Before I started to write the introduction to the 2024 Chronicle, I pulled down the 1940 edition. As I turned the pages, I could see the same fig trees that adorn the front of our school today, and boys who were part of cricket,

debating, and football teams – much like you would if you opened up this year and last year's Chronicle. Their faces were determined and their eyes told stories of harder times. Perhaps they were worried about what the future held for them. Sadly, many of the boys from the Chronicle of 1940 would lose their lives fighting for their King and Country.

Perhaps in 100 years from now people will pull out the 2024 Chronicle. A great grandson or daughter will look for photos of their great grandpa and wonder what school and life was like for them.

Let it be known then that the 2024 school year was an excellent year despite the ongoing instability and fighting in the Middle East and in Ukraine. Our students were fortunate to live in a prosperous and stable country and city. For them, there were many highs and quite naturally a few lows, and there was much for our community to feel collectively proud of. For instance, our boys' conduct and performance across the summer and winter Intercols was exceptional, and there was a surge in drama and music participation.

In June, the College Council launched our 2025-2028 Strategic Plan. The Strategic Plan development included the collective work of the Executive and Council, as well as considerable consultation with our student, staff and parent community. A key addition to this was a vision statement and the articulation of the values that have always been part of who we are.

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In Term 2, the Year 12 Learning Commons opened in the lower level of our Main Building in a space that has had many lives; at one point it had been the Boarders Dining room. Our Year 12s quickly settled into good routines within this space, and they appreciated the access to the new kitchen.

A key area of focus remains the development of opportunities for every boy within the College's academic and co-curricular programs. We continue to focus on the development of well-rounded students, but at the core remains the expectation and delivery of academic rigor

across the College. You will note that one of our values is 'Excellence', yet it is each boys' individual excellence, which may be in the English classroom or in the Technology workshop. The introduction of professional learning for explicit, direct instruction in the Preparatory School as well as the staff coaching pilot through Steplab were both excellent initiatives that will continue into 2025.

In 2024 we welcomed to the College, Mr Jon Gelsthorpe our new Deputy Headmaster/Head of the Preparatory School. Mr Gelsthorpe hails from England, via Pembroke School and most recently St Peter's College where he was the Deputy Head of their Preparatory School and Head of Teaching and Learning. We also welcomed Mrs Sarah Onions as the new Director of Admissions. We farewelled the Deputy Headmaster and Head of the Secondary School, Mr Greg Atterton who has been appointed to Pulteney Grammar as their new Principal. We thank Mr Atterton for his four years of exceptional service and congratulate him on a well-deserved headship. Departing us in October of 2024 was the Director of People and Culture Mrs Elizabeth Tyson who is re-entering the corporate world. Mrs Tyson has done an excellent job over seven years and has mentored our People and Culture Advisor, Angela Rankine, who has been appointed the new Director of People and Culture.

The class of 2024 and their teachers should feel immensely proud of their academic achievements. The Class of 2024's Median ATAR was 87.96. 23% were above 95 and 43% scored above 90. Our large International Baccalaureate Diploma Program cohort had a great year, with a Median score of 35.5 which equates to an ATAR of 90.25. Congratulations to the students who obtained 81merits between them in 2024 and to the students who scored between them, 13 High Distinctions in their University of Adelaide and University of South Australia Headstart subjects.



Our enrolment numbers have remained steady with 1,163 students enrolled from Reception – Year 12 at the conclusion of the 2024 academic year. Our Boarding house is also at capacity with 154 boarders in residence through the year with the villas being used for the increased numbers.

At the conclusion of the 2024 school year parts of the Robertson buildings in the Preparatory School will be demolished and building will commence in January 2025. We have been working with architects Walter Brooke & Assoc. and we have appointed the builder, Marshall & Brougham.

I would like to acknowledge and thank the College Council members for their dedication as 2024 saw the delivery of a new Master Plan and Strategic Plan which required their commitment for the successful delivery of these projects. Our Council Chair, Mr Richard Hockney steps down at the end of 2024, but will remain on the Nominations Committee and the Endowment Fund as well as taking on the role of Chair of the Capital Campaign Committee. We are grateful for his dedicated service and the passion and care he continues to show for Prince Alfred College.

Our Secondary School leaders Max Whittle (College Captain), Thomas Henchliffe and Tom Turnbull (Vice-Captains) and the Preparatory leaders Sam Rayner (Captain) and Henry Stirling (Vice-Captain) were exceptional role models, and we thank them for their leadership throughout the year.

Finally, we would like to express our thanks to the Executive and all the staff for their efforts and dedication throughout 2024, as well as the parents, friends, Old Scholars, and supporters who have contributed so much to the College community.

#### **David Roberts**

Headmaster







- 1. The Autumn Music Showcase
- 2. Student leader breakfast L- R Tom Turnbull, Sammy Rayner, Max Whittle, Henry Stirling and Thomas Henchliffe
- 3. The Year 12 Learning Commons

## **Preparatory School Report**



2024 has been an incredibly exciting year in the Preparatory School. I am filled with immense pride, joy and gratitude for all that we, as a school – students, teachers and parents – have achieved together this year. Every year in a school is a journey, and this one has been no exception. Together, we have faced challenges, celebrated achievements, and created memories that will last a lifetime.

This year has seen the development of a boldly ambitious College Strategic Plan. In this plan, we have shared our College-wide Values. In doing this, our boys in the Preparatory School are starting to use the language of Respect, Excellence, Belonging and Endeavour.

Our Values, along with our College Purpose 'We nurture each boy to develop into well-rounded young men of good character, who are prepared to contribute positively to sociey', provide an articulation and understanding for boys in the Preparatory School.

As we '...nurture each boy to develop into well-rounded young men of good character...', there has been a metaphor that has resonated with boys in the Preparatory School – The Iceberg. While what we see of an iceberg is impressive and beautiful, this is only part of an iceberg and what is above the surface. Deep below every iceberg is a foundation of ice that provides stability and support, yet we do not ever see this. This has become a well-versed metaphor for success. While people might see the awards and accolades that we achieve, they do not see all the hard work that has gone into getting us there – the foundation that lies below the surface. Whether this be run training on a cold winter's morning, instrument practice, or learning times tables, this metaphor resonates - to achieve success requires foundational work. This metaphor is developing character in our boys that will serve them throughout their lives, far beyond the walls of Prince Alfred College; and this is part of our Mantra: Work Hard, Be Kind.

This year has seen the Preparatory School focus on implementing a different approach to teaching and learning - explicit direct instruction. This approach, while some may see as traditional, moves the role of the teacher back to explicitly teaching students. For context, teaching practice can be seen as a continuum. At the extreme left is a laissez-faire approach where children explore and naturally construct understanding, at the extreme right is a dogmatic memorisation and recitation. As a school, we have questioned, researched, and reflected upon teaching and have made the informed decision to move our practice from left of centre on the continuum, to the right. This is already reaping rewards for our students.

There are many academic competitions that students are able to compete in; competitions that remove all constraints and appropriately challenge our students to push themselves beyond their current boundaries and compete on a national or international stage. Some of these are APSMO Olympiad, AMC (Australian Maths Competition) and ICAS (International Competition & Assessments) which has competitions across six subjects. It has been pleasing for our students that the number of Distinctions (top 10%) and High Distinctions (top 1%) in these competitions has risen this year. For the first time, we have also received multiple ICAS Medals, awarded to the highest score in the state.

Our Preparatory students won the Independent Primary Schools Poetry Competition in Years 4, 5 and 6; and also won the Independent Primary Schools Oratory Competition in Year 5. Winning one of these awards is a huge achievement; winning four of the five awards has never been achieved before by any school. Our Preparatory students also won the International Ethics Olympiad – a true sign of a well-rounded young man – and our Preparatory School Debating team are the State Champions. Academic competitions are a place for boys to experience success and we are incredibly proud of what they have achieved this year.

This academic success is not just for the few. Our NAPLAN results this year have shown a marked increase across all domains. We are incredibly pleased with the fact that we can see all our students are making significant gains in their academic development. Our Year 3 results were the third highest in South Australia and we hope to see this upward trend continue across age groups and disciplines into the future

It has been wonderful to see that our boys have performed at the highest levels in the sporting arenas. Whether this be National, State, District, or our House events. We have seen our boys work hard to push themselves and break personal, and benchmarked, records.

The arts have allowed our boys to flourish. The repertoire of musical experiences continues to developed and broaden. Our Prep School Concert Band is a significant experience that allows boys to play at a high level before joining further bands in the Middle and Senior Schools. This Concert Band performed at ABODA this year and achieved a Silver placing. Our Voice program has continued to thrive, and boys are confident singing in front of hundreds of people.

It is wonderful to see all of our boys getting the opportunity to find their niche, whether this be academic, sporting, or artistic. This happens because our dedicated staff provide a breadth of high-quality experiences for boys to enjoy as they develop into well-rounded young men.

The journey starts in ELC where our boys (and girls) have continued to have an outstanding experience. Our ELC is a leading example of practice across South Australia where others seek to learn from. The fine balance of structure and exploration, coated with a layer of a love, is part of what makes our youngest students' experience enviable to all.

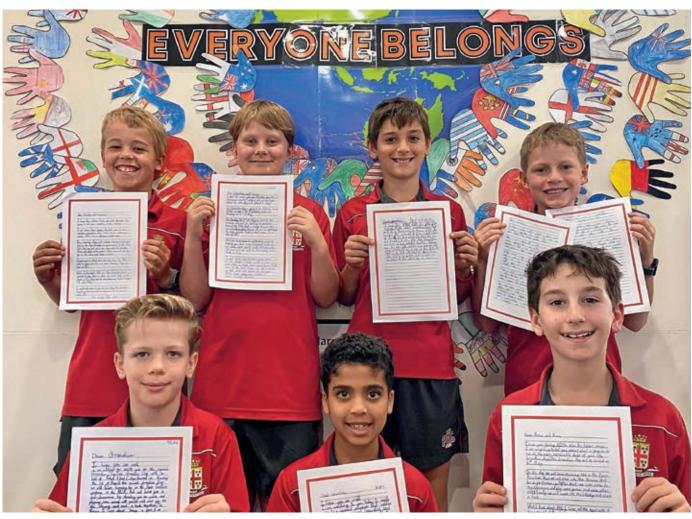
There are three significant staff farewells that we make this year. While it is sad that they are leaving us, each one of them will explore new horizons, which we will celebrate with them.

- Miss Maddy Higgs is going to explore the world and enrich herself with joys beyond our shores.
- Mrs Lisa Lacy is taking a promotion as Assistant Head Wellbeing and Student Life at Pedare Junior School.
- Mrs Heather O'Hara is also taking a promotion, as Head of Teaching and Learning – Junior School at Trinity Lutheran College on the Gold Coast.

As we look towards 2025, the new Preparatory School buildings in Phase 1 of the College Master Plan are coming into view. Next year, we can look forward to the same amazing opportunities that we have provided this year. However, as we grow and develop, so will the buildings. Together, we will watch them grow out of the ground and appear before us. It is truly an exciting time to be part of PAC!

#### Jon Gelsthorpe

Deputy Headmaster/Head of Preparatory School



Hugh Brown, Hamish Hewitt, Lachie Demasi, Tom Gregg, Franek Berwertz, Jawad Ismaeel and Anthony Demasi writing to their grandparents for Grandies Day







Year 5 Book Week - The BIG Read

## Secondary School Report



The 2024 academic year has, in many ways, been a mix of new beginnings, and a continued commitment to age old traditions and rituals that make the Prince Alfred college experience a unique one. As you make your way through the Secondary School pages of the Chronicle you will quickly learn that this year has been much more than a collection of photos and words; it's a celebration of the friendships we have formed, the lessons we have learned and the

memories that will last with us for many years. From classrooms to sports fields, from concerts to school trips, every moment has contributed to the unique story of our Secondary School.

PAC has a long history of strength in being a place of great belonging. Boys who have long ago become men still have undeniable connection and belonging to our great school. The traditions of the College have always been safeguarded by strong connection and this has included, over many years, a strong identity with House. This year we launched a new system of pastoral care; one with a strengthened focus on House and the opportunities for mentorship and belonging; a strengthened Princes Man Program, more opportunities to serve our community and build connections outside the gates of PAC, and further opportunities for students to demonstrate genuine leadership. We essentially 'supercharged' our four Houses and have been fanatical about providing opportunities for belonging, connection and identity, as well as meaningful service and leadership. There has been a resurgence of House activity and House spirit throughout the year, and it has been heart-warming to see how staff and students have embraced the new system.

Year 8 student, William Katdare, I think best sums up the benefits we have seen from our re-energised focus on House in his following comments, "Belonging is the essence of our school culture, and it's at the heart of our new pastoral care initiatives. It's about nurturing relationships and friendships, which are foundational to our experience at PAC. Whether it's through school sports, co-curricular activities, or just sharing a laugh with friends, the relationships we build here shape who we become. As we continue to strengthen our House culture, foster meaningful relationships, and embrace opportunities for student involvement, we are building a community where everyone can thrive."

Our Year 12 students also took advantage of the newly refurbished Learning Commons with many students choosing to attend Extended Study on Monday and Thursday evening, staying at school until 8:30pm to make the most of their independent study and revision time. Working hard and showing endeavour in their learning is what all our students should do, and it was pleasing to see our Year 12 boys leading from the front in this regard.

Our student achievements in national English, Mathematics and Science competitions continued to be of a very high standard while

students in Year 8 thoroughly enjoyed EduKart, Educook and Adelaide week opportunities in their House groups. The Year 9 Wambana program continued its success, with all boys making the most of this experience, from enjoying the sail across to Yorke Peninsula, the mountain bike adventure, the chance to share a Wardli with new friends, engaging in a range of service-learning activities or making the most of fitness and aquatic pursuits. Through this flagship program, all have learnt a great deal about others and themselves.

Music at the College continues to flourish. The 'Music Royalty' concert was a memorable occasion which showcased our students' exceptional talent and enthusiasm, combined with our very special guest, on the night, Mr Jackie Barnes, son of famous rocker Jimmy Barnes, who provided wonderful mentoring to our budding musicians. Excellence was also on display in Term 3 as our Year 11 drama students put on a moving and impactful piece of physical theatre titled, 'Dance of the Machines'. The piece explored the conflict between humans and technology in a show that was unlike any other the College has produced. All those who saw the performance were blown away by our students powerful acting and disciplined study of Japanese Bhuto.

Students continued to serve our community through range of service-learning activities in 2024. This included the rehabilitation of the environment through the Forktree Project, regular meal service at the Mary Magdalene Centre and our Year 10s supporting students with special needs at Outreach Camp. The students who volunteered for these activities developed a respect for the challenges our society faces, as well as an appreciation for how we can make a positive difference to the world around us. Once again, the PAC community rallied in support of the Childhood Cancer Association (CCA). With another ambitious target to raise \$50,000, our College Prefects set to work in organising many fundraising initiatives. Our students and staff demonstrated a strong commitment to helping those in need, coming together to show what a difference we can make to children who need vital support after receiving a childhood cancer diagnosis. As a result of their efforts, PAC easily surpassed its \$50,000 target for the Childhood Cancer Association, truly making a difference in the lives of those facing a time of challenge and uncertainty. Service-learning will continue to grow in 2025 with the appointment of a new Service-Learning Coordinator position. This role will facilitate opportunities for all students in the Secondary School to serve others and our community. As a College we are committed to making a difference to the world beyond our gates.

On Anzac Day and Remembrance Day we joined together to show our respect for the sacrifices made by past students and staff. Our Field of Remembrance provided the opportunity to acknowledge those who died as a consequence of war and was a moving demonstration of our connection to the armed forces and the selfless contributions of PAC students and staff over our College's history.

The annual Boarders' Week was a fun and much anticipated event on the College calendar which included the Young Boarders' Challenge, Boarders' Assembly, Boarders' Herald, and the much-loved Rushton Cup football match played on the Front Oval at lunch time so that all could watch. Boarding at PAC is a thriving metropolis which saw 154 boarders enjoy the support of their peers, make the most of service and co-curricular activities and contribute positively to a strong sense of community. Our thanks extend to Mr Phil Noble, Mr William Mercer and to all our boarding staff for their outstanding efforts, and to Ms Mani White for supporting our international boys.

During the year, we have embraced the cultural messages shared at assemblies, learning the importance of supporting others and striving to make a difference in our community. These lessons, woven into the fabric of PAC life, remind us that our actions contribute to something enduring and meaningful, and we take great pride in being part of something far greater than ourselves.

Our time at PAC, as proud members of the 'Reds', should be defined by the values that make our school truly special - Respect, Endeavour, Excellence, and a strong sense of Belonging. For me, to be a 'Red' is to belong, to support one another, and to strive for excellence in all we do.

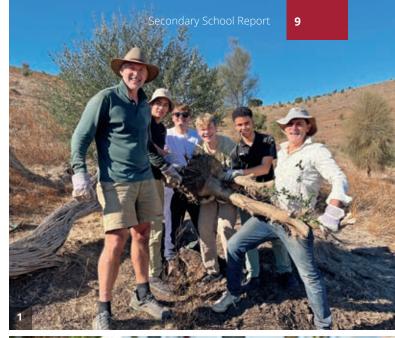
Over the past four years I have enjoyed the privilege of getting to know the PAC community and have had the honour of working alongside our students who make an extraordinary contribution to the life of our school. I have also been fortunate to lead a team of highly committed staff, dedicated to exploring best teaching practices and genuinely interested in the welfare of each student in their care. Much of the success this year is due, as always, to the outstanding efforts of our staff.

As my time at PAC comes to an end, I am incredibly grateful for the friendships I have formed, the opportunities I have been afforded and the wonderful memories I will cherish. My sincere thanks to the PAC community for your ongoing support of me and my family, our school and for entrusting PAC with the distinct privilege of educating your children.

I look forward to watching PAC's continued success, albeit from a distance.

#### **Greg Atterton**

Deputy Headmaster/Head of Secondary School









- 1. Staff and students volunteering to support the Forktree Project
- 2. Students showcasing their new House pins
- 3. 2024 'Shave for CCA' fundraising event
- 4. Cotton House on their way to winning the inaugural House Music competition

## **Academic Report**



The 2024 cohort built momentum strongly throughout year and delivered a median (midpoint) of 87.96. Overall, these were historically amongst our best results and a wonderful follow up to our exceptional results in 2023.

Excellence was seen across both SACE and the IB Diploma in a wide range of subjects, with 70 merits achieved by students, along with 13 University HDs (via the University of

Adelaide Headstart program, Flinders University Extension Studies and University of South Australia). In short, we can be confident students can excel and prepare for university study in both of our Year 12 academic pathways.

Michael Cook was awarded the Thomas Elder Prize Dux of School, achieving an ATAR of 99.90. He achieved merits in , Mathematical Methods, Specialist Mathematics and Physics, High Distinctions in Programming and Object Orientated Programming (University of Adelaide). Michael will study Advanced Computer Science at the University of Adelaide.

Jesse Rothgrew was awarded the E B Colton Prize (Proxime Accessit to Dux of School) with an ATAR of 99.90, with subject merits in subject Merits in English, General Mathematics and High Distinctions in Human Anatomy and Physiology and Introduction to Forensic Science (University of Adelaide). He will now take up a place to study Medicine at Griffith University.

At the Emeritus Assembly, Dux, Michael Cook gave the boys some great advice for their academic journey including the importance of keeping things simple, enjoying the learning process and remaining balanced. He finished his speech by noting that,

"The most vital thing I will take away is the necessity of ambition. It took time for me to actually set ambitious goals in Year 12 as it takes courage. You put yourself in a vulnerable position of potential disappointment. However, being ambitious is certain to extend you further than expected and is simply making the most out of your time at the college."

We wish all of 2024's leavers the very best for future endeavours.

Our NAPLAN results were again sound and there was clear evidence of the positive impact of our curriculum development in this area which we are confident will result in further growth during the coming years. There were pleasing gains made in Year 3 and 5 under the leadership of Mr Jon Gelsthorpe and Mrs Lisa Clemente and we look forward to more as the explicit direct instruction pedagogical model is embedded.

It was also exciting to see Prince Alfred College for the first time crowned the top school in the state in NAPLAN – mathematics. NAPLAN data across Years 3, 5, 7 and 9 continues to provide meaningful, important results that offer a point of valid reflection for our teachers and boys. We know growth in English and Maths proficiency is crucial to academic progress.

Our commitment to reading for pleasure and its clear academic benefits remains steadfast. Our Reading Program thrived in the new timetable with a number of new, exciting titles and resources added. This was complemented by excellent participation in the Premier's Reading Challenge. Additionally it was great to see the successful

implementation of the Wambana Reading Project in which boys at Wambana and teachers exchange letters about the books they are reading. Reading is both a pleasure and an important foundation for academic achievement, and we look forward to building further momentum in 2025.

Academic Extension took on a number of new themes in 2024 with Mr Scott Parker, Dr Di Hu and Ms Rebecca Hassam bringing fascinating perspectives on topics outside of our taught curriculum on topics like, Gelato: Its history, The Golden Age of Silent Films (1894 – 1924), Climate change and sustainable building, Future of architecture, Forensic science - Crime scene, Victims and suspects, Fakes and extortions.

2024 was an exciting time in the Preparatory School as the shift to an explicit direct instruction pedagogical model was implemented. This was accompanied by a timetable that provides more curriculum time in English and Mathematics along with greater freedom to develop our teaching programs in line with best practice in boys' education. This was complemented by purposeful, informed knowledge-rich inquiry experiences, most notably in a newly established learning area of Science, Technology and Robotics.

In our academic programs, there have been a number of exciting competition performances and developments.

Our academic culture fosters deep thinkers and this was evident in 2024. Notably, it was exciting to see our Year 9's win the Da Vinci Decathelon state title and competed strongly in the national final held in Sydney. While it was wonderful to see Princes awarded the gold medal SA Senior School Ethics Olympiad and then represent South Australia in the International Senior School Ethics Olympiad, a prestigious event in which 330 schools worldwide compete.

Our Prep and Secondary students continued to have great success across a range of competitions in Mathematics. Here, it was particularly exciting to see the Co-curricular Mathematics thriving on Sundays under the stewardship of our Co-ordinator in Mathematics: Non-routine problem solving and experiences, Ms Marta Matthews, with the support of Ms Tayla Harradine. The innovative 'Maths Battles' were a great success and we look forward to the expansion of this concept in 2025, along with the ongoing roll out of the X Mathematics curriculum. These offerings are critical to ensuring that our talented and passionate mathematicians have every opportunity to thrive.

In Science there was a continuation of its strong tradition of success, and there were many great results in the National Titration Competition, Australian Science Olympiad and Australian Science Innovations 'Big Science' Competition and Oliphant Awards. The Science Journal was an exceptional publication in 2024, with the standard of articles reaching a new high under the leadership of Mr Peter Hopkins and student editor, Caleb Tang. Similarly, there were several strong results in the field of Humanities competitions such as the Australian History Competition and Australian National Geography Competition.

The 2024 Shades of Red Journal again reflected the high quality of student literary work while the Year 10 Poetry Slam has become a highlight of the year, showcasing the boys' insightful thinking, creativity and performance skills.

Overall, 2024 was an excellent year and we have much to look forward to in 2025.

#### Martin McKinnon

Director of Teaching and Learning









- Secondary Students sitting the HSMC
   2024 AMC award winners
   Jonathan Lau Mathematics Olympiad
   2024 HSMC award winners

## **Emeritus Awards 2024**

#### **Asger Abraham**

Over 95

#### **Eli Anders**

Over 95

#### Owen Barkla

Over 95

#### **Daniel Bergamin**

Over 95

#### Joseph Callaghan

College Prize for Drama College Prize for Music Explorations Over 95

#### **Owen Chen**

College Prize for Activating Identities and Futures

#### Francesco Ciampa

College Prize for Biology SL

#### Samuel (Sam) Ciccocioppo

College Prize for Outdoor Education

#### **Samuel Commons**

College Prize for Activating Identities and Futures

#### **Cody Corbett**

P J Gray Memorial Prize for Material Solutions Over 95

#### **Jackson Crosby**

College Prize for

Sports Exercise and Health Science SL

#### **Hugh Czuchwicki**

College Prize for Visual Arts - Design Over 95

#### William (Will) Deakin

College Prize for English A: Literature HL College Prize for History HL

#### **Roshan Ediriweera**

Over 95

#### Henry (Harry) Edwards

Smith Prize for Modern History College Prize for Film SL

#### Jack Elms

College Prize for Music Performance: Ensemble

#### **Hugo Evans**

College Prize for English A: Literature SL College Prize for Extended Essay College Prize for Music HL Over 95

#### **Miles Falahey**

College Prize for Theatre HL

#### Aidan Foo

Hobbs Prize for Biology (SACE)

#### **Angus Harvey**

College Prize for Business Innovation

#### Houcheng (Sam) He

Over 95

#### **Thomas Henchliffe**

College Prize for Film HL

#### Sam Heuzenroeder

Christopher Branson Prize for Legal Studies Over 95

#### David Jia

College Prize for Music Performance: Solo

#### **Louis Kellaway**

College Prize for Sports Exercise and Health Science SL Over 95

#### **Archie MacMahon**

Over 95

#### Aryan Madan

College Prize for Physical Education

#### **Lachlan McKay**

Over 95

#### **Marc Milograd**

Over 95

#### **Peter Moore**

Over 95

#### **Fraser Newman**

College Prize for Geography HL

#### Pun Lai (Ivan) Ng

College Prize for Chinese B Mandarin HL

#### **Liam Peak**

Ray Smith Memorial Prize for Physics HL College Prize for Geography SL Over 95

#### **Henry Pearce**

P J Gray Memorial Prize for Material Solutions

#### **Angus Phillips**

Over 95

#### **Christian Portokallas**

Kenneth Harley Prize for English Over 95

#### **James Pudney**

College Prize for Digital Communication Solutions

College Prize for Robotic and Electronic Systems

#### Chengzhuo (Oscar) Qian

College Prize for Chinese A: Literature HL College Prize for Mathematics: Applications and Interpretations SL

#### Samuel (Sam) Remeljej

Leo Buring Prize for Chemistry SL College Prize for Spanish ab initio SL College Prize for Sports Exercise and Health Science HL Over 95

#### Ethan Retnaraja

Over 95

#### Elijah (Eli) Roberts

College Prize for Business Innovation

#### **Caleb Sam-Ling**

College Prize for Music Performance: Solo

#### **Charlie Sanders**

College Prize for Visual Arts - Art

#### **Noah Thiessen**

Over 95

#### **Nathan Thomas**

College Prize for Biology HL College Prize for French SL Over 95

#### Alfred (Alfie) Truman

College Prize for Essential English

#### Thomas (Tom) Turnbull

Peter Barrett Prize for Accounting ASH Gifford Prize for Economics (SACE) Over 95

#### Frederick (Fred) Vartuli

ASH Gifford Prize for Economics (SACE) Over 95

#### **Francis Venning**

Over 95

#### Jianhe (Busco) Wang

College Prize for Chinese Background Speakers College Prize for English B HL

#### **Oscar Wang**

Over 95

#### **Ashton Wardle**

College Prize for Essential Mathematics

#### Yitao (Alan) Wei

Ray Smith Memorial Prize for Physics SL

#### Maxwell (Max) Whittle

Cotton Prize for Chemistry (SACE) College Prize for Italian B College Prize for Mathematical Methods Over 95

#### Isaac Yu

College Prize for Music Performance: Solo

#### Nicholas Henchliffe

Colton Prize for Humanities and Languages

#### **Hamish Warn**

Longbottom Prize for Mathematics College Prize for Mathematics: Analysis and Approaches HL College Prize for Theatre SL Over 95

#### Ziheng (Caleb) Tang

Malpas Prize for Science Leo Buring Prize for Chemistry HL College Prize for Economics HL College Prize for Mathematics: Analysis and Approaches SL College Prize for Theory of Knowledge Over 95

#### Jesse Rothgrew

E.B. Colton Prize (Proxime Accessit to Dux of School)

Kenneth Harley Prize for English

College Prize for General Mathematics

#### **Michael Cook**

Sir Thomas Elder Prize and Dux of School George Thorburn Melrose Prize for English Studies J D lliffe Memorial Prize for Physics (SACE)

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#### Over 95 Club

Asger Abraham Eli Anders Owen Barkla Daniel Bergamin Joseph Callaghan Michael Cook Cody Corbett Hugh Czuchwicki Roshan Ediriweera Hugo Evans Houcheng (Sam) He Sam Heuzenroeder Louis Kellaway Archie MacMahon Lachlan McKay Marc Milograd Peter Moore Liam Peak Angus Phillips

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## Year 12 Special Awards

#### **Charles Wesley Prize for Music**

Hugo Evans and Nathan Thomas

**Pam Freeman Prize for Music Leadership** Fraser Newman

**The Olsson Prize for the Performing Arts** Joseph Callaghan

The Olsson Prize for Academic Achievement

Francis Venning

The Brian Baldwin Archives and Museum prize

Caleb Tang and Nic Marino

The Clarnette Family Ethics prize

Owen Barkla

Prefect's Prize for Effort and Application (voted by Prefects)

Louis Kellaway

PAC Prize for Leadership and Service within the Boarding Community

Aryan Madan

Robert Henry Prest Prize for Captain of Boarding

Harry Piggott and Jared Kuhl

Public Schools Club Ian Hayward Prize for Character and Service as College Vice-Captain

Thomas Henchliffe and Tom Turnbull

Bill Bundey Prize for Captain of the College

Max Whittle

**PAC Prize for Global Citizenship** 

Ivan Ng

Prince Alfred College Prize for Virtue & Character

Fred Vartuli

Donald McDonald Steele (Don Steele)
Prize for Character and Service to the
School

Eli Roberts

Frank Hunter Prize for Leadership in Year 12 (voted by the Year 12 Cohort)

Max Whittle

Long Tan Prize for Leadership

Nicholas Henchliffe

Rev Charles Perry Prize for All-Round development in the final year at school

Tom Thredgold

Harry Max Wilson Prize for Character and Service to the School

Tom Henchliffe

**Ampol Best All Rounder** 

Chris Towers

Keith Swann Memorial Prize for Best All-Round Performance

Cody Corbett

The John Dunning Award for Leadership and Integrity

Tom Turnbull



## College Captain 2024



I will always hold these past 12 months very close to my heart. To be fortunate enough to serve as College Captain in 2024, to experience the highs, lows, and everything that Year 12 has to offer with the cohort I have grown up with, and to leave a lasting impact on the College to which we owe so much of our lives thus far, has been an honour. I hope that this report will give you a brief insight, through the eyes of myself and the 2024 Prefect team, into the year that was 2024

The year kicked off with the annual 'Red & White' formal held at the Adelaide Convention Centre. The night was centred around a 'Hollywood' theme with a red carpet for students, staff, and their dates to enter on, and our very own 'Oscars' for the night's award winners. Whilst this night was filled with lots of photos, laughter, and dancing, it served a much greater purpose to galvanise of our Year 12 cohort, setting us up for the year ahead. A special mention to Hugo Evans, who single-handedly wrote all four songs of the Year 12 band's set whilst also facilitating rehearsals, and to Eli Anders and Will Manuel who were instrumental in planning the night, alongside Ms Liddy and Ms de Wit

Later in the term, we saw the culmination of our rowers' tireless efforts throughout the season with the annual 'Head of the River.' It was a day that saw many of our crews achieve remarkable results, including our 1st VIII crew who narrowly finished 2nd in a nail-biting race. In shallower water, we saw a great turnout of students who came to support our rowers regardless of the result – giving our 1st VIII an emotional ovation as they carried their boat ashore. This fantastic day was followed by our Summer Intercollegiate series, hosted here at the College. This week of sport saw a multitude of remarkable performances on the field, accompanied by the support of students all across the College, such as Yarra Mickan and Jared Kuhl's crucial 10th wicket partnership in the cricket and Sam Ciccocioppo leading his water polo side to a dominant victory. Ultimately, the week ended with a final score of 4 – 4; St Peter's College taking swimming, rowing, badminton, and volleyball; PAC taking tennis, water polo, sailing, and cricket.

The year also saw the reinvigoration of our College's House System, with a new pastoral structure and emphasis on House sport and events. This new House System facilitated mentorship and the formation of inter year-level connections through House locker areas. It also resulted in increased participation during our House Swimming Carnival and Athletics Carnival. The College-wide reception towards these changes was extremely positive, facilitated by the hard work of the Heads of House and House Prefects.

In 2024, the College continued to foster our relationship with the Childhood Cancer Association (CCA), setting an ambitious goal of \$50,000. Through the tireless work of the Prefect's 'service portfolio'

comprised of Cody Corbett, Nathan Thomas, and Miles Falahey, we saw a record number of students and staff sign-up to raise money by shaving off their hair for the CCA. During the annual 'Winter Music Showcase,' our music faculty conducted a CCA fundraising drive, with all ticket and bar proceeds going to the CCA, with even some of our staff and students shaving their heads whilst performing! Through the tireless work of many, and the ongoing contribution of the College community, we surpassed our goal of \$50,000 for the CCA.

Following on from last year's cohort, the 2024 Prefect team worked with St Peter's College old scholar John Vrodos to plan a workshop for our Year 10's. The session was centred around positive character and masculinity, with Prefects leading small groups in an open and honest discussion, delving into how each of us can develop our own character and support others both here at school and in the wider community. We all took a lot away from what was a confronting, raw, and invaluable session. We recognise the importance of promoting open discussion around masculinity, character, and respectful relationships and we are excited to see our new College Captain, Petey Flower, and the 2025 Prefect team build upon this in the upcoming year.

In Term 3, St Peter's College hosted the annual Winter Intercollegiate series. This action-packed week saw some amazing results including Dougal Ashby's ridiculous hanger in the 1st XVIII football fixture, Liam Kritharas' late winner in the 1st XI soccer fixture, our hockey side completing an incredible comeback to ultimately draw the fixture, and a nail-biting 1st V basketball fixture which saw us fall agonisingly short in the last seconds of the game. I was so incredibly proud of the way all our students performed both on and off the field during the week. Overall, the week finished with a score 5 – 3; St Peter's College winning debating, table tennis, and basketball; Prince Alfred College winning soccer, squash, rugby, chess, and football and hockey being a draw.

I would like to offer a big thank you to the 2024 Prefect team for supporting me this year, especially my fellow captains, Tom Turnbull and Tom Henchliffe; their unwavering support, effort, and dedication this year was invaluable. This year was tough on all of us, however, was filled with highlights that I will never forget. I would like to offer a massive thank you to my cohort, who were a constant source of laughter, support, and guidance. Finally, none of this would be possible without the effort of our incredible staff here at the College; they are the reason PAC is such an incredible place – a special mention to Mr Atterton who is sadly leaving the College at the end of 2024, his impact as Deputy Headmaster/Head of Secondary School is significant and will be felt for years to come.

To spend the better part of nine years here at the College has truly been a privilege and I cannot thank the College community enough for all it has done for me. I will miss it.

Fac Fortia, et Patere.

#### **Max Whittle**

College Captain 2024

## **College Chaplain**



Pausing to reflect on the year gone by in preparation for writing this article brings to mind just how busy the year has been. Pastor Andrew Kieselbach and I have continued to spread ourselves across the breadth of the College and also continued the ministry supply arrangement with Wesley Uniting Church Kent Town that has been in place since June 2022.

This year has seen Secondary School

chapel services move to being held at Wesley church. With the return to a greater emphasis on the College's four Houses, each term Cotton, Taylor, Waterhouse and Watsford gathered for their own House Chapel Service. Student participation across the year levels in the leading of these services has been a feature. The ambience of the church itself has contributed to the gatherings providing an opportunity to pause and reflect on the values-inspired messages in a sacred space, away from the familiar hustle and bustle of school classrooms, corridors and routine.

Preparatory School chapels have continued in the College chapel on a weekly basis. This year, each class has contributed to the leading and offered their thoughts to help shape the message for the day.

Throughout this year, Pastor Andrew has established a regular presence in the Boarding House on Wednesday evenings. In addition to being a pastoral presence among the boys, he has offered practical help and support with homework and the like.

The rotation program for the Year 8s' Adelaide Week this year has had a Service Awareness Day incorporated into it which I have facilitated. This has included a workshop presentation by Mark Waters (PAC 1961-74) to help shape the boys thinking about

what they can do beyond fundraising. Mark is the UnitingCare SA Director, interfacing The Uniting Church in SA and the respective service organisations associated with the Church. The day has also included a focus on raising awareness about homelessness and the services provided by The Hutt Street Centre, culminating in packing backpacks with food and personal care items for people experiencing homelessness.

As this school year ends so, too, does my chaplaincy at Prince Alfred College. With over 15 years being in the position behind me, I felt it was time for a change. With other opportunities in the Uniting Church Synod Office becoming available, it has not been an easy decision to make. As the phrase goes, it was a case of 'now or never.'

This will also bring the ministry supply arrangement with Wesley Uniting Church to an end, including the placement of Pastor Andrew Kieselbach.

I have counted it as a privilege and a pleasure to have been welcomed into the PAC community; not only by being among staff and students, but also among families and Old Scholars too. There are many aspects of my work over the years I will forever cherish. With the words of the blessing I often use across the College...

May the road rise up to meet you.

May the wind be always at your back.

May the sun shine warm upon your face,

the rains fall soft upon your fields.

And, until we meet again,

may God hold you in the palm of God's hand.

#### **Reverend Mark Dickens**

College Chaplain







# Early Learning Centre and Preparatory School

## **Early Learning Centre**

#### **Angwin Classroom**

Connecting with the natural world played a significant role in our 2024 inquiries. In Term 2 we began investigating the resources we use in the ELC such as water, paper and energy and discussed how we could be more careful of how we use them.

Turn off the light when we leave the classroom. Charlie Littler

Collect water for the garden and the chickens. Oscar Leonard

Use both sides of the paper for drawing. Theodora Kyriacou

Another way we learned of to make a difference is to recycle our paper. As a class we wanted to see what recycled paper actually looked like...so we decided to make our own!

I saw all the colours, oh a little bit of purple! So we cut the paper and got water and we mixed it together to make it like nice porridge and then we dried it on the drying rack and then it turned into paper. Recycling! **Maisie Pavic** 

I just reuse and recycle! Alexander Lee

We cut it into small pieces then put it in the tub and mixing it all up. **Jordy Kwitko** 

I had to scoop it up (the paper pulp), and the roller got out the water. **Blake Johnson** 

I squeezed all the excess water out... its dry now. Zachary Wong

Making our own paper was a fantastic hands-on, tangible culmination of this extraordinary journey, it helped to foster our understandings of earth's finite resources, and how we can make a difference.

#### **Melissa Prest**

Angwin Room

- 1. Charlie Thai, Alexander Lee, Maisie Pavic and friends beginning to snip up the paper for recycling
- 2. Oscar Leonard and Blake Johnson continuing the process
- 3. Angwin class doing an inventory on how we were progressing
- 4. Charlie Littler and Freddie Schell adding to the stockpile
- 5. Grace Liu and Zain Uy beginning the next step by adding water
- 6. Wesley Chan and Andre Manera stirring up the pulp
- 7. Jasper Johnson scooping up the paper pulp in a deckle
- 8. Theodora Kyriacou excited to almost have her paper ready
- Wilbur Duckworth squeezing out the excess water in readiness for drying
- 10. The finished product Zeke Connolly
- 11. The finished product Nicholas Ringwood
- 12. The finished product Jordy Kwitko
- 13. The finished product Suhana Mallikarachchi



























#### **Chapple Classroom**

In 2024 Chapple children had an ongoing passion for making paper costumes. The interest in how clothing could help create new roles in play was strong. Educators offered the children mini mannequins to create mini designs. The children worked intently to create tiny shoes and clothes for the wooden models and educators began to wonder how the children would respond to an opportunity to pin and drape with real fabric on life sized mannequins. And so, a dialogue with the language of fabric was born.

Children explored the properties of different fabrics and how they could be joined. They learnt how to use unfamiliar tools with care, such as berry pins and needles. The children enjoyed working with yarn to learn how to sew.

They thought about the types of clothes we wear and how they work. We read the book "Animals Should Definitely <u>Not</u> Wear Clothing" by Judi Barrett and illustrated our own ideas for outfits for animals.

As the year wore on Chapple continued to collaboratively create detailed costumes from cloth, ribbons and embellishments in the classroom as well as regularly stepping out on the playground dressed as ninjas, unicorns, butterflies and power rangers, their enthusiasm for costuming undimmed.

The children wrapped up their inquiry, by producing tie-dye t shirts for their graduation. This produced a colourful end to their investigation into the language of fabric.

#### **Mel Bishop and Martin Charlwood**

Chapple Room

- 1. George Antoniadis adds colour
- 2. Patrick Humzy-Hancock tie-dyes his shirt
- 3. Jackson Shaw working on his costume design
- 4. Jacob Le demonstrates paper creation
- 5. Cohen Lim, Leo Wen and Albie Walkden work with a mannequin





















#### **Cooper Classroom**

In Term 4 2024, the Cooper children embarked on a journey to discovering the language of construction. There were mini projects that were inspired by the classic story of Goldilocks and the Three Bears. The children's thinking was provoked by the problem surrounding baby bear's broken chair. They were inspired to think about what possible kinds of chairs they could construct that would be 'just right' for the characters in the story. This exploration opened opportunities for the children to use various tools as well as learn to assess for safety, and form ideas on how to avoid and solve possible problems.

The use of recyclable materials has been a big hit, with children and their families actively contributing to our collection of resources. From cardboards of various sizes, to bread tags, bottle crowns and a variety of loose parts, the children expressed creative and innovative skills, with thoughts on design, purpose and aesthetics. There were rich opportunities to focus on individual endeavours as well as collaboratively work with others to test out theories, experiment on tools and materials and use the language of construction to display feelings of care and empathy towards others.

#### **Coney Rocca**

Cooper Room

- Olivia Silvestri testing out her chair with our bearded dragon Biscuit.
- Anthony Arvanitis using digital technology to create his chair design.
- 3. Hubert Macmillan, Isla Li, Tommy Smith and Amelia Dodson engaged in various construction processes.
- 4. Darcy Economos in the process of creating a 'sliding chair'.
- Olivia Hancock, Chris Fernandes, Banks Downie, Tommy Smith and Hamish Berlangieri putting to the test the giant chair they created.
- 6. Iman Antunes and Henry Kies designing their concept of 'soft and fancy' chair for Goldilocks





#### **Edgerley Classroom**

During Term 4, the Edgerley children were considering their emotions and the alternative ways that we can communicate these amongst each other. Many children found that the easiest way to tell how somebody was feeling was by looking at their face and noting what was happening with their eyes, eyebrows and mouths.

As we observed, identified, and labelled different facial expressions, some children noticed that these not only occur in people but in animals too. We began to share photos and videos of our pets and used our knowledge of facial expression to decipher how they might be feeling.

Utilising the language of light and shadow, children created black line portraits of these images before adding the facial features that best represented how the animal was feeling in the moment.

#### Isabella Lathouros

Edgerley Room

- Alfred (Fred) Whittleston feels "Happy" with his dogs Barney and Wooly.
   Digby Prescott works on his portrait of new dog 'Humphrey'.
   Zara Lenzi's portrait of her beloved Bulldog 'Yoda'.









#### **Langley Classroom**

Across the year, the Langley children have been enthusiastic builders, using a range of loose parts and construction materials to create with. To challenge the children's ideas and thinking, they have been offered unusual shaped pieces, including loose parts and recycled materials, that need considered thought to get them to balance and to create a stable structure. This has required the children to think creatively, reflect on their work and problem solve. They have shown determination and resilience through this play, trying out new ideas and not giving up when their first attempts are not successful. The children have been working both individually and in small groups as they create in the construction zone, providing them with opportunities to encounter and engage with peers, share resources and materials and share knowledge and understandings. This work has inspired play and conversations where our youngest learners have been exploring mathematical concepts and using mathematical language around shape, measurement and size.

As an ELC staff team, we have been exploring and challenging our thinking around the use of technology in the classroom. As part of this research, the children have been offered the opportunity to document their own work, photographing their completed structures. These images have been collated in a book to allow the children to revisit their work at another time or use other's work as inspiration for their own creations.

#### **Jess Catt**

Langley Room

- George Kyriacou, Salvador Pribramsky, Xavier Reppucci and Jack Potter admire their skyscraper
- 2. Matilda Dawe's castle creation
- 3. Sophie Hong documents her own work
- 4. Hamilton Williams and Zac Knibbe work together to balance a tower
- 5. Theodore Wong-Wells creates using loose parts
- 6. Harrison Dawe and Matilda Dawe build together
- 7. Claire Liu exploring structure and balance
- 8. Sebastian Colasante constructs his masterpiece











#### **Mattingley Classroom**

Throughout the year, The Mattingley Classroom has engaged in learning about identity, communication, emotions and the natural world. The children presented their learning through a variety of media and particularly enjoyed putting their ideas and creative flair into their Claymation animation movie – *Silly Santa*. This project stemmed from the children's interest in classic fairy tales such as *Jack and the Beanstalk* and books like *The Gruffalo* by Julia Donaldson. A group of children came up with the idea to create a book of their own and thus *Silly Santa* was born. Once we had created the book, we explored ways to bring the story to life so that it could be accessible to those who might not be able to read independently. We spent the remainder of the term working on turning our book into a movie using a mixture of Claymation, music and voice so we were able to present it to the remaining ELC classrooms to finish off the term.

The Mattingley children became very engaged in both the bookmaking and moviemaking processes. Throughout the project, multiple entry points were provided to children. For example, some children made the background, some created the clay characters and some added their voices to the story. The end product was an excellent representation of the power of imagination as a tool for learning and a showcase of teamwork and class collaboration.

#### **Elizabeth Tomas**

Mattingley Room

- 1. Painting with natural dye using turmeric, paprika and the extraction from the purple cabbage
- 2. Experimenting with lines and marks while the children drew blue leaves
- 3. The children collaborated in creating as story and illustrations for their book, "The Leaves, The Shark and The Tornado"
- 4. Natural element and insects during pretend play and construction
- 5. Using the senses to encounter nature
- 6. Making dye out of purple cabbage
- 7. Children wondered why we did not find blue leaves and they made their own versions of them























The children in the Mead room explored the texture and and feeling of painting with a brush, with their hands and with their feet!

#### **Mead Classroom**

#### **Sensory Painting**

Throughout this year, the Mead children have held a strong interest in exploring their world through sensory play, particularly when it came to their art and painting. While experimenting with colour mixing at the painting easels, very quickly the children decided that the paint brushes needed to be replaced with their hands and fingers! They continued to move and mix the paint using their sense of touch. This exploration was then taken further as the children began experimenting with painting with other body parts like their feet, and adding different textures to the paint or canvas to see how the feeling and colours changed.

"The paint is all squishy in my hand" said **Eliana** 

"It feels cold and wet but I like it" said **Maeve** 

"Paint feels like slime and sand feels like sugar. It might turn the paint into sand" said **Evelyn** 

"It feels bumpy when you paint on the bubble wrap" said Oscar

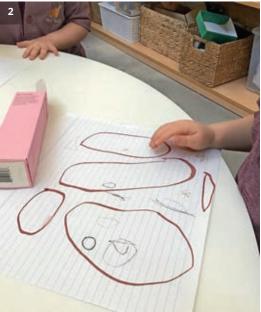
"The paint is slippery when you step on it" said **Andrew** 

#### Jemma Hicks

Mead Room









#### **Wilkins Classroom**

During Term 4 we commenced our exploration into feelings using provocations and invitations to spark and inspire children's interests and ideas. We implemented colours red, blue and yellow to distinguish their understanding of these colours in terms of feelings as well as inviting children to share how other colours made them feel. Children explored faces with feelings, noticing the placement of facial features and marking these in their play experiences.

Pink makes me happy - Amelia

Black is good - Bodie

Happy... my mum likes blue – Jack

A happy face - Audrey

As the term progressed, we began to observe children demonstrating consistent inquiry into circles, forming circle shapes using markers or using the loose parts to create circles in their play episodes. It presented that some children were possibly connecting these to the face of an emotion. As part of their curiosities, we implemented invitations relating to the shape, inviting children to experience circles through play, questions and conversations. Resources such as cake plates, lids, wooden rounds, round trays, paper rolls and balls supplied another avenue for children to explore their interests in play.

It's a roundabout - Harry

It's a campfire – **Cameron** 

I'm making another circle - Hugo

#### A circle – **Jimmy**

Our morning Palti Circle (meeting place) is where the Wilkins children and educators come together each morning to welcome one another. We use (circle) symbols to represent our presence, inviting each child to place theirs around the circle, and then discuss the day of the week and weather. This morning ritual was effective in relaunching children's curiosity each morning with the discussion of circles and their importance in Kaurna Perspectives.

#### Jana Cresp

Wilkins Room



- Harry Harford created a roundabout using the acrylic loose parts
- 2. Hugo Olsen marking circles and faces
- 3. Cameron Harris and Rupert Chapman created a campfire
- 4. Our Wilkins Palti Circle

## Preparatory School Captain 2024



"We do not learn from experience... we learn from reflecting on experience."
This is a quote from the American philosopher John Dewey. While activities like reviewing a book, recounting a camp trip, or reporting on a school project, might seem boring, these tasks are essential for improvement, growth, and wisdom—and can set the foundation for an amazing year ahead.

At the start of this year, I highlighted

the opportunities available to us as Princes Men. Today, as my classmates and I conclude our time in the Preparatory School and move into the Senior School, I want to consider the other side of the coin: reflection.

2024 has certainly been a busy and eventful year packed full of events such as the Swimming Carnival, Cross Country, Sports Day, poetry and speech competitions, and co-curricular activities like football, cricket, soccer, and chess. I don't intend to list everything we've accomplished, but instead, I'd like to focus on *how* we have done it.

In life, opportunities are always presented to us, but it's not just about seizing them, it's about reflecting on our experiences. Reflection helps us understand how far we've come, and it deepens our appreciation of the journey that led to our achievements. For example, this year I joined the school band. At first, I was nervous because I was relatively new to the saxophone and couldn't read sheet music. But through struggle and persistence, I've learned to read music, play multiple pieces, and perform in front of an audience. I am still a work in progress when it comes to performing. However, reflecting on how far I've come, I take pride in my progress. I can now say, "I'm going to play that piece. I'm going to do a solo. I'm going to learn more notes." Reflection builds self-esteem and gives us the fuel we need to reach higher next year.

The value of reflection is not just about appreciating the end result; it's also about understanding the process behind it. I didn't learn to read sheet music from performing at concerts, but through practice at home, early band rehearsals, and working with my tutor. Reflection helps us value the effort and persistence that go into reaching our goals.



Year 6 Captains & Leaders

Row 3: Patrick Le, Fengshun Zhang, Charlie Paholski, Jake O'Dea, Archie Marsh Row 2: Philip Sruhan, Sonny Sposato, Ashton Gerecke, Brax Bown, William Leahey, Jonas Knight Row 1: Charles Camilleri, John Shackleton, Sammy Rayner, Jon Gelsthorpe, Henry Stirling, Andrew Kiedeibach, Edward Colaiacovo

This leads me to the metaphor that is familiar with the boys who have sat in Anzac Hall every Friday - 'the iceberg'. The visible part of the iceberg—the success we see in academics, athletics, and other activities—is only the tip. Beneath the surface is all the hard work, practice, and "endeavour" that makes those achievements possible. Mr Gelsthorpe often reminds us of this iceberg, teaching us that reflecting on what lies beneath helps us gain wisdom and gratitude. When we reflect, we ask questions like, "What shot did I play to make that run?" or "What strategy did I use to capture the queen?" or "What technique did the author use to hook me into the story?" These reflections help us to improve and appreciate the effort behind our success.

Reflection also teaches us gratitude. One of the most significant moments this year was the Anzac Day Field of Remembrance Service. As part of the commemoration, Mr Roberts read the names of the 263 former PAC boys who died in World War I and II. Each man was honoured with a cross, and the senior school boys laid them out carefully in rows. Seeing our boys standing on the Front Oval representing each of the fallen soldiers was incredibly moving and caused us to reflect on all the young men and women who died in these wars and the stories of their lives. Their significance isn't in how they died, but in how they lived: their courage, selflessness, and fight for freedom. Reflection gives us a chance to be grateful for their sacrifices and consider what actions we can each take to help make the world a better place.

Returning to 'the iceberg' metaphor—our success this year could not have been achieved without the many people who form the large chunk of ice below our waterline. On behalf of all of the Preparatory School boys, I'd like to thank Mr Gelsthorpe, Mrs Howat, and Mr Shackleton for their brilliant leadership. I want to thank the teachers - classroom and specialist - for working tirelessly to give us the best possible educational experience. I also want to thank the parents and supporters for giving our boys the care they needed to grow and excel. I would like to thank Reverend Mark, who we are farewelling after fifteen years of outstanding service at the school, and Pastor Andrew, for their thoughtful and impactful chapel services. To our prefects and house captains, thank you for being outstanding role models and organising so many awesome events. I want to especially thank Henry Stirling, our Vice-Captain, for his inspirational leadership and friendship over this year. And finally, I'd like to thank every one of my fellow Preparatory School boys. While you may not always see it, your effort, kindness, and contributions have helped to make this year such a success, and served to deepen and strengthen what it means to be a Princes Man.

It has been an honour to serve you all as Captain of the Preparatory School in 2024. We're all entering new chapters in our lives—whether moving up in school or for some, leaving the Preparatory School behind. As we conclude our year, we have the chance to reflect on the amazing institution we've been part of—the Prince Alfred College Preparatory School. While we may not all have future classes here, this school has shaped who we are today. We reflect with thanks for the sacrifices and efforts of our teachers and parents. We reflect with gratitude for the friendships we've made that will last a lifetime. Until the day we die, we can all look in our hearts and reflect on the things we did at this school and how it has changed us because this incredible school will follow us wherever we go.

Princes Men Forever.

#### **Sammy Rayner**

Preparatory School Captain 2024

## Library

The library team are proud of the reading culture that continues to permeate through the Preparatory School. Our focus for 2024 has been ensuring reading for enjoyment, curating a physical collection that meets the interests of the students and the needs of the curriculum, encouraging student choice, access to the library and that reading and talking about reading happens often.

The Kids' Lit Quiz was the first event in our literary calendar. On Monday 4 March the Preparatory Library hosted the South Australian heat of the Kid's Lit Quiz - an annual literature guiz for students aged 10 - 13 years. This year, each class from Years 5 and 6 entered a team of four students to compete against visiting schools. Congratulations to 5M students, James Bourlotos, James Marshall, Harry King and Harvey O'Brien who were the highest placing team from Prince Alfred College, placing 4th overall.

Celebrations for Book Week started on Friday 16 August with guest author, Andrew McDonald leading writing workshops in the library. On Monday 19 August our friends from the Early Learning Centre joined

the Preparatory School on the front oval for a reading flashmob. In the evening, boys in Reception to Year 2 returned to school, after dark, for storytelling and hot chocolate with their reading role model. On Tuesday, we hosted the Great Book Swap, a fundraiser for the Indigenous Literacy Foundation and on Wednesday a dedicated team of Year 6 boys completed the 'Write a Book in a Day' competition, a fundraiser for the Kid's Cancer Project. Thursday, we welcomed Emelia and Dhurva from Perform! Musicals who filled the Anzac Hall with song and dance inspired by the shortlisted titles. Celebrations culminated on Friday 23 August with the 'Reading is Magic' Parade and

The theme for Book Week 2025 has recently been announced, "Book an Adventure".

Happy reading,

Jason Coleman and Indira Sanderson-Brewster







- 1. Author, Andrew McDonald with Lawrence Belperio
- 2. Reception JB students participating in the reading flashmob
- 3. Class 6H celebrating the Book Week Parade and Panto
- 4. Classes 10 and 1R celebrating Fairy Tales at the Book Week Parade and Panto
- Winner of the 5/6 Bookmark competition, designed by Archie Marsh





## Reception

I will remember doing math's, because it is very fun and I learnt some very cool stuff! Jimi Smith

I will remember doing P.E because everything is fun that I do in P.E! William Stillwell

I will remember learning to write because we have done a lot of writing at school this year. Matthew Sunjaya

Playing soccer at lunch and recess. I am super good at soccer! Ethan **Brown** 

I will remember the cubby building at Belair National Park. We put sticks and covers to build a cubby and it was exciting. Arthur **Thurston** 

Science lessons because I get to go on my iPad and I have learnt how plants grow and how the sun works! Logan Lohmeyer

I will remember doing the jellybean math's project because it was fun working with jellybeans. Leo Slegtenhorst

The math's activities. Roly Kerrigan

I like learning about gravity in Science with Mr. Thompson because it tells you if it floats or if you doesn't float. Winston Bertram

I will remember learning about everything. I have learnt so much this year. Harrison Di Cesare

I will remember P.E the most because you get to move around a lot and run around a lot. I am good at it! Jordi Zhang

I will remember the excursions. I loved building cubbies with my friends. Nathan Liu

Remember the most? I don't know. Maybe math's because I have found it fun, especially the jellybean math's project. Alexander

I have loved my friends. Moshen Fan

I have loved doing work and stuff like that because it's very good for my brain. Oscar Olsen

I have loved learning this year because I do love it a lot and its fun. Harry Pelizzari

I really like Science and Technology and I like Chinese and doing fun games in Chinese. Marcus Ng

We built robots and programmed them to move on the iPad with my buddy Adriana at Seymour. I made it spin around. Walter Ballard

We went on an excursion to the city library, we got into little groups and learnt where to find things. Jack Goldup

We created and named our own cities in HASS - mine was called 'Sushi City 'and had buildings like Bunnings, Mitre Ten and McDonald's. William Tiver

I remember doing a scavenger hunt at Seymour and we had to read the clues that came with a puzzle piece. Then we had to form the whole puzzle. It was good fun! Hugo Hay

We used our iPad to make 'selfie' self-portraits, and I had to type my name over and over again! Nicholas Jukic

I remember we made worry worms with our buddies at Seymour to take all our worries away. **Archer Allington** 

We went with our Seymour buddies and made gigantic cubbies in Belair National Park. We also saw an Emu. Max Bjeshka

When Harry did a backflip off the monkey bars and fell on his head, that was the day the fox came to visit us too! Ross Chrisohoou

Vacation care - when we went tree climbing at Kuitpo Forest. I did the obstacle courses and was so high in the sky! Ethan Li

We talked about the Kaurna people and sang a song and did a dance to the song called Magic for our assembly. Manny Zeng

My first day of school. I remember making new friends and feeling scared but welcome. Michael Xu

We performed the story of Possum Magic for assembly, and I was a dingo and wore a mask and I said, 'Reading is Magic!' into the microphone. Noah Hanxhari

In Finger gym we made bats for Halloween and made playdough and snakes and found words in word searches. James Cai

I dressed up as a triceratops for Book Week because dinosaurs are magical, and I roared all day. Jet Sclanders

Spending time with my Year 4 buddy. He helped me learn facts about Fairy Penguins for my animal research project. Loxton Manuel

Coming second in the running races on Sports Day. I did skipping and high jump and long jump. I was the best at long jump. Angus Jackson

- ANZAC DAY
- 2. Sports Day
- 3. Library Excursion
- 4. Big Read
- 5. Aboriginal Artwork
- 6. Reception Assembly
- 7. Bookweek
- 8. Mid Year Reception
- 9. Library Excursion
- 10. Harmony Day





















## Year 1

Reflecting on an entire year of schooling is no small undertaking. The friendships formed, the memories shared, the learning experienced - there's plenty to discuss! But most importantly, this year, our cohort demonstrated strength, consistency, and kindness in all they undertook and achieved.

Our annual visit to Seymour College provided the boys a rare opportunity to step into the world of an all-girls school. It genuinely warmed our hearts to watch the boys gallivant across campus, hand-in-hand with their Seymour buddy. Another memorable experience was our visit to Old Tailem Town at the beginning of the year. The weather was scorching, the mannequins were nerve-racking... but the boys had an absolute blast! Finally, a spontaneous visit to the Adelaide Botanic Garden to observe the creative work of Dale Chihuly, the world's most celebrated contemporary glass artist, was a highlight of the year. The boys were captivated by the eye-catching colours and incredible shapes within the artwork. What a time!

We look forward to seeing these boys continue to thrive next year and beyond, as we prepare to welcome a new cohort in Year One.



















- 1 O'H Nativity
   Chihuly Excursion
   Humphrey Duckworth
   Playground stop Alexander Kies, Oliver, Alexander Jovicevic and Baxter Barber
   Chihuly Excursion
   Harmony Day
   Book Week
   Gifting Project Harvey Yates
   Alexander Jovicevic

### Year 2

#### 2H

#### What was your favourite part of the 2024 school year?

My favourite part of this year was Sports Day because it helped me get fitter and stronger. **Darcy Allington** 

My favourite part of this year was Zoo Snooze because I have never slept in a sleeping bag and I have never slept with my friends before. **Ziyan Nordin** 

My favourite part of this year was the Wilderness buddies because we did lots of fun activities and we got the whole playground to ourselves. **Austin Wang** 

My favourite part about 2024 was the Zoo Snooze because I got to see the Komodo dragon. **Niko Kumar** 

Sports Day was my favourite part of this year because we did lots of fun activities. **Tom Law-Ducker** 

Definitely this year JP Storytelling evening was very exciting for us to look forward too. **Aadvik Mishra** 

My favourite part was the Zoo Snooze because I got to see the animals. **William Zheng** 

My favourite part of this year was the Zoo Snooze because I got to sleep with all my friends and I got to see the monkeys and the meercats. **Santiago Antunes** 

My favourite part was Zoo Snooze because I didn't sleep. Riley Ung

Zoo Snooze was very, very, very, very good because I slept in the zoo. **Andre Diano** 

Zoo Snooze is my favourite part of this year because it is the first time I leave my brother. **Zach Zha** 

Zoo Snooze was my favourite part of the year because I got to see the meercats and all the other animals in the zoo.

#### Joshua Varricchio

Minecraft Education was very fun at Code Camp because we got to build rollercoasters and a base. **Lucas Wong** 

My favourite part of the year was Zoo Snooze because we got to eat ice cream.  $\bf Thomas\ Yan$ 

Zoo Snooze was my favourite part of the year because I loved learning about animals, the dinner was delicious, and it was really fun going to sleep in the zoo. **Oliver Newton** 

I like Zoo Snooze because I got to sleepover there and watch movies and got to see animals and I never slept in the Zoo before.

#### Benjamin Fa

#### 2L

I liked hanging out and playing with my friends. Oliver Bjeshka

I really enjoyed the Zoo Snooze because I love the animals and it's the first time I've slept over with my friends. **Harry Chapman** 

I really like making buildings in Code Camp and doing Maths because you can learn different things. **Josh Decelis** 

I liked PE and STEM because you get active in them and they are fun. Hugo Drew

My favourite things were Zoo Snooze and Cross Country. **Kyrie Halloran** 

I really enjoyed Code Camp because I could play Minecraft on my iPad. **Oscar Harris** 

I really enjoyed going to camp because it is my speciality. **Arthur Kerrigan** 

I really enjoyed doing my new strings lessons. **Jamison Landers** 

The Chinese Moon Lantern was really good because we got to create things. I like being at Assembly too when we speak on the stage and get to be brave. **Declan Litchfield** 

I really enjoyed the Zoo Snooze because it was really good food and I like spending time with my friends. **Henry Simmons** 

I really liked the Zoo Snooze – seeing all the animals and going with all my friends.  ${\bf Gabe\ Teasdale}$ 

I really enjoyed coming third in Cross Country. **Archie Tidmarsh** 

I really enjoyed doing Zoo Snooze sleepover and looking at the animals.  $\mbox{\bf Archie Wadrop}$ 

I like the playground at school and performing on stage.

#### **Piers Whiting**

I really liked Code Camp and my private lessons for strings because my violin sounds good now.  $\bf Warren\ Yang$ 

I liked going to the Zoo Snooze because it was the first time sleeping on my own.  $\mbox{\bf Roy Zha}$ 

I liked doing the strings performance because I love playing my cello. **Bryan Zheng** 

 <sup>2</sup>L Leaves – Some extra fun with leaves during the Norwood Walking Tour Excursion

<sup>2. 2</sup>L Book Week – 2L get creative with Book Week 2024

<sup>3.</sup> Year2\_Wilderness - Year 2 PAC and Wilderness Buddies created lasting friendships throughout the year

<sup>4. 2</sup>H Zoo Snooze

<sup>5. 2</sup>R Book Week

#### 2R

My favourite part of Year 2 is meeting a race driver from the car race (Charlie's brother) and going on a Zoo Snooze because I got to see all the animals and getting to see our Wilderness Buddies.

#### **Lachlan Laing**

The best thing of Year 2 was sleeping in the Adelaide Zoo because I could listen to the animals **George Jin** 

The Zoo Snooze was my favourite because we ate sausages and salad and nuggets, we even watched a movie! I saw a python in the reptile house, and we saw a hippo on the night walk! **Joshua Sergi** 

The Nativity was so cool, with lights and microphones made us sound so cool!  ${\bf Elon\ You}$ 

My favourite subject is PE because I get to run around and play chasey! **Lucas Stockdale-Moore** 

My favourite time in Year 2 was by far the Zoo Snooze because I loved seeing the birds and tigers and the orangutans. **Logan Mills** 

I loved coming to school because I pretty much like everything! **Monty Michell** 

Zoo Snooze is the best because the food was delicious and the animals were cute! My favourite animal was the tigers, it was walking and the window and looking at us! **Charles Yin** 

My favourite part of Year 2 was sports day with skipping, jumping, running and we got ribbons! We did some throwing too!

#### Vihan Mallikarachchi

My favourite part of Year 2 was Science & Technology because I learned a lot! William Scott

I liked swimming because I learned to dolphin kick so I can swim next to the dolphins! **Oliver Raeside** 

Swimming is the best now that I did swimming lessons I can now do jetty jumping because I learned to dive! **Felix Witkowski** 











### Year 3

#### **3P**

My favourite memory this year was Mrs Portolesi's Baby shower and how we sang a song for her and she cried happily. It was also a happy memory because we got lots of yummy things to eat! **Dawson Sullivan** 

My favourite things this year were Woodhouse Camp and the Music tryouts. Woodhouse had challenge hill and the tube slides. This music tryouts were something to show us to prepare for Beginner Band.

#### **Weston Thomas**

Something that was fun this year was probably the Swimming Carnival. I got my personal best in freestyle, backstroke and breaststroke.

#### **Antek Berwertz**

I have improved best in my Maths this year. I got into Extension Maths. It was hard but I pushed myself. **Ezra Spiers** 

Something that was fun this year was guitar lessons because I liked playing and learning guitar. **Bailey Trim** 

I really liked playing tag with my friends this year. **Henry Bacon** 

I really improved in footy this year in catching, leading and kicking. **Sid Sheppard** 

I really improved in my cricket this year because I got stronger. **Benji Hodgson** 

I improved in taking care of myself because we have responsibility and take care of ourselves. **Aiden Wei** 

I loved doing Swimming Carnival because it felt so good to be in the refreshing cool water. **Sebastian Henderson** 

My favourite memory was the camp because it was fun. We got to go on a party bus. **Harley Barber** 

Something that was fun this year was the science experiment because I find chemistry fun, as well as Science in general. I've never done something like this before. **Thomas Ryan** 

My favourite memory was Sports Day. I came 4th in the running race and I am so happy. **Ray Enrui** 

My favourite memory this year was Mrs Portolesi's baby shower. There was so much food and everyone got a sugar rush and I could not eat another thing! **Bram van Minnen** 

My favourite memory this year was singing at Anzac Hall and ELC because I got up on stage and sang my best and everyone loved it. We all performed our absolute best. **Connor Boylan** 

Something that was great this year was Camp Woodhouse because I loved all the activities. **Xavier Johnston** 

Something that I enjoyed this year was Sports Day because it was a lot of fun running, jumping, and throwing things and getting ribbons at the end. **Hugo Powell** 

My favourite memory this year was Swimming Carnival because it was exciting competing for my house; Watsford. We came second in the final result. **Luca Demasi** 

Something I have learnt this year is don't have a lot of sugar or you will get sick - I enjoyed Mrs Portolesi's baby shower! **Thomas O' Neil-Copas** 

My favourite memory is the Tube Slide at Camp Woodhouse because we went down really fast. **James Blyth** 

My favourite memory was Class Item in Assembly. I learnt to be brave and to use all my might. I could be brave and stand up for myself and I was saying in my head "Come on Asher, you got this." **Asher Lim** 

My favourite memory this year was having my very first 3-6 Sports Day, Swimming Carnival and Cross Country running! It was also very fun on the camp at Woodhouse. **Charles Siciliano** 

#### **3W**

I enjoy the challenge of doing Maths! Rafael Antunes

I improved at Maths because of never giving up and trying my best. Albert Ballard

My favourite memory was playing with my friends and learning

It was great fun going to PAC and meeting new friends!

Sebastian Chryssafis

Woodhouse camp was the best and I wish I could do it again! **Teddy Duckworth** 

I really liked PE and Maths...all of it! I got a lot better at everything I did. **Freddie Ellis** 

I improved English, Maths, Art and sports. Sachith Gunawardane

I think I improved on my writing skills and writing neater. Rory Hu

I love Sports Day and I love the high Jump.

#### **Alexander Humzy-Hancock**

Mathematics. Lawrence Belperio

The camp and Science with Mr Thompson were fun for me.

#### Jack Karapandzic

My favourite memories were camp, my researching and playing with buddies.  ${\bf Fred\ Marsh}$ 

I loved playing footy with my mates and beating Pulteney Grammar. **Charlie O'Brien** 

I loved all subjects because everyone knows that Prince Alfred College is the best school in the history of Earth! **Elgin Pandya** 

I improved on my addition, subtraction, division and multiplication skills. I also improved on my organisational skills. **Nicholas Pizzino** 

I found Woodhouse fun like when Mr Waters went down the Tube Slide! **Henry Sheppard** 

Some things I improved in were my reading skills and I learnt how to do division. **Felix Song** 

I improved my speed and agility at running and jumping.

#### **Edward Thomas**

I loved playing footy on Saturday and singing our song when we won. I can also write persuasive texts now. **Rapha Viscariello** 

I learned that if I be kind everyone will like me. Felix Xia

I liked the Perseverance Poster and learning how to learn because you get to be a part of it all. **Harvey Yeo** 

Bravery, patience, Maths and English are things I learnt and improved. **Nathan Zhang** 

- 1. 3P in front of the main Building
- 2. 3W Bookweek
- 3. Jack Karapandzic and Harvey Yeo at camp in a tree
- 4. 3W Woodhouse
- 5. 3P relaxing on Camp at Woodhouse











### Year 4

#### **4A**

I loved visiting the Botanic Gardens and the Little Sprouts. I love gardening. I have also improved in lots of areas like multiplication and division. George Besir

Something that was great fun this year was all of the HASS activities. It was especially fascinating to learn about the industrial revolution and Cook's voyages. It was also a pleasure to meet all the new boys who have joined PAC. Oliver Chong

It was great to play and make new friends this year, and have so much fun learning new things and going on camp. James Coleman

I liked making new friends this year and learning about fractions. I got to climb up a bluff at camp, and hold a worm at the Botanic Gardens. Viren Dhiman

I loved doing fitness, and seeing my friends and teacher. My favourite memory is making friends with all the new boys. **Xavier Do** 

I have gained a lot of knowledge this year and improved in fractions. My favourite memory was climbing the bluff in twilight on camp and seeing the most incredible view over Victor Harbor. Harrison **Duckworth** 

My favourite memory of this year is walking into the classroom for the first time at PAC and already feeling so much joy. I loved making new friends as we learned and laughed together. Francesco Fuda

Going to Victor Harbor for camp with my friends, climbing the bluff at twilight, and going to the zoo was so much fun - favourite memories of Year 4. Jax Gikas

I loved going on Year 4 camp to Victor Harbor. I learned a lot of things and it was super fun. I have also really improved my reading and can read much more challenging books now. Oliver Hennessey

My favourite memory was being a part of the Gardening Society because we got to plant carrots and lettuce and then eat them. I'm proud that I improved in most subjects including art, math, HASS, and PE. Harvey Holmes

Camp was exhilarating and a bunch of fun. I also enjoyed making new friends this year and working hard to improve my fractions knowledge. William Jovicevic

My favourite memory was definitely being a part of the Gardening Society because I love gardening. I have also improved my fractions knowledge. Archie Karamalis

I absolutely loved Sports Day this year, it was so fun and I won a race! I also enjoyed camp, we got to climb a mountain in the twilight and it was so beautiful. Flynn Obst

I have enjoyed making new friends and having fun at PAC. It was also great to be able to share about my religion and culture with my class.

#### **Dravin Pandya**

One of my favourite memories was when the whole of Year 4 went to camp in Victor Harbor. We saw loads of cool things and we even saw a live whale. Morgan Price

I loved meeting my new teacher and making new friends at PAC, and my favourite memory was going on camp for the first time. It was a blast! Oliver Rodrigues

My favourite memory was my first day of school at PAC. To be honest, I was shy with everyone. Then immediately, I was friends with everyone and that made me the happiest I've ever been. That's why this isn't just a memory from Year 4, it's my most favourite memory of school. Sebastian Roussos

I loved going on camp with my friends. Gardening Society was also fun, relaxing and perfect, and I got to feed the worms. Ashwin Srivastava

I'll always remember our last game of school footy against St Peters. We were undefeated for two years leading up to the game – we ended up winning and we were all so happy! Teddy Teasdale

Something that was great fun this year was going on camp and learning new things. My favourite memory was playing my first footy game for school with all my friends. Freddie White





#### **4B**

My favourite memory was when we were on camp. We were on the beach and then I stepped on a jellyfish. It was so squishy!

#### **Cristopher Capobianco**

I found cross country really fun and challenging. I made new friends, I improved my handwriting, multiplication tables and my reading.

#### Jack Case

I learned that veggies taste good when you slow cook them. On Sports Day I did really well and came first in my 100m race. **Leon Chang** 

My favourite memory was going to camp because I had a great time being able to freely spend time with my friends. I remember sitting atop a rock in Victor Harbor on The Bluff. **Alfred Chapman** 

At camp boogie boarding was fun...except when I swallowed salt water! The best thing was The Bluff – it was nice and calm and the sunset was absolutely beautiful. **Henry Condous** 

This year I really enjoyed making the F1 cars. My favourite memory was at camp because we went to the beach. **Harry Denton** 

Sports Day was fun this year because I raced against my friends but I also got to cheer on my team! Also this year I improved in my multiplication tables. **Billy Freemantle** 

Sport was amazing this year...with hockey and tennis being outstanding fun. **Matias Goncalves** 

I really improved in writing detailed informative texts because I enjoyed learning about the history of Britain. **Joseph Huang** 

Going camping with all of my friends, having fun and doing the night walk were highlights this year. **Andreas Kefalianos** 

I really enjoyed Year 4. It had endless opportunities that will last forever. I really liked coding camp. **Freddie Mittiga** 

My favourite memory was Swimming Carnival because I loved cheering my house on and cooling off in the pool. **Eddie Newton** 

My favourite memory this year was camp because we did so much and I love camping. I also really enjoyed the trip to the Botanic Gardens. **Nash Noble** 

My favourite memory was walking across the jetty to Granite Island. It was fun going on the boogie boards at camp. **Daniel Ondimu** 

I improved heaps in table tennis and maths. In table tennis I learned a good serve. At camp, The Bluff was amazing and it was relaxing.

#### **Louis Pan**

My favourite memory was when we went to Victor Harbor. On the beach we saw lots of jellyfish. In the sea they were purple. **Jobe Reid** 

I had a trial day and it was great! I made new friends and now I'm a PAC student! **Lennox Riseley** 

I loved cheering on East Adelaide at SAPSASA swimming. At camp, the salty ocean breeze reminded me of Kangaroo Island. **Eddie Sheppard** 

At our Little Sprouts excursion, when we got a chance to pick up worms, I claimed it was hygienic but really I was just grossed out. I think I improved the most in Maths because every time I couldn't solve a problem, strategies I learned made it so much easier.

#### **Archie Thompson**

At camp I went boogie boarding. Even though there was a lot of seaweed and I got bitten by sand flies, I still loved it. **Liam Thompson** 

- Oliver Chong, Harrison Duckworth and Harvey Holmes with our harvest of silverbeet from our excursion to Little Sprouts Kitchen Garden and the Botanic Gardens
- 2. 4A enjoying the view after climbing The Bluff at Encounter Bay, Victor Harbor
- 3. Year 4 in the Veggie Garden
- 4. Billy Freemantle 4B relaxing on camp





## Year 5

#### A Journey of Fun, Friendship, and Firsts

Year 5 has been a journey filled with fun, learning, and unforgettable experiences. From exciting camps and musicals to inspiring excursions and teamwork, we've grown so much and made memories. It's been a year of adventure, discovery, and building friendships.

#### Finding Nemo Jr.: Our Year 5 Musical

This year in our Art and Music lessons we worked towards the Year 5 musical, *Finding Nemo Jr*. We got to perform in front of a huge audience, and it felt like we were real stars on stage. Everyone had their own special role, from being fish and sharks to turtles and even jellyfish! The costumes were so colourful and fun—it really felt like we were under the ocean. We spent weeks practicing our lines, songs, and dance moves, and it all came together perfectly on the big night. One of the best parts was seeing our families and friends in the audience clapping and cheering for us. It was such an awesome experience, and we'll never forget it!

# Excursions and Incursions: Adventures Beyond the Classroom

One of our favourite excursions was to the **Maritime Museum**. Walking through the exhibits felt like stepping back in time as we explored old ships, learned about sailors' lives, and even discovered stories about shipwrecks and explorers from our South Australian history. Our visit to **Parliament House** was another highlight. We got to see where big decisions are made for South Australia, and it was mind-blowing to sit in the actual chambers. We also had the chance to participate in an amazing **Red Cross incursion**. The team from Red Cross taught us about the importance of helping others and being resilient.

#### **Our Epic Camp Adventures**

Camp this year was so much fun! There were so many amazing activities, but a few highlights really stood out for all of us. Here's what made our camp unforgettable:

Canoeing was absolutely awesome! We paddled down the mighty Murray River, feeling the sun warm our faces as we splashed through the water.

The dorms were super comfy! They had air conditioning (thank goodness!) and cozy beds to crash on after our busy days. We had so much fun hanging out with everyone before lights-out.

Free time was the best for running around and playing games. We got to play footy, soccer, Red Rover, and chasey with our mates. Myles and Alex even caught a fish—it was so cool watching them reel it in!

We learned so much about nature, wildlife, and all the amazing bird species that live around the Murray. It was sad to hear that some of them are endangered, but it felt good to learn how we can help.

Bouldering was a challenge, but it was so rewarding! The goal was to reach the end point, number 13, and we cheered each other on the whole way. We even sang along to songs like "Never Gonna Give You Up" while we climbed.

At night, we got to stargaze in the classroom. It was magical seeing the Southern Cross and the Milky Way.

The campfire was one of the coziest spots at camp.

For some of us, this was our first PAC camp, so we felt nervous and excited all at once. By the end of the camp, though, we were all so proud of ourselves and couldn't wait to do it all again. Camp was unforgettable—a mix of fun, learning, and adventure that we'll always remember!













This year has been packed with so many exciting sports events, like Sports Day, Cross Country, Swimming Carnival, and House Sports. Let us tell you all about the action and fun!

In Term 1, Cross Country was held at Park 15, and it was a big challenge! Our hearts were pounding as we stood at the starting line, but it felt so good to cross the finish line.

Then came the Swimming Carnival in Week 6. We all had to do freestyle, but we also got to choose between backstroke, butterfly, and breaststroke—or join a fun team event like "Over and Under" or the Boogie Board Race.

Term 3 brought more excitement with Sports Day in Week 9. Everyone was cheering so loudly it felt like the ground was shaking! Even the parents and staff joined in for a big relay race, and guess what? The parents won!

We also had House Sports in Term 3. We played hockey, footy, soccer, table tennis, and basketball. Watsford dominated in basketball and hockey, while Waterhouse crushed it in table tennis and footy. It was awesome to see everyone give it their best shot.

One of the coolest parts of Term 3 was helping run the ELC and Reception to Year 2 Sports Day. Some of us Year 5 boys got to be leaders and teach the little kids how to do the events. Watching them improve and then compete to see who could throw it the furthest was so fun!

#### Written by the Year 5 boys

- 1. 5B Jimmy Apostolakos and Charlie Walker at Parliament House
- 2. 5B Harry Luke's paper plane
- 3. 5D at Book Week celebrating the theme of Reading is Magic
- 1. 5B Exploring ruins on camp
- 5. Year Ś Sports Day Eddie Katdare, Tommy Selby, Ron Rodrigues, Ethan Tan
- 6. Year 5 at Parliament House
- 7. Year 5 Musical Finding Nemo Jr
- 8. 5M Scott's Creek Camp
- 9. 5M Martime Museum









# Year 6

#### **The Great Outdoors**

Our adventure at Scotts Creek was nothing short of spectacular. Canoeing on the Murray River was a highlight. We meditated, played canoe polo, and enjoyed bouldering. Fishing was a big hit, especially for the boys who woke up at 7:00am, donned life jackets, and cast their reels into the murky, ice-cold water. Despite the chill, we swam out to the pontoon, slid down the slide, and returned with blue lips but big smiles. We all smelled like the Murray and desperately needed showers afterward! The Scotts Creek staff led us on a nature walk to our campsite, where we set up tents. Nights were spent around the campfire, sharing scary and funny stories. Free time was filled with baseball using a cricket racket and a ping pong ball, as well as cricket, soccer, and a bit of basketball.

#### On the Field and in the Pool

Kicking off our house competitions for 2024 was the swimming carnival. From the first dive into the pool to the winning House raising the cup, it was a day of fun and excitement. With water in their name, the winner was no surprise. Waterhouse emerged from the pool victorious. After a day of cheering, Taylor was ecstatic to win the spirit cup.

Sports Day was a whirlwind of excitement and nerves. With the sun shining and bay decorations set, we knew it would be a fun day. Taylor House took an early lead, with Waterhouse close behind and Watsford and Cotton battling it out. After a lunch of snags and cool drinks, we returned to sprints, novelty events, and the muchanticipated students versus parents race, where we edged out the adults. The day ended with Cotton winning the spirit cup, but Taylor took the overall victory in an ecstatic finish.

Cross Country was another memorable event. The Year 6 race saw Charlie Camilleri finish far ahead of the rest, setting a record time of 10:43. Taylor House emerged victorious, winning both the junior and senior champion medals.

House Sports brought out the competitive spirit in everyone, with Year 6 students facing off in basketball, cricket, soccer, footy, tennis, table tennis, chess, and debating. It was a fantastic time for all.

#### **Showcasing Our Talents**

One of the year's highlights was the inaugural Year 6 Showcase. The boys worked collaboratively to create sustainable businesses, focusing on environmental, social, and economic sustainability. The showcase was a huge success, with students from all grades and parents visiting our projects. The tricky questions from parents tested our knowledge, but it was a fantastic opportunity to demonstrate our learning and creativity.

Whilst one of the most challenging events in Year 6 calendar, it was by far one of the most rewarding and a highlight of the school year

#### Year 6 on Tour

Our trip to Canberra was an educational and fun-filled experience. We learned about the parliamentary system and visited important buildings. The first flight group had an early start at the deep space centre, while both groups visited the high court and the Australian Institute of Sport. We explored the National Art Gallery, and paid our respects at the War Memorial. Parliament House and the old Parliament House were fascinating, and a thrilling bike ride around the city added to the excitement. We relaxed with go-karting and pizza, and our final day at Questacon was a blast, with its interactive science exhibits and an amazing gift shop.

#### **Farewell to the Preparatory School**

To finish off our memorable last year in the Preparatory School, we celebrated the Year 6 valedictory service. As the school congregated to say goodbye, it came with a mix of emotions. Joy and anticipation at the promise of exciting years ahead, and a sadness to be leaving behind what had been our second home for the past seven years.

This year has been filled with unforgettable experiences, learning opportunities, and fun. We've grown together as a cohort, and these memories will stay with us forever. Here's to the incredible year that was Year 6!

Charlie Camilleri, Jonas Knight, Rory McDonald, Jake O'Dea, Alfie Pledge, William Raeside, Sammy Rayner, Henry Stirling and Ziggy Tasci

Year 6 students



- 1. Year 6 Parliament House
- 2. Preparatory School Leaders Induction Assembly
- 3. Year 6 Cooking Class
- 4. Year 6 Lake Burley Griffin Bike Tour
- 5. Swimming carnival year 6 captains, Will Lahey, Fengshun Zhang, Brax Bown, Hamish Thompson, Edward Colaiacovo, Phillip Shruhan, Charlie Camilleri, Jake O'Dea (left to right) Thompson
- 6. Sports day year 6 Tug-owar Watsford vs Taylor
- 7. Year 6 Taylor captains, Jake O'Dea and Charlie Camilleri
- 8. Swimming Carnival 4 x 50m Relay winners





# **Student Success Team**

One of the most powerful tools in education is the ability to identify and address targeted learning early on. Whether through extension and enrichment opportunities, EALD support or early intervention we ensure every boy has the opportunity for success. Early screening and targeted opportunities can make all the difference in a student's journey in not only their academic success, but wellbeing, confidence and self-belief. Knowing where each boy is at and where they are headed is vital in planning and implementing tools to ensure each boy can be his best.

Regular checks ensure that we can address needs early on, so growth excels for every student. Early screening tools and assessments give us insight into where students need additional support or opportunities for extension and enrichment. This may be in literacy, math, or socio-emotional development. Research consistently shows that the earlier we intervene, the more successful our students will be in the long run. More importantly, boys learn early that learning takes rigour and grit. Asking for help, having another go and trying again are all strategies we encourage. As we tailor our support from day one, we help navigate the twists and turns of each student's learning journey to ensure the end goal of success can and is achieved.

Assistance may include providing one-on-one support through our Morning Program, small group sessions in research-based interventions, or using targeted materials in classrooms. This year, it has been wonderful to see first-hand how these early steps help students catch up, build confidence, and stay engaged in their classroom learning both with support from the SST team but also our Year 11 tutors during the Morning Program.

Small group work allows for more individualised attention and gives students a chance to practice in a setting that feels less intimidating than whole-class instruction. It also allows us to address specific gaps in knowledge and provide opportunities for repetition to build strength that might not be as easy to identify during whole-group lessons.

Research tells us that boys thrive when they are provided with extension and challenge opportunities. The success of our extension and enrichment opportunities for all boys was seen in our recent Awards Assembly with awards being split over two assemblies due to the considerable amount of high achievement. Unfortunately, we were only able to publicly acknowledge the highest of achievers, however all boys who sat and participated in one or more of competitions should be proud to have been brave enough to place themselves on both national and international playing fields to compete against 'the best of the best'.

As we look to the year ahead, the variety of opportunities for every boy to be successful and achieve his best is making a real difference in the lives of our students. The real success is the students themselves, the willingness to ask for help, to be brave and have another go, to take risks and attempt new things and to strive to work hard and be kind, always.

"What is the bravest thing you've ever said? asked the boy. 'Help,' said the horse. 'Asking for help isn't giving up,' said the horse. 'It's refusing to give up."

Author, Charlie Mackesy

#### Fiona Howat

Inclusive Education Coordinator

- Da Vinci Decathlon team competed at St Peters L-R Rory McDonald, William Raeside, Isaac Huff, Keshav Balachander, Henry Stirling, Alfie Pledge, Thomas Dobbins, Sammy Rayner
- Supporting handwriting and pencil grip
- 3. SST Books Wizards
- 4. Building Fine motor skills with daily finger gym in Reception









### **OSHC and Vacation Care**

At PAC's Out of School Hours Care (OSHC), we create a welcoming environment where all students feel at home. Throughout the year, we support families by offering before and after school care services that are rich with structured sporting, play-based, and educational activities. Our philosophy at PAC OSHC is to provide every student with the opportunity to develop their social and personal skills while exploring their physical and creative interests.

During the school year, our dedicated staff greet all boys with an afternoon snack upon arrival. This time allows them to catch up on their day and unwind before engaging in homework and structured activities. Our staff rotate to provide age-appropriate activities for all boys and are continually seeking ways to enhance the program.

Aligned with the National Quality Standards and the My Time Our Place Framework, our OSHC team is committed to developing a program that fosters positive, trusting, and supportive relationships with students.

Each term, in consultation with our regular students, we design a unique vacation care program that is both exciting and educationally relevant. This program includes a mix of incursions and excursions that enrich students' learning experiences and further develop their social skills and knowledge.

With the upcoming redevelopment of the Preparatory campus, we will establish a new base for OSHC in 2025, while continuing to provide the same high-quality service that families have come to expect.

Warm regards,

**Hayley Ewer, Director** and the Education Team at OSHC













- way to unwind in the School Holidays
- Game on, the kids love OSHC soccer on the oval!
   There's nothing like the taste of fresh apples
- straight from the orchard at Lenswood!
- 5. We had a blast apple picking at Lenswood and discovering how farms grow the freshest fruit
- 6. We met a koala up close and personal at Cleland Wildlife Park.
- Tossing leaves into the air and making memories in the crisp autumn breeze. Fall fun at its finest!
- 8. DJ Kyle taught us how to mix tunes for an OSHC dance party!.











# Secondary School

### **Cotton House**



It has been a good first year of our rejuvenated house system for Cotton. It has been all change in our setup, with a combined 7-11 locker area, House Tutor groups, and a renewed focus on Wesley Cup events. The engagement of the boys in all areas of this has been massive positive throughout the year, and particularly the engagement of our Year 12s, in their final year at the school, has been something special.

To say that Cotton won the draw when it comes to house areas would be an understatement. Situated on the ground floor of the Wilfred Cooper Building, and adjacent to Davey Courtyard, our boys settled quickly into this prime real estate. Our 6 middle years tutor groups were housed in the Wilfred Cooper Ground floor rooms, and this close proximity helped them develop close connections. While our senior tutor groups were further apart from the House Office and lockers, they have taken time to join the middle years groups for several mentoring sessions, further building connections, which have been on show throughout this year's events. Community and connection have been a key themes for our boys, and whether it be senior boys sharing their Wambana stories with the year 9s before they set off, a Year 10 v 11 soccer match, or the boys working together on a quiz, the boys have taken every opportunity to engage with their peers and build a sense of house connection and belonging.

- 1. House Athletics group
- 2. Champion of Champions





As part of our revamped House structure, House Rotations have become a regular part of our weekly calendar. This saw us compete in Wesley Cup Soccer, Dodgeball, and have practices for Music, alongside other events such as House Meetings and House Chapels. Strong participation was always on show for Cotton, and throughout the year boys got around each other and had a go for the House at the various Wesley Cup events, shared their knowledge, and celebrated each other's achievements at the House Meetings. I particularly commend those who spoke at our meetings and chapels, as they shared their experiences in the many facets of the House.

The Athletics Carnival was a particular highlight for many. Driven by the leadership of our house co-captains, Eli Roberts and Harry Piggott, our boys competed in virtually every event going, and with participation being the key, this saw us finish first for the first time since 2019. Year 11 Cotton star, Jack Rayner, underlined this success by finishing the day as the College's Champion of Champions, winning against a strong field. There was also pleasing participation in House Chess on the day, and I look forward to seeing the continued improvement in our Chess boys going into next year.

This was also the first year of House Music. The theme for this year was 'the 80s', and our co-captains, along with our other leaders such as music star Hugo Evans, got to work shortlisting options for the house to vote on. In the end, 'Footloose' won 60%-40% on two song preferred over 'I'm Still Standing', and the house got to work. Hugo, Eli and Harry, alongside our Middle Years Head of House, Miss Reppucci, got the band and the boys together, and from the first practices you could see something special was in the offing. Everyone got on board, and from there, it would be weeks of morning practices, with the boys improving day on day. Our final practice on the morning of the event in particular was just a sign of things to come, as Waterhouse and Watsford looked down from the Neil Smart building in awe, as the Cotton boys sung with passion and pride. In the end, the performances from all four houses were impressive, but it was our secret weapon, choreography, that won the judges over, and saw Cotton win the first instalment of House Music.

Our co-captains for 2024, Harry Piggott and Eli Roberts, along with our Student Voice Committee members are to be congratulated on their leadership throughout the year. They brought energy to all of the events throughout the season, and their mentoring of our younger boys in particular was fantastic to witness. Our incoming co-captains for 2025, Max Garnett and Marco Wirth, will build on the firm base established by Harry and Eli this coming year. With the new Wesley Cup season kicking off in Term 4 with House Cricket for the middle years, and House Volleyball for the senior years, excitement is already at a fever pitch, it looks like there's be another good year to come.

**Jessica Reppucci (Middle Years) & Daniel Kerrigan (Senior Years)**Cotton Heads of House

# **Taylor House**



The students of Taylor House immediately embraced our new pastoral care structure by diving into the pool at our Swimming Carnival in Term 1. Driven by the students, we banded together to learn House chants each morning, and when the day came, we flooded the pool with green swim caps. Lachie Bauer, Year 8, and Charlie Waltham, Year 11, built the enthusiasm with outstanding individual performances, and at the end of the day, House Captains **Archie MacMahon** and **Nicholas Henchliffe** lifted both the Spirit Cup and overall Carnival Cup. This success spilled over into the day school where students expanded and maintained their connections across year levels, adding to the camaraderie for which we are becoming known.

Our House meetings this year have been focussed on these connections. We have shone a light on a range of Taylor Trailblazers for their willingness to push further, work harder and achieve more. House members celebrated this year: Ms Matthews, Ethan Chen, Year 10, Ben Logan, Year 7, Levi Rossi, Year 8, Jackson Rossi, Year 10, David Yoon, Year 9, Jack Schultz, Year 12. During these times we sought to unite and build one another up. We used some of the learnings about William Taylor for whom our House was named, to identify the values that drove his work internationally and in local communities. From here we selected and refined these to shape and direct our contemporary community. Finally, after working with the whole House, and various student and staff leadership groups, these values crystallised: courage, inclusivity, resilience. And to symbolise inclusivity, Muhammad Ali's two-syllable poem now hangs in our locker space: Me, We.

Across Term 1, 2 and 4 Wesley Cup events saw our boys turn up in green to represent us in soccer, dodgeball and cricket (Years 7-9) and volleyball (Years 10-12). The ability of the House to band together, work hard and have fun has been a pleasure to witness.

Accompanied by the sun, came Athletics Day in September. **Ben Barnard**, Year 11, led the way with his breadth of participation, and achievement of Year 11 Champion, backed by the camaraderie, participation and enthusiasm of the Year 12 cohort. Organisation and infectious fervour meant we celebrated the second of two possible Spirit Cup victories, and secured a second place finish for the Carnival Cup to clock up more Wesley House points for Taylor.

A new event in the College calendar loomed in Term 3, and the House looked ahead with a combination of trepidation and excitement. All students were expected for the first time, to step up, and for many step out of their comfort zone to sing collectively in front of the other three Houses in the inaugural Wesley House Music competition. Following a couple of false starts with our song choice, Mr Ellis and Ms Pascale consulted with Ms Greenwood for her expert opinion and Billy Joel's For The Longest Time was locked in. The evolution of this included allocating and reallocating singing groups for the various a-Capella harmonies. Thomas Henchliffe, Year 12, ably formed a band with the support of Mr Romanos, and included Eddie Taintey, Year 7, on bass guitar, Max Whittle, Year 12, on trombone, and Caleb Tang, Year 12, on piano. When the day came, not only did we all step up, but every member of Taylor House sang or played the entirety of the song. No short-cuts. And in the moment that Stefan Drusian, Year 11, counted us in with the iconic 'dm, dm, dm' opening to the song, the 200 beating hearts up on the stage transferred nervous energy to joy and belted out every oooh, ahhh and bom-ooo-wah! The pride and elation of taking second place was palpable!

Finally came the announcement of the 2024 Wesley Cup Winners and the moment that Archie and Nic lifted the cup in front of the College. This was a perfect moment to introduce our house mascot, a 10m green Chinese dragon, paraded through the ANZAC Hall by our Year 7-11 House Leaders. This dragon reflects Taylor's Wesleyan symbol of the Wyvern that corresponds to our values of courage and resilience, while the Chinese dragon with its incorporation of many different animals reflects our final value of inclusivity and the whole being greater than the sum of its parts. To start 2025, we will vote to name him.

#### Laura Pascale (Middle Years) & Will Ellis (Senior Years)

Taylor Heads of House

- 1. Taylor singing in the inaugural House Music competition.
- House Co-Captains Archie McMahon and Nicholas Henchliffe holding up both the Spirit Cup and overall Carnival Cup trophies at the Senior Swimming Carnival.
- 3. Taylor House celebrating this Swimming Carnival victories.







# **Watsford House**



The introduction of a revitalized House structure at Prince Alfred College breathed new life into our community, building a deeper connection and sense of belonging among all members of Watsford House. From our youngest Year 7s to our most experienced Year 12s, students embraced the opportunities to connect across year levels, fostering a sense of identity within the house.

Watsford House strives to embody the values represented by our emblem, the proud and determined stallion. The stallion is a symbol of leadership, integrity, and loyalty, and reminds us of the strength we draw from each other when working together, and the shared sense of pride in being part of something greater than ourselves. United under the orange banner, representing warmth, courage, and gratitude, we have seen so many students demonstrate these traits over the course of this year.

At the heart of the new House structure was the Wesley Cup, which inspired fierce but friendly competition across a range of activities. The Wesley Cup competition showcased the full spectrum of Watsford's talents, and despite the results not going our way all the time in 2024, we have much to be excited about in future. Whether dominating the sports field, excelling in academic challenges, or showing creativity and dare in House Music, we encourage our students to consistently display the courage and determination that our symbols embody. Every student's contribution, big or small, can reflect the leadership, teamwork and loyalty we hold dear as a house.

Undoubtedly, one of the highlights of the year was the first ever House Music event, where Watsford delivered an unforgettable performance of Elton John's iconic 80s hit, I'm Still Standing. Guided by our outstanding House Captains, Owen Barkla and Roshan Ediriweera, the House came together in a spectacular display of energy and enthusiasm. Special mention must go to our soloists Ivan Ng and Joe Arkwright, whose commanding performances led the House with distinction. Our band, which features some of the most promising musicians in the school, came together brilliantly for the performance and has set the standard for future years.

It is right that we formally recognise the leadership of our Student Voice Committee (SVC) representatives, who provided an essential link between students and staff. From Year 7 to Year 11, our representatives ensured the voices of their peers were heard, contributing to the inclusive and collaborative spirit of the House. We extend our gratitude to Ellis Twigge and Lucas Pizzino, Year 7, James McDonald and Lachlan Wilde, Year 8, Zac Grice and Will Edwards, Year 9, Isaac Yu, Hugo Spears, and Thami Nyathi, Year 10, and Zach Floreani, Aryan Parwal, and Jasper Zerbe, Year 11, for their dedication and service.

A highlight at our final House meeting for the year, aside from the pizza and prizes, was the awarding of the Most Valuable Person (MVP) in each year level, determined by a combined staff and student vote. The MVP award recognised individuals who demonstrated outstanding effort, engagement, and dedication to the House throughout the year. Our MVPs were awarded to Ellis Twigge, Year 7, James McDonald, Year 8, Keith Ng, Year 9, Hugo Spears, Year 10 and Aryan Parwal, Year 11. These students embodied the leadership, loyalty, and courage at the heart of Watsford. Congratulations to our MVPs for their invaluable contributions to the house – they have set a standard of excellence for all to follow.

While 2024 was a strong start, the journey doesn't end here. There is still more to achieve as we continue to build on our House spirit and momentum. Looking ahead to 2025, let us be brave, step forward with courage, and challenge ourselves to take Watsford to even greater heights. Together, we can ensure 2024 lays the foundation for an extraordinary 2025.

**Jack Harford (Middle Years) & Emily Gough (Senior Years)** Watsford Heads of House





- 1. Swimming Carnival
- 2. Athletics Day
- 3. House Music



## **Waterhouse House**



#### **House Captains' Report**

It was a privilege to be the Waterhouse captains in 2024. We have thoroughly enjoyed the challenge and experience the role brought us throughout the year.

Although House Music didn't swing our way on the day, we found this the most enjoyable and rewarding activity throughout the year. It was truly a culmination of the House spirit where we really saw flashes of boys coming together, and the House connection and pride that I'm sure will only become stronger in the next few years.

Athletics Day and Swimming Carnival were also highlights. A record number (for the last few years) of Waterhouse boys participated in both events and there was a clear increase in chanting, supporting, and all the events throughout the day.

We were genuinely surprised at how quickly boys caught onto the 'House spirit' and how much participation was achieved across all events and meetings during the year. Particularly the year 12s, who got on board with some of our unique ideas, such as the collective budgie smugglers costume gag at Swimming Carnival.

We have absolute faith that 2025 Co-Captains, Owen Chen and Sam Commons, will build on the initial groundwork Mr Rolls, Mr Colaiacovo and we completed this year, and that they will deliver a very successful 2025 year for Waterhouse.

#### Peter Moore Chris Towers

House Captains





#### **Head of House report**

As we reflect on the past year, we are filled with immense pride and joy. This year has been a transformative journey for the Secondary School pastoral structure, marked by a revitalised House program that has significantly bolstered our House spirit and sense of community.

Morning tutor periods have been pivotal in fostering a sense of purpose and connection among our students. Through various group activities, and reflective discussions, students have developed stronger bonds with their peers and tutors.

Throughout the year, we engaged in various rotations that further strengthened our House spirit. House Music in Term 3 was a standout, where Waterhouse performed a rendition of "Beat It" by Michael Jackson. We are very much looking forward to this event again next year.

Another highlight of our pastoral program has been the refined Princes Man Program, a taught curriculum designed to engage students with a range of topics including Health & Wellbeing, Science of Learning, Character & Manhood, Community, Connection and Leadership, as well as Cultural Literacy. This year, we were fortunate to host several inspiring guest speakers including Paul Dillion, Brett Lee, Tom Nehmy and Serafina Maiorano covering themes such as drugs and alcohol, Cyber Safety, Character and Cultural Awareness.

A special thank you to all the House Leaders for their efforts throughout the year and to Neil Smallfield for his contribution as Head of House (Middle Years) in Term 1.

As we look ahead to 2025, we are excited to build on the successes of this transformative year.

#### Tom Rolls (Middle Years) & Rob Colaiacovo (Senior Years)

Waterhouse Heads of House

- I. Athletics Day
- 2. Waiting for the starting buzzer at the Swimming Carnival
- 3. Putting on a show at House Music
- 4. Getting into the spirit at Athletics Day





# EduKart

EduKart is an innovative educational program designed to engage Year 8 boys in hands-on learning through the building and refining of electric karts. Combining engineering, teamwork, and sustainability, this program provides an opportunity for students to develop technical skills while fostering creativity and collaboration.



Over one week, boys worked in small groups to assemble and improve their electric karts. Guided by experienced mentors, they were introduced to concepts such as electrical circuitry, mechanical engineering, mathematics and physics. The program emphasised observation, with students encouraged to test their karts and identify areas for improvement. This process not only honed their problemsolving abilities but also instilled resilience and a growth mindset as they navigated challenges.

One of the highlights of the program was the focus on sustainability, with students learning about the environmental benefits of electric vehicles. They explored the principles of energy efficiency and incorporated innovative solutions to optimize battery performance and reduce energy consumption.

Feedback from the boys was overwhelmingly positive, with many expressing pride in their accomplishments and a newfound interest in STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics) fields. Mentors and parents noted the program's impact on developing critical skills such as teamwork, communication, and time management.

EduKart not only provided a memorable educational experience but also inspired a new generation to embrace sustainable technologies and engineering careers. It stands as a testament to the power of experiential learning in shaping confident, capable, and environmentally conscious young men.

#### **Mr Paul Balestrin**

EduKart Coordinator

- Theo Graskovski (mentor) starts a pursuit race
- Students staging for first high speed trials
- Ollie Gilbert prepares for his race
- Apex corning is important to win events
- Rob Jackman (mentor) prepares boys for a drag race
   eduKART masterclasses presented by Paul Balestrin (coordinator)
- Charging of the karts before driver permits are gained













# **EduCook**



In 2024, EduCook introduced the Wesley Cup, allowing groups to compete for points to add to the running total that saw Cotton triumphant overall. Different tasks were awarded points. Tasks included a daily quiz, food presentation, showing improved skills in the kitchen, answering food related questions during a demonstration or winning a race during recess! Each point was attached to a name, then added to a draw which was drawn at each Parent Showcase. The winners received a signed apron. Congratulations to ...

**1st** Cotton with 142 points and Henry Marshman

2nd Waterhouse with 136 points and Henry Lovell

3rd Watsford with 125 points and Loki Bown

4th Taylor with 96 points and Isaiah Salagaras

Through feedback from students and their parents, EduCook thrives to move forward and 2024 saw new concepts being trialled. On Monday morning the boys were put into groups of 5 or 6. Together, they planned their new business, pitching ideas which were then refined over the week to produce a functional business. This included marketing, a story and of course delicious food. 2025 will see more cooking and less business ideas to assist the students when they live independently for 5 weeks at Wambana. Some of the ideas trialled included making healthy snacks and meals on a budget, that can easily be cooked in a short amount of time.

12 boys were awarded a 'Wooden Spoon' to recognise: leadership, taking control, consistency, commitment, asking for feedback, teamwork, understanding their recipe and taking their role seriously. Fantastic effort and congratulations to:

**Taylor** – Lachlan Bauer, Kieran Gray and Mitchell Wray

**Cotton** – Jack Amber, Mason Engelbrecht and Finn McNally

Watsford - Jack Wilson, Paul Gaganis and Harry Hobby

Waterhouse - Mo Ismaeel, Leon Thorne and Spark Wang

#### **Debbie Hulme**

EduCook Co-ordinator



- EduCook Wesley
   Cup winner Cotton
- 2. Delicious food made by Ben Johnson & Marlon Lock
- 3. Open for business - Eddie Lindsay, Louis MacIntosh & Tom Davies



# Scotts Creek Outdoor Centre

One of the great things about being part of the Scotts Creek campus and team is the wide variety of programs and camps we get to be part of. Except for year 9, the Scotts Creek team work with PAC boys from Years 2 to 12. Whether it's an introductory night away from home on the Year 2 Zoo Snooze, a first challenge camp at Scotts Creek for Year 5, or supporting a year 12 Self Reliant bushwalk in Deep Creek, we get to make the most of what outdoor experiential learning can offer.

In addition to our year level camps, in 2024 the Scotts Creek campus also hosted the PAC rowing team, the school band on their Riverland tour of 'Music Royalty', and the newly elected College Captains and Prefects for a leadership development weekend.

Beyond our own camps, we also worked with partner schools to give other students an opportunity to immerse themselves in our unique environment. Sister school Seymour College returned for their annual year 8 canoe expedition and we delivered a Rite Journey camp for Year 9 students from Nazareth Catholic College in Flinders Park.

Highlights this year included visits from Aboriginal Rangers from the River Murray and Mallee Aboriginal Corporation on our year 5 camps. The Rangers walked with the boys on the floodplain and identified turtle nesting sites and ancient tree signposts.

In partnership with the local Lions Club, our year 7 boys travelled into the small township of Morgan and completed projects supporting the local community, including a regeneration project at the local cemetery and preparation works on Floats for the towns annual Christmas Pageant. They also cleaned up the Morgan Institute, a grand old building which hosted the school band for a community concert which the town are still talking about!

#### **Daniel Cibich**

Director - Scotts Creek Outdoor Centre

- 1. Band Camp held in October 2024
- Year 8 boys and staff experiencing night time camping on their expedition
- 3. The Aurora Australis viewed from Scotts Creek in May 2024
- 4. 2025 Prefect Camp held in October 2024
- 5. Ranger sharing information about bush crafts to our Year 5 on camp
- 6. Ranger talking to Year 5 boys about the canoe tree on the banks of Scotts Creek













# Wambana











It has been another wonderful year at Wambana as we celebrate the conclusion of our 74th program. Wambana began in 2007 and we are continually impressed with the effort and enthusiasm that the boys bring to the program. A look back through the 2024 Wambana Calendar, provides us with the opportunity to reflect upon the many achievements and enjoyable times experienced by our students.

As is the tradition, students embark on their Wambana journey with a 'sail away' on the tall ship, 'The One and All'. This majestic vessel carried our students from Dock 2, Port Adelaide, across St Vincent's Gulf, to Port Vincent, on the Yorke Peninsula. Climbing the mast, steering the ship and learning about the history of the vessel were highlights for our students. Fortunately, the seas were kind this year, minimizing sea sickness and an uncomfortable lunch!

Wardli Living provided our boys with the opportunity to develop independence, teamwork and domestic skills. This experience of independent living, such as shopping, cooking, baking, and cleaning brings an awakening to our students and the appreciation of family. Sharing a house with friends can be both enjoyable, and at times, a challenge for our students. Through our Wardli meetings, skills in teamwork and open communication are taught to ensure a harmonious and functional home.

Our service-learning program is recognised and celebrated throughout the Southern Yorke Peninsula community for its diversity and inclusion. Working with people with disabilities, kindy kids, environmental groups, progress associations and volunteer organisations, demonstrates that our motto of 'others before self' is recognised and appreciated. The hard work of the Year 9 boys created a long-lasting positive impact for the Southern Yorke Peninsula community.

This year, we partnered with the Science and Humanities departments to introduce Agricultural Science and the Great Southern Reef respectively to our curriculum. Building on our farm visit program, Agricultural Science focused on the wool industry and the diversity of jobs in the agricultural sector. Our environmental efforts to preserve our dune systems was enhanced with a deeper look into the characteristics of a healthy Great Southern Reef.

Outdoor Adventure is a highlight for our boys. Surfing the pristine beaches of Berry Bay, Cycle Touring the Southern Yorke Peninsula and hiking the Southern Flinders Ranges captures the essence of our adventure program.

Wambana is committed to program evaluation and ensuring each student's experience supports age-appropriate development.













This year, each Wambana group completed pre and post surveys measuring their progress to develop capacity for emotional regulation to support respectful relationships. The results show the Wambana experience supports students to reduce negative behaviours and increase their capacity for kindness and empathy.

The culmination of our fitness program is the 11km Beach Run. It is a challenge our boys welcome and succeed at. Developing short term goals and a training program that is incremental helps to set up our boys for success. This year was a particularly challenging year. High tides, soft sand and strong winds were experienced. To their credit, our boys approached this challenge with a positive mindset and a 'can do' attitude.

Wambana 2024 has delivered excellent educational outcomes for our Year 9 students. We continue to strive for excellence, ensuring that our boys reflect on the qualities of a good man.

#### **Dale Hobbs**

Director Wambana

- Devesh Anavkar, Spencer Tudorovic, Zhao-Kai Wilcox, Nikolas Muzik, Achyut Chopra, Maks Laughlin, Joshua Zhang, Milo Kotzee, Charles Tang, Sam Bryson, Noah Leathart and David Yoon after spending the day installing bollards and revegetating the sand dunes at Flaherty's Beach.
- Louis Fiorili, Xander Butler, Archie Erbe, Henry Owler, Jackson Finnis and Joshua McDonald on an early morning run along Flaherty's Beach as part of the Wambana fitness program.
- Harvey Koch throwing the fleece in the shearing shed on the visit to Orrie Cowie Farm.
- Will Edwards climbing the mast of the One&All on the voyage across St Vincent Gulf.
- 5. William Spitty learning the different ways of putting up a hutchie in preparation for the Melrose Expedition.
- Harvey Chapman enjoying catching a wave at Blue Bay during the surfing program.
- Callum Heath conquering the difficult mountain bike track at Wombat's Revenge on the Cycle Tour.
- Cayden Sampson-Ly, Harry McFetridge, Ollie Earle, Johan Louw, Isaac Peris-Coe, Henry Orton and Jock Perry on a hiking adventure through the Mt Remarkable National Park at Melrose.
- 9. Harvey Chapman, Charlie Nolan and Harvy Vandenberg exploring the Great Southern Reef at Flaherty's Beach.
- 10. Will Maynard at the Warooka Bowling Club learning the art of lawn bowls.
- 11. Joe Kernahan completing the 'King of the Mountain' challenge on the Cycle Tour in Dhilba Guuranda-Innes National Park.

# **Outdoor Education**



Outdoor Education in 2024 saw our senior students enjoy a wide variety of experiences throughout South Australia. As social, mental and physical health are all discussed in length, the exciting thing about our subject is the ability to provide learning opportunities while also helping the wellbeing of the whole student.

Our staff and students alike enjoyed the wonderful development of skills across a wide variety of activities and, at times, challenging weather conditions. Our program focus remains on skill development in riding, climbing, paddling, diving, walking, navigation and camp craft, with each year level having two expeditions throughout the year to hone skills.

Our students were also able to learn about the weather, planning for safe and sustainable trips, environmental systems and leadership. We look forward to another positive year in the great outdoors with exciting, challenging and engaging experiences in natural environments!

#### **Phil Noble**

Outdoor Education Co-ordinator

- 1. 12OE Deep Creek
- 110E Cordola
- 120E Para Wirra
- 4. 120E Surfing at Robe5. 120E Normanville Sunset
- 120E Second Valley











# **Humanities**





#### Opportunities have abounded for **Humanities students in 2024.**

Geography students have put their skills to the test, embarking on fieldtrips from Years 7-12. For the first time, our Year 7 students headed to Myponga to join forces with the powerful Forktree Project. The Forktree Project seeks to re-wild a significant piece of ex-farmland in Myponga, helping to mitigate the effects of climate change in the process. The Year 7s got their hands dirty, clearing bush, planting trees, and feeling good about contributing to real world solutions. Our Year 8s investigated the Karrawirra Parri (River Torrens), while our Year 10s headed to the coast to evaluate management practices of our beaches. 2024 saw Geography appear at Wambana for the first time, with dedicated lessons being run by Geography teachers. Students embarked on a study of The Great Southern Reef, an extraordinary system of reefs that runs past Point Turton. They learnt about its significance and how to protect it, all the while enjoying its beauty.

This year, History students continued to expand their perspectives and understanding of the past through experiential learning. Year 8 students explored the Adelaide Gaol as part of Adelaide week, learning about the different iterations of the gaol and how it has reflected the changing societal norms of Adelaide over the decades. Year 9 students visited Bublacowie Military Museum while at Wambana, delving into the storied military history of our nation.

Uncle Moogy, a Kaurna and Ngarrindjeri Elder, graciously shared his culture and knowledge with Year 10 students. Students gathered in Yarning Circles to speak with Uncle Moogy about his experiences as an Indigenous man over the past 70 years, in the process growing empathy and understanding of the Indigneous Civil Rights movement.

A highlight of 2024 were the vaulted achievements of students in national History and Geography competitions. Joshua Wang, Year 7, and Henry Fan, Year 9, were State Champions in their respective year levels for the National History Competition. Harry Paholski was State Champion for Year 9 in the Australian Geography Competition. Beyond these superb results, students also achieved 28 High Distinctions and 42 Distinctions across the two competitions, showing the breadth and depth of Humanities students skill in the school.

#### **Jacquie Sexton**

Academic Leader Humanities

- Alec Halkett, Year 9, Geography lesson on the beach at Wambana.
   Remy Worthington, Henry Drew, Max Beltrame, Year 10. Students
- helping to create Indigenous Family Canvas.

# The Oliphant Science Awards

At the start of this year, 16 boys across both Preparatory and Secondary Schools participated in the Oliphant Science Award competition. All the boys worked hard, and I am proud to say that they produced incredible results.

The Oliphant Science Awards is a prestigious science competition held annually in South Australia, aimed at fostering scientific curiosity and encouraging students to engage with science in creative and innovative ways. The awards are open to students from primary and secondary schools and provide an excellent platform for young people to showcase their scientific knowledge, research skills, and problem-solving abilities.

At the conclusion of the Oliphant Science Awards, Di and I were happy to be there to honor and celebrate Caleb Tang and Aryan Parwal on their Oliphant Science Award achievements.

Caleb Tang (Y 12) received First, Second and Third prizes in the Scientific Inquiry Category, sponsored by the University of South Australia. Caleb also received a Second place in the Young Scientist Award, sponsored by the Department of Education. In addition to these achievements, Caleb won the Oliphant Trophy for 2024 for his outstanding science content (To what extent does different coloured light affect the bacterial growth of Staphylococcus epidermidis measured in terms of the colony size (CFU/mL) after 30 minutes of light treatment under each colour). The trophy was presented by Monica Oliphant, followed by an acceptance speech from Caleb who acknowledged the support of his teachers and school.

The last time the trophy was won by a PAC student was in 1996 by James Messner. This was an historic moment for Caleb and for PAC, and for the Oliphant Awards.

Aryan Parwal, Year 11, received Second place in the Science Writing Category (Anti-aging), sponsored by Flinders University.

Keshav Balachander, Year 6, received a Highly Commended award for his Science Writing (Space Junk).

Elon You, Oliver Raeside and Charles Yin, Year 2, received Highly Commended awards for their Crystal Investigation (How to grow high quality crystals).

Also, thanks to the boys who participated in OSA:

- · Samuel Pheasant, Year 11 Science Writing
- · Aidan Obst, Year 11 Science Writing
- · Charles Tang, Year 9 Science Writing
- · Aaron Liu, Year 8 Scientific Enquiry
- Ben Logan and Charlie Bermingham, Year 7 Scientific Inquiry
- · Lucas Clayton and Tim Hill, Year 7 Scientific Inquiry
- · Declan Lin, Year 7 Scientific Enquiry
- · Ted Thomas, Year 3 Crystal Growing

The Oliphant Science Awards play a crucial role in cultivating a passion for Science among young people, fostering a new generation of scientists, and providing valuable learning experiences. Success in the competition is a testament to a student's hard work and dedication to scientific exploration, helping to open doors to future opportunities in the STEM field.

As an Oliphant Science Award Coordinator for PAC, I am proud of the boys achievement and commend them on their results.







- Dr Di Hu, Caleb Tang, Aryan Parwal and Mr Firas Andari at the Oliphant Awards
- 2. Oliphant Awards Caleb Tang

### Science

2024 was a busy year in our Science program. Several new initiatives included Agricultural Science being formally taught for the first time in the Senior School. All Year 9s were taught a short unit related to the wool industry and our Year 10s completed a full unit of work linked to plant science, the technology of agriculture and Agribusiness. Keen to forge stronger links between the Preparatory and Senior Schools, our Year 4s, 5s and 6s gained some practical experience in the senior school laboratories and the Preparatory boys were treated to some 'explosive' science across their lunch breaks during Science Week.

This year also marked the 80th edition of the Science Journal. This year's theme acknowledged this milestone with the theme "80 Years of Discovery." Veteran journal committee member, Year 12 Caleb Tang as Chief Editor, guided the boys through the process of formulating the journal. Molecular Biologist Dr James Miller was the guest author with his article reflecting on how the significant advancements over the last 80 years have shaped his in his field of scientific endeavour.

Each year we have several boys awarded High Distinctions in various national and international competitions and 2024 was no exception. Competitions where boys achieved this exceptional level included the National Chemistry Quiz and Big Science Olympiad Examinations. Three of our Year 11s, James Cree, Rijak Dhingra and Jack Zheng were acknowledged as an "Excellent team", which is the highest honour awarded in the National Titration Competition. Year 7, Ellis Twigge, won the Year 7 category of the state-wide Science Investigation Awards with his inquiry into the concept of photosynthesis. A highlight this year was Caleb Tang (Year 12) being the first Prince Alfred College student since 1996 to be awarded the premier Oliphant Science Award prize – the Oliphant Trophy – a truly fine effort.

#### **Peter Hopkins**

Academic Leader, Science







- 2024 Science Journal Committee
   Back Row: Mr Peter Hopkins, Aidan Foo, Aryan Parwal, Eddie Lock, Aiden
   Lim Front Row: Noah Varghese, Charles Tang, Caleb Tang (Chief Editor),
   Lachlan Logan, Sage Goel. Absent: Devesh Anavkar.
- 2. 2024 Science Journal Front cover Aiden Lim, Year 11
- 3. Harry Paholski, Year 9, shearing sheep at Wambana
- 4. Preparatory School students being blown away with some explosive science during Science Week



# Art Design Film and Technology





- Model airplane James Pudney

- Outside bar Charlie Siemer
  Engine Trolley Cody Corbett
  Dog kennel Henry Pearce
  Tassie's Journey to Uluru Tom Thredgold





- Ecco Mack Taylor
- ktmr Alfie Truman
- Crunchie Critters Breakfast
- 10. The Stinky Whale Alfie Truman
- Cereal Tom Thredgold Alabama Aliens – Mack Taylor

The annual Art, Design, Film and Technology showcase was held in ANZAC Hall and Piper Pavilion on Friday, 1 November and featured exhibited works from Year 12 students studying a range of subjects across the faculty areas. Works included visual art, woodwork, metal, graphic design and film.

The event was well attended by students and staff and included special guests and Old Scholars, Alfie Brown from Paramount Brown's and Brenton Murray from Brighter Design.

The evening was also an opportunity to present a number of awards to students who had achieved particularly well over the course of the academic year. The award recipients for 2024 were:

**Thomas Henchliffe** – Headmaster's Award (Film)

William Deakin - Subject Award (Film)

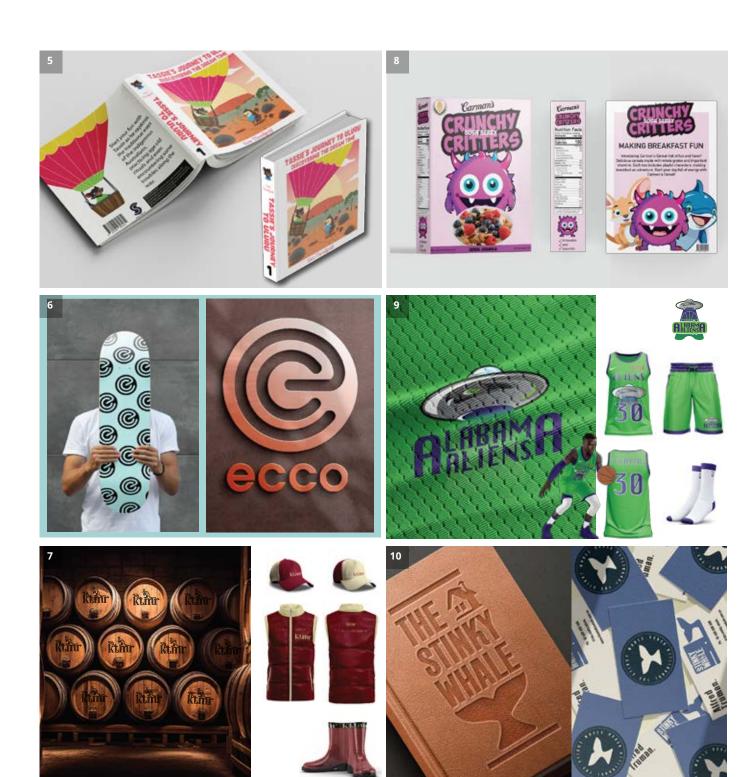
Oliver Kreminski – Headmaster's Award (Woodwork)

Hayden Reese – Paramount Brown's Award for Excellence (Woodwork)

Charlie Siemer – Headmaster's Award (Metalwork)

**Henry Pearce** – Paramount Brown's Award for Excellence (Metalwork)

James Pudney - Headmaster's Award (Computer Aided Design)



**Sam Stunnel** – Paramount Brown's Award for Excellence (Computer Aided Design)

James Pudney – Headmaster's Award (Systems & Control)

**Nickolas Miteloudis** – Paramount Brown's Award for Excellence (Systems & Control)

Charlie Sanders – Headmaster's Award (Visual Art)

**Angus Harvey** – Subject Award (Visual Art)

**Alfie Truman** – Headmaster's Award (Design)

**Tom Thredgold** – Brenton Murray Design Award (Design)

**Mack Taylor** – Digital Print Australia Award (Design)

Finally, I would like to thank several people for making 2024 a successful year. Firstly, the dedicated ADF&T staff for their continued efforts and support of our students, giving up their own time to run extra sessions in holidays and on weekends. Also, our award sponsors for their generosity and interest in our subjects, and the College for its continued investment and resourcing of our facilities and teaching programs.

#### Jarrad Jackson

Head of Faculty – Art, Design, Film & Technology

# PAC Art Prize Winners: 2024

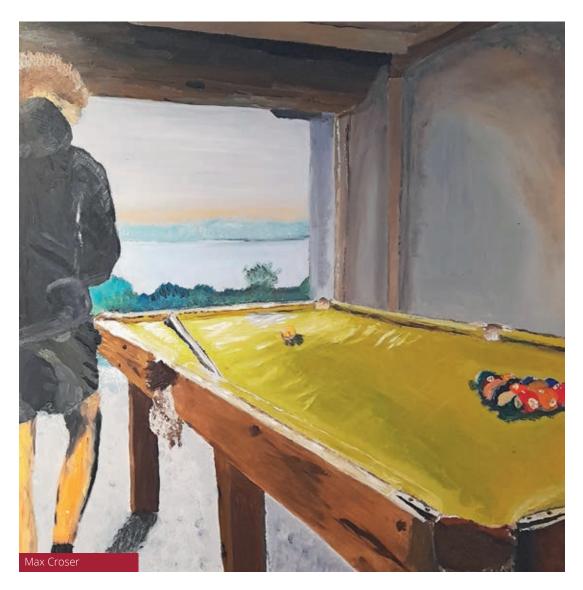
#### Jack DeVidas Prize

*Senior School* Joshua Balacco

*Middle School*Calvin Anebury









#### Ashton Landscape/ Seascape Prize

*Senior School*Max Croser

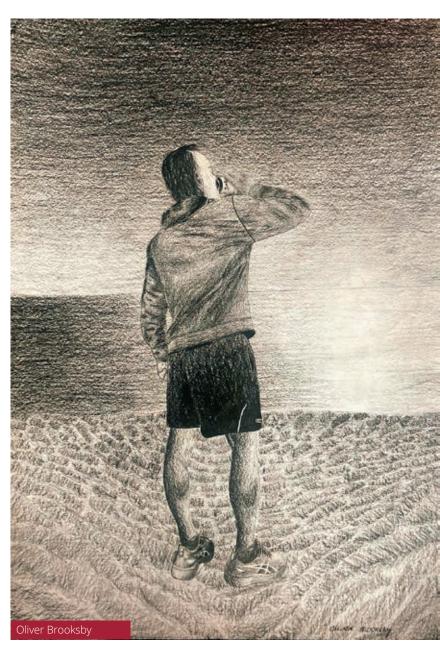
*Middle School* Tom Nolan



#### Sir Ivor Hele Portrait Prize

Senior School Angad Gill

*Middle School*Oliver Brooksby



# **Academic Support**

In 2024, the Academic Support Team played a critical role in ensuring that all students, particularly those requiring additional assistance, had access to high-quality, inclusive education. The team's efforts focused on academic growth, fostering an inclusive learning environment, and preparing Senior students for their future pathways, while also addressing students' social and emotional wellbeing. This holistic approach reflected a commitment to continuous improvement, collaboration, and student success.

A key achievement was the successful delivery of a reading program for students needing additional intervention. Recognising the diverse literacy levels within the student cohort, the team implemented an evidence-based program focused on phonetic understanding and reading fluency. This approach led to significant improvements in reading proficiency, as well as increased student confidence. This success demonstrated the effectiveness of targeted, evidence-based interventions.

In addition to academic support, the team worked closely with classroom teachers to ensure the integration of inclusive practices across the College. By collaborating with teachers to adapt teaching methods, resources, and assessments, the team created an environment where all students, regardless of their needs, had access to a meaningful curriculum. Providing ongoing assistance to teachers helped them implement differentiated strategies effectively, strengthening the overall inclusive atmosphere of the school.

The Academic Support Team also focused on social and emotional support for students, recognising the importance of mental wellbeing in academic success. The team facilitated student mentorship programs and provided a dedicated space for students to seek support before school and during lunch breaks. This safe and supportive space allowed students to connect with peers, access guidance, and receive emotional support when needed.

Additionally, the team worked closely with Senior students to help them prepare for post-school pathways, tailoring support to each student's unique needs and aspirations. This included career exploration and work experience, ensuring students were equipped to make informed decisions about their next steps.

Overall, the Academic Support Team's work in 2024 was defined by targeted academic interventions, collaboration with teachers, social and emotional support, and a focus on student success. Their efforts helped create an inclusive environment where all students could thrive academically, emotionally, and personally, fostering an educational atmosphere in which every student had the opportunity to succeed.

#### **Damien Coats**

Inclusive Education Co-ordinator

L-R: Debbie Hulme, Charlie Sani, Angela Spitty, Sally Persian, Nicola Wells, Damien Coats



# Wellbeing Support Services

The Wellbeing Team had a dynamic and innovative year, implementing several new initiatives to enhance the quality of support provided to students.

The wellbeing program aligns closely with the Prince's Man Program and broader Pastoral Care initiatives. In collaboration with the Heads of House, the Wellbeing Team works to effectively support students requiring assistance. The introduction of a 24/7 online booking system enables students to schedule individual counselling sessions at their convenience, with appointment availability from 7:00 am to 4:00 pm. Parents also have access to this system to book appointments with the team.

Throughout the year, a wellbeing team member visited the boys at Wambana during each rotation, delivering sessions on conflict resolution, empathy, and stress management. To further personalise support, quantitative data was gathered before and after each Wambana rotation to measure changes in empathy, aggression, stress, and anxiety.

Additionally, virtual reality technology was introduced to the wellbeing space to help students develop skills in emotional self-regulation. The team is collaborating with one of the leading universities in Adelaide to create programs specifically aimed at fostering empathy.

A strong emphasis was placed on R U OK? day this year, featuring structured conversations in tutor groups, impactful videos, and visible displays throughout the school to promote mental health awareness.

For Year 6 students transitioning from the Prep School, a morning tea event was organised, where they were introduced to the senior school Wellbeing Team and familiarised with the wellbeing facilities.

This year, the Wellbeing Team also worked closely with the boarding house staff to build supportive counselling relationships and meaningful connections with all boarders, enhancing their emotional and social wellbeing. Recognising the unique challenges that boarding, especially for international students, can present—such as adjusting to a new culture, school environment, and language—emotional and mental health support remains a priority. Studies demonstrate a strong link between wellbeing and academic performance, which underscores the College's commitment to dedicated wellbeing support. Alongside pastoral care from boarding house staff, a wellbeing counsellor is available one evening each week to provide confidential counselling services for boarders.

#### **Annecke Redelinghuys and Peter Giffard**

College Counsellors

### **Careers**

I have had the privilege of being the careers advisor at Prince Alfred College for almost 15 years. I am impressed with the vast number of bespoke PAC educational opportunities offered to all students including history tours overseas, outstanding performing arts showcase events, highly prized debating competitions, boarding house adventures, meaningful community service activities, science excursions, an excellent Indigenous student cultural program, design and visual art exhibits & awards, countless sporting options, valued student contributions in publications, a rich and varied international student program, a library focused on contemporary learning, and so much more.

The offerings listed above, when connected with careers guidance, provide an integrated career education which complements future pathways decisions. For many young people, regardless of what school they attend, working out a career path can sometimes feel like standing at a crossroads without a map. I am delighted that Prince Alfred College invests in a PAC careers program (akin to a BIG map!) which helps build awareness, aspiration and agency. This investment and acknowledgement have allowed me to put together a framework aligned with the Australian Blueprint for Career Development which helps guide positive career conversations towards meaningful outcomes.

In 2024, the Careers Office provided big and small career events, tailored classroom career development activities, one-on-one careers counselling, shared activities with Frank Palladino (VET Coordinator), the facilitation of work experience placements, and specialised support (including Med/Dentistry interview coaching, scholarship and USA athlete pathway applications). These have been exceptionally well received by students, staff and parents.

The 2024 Prince Alfred College Mega Careers and Employment Expo in April included, once again, a large number of Seymour College

girls and their parents. This combined audience of Year 9 – 12 students proved attractive to our many guest exhibitors and guest speakers (many PAC Old Scholars and Seymour Old Collegians) who represented local and national educators and industry stakeholders. Exhibitors included ANU (ACT), ADF, Bond University (Qld), our local universities, University of Melbourne & Marcus Oldham Agricultural College (VIC), SA Police, TAFE, Fulton Hogan and so many more. There was free food for the hundreds who attended, door prizes and most importantly and palpable excitement for the careers learning.

Year 11 students enjoyed their special Career Development Day on Tuesday 26 November. In addition to local universities, students heard about applying and studying at national and international universities. This included a talk from Education USA (US Consulate) and PAC Old Scholar Stuart Floyd Director: International Recruitment, Scholarships and Awards at the University of British Columbia, who gave a glowing recommendation about studying in Canada. The students were able to choose 3 electives to attend (out of 7) and they included 'Uni Life', 'Gap Year', 'Apprenticeships', and 'Scholarships' Med/Dentistry/Music auditions'. 16 business professionals attended our Business Pizza Luncheon, and each hosted a student table as a mock interview coach.

A highlight for me every year is the generous continued contribution of time by PAC Old Scholars and PAC parents who attend the careers events to affirm, coach and share their wisdom with the students who are very appreciative. Thanks to them and to my 2024 Careers Team Leaders: Joe Arkwright, Joe Menz, Aiden Obst, James Searle, Louis Annetta, Chewa Maurici, Ridha Ismaeel and the others who helped out at various events.

#### Monica Magann

Careers Advisor









# **Boarding**

2024 has been an active and engaging year in boarding, with opportunities to engage in all parts of the Prince's education.

As Co-Captains of boarding, we have seen our community engage in a wide variety of events and activities creating many shared memories. Boarders' Week, including the Rushton Cup and Boarders' Challenge, the Push-Up Challenge, an agriculture tour to Marcus Oldham and Longerenong College, and Relay for Life were some of the highlights this year. Our activity, pastoral, academic, and co-curricular calendars are something that make our boarding experience truly special.

The importance of boarding house culture cannot be overstated. It's more than just a place to sleep and study, it's a vibrant community where we become a family. Living together, we learn to support one another through challenges, celebrate each other's successes, and build lifelong friendships. The shared experiences and collective growth make our boarding house feel like a second home. It is this culture of mutual respect, understanding, and camaraderie that transforms a group of individuals into a unified and supportive family.

With this being said, living far away from home is not always easy. As boarders, we are challenged daily to learn and display self-responsibility and self-discipline and to manage our time and commitments without the comfort of having our parents close by. But, with this amazing community by our side, no matter how tough times get or how much we may want to be at home, we always have another big family in the rooms next door. Whatever we are going through, we go through together, and it is this sense of brotherhood that we'll be forever grateful for.

So, as our time here comes to an end, we want to thank some important people from the boarding community. All the staff, from residential and casual staff, administration, house parents, counsellors, nurses, tutors, and our senior staff. The team in catering, housekeeping, laundry, maintenance, security, and grounds. The hard work that you do for us every day is what makes our community so special. To our parents, extended families, friends, and home communities, we thank you for supporting our journey in boarding at PAC. It will be sad to leave, but we are excited for the future and especially proud of the work of all boarders this year.

#### Harry Piggott, Jared Kuhl and William Manuel

2024 Boarding Co-Captains























- 1. PAC boarders late at night during the 2024 Relay For Life.
- 2. Boarders out for a round of 18 holes during a
- boarding golf activity.
  A group of boarders visiting Marcus Oldham College in Victoria as part of the boarding agricultural tour.
- agricultural tour.
  4. Harry Hodges making melting moments in a cooking class.
  5. Aryan Madan and Harry Piggott showing off the Year 12 boarders' jumper for 2024.
  6. Boarders enjoying hot pot in Chinatown.
  7. Will Andre reeling one in during a boarding fishing activity.
- fishing activity.
- 8. Riley Vivian, Harry Sage, and Cody Corbett volunteering their time to support the Red Shield Appeal.
- Ryan Bowyer and Eddie Lock with Director of Boarding, Phil Noble, at the Lucindale Field Days.
- 10. Boys getting ready for the star-dropper event as part of the Boarders' Challenge Relay on Athletics Day.
- 11. The PAC day boys' team (left) and the boarders' team (right) after the annual Rushton Cup football match.

## **International Students**



This year, we are incredibly proud of our Year 12 international students for their unwavering dedication and for representing the College values. These 13 young men, from four different countries, are now prepared to embark on their next journey as Princes Men.

At the International Student Farewell Dinner, our boys took the opportunity to reflect on their time at the College, expressing heartfelt gratitude to the staff who have guided and supported them throughout their years here. Ivan Ng and Alan Wei, our International Student Captains, delivered their final addresses at the dinner. They sincerely thanked their parents for their sacrifices in supporting their education abroad. The whole group also shared their memories of their challenging times and their highlights with everyone present. Nine families travelled great distances to celebrate their achievements and to see their sons graduate.

The boarding house has continued to offer exceptional support to our international boarders, including providing early arrival options, extended stays and care during school breaks. During these times, a variety of activities were offered, such as cooking classes and additional co-curricular training for events like diving, surfing and mountain biking. It was also encouraging to see international students challenge themselves in these activities.

Our international students have continued to excel in both academic life and extracurricular activities. Tony Xiang (Year 8), Thomas Yu (Year 11), Tom Xu (Year 12), and Eric Sun (Year 12) achieved outstanding results in the HSMC (Hamann School Mathematics Competition). Ivan Ng was honoured with the College Prize for Global Citizenship,

a testament to his exceptional ability to foster connections across cultures. Additionally, musicians such as Tom Xu and Sam He consistently impressed with their performances at major campus events. Looking ahead, our 2025 International Student Captains, Tristan Wong and Alex Fan, are ready to carry on the tradition of leadership and community support set by their predecessors.

The academic success of our international students has been outstanding, with many earning accolades in subjects such as Maths, English, and Chinese. Many of our IB students attained exceptional ATAR scores above 95, securing places at world-renowned universities and showcasing their hard work and dedication to excellence.

A key part of our international program is the International Student Transition Program (ISTP), designed to build students' confidence in English and prepare them for the academic expectations of an Australian school. This year, 14 students from Years 7 to 10 participated, working on a range of skills including writing opinion essays and research reports, refining their grammar, and gaining familiarity with the language of Maths and Science. Additionally, the program exposed students to various cultural texts to deepen their understanding of English. They also studied Chinese, Physical Education, and Drama.

Throughout the year, we were fortunate to host several guest speakers, including Mrs Redelinghuys and Mr Giffard, who led discussions on wellbeing, and Simon Liu, our 2023 International Student Captain, who shared insights into his role and offered advice on succeeding in mainstream classes. The students also had the









opportunity to interview Ms Stockdale from Student Services as part of an investigation into the effectiveness of the school's phone policy. Later, in Term 4, Year 10 EAL students worked with the ISTP cohort to assist with their writing as part of their Personal Learning Project.

Units of work in Science have included components of chemistry, biology and physics. While the focus has been on the learning and interpreting of the broad range of new vocabulary and language introduced in these topics, students have also been involved in content learning, laboratory practice and associated report writing. They have learned how to interpret and discuss the information presented, to actively listen with understanding and to summarise using sound grammatical techniques when presenting their findings. Topics studied in Mathematics have been at an advanced level for their cohort, using a vast amount of new language to display students' understanding of their mathematical investigations and problem-solving techniques.

In 2024, we welcomed over 20 new international students from five different nationalities, spanning across Reception to 10. These students participated in a variety of activities, including career evenings and sporting, music and social events with other schools, including St Peters Boys' School, Seymour College, Wilderness School and St Peters Girls' School. We also celebrated our cultural diversity with international student receptions, special luncheons, and the Year 12 farewell dinner to mark important days on our international calendar.

Our international students are fully integrated into the life of the College. They participate in Tutor groups and House teams, engage in

sports, music, and co-curricular activities, and take part in interschool competitions and carnivals. Their involvement has been remarkable, with notable achievements in squash, badminton, basketball, table tennis, and music.

As we move into 2025, we continue to welcome international students, guided by our new 2025–2028 Strategic Plan. At Prince Alfred College, we are committed to our values of fostering Respect, Excellence, Belonging, and Endeavour, inspiring our students to strive for success and develop as well-rounded young men of character as Princes Men.

**Donna Martin, Mani White, Daniel Johnson and Jeff Elis**The ISTP Team

#### 1. Year 12 International Students 2024

1st Row L-R: Mani White, Eric Sun, Ivan Ng, Thomas Xu, Deb King 2nd Row L-R:: Oscar Qian, Alan Wei, Busco Wang, Tony Jiang 3rd Row L-R:: Stephen Wang, Sam He, Oakley Shi, Banh Son, Hayden Chan

#### 2. Stage 2 Chinese Background Speakers Class

- L-R: Eric Sun, Stephen Wang, Busco Wang, Thomas Xu, Mani White
  3. Eric Sun received the Award of 4th Place at Senior Section of MASA Competition
- Ivan Ng shaved for Childhood Cancer Fundraising
- 5. **Red and White Formal L-R:** Stephen Wang, Tony Jiang, Alan Wei

# **Indigenous Program**







In 2024, Prince Alfred College has made significant strides in its Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Program, fostering a deeper understanding and appreciation of Indigenous cultures within the school community.

Uncle John Lochowiak and Uncle Moogy Sumner have been instrumental in sharing the story of Tjilbruke, an important part of the Kaurna people and the Adelaide Plains. This story, which includes themes of compassion, character, and discipline, has deeply resonated with students and staff and will continue to guide the program and opportunities for students and staff to engage with the local community.

Highlights of 2024 include the establishment of the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Knowledge Centre, situated next to the Keeves Library. This centre serves as a hub for cultural education, providing resources and a space for students to engage with Indigenous knowledge and traditions.

Another significant achievement is the completion of four large canvases, each representing one of the four Kaurna seasons, led by Aboriginal students, and created by students in Watsford, Cotton, Taylor, and Waterhouse. These artworks will be displayed around the College at various times of the year, symbolising the connection between the school and the traditional land on which we are situated, as well as the unity among all students and staff.

We have also maintained an Elder In-Residence Program, working closely with Uncle John and Uncle Moogy. Their presence and guidance continue to enrich the cultural education of students, offering firsthand insights into Indigenous traditions and knowledges.

There were also memorable trips to Melbourne University, with a stay at Trinity Residential College, giving students a taste of university life and opportunities for future academic aspirations. Additionally, Year 10 students participated in The Smith Family Indigenous Youth Leadership Program Gathering in Sydney, which provided valuable leadership training and networking opportunities.

Looking ahead to 2025, we anticipate the re-establishment of its Reconciliation Action Plan (RAP) with a consultative committee, marking a renewed commitment to reconciliation and inclusivity. Furthermore, a strong coalition of local schools has been formed, with regular social events for students and co-ordinator meetings for staff.

These initiatives reflect our dedication to creating an inclusive and culturally rich educational environment.

#### **Ben Lewis**

Aboriginal Program Co-ordinator

# Library

The introduction of new and varied library programs as well as the strengthening of the reading culture at the College has been the focus of the Keeves Library in 2024.

Term 1 started off on an exhilarating note, the Years 7-9 Reading Race! Tutors recorded how many minutes their tutor group read during tutor time in Weeks 5-8. The library displayed the score for each tutor group at the end of each week. Congratulations to Mrs Melissa Brister and her Year 9 class who won the race with 302 minutes and 23 seconds! Well done, Taylor, what an impressive team effort!

In Term 2, the library turned into a restaurant for a week to cater for a book tasting experience for our Year 8 students. The fine dining experience has seen our students sample delicious assortments of genres ranging from fantasy and adventure to mystery, horror and historical fiction.

Each term this year, 36 staff volunteered to act as a pen pal for our Year 9s who wrote to them about a book they read during their extended stay in Wambana. It was wonderful to connect with our students, and share recommendations and thoughts about books we like, characters we love and things that inspire us in different

Our Year 11 IBDP students and Year 12 History students went on an excursion to browse the shelves of the Barr Smith Library at Adelaide University to find additional resources for their research project. Whether participating in a fun guided tour via the GooseChase app or spending time doing research in the stunning Reading Room, students enjoyed the stimulating experience of visiting a university library for the first time.

Our most popular displays this year have been related to the topics of Reconciliation, World Environment Day, Homelessness Awareness Week, Inspiring Biographies and Halloween.

We concluded the year with a wonderful assembly which celebrated our students' outstanding efforts of participating in the annual Premier's Reading Challenge. For the second year in a row, Waterhouse won the Andrew Hough trophy for reading the most books over a period of twelve months. Will this winning streak continue next year?

#### **Ana Grieve**

Head Librarian (Senior School)







- 1. Fantasy reading display
- Reconciliation display Year 12 students L-R: Ethan Retnaraja, Christopher Towers, Sam Chiccocioppo

# **Student Voice Committee**





Student leadership was an area reviewed under our broader pastoral changes in 2024. This led to an expansion of our student leadership model and the alignment of leaders to Houses. Every student in the Secondary School was given the opportunity to nominate for a position as a year level House Leader. There are two House Leaders per year level in the Middle Years and three per year level in the Senior Years. Together, the 48 students, selected via interview with their Head of House and House Captains, make up the Student Voice Committee (SVC).

The role description for our House Leaders states:

Prince Alfred College believes that students have the capacity for genuine leadership by advocating for their peers and working to create a cohesive and ever-improving school community. Moreover, PAC believes that students play an important role in making decisions about the daily operations of the College and our programs.

The 2024 House Leaders fulfilled their roles admirably, meeting twice per term under the direction of Prefects to address issues within our community such as maintaining school grounds, offering feedback on the Approach to Learning process, assisting with the development of the Princes Men Charter and selecting the theme for House

Music. In addition, House Leaders also led their year levels at House events and represented the views of their Tutor Groups at meetings. Opportunities to lead Middle Years assemblies were given to the Year 9 SVC leaders and the Year 8 SVC leaders met up with leaders from other schools at the Positive Education Schools Association "Connect. Create. Lead." Year 8 Student Wellbeing Symposium.

In 2025, the Prefects responsible for the SVC portfolio also plan to introduce leadership training as part of regular SVC meetings, so that students are not only doing leadership but also *learning* about how to do it better in the service of our school. They will identify members of our community with leadership experience to come and talk to students once per term.

Outside of the SVC, we had students from Year 7-12 demonstrate leadership through being camp buddies, assisting at Preparatory School carnivals and acting as hosts for our guests at tours and functions.

The first year of a revised student leadership model has been very positive and we look forward to seeing further growth in the SVC and House Leadership over the coming years.

	Year 7	Year 8	Year 9	Year 10	Year 11
Cotton	Oliver Brooksby Mitch Stankiewicz	Mason Engelbrecht Giuseppe Fuda	Bronte O'Callaghan Louis Fiorili	Saverio Blefari Liam Kritharas Henry Murdoch	Marco Wirth Noah Mennillo James Arney
Taylor	Ben Logan Sebastian Saunders	Lachlan Logan William Katdare	Zeke Blaskett James Mudge	Ky Foggarty Angad Gill Henry Yang	Stefan Drusian Kyle Prinsloo Charlie Waltham
Waterhouse	Ben Hamood Harry Gatenby	Hugo Grayling Spark Wang	Harry Paholski Milo Kotzee	Julian Dawson Aidan Witenden Jude Saturno	Sam Commons Will Hobbs David Oyekale
Watsford	Ellis Twigge Lucas Pizzino	Lachlan Wilde James McDonald	Zac Grice Will Edwards	Hugo Spears Isaac Yu Thami Nyathi	Zach Floreani Jasper Zerbe Aryan Parwal

# **2024 Prefects**



Row 3: Eli Anders, Hugo Evans, Cody Corbett, Owen Barkla, Elijah Roberts, Nicholas Henchliffe, Harry Piggott
Row 2: Roshan Ediriweera, Ziheng Tang, Pun Lai Ng, Archie MacMahon, Christopher Towers, Miles Falahey, Nathan Thomas, Matthew Nort
Row 1: Peter Moore, David Roberts, Thomas Turnbull, Maxwell Whittle, Thomas Henchliffe, Greg Atterton, Andrew MacGregor



Row 3: Michael Cook, Julian Hyde-Kelly, Luke Szabo, Sam Stunell, Nathaniel Lindop, Blake Roberts Row 2: Louis Habgood, Ryan Percival, Carmine Piantedosi, Jesse Rothgrew, Luca Bacon, Oliver Kreminski, Alexander MacDonald

Row 1: Edward Chapple, Francesco Ciampa, Zachariah Anderson, Charles Wundenberg, Henry Allen, James Kelledy, Roshan Ediriweera, Nickolas Miteloudis

# Year 12 Valete



Asger Abraham 2020 – 2024 Taylor



Mustafa Al Fayyad 2018 – 2024 Waterhouse



Henry Allen 2010 – 2024 Cotton



Eli Anders 2018 – 2024 Cotton



Zachariah Anderson 2011 – 2024 Watsford



Dougal Ashby 2021 – 2024 Cotton



Luca Bacon 2010 – 2024 Taylor



Ethan Bailey ELC – 2011, 2015 – 2024 Taylor



Quang (Son) Banh 2023 – 2024 COTTON



Owen Barkla 2022 – 2024 Watsford



Daniel Bergamin 2017 – 2024 Waterhouse



Joshua Branson 2021 – 2024 Watsford



Henry Bruce 2020 – 2024 Cotton



Rome Burgoyne 2022 – 2024 Watsford



Joseph Callaghan 2023 – 2024 Cotton



George Campbell 2020 – 2024 Cotton



Yin Hei (Hayden) Chan 2022 – 2024 Cotton



Edward Chapple 2010 – 2024 Cotton



Francesco Ciampa 2009 – 2024 Watsford



Samuel (Sam) Ciccocioppo 2018 – 2024 Cotton



Oscar Cohen 2023 – 2024 Waterhouse



Hamish Colby 2019 – 2024 Waterhouse



Michael Cook 2011 – 2024 Watsford



Cody Corbett 2022 – 2024 Waterhouse



Jackson Crosby 2022 – 2024 Cotton



Hugh Czuchwicki 2019 – 2024 Taylor



Christian D'Annunzio 2013 – 2024 Cotton



Edward (Ned) Davies 2019 – 2024 Cotton



Louis Dawson 2019 – 2024 Waterhouse



William (Will) Deakin 2019 – 2024 Cotton



Samuel Desmazures 2020 – 2024 Waterhouse



Tom Dolling 2020 – 2024 Cotton



Arjun Dosanjh 2014 – 2024 Cotton



Hudson Duka 2022 – 2024 Cotton



Angus Dunn 2022 – 2024 Waterhouse



Hugh Dunn 2020 – 2024 Watsford



Roshan Ediriweera 2011 – 2024 Watsford



Harry Edwards 2015 – 2024 Cotton



Hugo Evans 2011 – 2024 Cotton



Isaac Evans 2019 – 2024 Watsford



Miles Falahey 2017 – 2024 Cotton



Samuel (Sam) Girdler 2016 – 2024 Watsford



Joseph (Joe) Grundy 2020 – 2024 Cotton



Louis Habgood 2011 – 2024 Watsford



Brodie Harris 2022 – 2024 Cotton



Angus Harvey 2017 – 2024 Watsford



Houcheng (Sam) He 2017 – 2024 Cotton



Nicholas Henchliffe 2016 – 2024 Taylor



Thomas Henchliffe 2016 – 2024 Taylor



Nathaniel (Nate) Herbert 2022 – 2024 Watsford



Sam Heuzenroeder 2021 – 2024 Taylor



Jasper Hill 2019 – 2024 Watsford



William Holland 2015 – 2024 Cotton



Peter Hurn 2017 – 2024 Cotton



Julian Hyde-Kelly 2011 – 2024 Cotton



Joshua (Josh) Inglis 2022 – 2024 Watsford



Dylan James 2018 – 2024 Taylor



Cooper Jarrett 2022 – 2024 Taylor



Tianyi (Tony) Jiang 2022 – 2024 Waterhouse



Lucas Jones 2012 – 2024 Waterhouse



Louis Kellaway 2023 – 2024 Cotton



James Kelledy 2011 – 2024 Watsford



Samuel (Sam) Kent 2023 – 2024 Waterhouse



Hugo Knight 2011 – 2024 Waterhouse



Oliver Kreminski 2012 – 2024 Taylor



Jared Kuhl 2022 – 2024 Cotton



Joshua Larkin 2017 – 2024 Cotton



Matthew LeRay 2022 – 2024 Cotton



Oscar Levinson 2022 – 2024 Taylor



Nathaniel Lindop 2012 – 2024 Waterhouse



Alexander MacDonald 2011 – 2024 Watsford



Archie MacMahon 2018 – 2024 Taylor



Aryan Madan 2019 – 2024 Taylor



George Malone 2022 – 2024 Cotton



Sidney (Sid) Malone 2022 – 2024 Cotton



William (Will) Manuel 2021 – 2024 Watsford



Nicola (Nic) Marino 2018 – 2024 Taylor



Jake Martin 2021 – 2024 Waterhouse



Maximus (Max) Matheson 2020 – 2024 Watsford



Lachlan McKay 2019 – 2024 Taylor



Jesse McMahon 2020 – 2024 Cotton



Zachary (Zac) McRoe 2020 – 2024 Cotton



Yarra Mickan 2021 – 2024 Taylor



Harry Miller 2023 – 2024 Taylor



Marc Milograd 2013 – 2024 Watsford



Nickolas Miteloudis 2011 – 2024 Watsford



Antonio Mondello 2023 – 2024 Taylor



Louie Montgomery 2019 – 2024 Taylor



Peter Moore 2020- 2024 Waterhouse



Eli Murray 2022 – 2024 Taylor



Fraser Newman 2015 – 2024 Waterhouse



Pun Lai (Ivan) Ng 2022 – 2024 Watsford



Matthew North 2017 – 2024 Taylor



Gunyoung (William) Park 2020 – 2024 Taylor



Liam Peak 2016 – 2024 Waterhouse



Henry Pearce 2018 – 2024 Waterhouse



Neil Peckham 2021 – 2024 Waterhouse



Ryan Percival 2012 – 2024 Cotton



Angus Phillips 2011 – 2024 Cotton



Carmine Piantedosi 2011 – 2024 Waterhouse



Harry Piggott 2020 – 2024 Cotton



William (Will) Pointon 2021 – 2024 Watsford



Jay Polkinghorne 2022 – 2024 Watsford



Christian Portokallas 2014 – 2024 Waterhouse



Henry Powell 2023 – 2024 Watsford



William (Will) Prescott 2021 – 2024 Waterhouse



James Pudney 2019 – 2024 Watsford



Aidan Pullino 2015 – 2024 Watsford



Chengzhuo (Oscar) Qian 2022 – 2024 Watsford



Hayden Reese 2023 – 2024 Cotton



Samuel (Sam) Remeljej 2022 – 2024 Cotton



Ethan Retnaraja 2020 – 2024 Taylor



Blake Roberts 2012 – 2024 Waterhouse



Charles (Charlie) Roberts 2022 – 2024 Taylor



Elijah (Eli) Roberts 2022 – 2024 Cotton



Lucas Romaldi 2015 – 2024 Watsford



Jesse Rothgrew 2012 – 2024 Waterhouse



Mackenzie Roylett 2013 – 2024 Waterhouse



Kalen Russell 2020 – 2024 Cotton



Harold (Harry) Sage 2022 – 2024 Cotton



Charlie Sanders 2017 – 2024 Cotton



Jack Schultz 2021 – 2024 Taylor



Milan Scullino 2022 – 2024 Taylor



James Semmens 2022 – 2024 Waterhouse



Boyuan (Oakley) Shi 2020 – 2024 Cotton



Charles (Charlie) Siemer 2019 – 2024 Taylor



Henry Southwood 2021 – 2024 Cotton



Sam Stunell 2012 – 2024 Cotton



Raymond (Ray Ray) Sumner 2023 – 2024 Waterhouse



Chengyu (Eric) Sun 2022 – 2024 Watsford



Luke Szabo 2012 – 2024 Waterhouse



Ziheng (Caleb) Tang 2019 – 2024 Taylor



Mack Taylor 2017 – 2024 Watsford



Noah Thiessen 2021 – 2024 Waterhouse



Nathan Thomas 2019 – 2024 Waterhouse



Wil Thomas 2017 – 2024 Waterhouse



Daniel Thompson 2021 – 2024 Taylor



Thomas (Tom) Thredgold 2017 – 2024 Waterhouse



Christopher Towers 2017 – 2024 Waterhouse



Alfred (Alfie) Truman 2020 – 2024 Taylor



Thomas (Tom) Turnbull 2019 – 2024 Waterhouse



Archie Underwood 2018 – 2024 Watsford



Charlie Vandenberg 2022 – 2024 Watsford



Frederick (Fred) Vartuli 2017 – 2024 Taylor



Francis Venning 2023 – 2024 Cotton



Riley Vivian 2022 – 2024 Watsford



James (Jamie) Wagstaff 2018 – 2024 Watsford



Jianhe (Busco) Wang 2020 – 2024 Taylor



Oscar Wang 2017 – 2024 Taylor



Yifan (Stephen) Wang 2020 – 2024 Waterhouse



Ashton Wardle 2023 – 2024 Cotton



Hamish Warn 2020 – 2024 Cotton



Nicholas (Nic) Warne 2023 – 2024 Cotton



Yitao (Alan) Wei 2020 – 2024 Watsford



Otto Wendt 2021 – 2024 Cotton



Maxwell (Max) Whittle 2016 – 2024 Taylor



Jack Wilkin 2023 – 2024 Taylor



Charles Wundenberg 2011 – 2024 Waterhouse



Zhengyu (Tom) Xu 2023 – 2024 Taylor

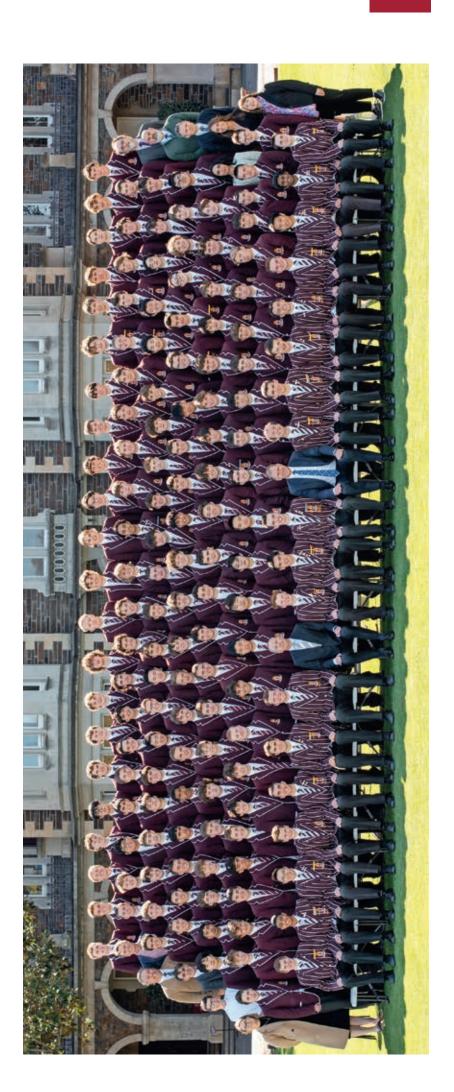
# Year 12 2024

Samuel Remeljej, Asger Abraham, Joshua Bragamin, Jesse Rothgrew, Jared Kuhl, Jay Polkinghorne, Jake Martin, Mack Taylor, Charlie Vandenberg.
Sixth Row: Mr Jarrad Jackson, Angus Dunn, Alfred Truman, Yin Hei (Hayden) Chan, Antonio Mondello, James Semmens, Samuel Ciccocioppo, Julian Hyde-Kelly, Edward Davies, Charles Siemer, George Campbell, /arra Mickan, Aryan Madan, Henry Bruce, Riley Vivian, Luke Szabo, Sam Stunell, Liam Peak, Peter Hurn, Ashton Wardle, Hayden Reese, Oscar Cohen, George Campbell, Yarra Mickan, Aryan Madan, Henry Bruce Fifth Row: Mr Mike Oomens, Nathaniel Lindop, Ryan Percival, Carmine Piantedosi, Luca Bacon, Zachary McRoe, Daniel Thompson, Oscar Wang, Angus Phillips, Houcheng (Sam) He, Hugh Dunn, Louis Dawson, Archie Underwood, Samuel Desmazures, Charles Wundenberg, Angus Harvey, Charlie Sanders, Samuel Kent, Yifan (Stephen) Wang, Jianhe (Busco) Wang, Francis Venning, Joseph Callaghan, Jackson Crosby, Mr Riley Vivian, Luke Szabo, Sam Stunell, Liam Peak, Peter Hurn, Ashton Wardle, Hayden Reese, Oscar Cohen, Mr Jonathan Scobie. Scott Parker. Joseph Callaghan, Jackson Crosby, Mr Scott Parker.

Back Row: Dougal Ashby, Thomas Thredgold, Matthew LeRay, Brodie Harris, Boyuan (Oakley) Shi, Jack Wilkin, Hugo Knight, Eli Murray, Christian D'Annunzio, William Holland, Sam Heuzenroeder, Otto Wendt,

Second Row: Ms Danielle McKinnon, Joshua Larkin, Nicholas Warne, William Pointon, Joshua Inglis, Neil Peckham, Harold Sage, Oscar Levinson, Mackenzie Roylett, Nathaniel Herbert, Nicola Marino, Zhengyu Third Row: Ms Anna Williams, Yitao (Alan) Wei, Raymond Sumner, Henry Southwood, Sidney Malone, George Malone, Cooper Jarrett, Lucas Jones, Louis Habgood, Blake Roberts, Dylan James, Marc Milograd, Christian Portokallas, Aidan Pullino, Alexander MacDonald, Jasper Hill, Charles Roberts, Frederick Vartuli, Henry Allen, Hamish Colby, James Kelledy, Zachariah Anderson, Marc Milograd, Christian Portokallas, Fourth Row: Mr Chris McGuire, Louie Montgomery, Louis Kellaway, Noah Thiessen, Rome Burgoyne, Kalen Russell, William Prescott, Maximus Matheson, Tom Dolling, Joseph Grundy, Michael Cook, William Aidan Pullino, Alexander MacDonald, Jasper Hill, Charles Roberts, Frederick Vartuli, Henry Allen, Hamish Colby, James Kelledy, Zachariah Anderson, Ms Melody Marshall, Ms Annie Matsouliadis. Deakin, Arjun Dosanjh, Isaac Evans, Jesse McMahon, Gunyoung (William) Park, Fraser Newman, Lachlan McKay, Ethan Bailey, Jack Schultz, Hamish Warn, Quang (Son) Banh, Mr Mark Wilde.

Matthew North, Nathan Thomas, Pun Lai (Ivan) Ng, Archie MacMahon, Christopher Towers, Cody Corbett, Elijah Roberts, Mr David Roberts, Thomas Turnbull, Maxwell Whittle, Thomas Henchliffe, Mr (Tom) Xu, Tianyi (Tony) Jiang, Chengzhuo (Oscar) Qian, Chengyu (Eric) Sun, Francesco Ciampa, Lucas Romaldi, Henry Powell, Henry Pearce, Hudson Duka, Edward Chapple, Wil Thomas, Milan Scullino, Nickolas Absent: Hugo Evans, Hugh Czuchwicki, Mustafa Al Fayyad, Harry Edwards, Ethan Retnaraja, Oliver Kreminski, William Manuel, Harry Miller, James Wagstaff, Mr Matthew Slade Miteloudis, Samuel Girdler, James Pudney, Ms Emily Putland. Wil Thomas, Milan Scullino, Nickolas Miteloudis, Samuel Girdler, James Pudney, Ms Emily Putland. Greg Atterton, Owen Barkla, Nicholas Henchliffe, Eli Anders, Harry Piggott, Miles Falahey, Ziheng (Caleb) Tang, Roshan Ediriweera, Peter Moore.







# Co-Curricular Activities

# **Co-Curricular Activities Report**



To those who know and protect what we hold dear at Princes, co-curricular activities hold a very special place. It is a space where boys discover and cultivate their passions and connect in meaningful ways with others. In a rapidly changing world where the ubiquity of screens are omnipresent, activities that develop essential life skills such as teamwork, resilience, dealing with both success and failure, and leadership are as critical as they have ever been. Fortunately, for

our current students, the forefathers of this great school knew this, and our co-curricular offering has remained a constant in the overall educational package of the school.

At its heart, the offering has several key tenets. Our every endeavour is to have a diverse, high-quality, character-led set of experiences geared at the modern young person. From the many arenas of sport to the stage, and in more recent times across the academic sphere, we are proud of what opportunities we resource the boys with.

Of course, the allocation of resources is one feature, but the real magic comes from the boys and staff. The boys, of course, bring incredible passion, effort, and connection, and watching them represent their colours is a joy like no other!

Supporting them through their co-curricular journey is a wonderful set of staff, led by our dedicated sports and activities leaders. In

**Intercollegiate Results Table 2024** 

Sport	Winner	Margin
Cricket	PAC	6 wickets
Water Polo	PAC	15-6
Tennis Drive	PAC	6-3
Volleyball	Saints	0-2
Rowing	Saints	
Sailing	PAC	
Badminton	Saints	3-9
Soccer	PAC	2-1
Rugby	PAC	34-5
Table Tennis	Saints	6-14
Chess	PAC	8-2
Squash	PAC	3-1
Debating	Saints	1-2
Hockey	Draw	3-3
Basketball	Saints	56-54
Football	PAC	16.8 (104) - 12.6 (78)

Overall Tally: PAC 9 - Saints 6 - 1 Draw

particular, I wish to acknowledge and thank Head of Sport, Mr Paul Brown, Head of Sport – Preparatory, Mr Sam Barton, Head of Music, Mr Andrew Edge, and Head of Drama, Ms Sharon Reynolds, along with the many sports and activities Directors and Coordinators that we are fortunate to have led each of our programs. This team of people can never be thanked enough, but it is important that they are – to these people, thank you.

This year, we saw our incredible boys and staff shine in Urinetown – the Musical, whereby every boy and staff member involved had a meaningful role, contributing to the sum of parts and, as a result, magic happened. From the amazing sets to the costumes and makeup, the choreography, the music front of house, behind the curtains... our people delivered an amazing show! Every boy, when the spotlight came, not only knew what needed doing, he truly believed he could get it done. And that was the magic.

For our music program, we had another stellar performance at Generations in Jazz (GIJ) in May. Our boys played out of their skins and conducted themselves superbly – the music staff were incredibly proud of them, particularly the leadership of the senior students.



Once again, our boys saved their best for this event and conducted themselves superbly across the weekend, further enhancing our reputation as a music program of the highest echelon. Notably, our Big Band 2 finished in 3rd Place in Division 3.1, whilst just outside the awards were Small Vocal 1 (4th in Div 2 Small), Small Vocal 2 (4th in Div 3 Small), and Big Band 1 (5th in Division 1).

Our music program shone across many concerts and shows this year, none more so than at this year's major event 'Music Royalty'. Under the umbrella theme which included hit music from Queen, Prince, Elvis Presley, and many more, we saw all the layers of what makes for a top-shelf, eclectic school music program, wonderful bands and ensembles, incredible instrumentation, courageous solos, evidence of a significant investment in time and endeavour, and a deep and authentic connection between students and staff.

I did want to mention the amazing transformation of our singing, from a place, not that long ago, whereby our boys may have felt very vulnerable on stage, to where it is now, where our boys face down every singer's fear and go for that note, knowing they are respected and supported. This is, in no small way, the work of Fran Greenwood,

who came into the Voice Co-ordinator's role and with the help of the team built a more modern take on repertoire and the ever-important trust building.

Our sporting results were again a measure that we are doing a lot right! As you can see below, we certainly compete very strongly with our friends down the road in the annual intercollegiate fixtures, but more than that, we had incredible results across the board, all year round. In having the opportunity to witness this firsthand, I can vouch for the winning recipe as passionate and skilled boys + supportive and skilled staff + wonderful and encouraging parents = a culture that is hard to beat!

Across 20 or more sports, our boys competed and connected with great character and class, and the results followed. Thank you, boys, for your passion, service and strong sense of legacy for something that is much bigger than all of us.

Go Reds!

#### **Troy McKinnon**

Director of Co-curricular Activities





# **Performing Arts**



#### **Curricular Drama**

Our Drama program remained strong in 2024. We maintained our focus on delivering an inclusive curriculum where every boy feels valued and inspired. The boys enjoyed exploring diverse practitioners and styles including World Theatre, Stage Combat, Theatre Design, Commedia and Shakespeare with a focus on developing their social skills and artistic voice.

Throughout the year the Drama boys attended numerous professional performances and workshops as well as sharing their work with each other. We were fortunate to view shows in the Adelaide Fringe, Adelaide Festival and State Theatre programs. Some highlights were the magnificent *Baleen Moondjan* performed on Glenelg beach, the stirringly poignant *Goodbye Lindita* and an innovative and visually brilliant version of Brecht's classic *Three Penny Opera*. There was also opportunity this year for students to view and review each other's performance work. This included Year 9, Year 11 and 12 major productions and the co-curricular production. Attending live theatre provides the boys with the opportunity to evaluate theatrical practice for assessment but it also broadens their experience of dramatic style and inspires their own performance work.

Collaboration with industry experts enhances our program in middle and senior Drama. The Year 9 students again learnt Stage Combat with Martial Arts experts Ruth Fallon and Nino Pilla. Boys in various year levels also experienced the knowledge and expertise of a range of guest artists such as Mark Hill (Physical Theatre Artist), Andrew Crupi (Commedia) Georgina Harris (Choreographer), Oliver Lacoon-Williamson (Designer) and Britt Plumber (Clowning).

A highlight was the Year 9 performance of *It's Getting Hot in Here*. Supported by the Neil Smart Environmental Education Fund, the boys devised and performed an original play in collaboration with *Slingsby Theatre Company*. This Theatre in Education project explored the environment and sustainability, focusing on the climate crisis, consumerism, and the lifespan of objects. During the devising process the students took on roles as performers and creators,

including designing the technical aspects of their piece. They had an opportunity to learn about *Slingsby*'s theatre techniques including shadow puppetry, narration, highly inventive theatrical languages, and world building. Importantly, they had the opportunity to learn how to make their own theatre practice sustainable by considering and planning a production which has minimal impact on the school's resources and environment in general.

The Year 11 IB and SACE Drama students took on the challenge of a devising their own piece of Physical Theatre *Kikai no dansu* (Dance of the Machines). An intensive Physical Theatre Boot Camp with Artist in Residence, Mark Hill, exploring the unique styles of Butoh (Japanese Dance), The Viewpoints and Suzuki Actor Training underpinned their creative process. We explored the impact of technology on our lives in a challenging process where the boys pushed their bodies and creativity to the limit. They demonstrated courage, kindness and determination in this process. Each boy brought individual gifts and perspectives to what was a unique and transformative performance.

This year our first group of IB Theatre students successfully completed their two-year study of theatre theory and practice. Their exploration of a range of theatre styles culminated in the presentation of innovative and engaging solo and collaborative theatre pieces. Under the expert guidance of their teacher and Director, Rebecca Hassam, the Year 12 SACE boys collaborated to produce a confronting and expertly acted production of Sam Shepard's *True West*. Through the depiction of a dysfunctional sibling relationship, this deeply layered black comedy thrilled and challenged audiences with an exploration of toxic masculinity. Thank you to the Year 12 boys for their contribution to our program, especially our Drama Captains, James Kelledy and Miles Falahey. I wish them all the best in their future endeavours.

A successful Drama program is only possible with the support and contribution of many. Thank you to Martin McKinnon (Director of Teaching and Learning) for his continued support of our curricular program. To our Drama Assistant, Chelsea Pyman, I want to say

thanks for her continued passion, creativity and guidance of the boys. Heartfelt gratitude goes to Drama Teacher, Rebecca Hassam, for her ongoing energy and commitment to providing the best outcomes for our students. Most importantly, thanks to all the boys who have been part of Drama this year. We have enjoyed the opportunity to work alongside you and watch you shine on and off the stage.

#### **Co-Curricular Drama**

Co-curricular Drama continues to grow and engage boys across year levels with a range of opportunities. The Co-Curricular Tech Crew boys continued to hone their skills in film, lighting, AV, Sound and Stage Management. Led by Nivven Barlow and Dan Woolford, they supported numerous school events, assemblies, concerts, and productions throughout the year. It was fantastic to see several younger boys join the group this year.

In Term 1, a small group of Drama students from Year 10, 11 and 12 travelled to Sydney to participate for our first Drama Immersion Trip. Over three days they participated in numerous workshops and saw shows to support their learning in Drama. The workshops started at the National Institute of Dramatic Art. This is the most prestigious acting school in Australia, and they were lucky enough to do two workshops on voice and acting as well as a tour of the amazing learning environment where professional actors and theatre makers are trained. The next day, the boys had an amazing experience visiting Belvoir to explore a professional theatre set including backstage tour, followed by a theatre making workshop. The highlight of everyone's trip followed with a workshop with acrobatic company Legs on the Wall. The boys were all challenged and exhilarated with learning how to use acrobatic silks and putting on harnesses and climbing sideways on walls. The trip included invigorating and diverse professional





theatre shows such as Belvoir's *Holding the Man*, Sydney Theatre Company's *No Pay No Way* and the musical *Grease*.

Co-Curricular Drama this year provided an opportunity for boys from Year 7 to 12 to be part of the College Musical production *Urinetown*. Set in a dystopian future where water is scarce and private toilets are outlawed; the story follows the characters' struggle for the right to pee for free. The musical cleverly critiques capitalism, social irresponsibility, bureaucracy, and corporate mismanagement while paying homage to the great traditions of musical theatre. With its complex musical score and unique brand of satire this show set a new challenge for our boys.

Following a rigorous audition process which cast the net to our sister schools for female performers, we commenced a six-month rehearsal process. Everyone honed their dance, vocal and acting skills, embracing the difficult score and script with gusto. It was a unique process where boys were able to connect with girls from other schools and engage with boys across different year levels. Over time we built a cohesive and focused ensemble.

The success of *Urinetown* is owed to a dedicated team of staff and guest artists who expertly guided our boys through the process. Thank you to Troy McKinnon (Director of Co-Curricular Activities) for his advice and encouragement throughout the process. To Oliver Lacoon Williamson whose epic vision has transformed our cast. I want to give particular thanks to Andrew Edge (Head of Music) for directing our musicians so expertly through a challenging score. To Barrett Law for creating an epic set which helped the actors transport the audience into the unique world of *Urinetown*. A heartfelt thanks to Oliver John and Georgina Harris who, as Musical Director and Choreographer, have been invaluable in guiding and inspiring the cast. And to our Production Manager, Chelsea Pyman, who has had a hand in almost every aspect of the show, I could not be more grateful.

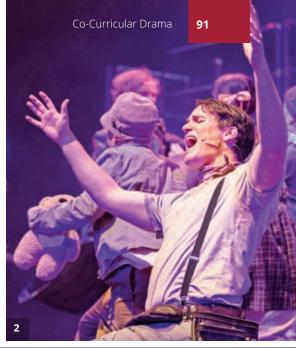
Audiences were in awe of the mature and compelling performance. I want to give gratitude and admiration to the talented students who poured their hearts into bringing *Urinetown* to life. Each performer, musician and member of the crew embraced their role with dedication and enthusiasm. Theatre has the power to entertain and inspire, and I am proud we presented a production that did both.

Co-curricular Drama provides boys with a unique opportunity to find a place to flourish and belong. I look forward to seeing their growth and development as artists next year and beyond.

#### **Sharon Reynolds**

Head of Drama

















#### Co-Curricular Musical – *Urinetown*

- Chloe Dowd (Mercedes College) as Penelope Pennywise, Luke Economos as Caldwell B Cladwell.
   Joseph Callaghan as Bobby Strong
   (from left) Noah Laforest and Alec Halkett
   (from left) Sam Commons as Mr McQueen, Stefan Drusian as Officer Barel, Owen Barcla as Officer Lockstock, Chloe Dowd (Mercedes College) as Penelope Pennywise, Luke Economos as Caldwell B Cladwell
   Callum Heath from Tech Crew learning sound
   Harrison Thomas as Little Sally
   Laurence Dalman as Senator Fipp
   Joseph Callaghan as Bobby Strong conducts the ensemble.

















## Sace Stage One Drama – Kikai No Dansu

- Liam Quinn-Fogarty carries Kyle Prinsloo
   Stefan Drusian
   The ensemble
   Kyle Prinsloo
   Sam Commons surrounded by the ensemble
   Petey Flower
   The ensemble
   Sam Commons, Geroge Koch and Kyle Prinsloo







#### Sace Stage Two Drama - True West

- 1. Austin (Mackenzie Roylett) and Lee (Joseph Callaghan) exchanging stories about their old man

- about their old man

  2. Lee (Joseph Callaghan) getting on the money train with Saul (James Kelledy)

  3. Lee (Joseph Callaghan) selling his story to Saul (James Kelledy)

  4. Austin (Mackenzie Roylett) making the perfect toast breakfast

  5. Lee (Joseph Callaghan) intimidating his little brother Austin (Mackenzie Roylett)
- Lee (Joseph Callaghan), Saul (James Kelledy) and Austin (Mackenzie Roylett). having discussions with producer Saul







#### Music

The Music Program saw the departure of a formidable cohort of musicians at the end of 2023, so it would have been easy for Senior musicians and ensembles to lament the loss of talent and approach the year ahead with some trepidation. But not the 2024 Music Captains – it was like they had been waiting patiently and learning from the 2023 Year 12s, only to spring forth and bring their own brand of leadership that had the 'team' at the core. From Live@Langley in Term 4, 2023 through to Music Retreat to kick off Term 1 2024, Music leaders modeled commitment and passion for playing music that helped all groups start the year strongly.

The *Autumn Music Showcase* brings the whole school Music community together with a BBQ and live performance that raises funds for charity and celebrates the achievements of the term. With incoming Assistance Director of Teaching & Learning, Mr Corin Bone, at the helm of the new Intermediate Vocal Ensemble, it was a highlight to see the development of a group of confident and capable middle school singers. Another highlight was the excellent performance of Senior Concert Band despite barely being able to read their music as the natural light faded – not ideal, but a fun memory that will stick with those in attendance.

In Term 2, an exciting new venture with Wilderness School came to fruition – the Ukaria Strings Concert. As someone attending this renowned chamber music venue for the first time, I was very proud to bring my mother along for an afternoon in the hills and to enjoy the talents of our superb strings players. With the beautiful acoustics and hills vistas, the collaboration was a credit to both schools and the students and staff involved, and we certainly look forward to running this special event again in the future. Generations in Jazz once again delivered a weekend of inspiring performances, wonderful team building and some stellar personal achievements. The 60 boys in attendance supported every moment with gusto, and with two vocal groups in attendance this year for the first time, there was plenty of action to cheer on. The Winter Music Showcase unearthed a lovely new concert venue on campus - the Piper Pavilion. With round tables and mood lighting, once again some unique memories were formed as some students and staff shaved their heads mid-performance to raise money for the Childhood Cancer Association.

Princes Rock On Parade is a highlight on the Term 3 calendar each year, with the event doubling as a social occasion for international students from PAC and affiliated schools. The International Student Bands from PAC and St Peters joined the fun on stage, along with the other bands from PAC, Seymour and Wilderness. From hard rock to funk and everything in between, it was a wonderful display of skills and creative expression, with a special mention to outgoing rock players Hugo Evans, Tom Henchliffe, Fraser Newman and Ivan Ng, who all

served the rock program so well over many years. With this year's theme of *Music Royalty*, the major concert at the end of Term 3 once again showed what the Music Program can produce when we come together and pull out all the stops for a night of entertainment. With Miles Falahey and Owen Barkla as the ghosts of Elvis and Freddie Mercury (respectively) to host the night, and the marvelous Jackie Barnes as our guest, the quality of music from staff and boys on stage was staggering. While year after year the comment of "how will you top that next year?" comes up after the show, the students find ways to develop their performance craft and deliver memorable experiences for the audience.

Term 4 started with 35 boys and 4 staff heading off for the *Riverland* Music Tour. With Scotts Creek as our base, the group took the Music Royalty concert music on the road, delivering six shows in just three days. The communities of Eudunda, Waikerie, Morgan and Tanunda welcomed us warmly, and in exchange our boys had them singing and dancing along to some wonderful music. With strangers helping out with sets of guitar strings and local clubs putting on BBQs and more, it was a reminder of music's power to bring us closer together. We then had record numbers at the Week 4 Instrumental Music Recitals, with over 50 students performing solos on stage in the Chapel. The Drum Corps delivered Christmas cheer at the annual Norwood Christmas Pageant, while other ensembles performed for a host of end of year performances. With the 2025 Music Captains just announced, 2025 ensembles rehearsals, it's hard to believe another year is wrapping up and that excitement is building already for what the next year will bring.

I'd like to thank all Music staff and tutors for their many contributions in 2024, as well as Tech Crew staff Mr Dan Woolford and Mr Nivven Barlow, whose team of boys always ensure music events look and sound great. Special mention must go to Ms Fran Greenwood, who after five years of exceptional service as our Voice Co-ordinator, is moving on to a leadership role at St Ignatius College. Relentlessly kind and optimistic, organised and hard working, the growth in quality and quantity of the Vocal Program under her guidance is plain for all to see. We also acknowledge the 2024 Year 12 musicians who delivered one of the tightest Valedictory Assembly performances in recent memory (and perhaps ever!) – best of luck with your future endeavors, and we hope to see you in the audience soon.

#### **Andrew Edge**

Head of Music

- 1. Year 11 Stefan Drusian belting out Elvis Presley at Music Royalty
- 2. Rock Band Gold performing at Princes Rock On Parade
- 3. Drum Corps spreading cheer at the Norwood Christmas Pageant
- 4. Ms Jessica Reppucci singing Respect with Big Band 1 at Music Royalty5. Boys performing alongside the river at Waikerie for the Riverland Music
- 6. Guest artists Marcus Barricelli and Jackie Barnes sharing a moment at the end of Music Royalty
- MC's Elvis (Miles Falahey) and Freddie (Owen Barkla) celebrating with peers in the finale of Music Royalty
- 8. Members of the Music Faculty with special guest Jackie Barnes at Music Royalty

















## **Strings**

2024 has been a year full of fantastic opportunities and learning experiences for the boys involved in the String Department at the College. The year began with Senior Strings, along with the other senior music ensembles, participating in the Music Retreat. Participation in this retreat really demonstrated the boys' level of commitment to the String Program, as not only was it hours of rehearsals preparing for the year ahead, but it was also time taken out of their last day of school holidays. The first performance of the year was the Autumn Music Showcase; this concert was a highlight for many, as its outdoor setting and the inclusion of the barbeque creates a welcoming and cohesive nature within the music department. Senior Strings performed a modern piece by Soon Hee Newbold, 'Battle', featuring our Strings Captain, Roshan Ediriweera. This piece was something different for the boys, as it experimented with more percussive and modern string techniques, such as Bartok pizzicatos, col legno, and using the instrument bodies as a percussion. The musicianship the boys demonstrated with this new work was outstanding, as their sound and musicality effectively depicted, and painted the story, of soldiers marching into battle.

Term 2 was most definitely a highlight for the String Department. For the first time at PAC, the Senior Strings had the opportunity to perform at the prestigious venue, Ukaria Cultural Centre in Mount Barker. Combining with the Wilderness School String Ensemble, the students performed an hour recital of classic chamber orchestra repertoire. The audience was immediately captivated by the opening piece, 'Andante Festivo', by Jean Sibelius. This piece is a staple in chamber music repertoire, and really provided the opportunity for the students to explore the full potential of their sound. The rich and full sound of the string orchestra immediately filled the hall and was accompanied by the exquisite and picturesque view of the Adelaide Hills and Ukaria Garden. Following this, the ensemble performed a range of different works, varying in composers from Bach and Telemann, all the way to 20th Century composer, Shostakovich. A highlight of this concert was the performance of one of the most famous classical works for violin, 'Spring' from Vivaldi's 'Four Seasons'. This featured Year 11 student, Apollon Velonakis, who demonstrated a high level of instrumental mastery and musicality. Whilst this concert was the end of a very busy Term 2 for most, the PAC Piano

Trio remained hard at work, preparing their entry at the *Adelaide Eisteddfod*. The Piano Trio was entered into an 18-years and under chamber group category, which meant that the competition was high. Despite this, the boys performed incredibly well and came away with Second Place, a huge achievement which was accompanied by wonderful praise from the adjudicator, who stated that she was "very impressed" as the trio played with "style and flair".

Term 3 was, once again, one of the busiest terms for the whole Music Department. This year, the theme for the Term 3 Music Showcase was *Music Royalty*, which featured music from artists such as Queen, the King of Rock - Elvis Presly, Prince, and the Queen of Soul - Aretha Franklin. Coinciding with the overarching theme of royalty, Senior Strings performed the iconic hits *'Can't Help Falling in Love'* (Elvis Presley) and *'Don't Stop Me Now'* (Queen), which featured the guest artist, Jackie Barnes, who was able to give insight and encouragement for performing pop classics as instrumental arrangements. This was followed by an incredible arrangement of *'Bohemian Rhapsody'* for piano, solo cello, and string quartet, which featured students Jonathon Wong (Piano), Keir Nairn (Solo Cello), Roshan Ediriweera (Violin 1), Joe Arkwright (Violin 2), Apollon Velonakis (Viola) and Isaac Yu (Cello). Although extremely complex, these boys pulled off the iconic melodic lines and epic guitar solo transcriptions and would have made Queen proud!

2024 has been a huge year for the String Department, and I am incredibly proud of the growth as musicians and individuals from the Senior Strings boys right down to Junior Strings. As the year comes to an end, I would like to particularly thank our Strings Captain, Roshan Ediriweera, who also happened to be our only Year 12 string player, for all his hard work leading Senior Strings this year and being a supportive and encouraging role model to the other members of the ensemble. I would also like to sincerely congratulate each and every other member of string ensembles; the improvement that each boy has made individually, and collectively in ensembles is outstanding, and I am thoroughly looking forward to what 2025 has in store.

#### Jade Blanchard-Paterson

Strings Co-ordinator





Ensemble: Piano Trio
First row: Apollon Velonakis, Xavier Lim, Jordan Sun Director: Jade Paterson
Absent: Jade Paterson



Ensemble: Senior Strings
First row: Angus Thorne, Joshua Zhang. Roshan Ediriweera, Isaac Yu, Xavier
Lim Second Row: James Dobbins, Declan Lin, Jonathon Wong Third Row:
David Jia, Max Zeng, Jack Zeng, Caleb Sam-Ling Fourth Row: Joe Arkwright,
Apollon Velonakis, William Pan, Aryan Parwal Director: Jade Paterson
Absent: Keir Nairn, Jordan Sun



Ensemble: String Quartet 1
First row: David Jia, Roshan Ediriweera, Apollon Velonakis Absent: Keir Nairn Director: Jade Paterson



Ensemble: String Quartet 2
First row: Joshua Zhang, Max Zeng, Caleb Sam-Ling, Aryan Parwal
Director: Sophia Butler Absent: Sophia Butler



#### **Ensemble: Junior Strings**

First row: Freddie Ellis, Nathan Zhang, Joseph Huang, Aiden Wei Second Row: Oliver Hennessy, Fred Marsh, Warren (Mingda) Yang, Roy (Hongrui) Zha, Zach (Hongze) Zha, Jamison Landers Third Row: George (Shusheng) Jin, Henry Bacon, Sebastian Henderson, Felix (Yuhao) Xia, Logan Mills Director: Jade Paterson Absent: Dawson Sullivan, Bryan (Zhuoyin) Zheng



#### **Ensemble: Intermediate Strings**

First row: Rayan Khan, William Haywood, Jaiyen Landers, Ziggy Tasci, Patrick Yan Second Row: Fengshun Zhang, Michael Haywood, Brian Wen, Thomas Selby, Thomas Dobbins Third Row: Laurence Dalman, Jonathon Wong, Arthur Goldsworthy, James Dobbins, William Pan Director: Jade Paterson Absent: Jospeh Huang



#### Voice

*'Clap Your Hands and Sing!'* The vigorous opening piece set the tone for our celebration of Voice this year at *An Evening with PAC Junior Voices and Seymour Concert Choir.* Music from West Africa and the Torres Strait Islands, as well as Classical, Choral and Contemporary genres, the finale, from Matilda the Musical, complete with choreography, not only demonstrated the breadth and level of skill our young choristers have mastered, but the passion and pride behind every voice. A powerful visual statement, the vast chorus of singers exemplifies the change we have seen in our Performing Arts culture in the Preparatory School and the Music Program.

Nurturing this budding spirit, this year Junior Primary Choirs welcomed regular performance opportunities with the ELC, allowing them to see the pathway and progression of learning from year to year. Unified by their shared passion, Year 3 Choir gifted some of the year's most vibrant performances, lighting up the stage with enthusiasm and their creative ideas. Young Voices continued to thrive under the direction of Mrs Sophia Butler, evident at The College Green Carols. From our youngest to our eldest, ELC Choir, Young Voices and Prep Small Vocal spread the Christmas joy, delighting Eldercare residents in their first community performance. Harmonising the classic 'Silent Night', unaccompanied and on point, Prep Small Vocal concluded the festivities in what would be their final performance together as preparatory students.

Similarly, Choirs and Vocalists in the Secondary School have begun their own transformation, a subtle but perceptible shift. Unapologetic pride and passion in the pursuit of their craft now typifies the atmosphere as vocalists take the stage. With a substantial number of ensemble vocalists now studying voice, students stand confidently and in command of their instrument, shoulder to shoulder with their music peers. Ambition, diligence and commitment have revealed some remarkable talent, with exceptional solo performances by Jack Elms, Stefan Drusian, Ivan Ng, Harrison Thomas and Ellis Twigge. It is this collective dedication that has become our biggest strength.

Competing in one of the nation's largest music competitions, both Small Vocal 1 and Small Vocal 2 placed 4th in their respective divisions at *Generations in Jazz*, impressing with their vocal talent and consummate performance acumen. Alongside Small Vocal 2's debut appearance, Senior Vocal competed in the extremely completive large division, a first in the College's history. One of the strongest Middle School cohorts to date, Intermediate Vocal's talent were on full display during the *Middle School Riverland Tour*. Showcasing highlights from the *Music Royalty Concert*, vocalists took centre stage in a program rich with vocal music. Each concert saw Intermediate Vocal improve its collective sound and hit a new high, producing some truly exquisite acoustic harmonies, as soloists and small groups captivated audiences with their stage craft, expression and vocal maturity.

Thank you to voice tutors Aidan Foyel and Marcus Barricelli, accompanists Stuart Robison and Edmund Black, as well as directors Corin Bone, Jessica Reppucci and Sophia Butler. Equally, our collective dedication is our biggest strength. Lastly, to the boys - thank you for your trust. The highest form of human expression, the voice is a deeply personal instrument. Thank you for sharing yours with me.

With so many memories and moments to reflect upon, to mention only a few would not do justice. Instead, I will leave you with these parting words.

No sense of touch for pitch.

No instrument to hold.

No stand or score for comfort.

To sing is to be bold.

- Fran Greenwood

#### Fran Greenwood

Voice Coordinator



#### **Ensemble: Junior Voices**

First row: Charles Camilleri, Henry Bacon, Aiden Wei, Archie Thompson, Fred Marsh Second row: Viren Dhiman, Matias Goncalves, Leon Chang, Xavier Do, Antek Berwertz, Benji Hodgson, Bram van Minnen, Harley Barber Third row: Billy Freemantle, Nicholas Pizzino, Liam Thompson, Tom Gregg, Kayden Dean, Kimson Ma, Alfred Chapman, Hugo Kirkpatrick Fourth row: Maximilian Polikin, Patrick Le, Frank Berwertz, Harvey O'Brien, Jack Karapandzic, Edward Newton, Fengshun Zhang Fifth row: Hannish Thompson, Henry Stirling, Senyuth Dissanayake, Isaac Huff, Alfie Pledge Director: Fran Greenwood, Sophia Butler Absent: Seb Roussos, Aiden Wei, Dawson Sullivan, Lochlann Sutherland, William Jovicevic, Western Thomas, Sebastian Henderson



#### **Young Voices**

**First row:** Moshen Fan, Sean Zhu, Michael Xu, Manny Zeng, Alexander Boggan **Second row:** Jacky Shen, Arthur Thurston, Jordi Zhang, Ethan Ii, Noah Malalagama, Jasper Yang **Third row:** Harry Chapman, Austin Wang, Alexander Jovecivic, Austin Zhang, William Beare, Jimmy Yang, Edward Roesch **Fourth row:** Oliver newton, Marcel David Prosper, Charles Yin, Zach Zha, Roy Zha, George Jin **Absent:** James Cai, Ethan Li, William Stillwell, Kilian Huang, Aadvik Mishra



#### **Ensemble: Intermediate Vocal**

First row: Ellis Twigge, Jack Henderson, Harrison Thomas Second row: Laurence Dalman, Romesh Ediriweera, Brandon Hanxhari, Louis Sergi Third row: Sebastian Abboud, Giuseppe Fuda, Harrison Daly, Christian Bibbo Director: Corin Bone Accompanist: Stuart Robison Absent: Lachie Noble, Jacob Branson, Ansh Tiwari



#### **Ensemble: Small Vocal 1**

**First row:** Luke Economos, Jack Elms, Samuel Commons, Stefan Drusian **Director:** Jessica Repuucci **Accompanist:** Edmund Black



#### **Ensemble: Senior Vocal**

First row: Luke Economos, David Yoon, Ivan Ng Second row: Samuel Commons, Stefan Drusian, Joe Arkwright Director: Fran Greenwood Accompanist: Stuart Robison Absent: Owen Barkla



#### **Ensemble: Small Vocal 2**

First row: Harrison Thomas, David Yoon Second row: Harrison Daly, Christian Bibbo, Laurence Dalman Director: Fran Greenwood Accompanist: Stuart Robison Absent: Keir Nairn



## **Ensemble: Prep Small Vocal**

**First row:** Patrick Le, Charles Camilleri, Kayden Dean **Second row:** Henry Stirling, Isaac Huff, Alfie Pledge **Director:** Fran Greenwood

#### **Bands**

2024 has been a busy and successful year for our Bands program with many tremendous performances dotted throughout the year. In addition to our regular events throughout the year, we had the pleasure of playing a large role in the 3-day Middle School Riverland tour at the beginning of Term 4 with boys from the Middle School making up the personnel for a Middle School Concert Band and a Big Band which toured in the Riverland around Morgan, Monash, Waikerie, Eudunda and Tanunda.

Our wonderful year of performances began with the Autumn Concert at the end of Term 1. An outdoor concert in the Fisher Courtyard. Featuring our four Concert Bands across the College was their first chance to showcase some wonderful playing. There was collaboration between the different concert bands with some wonderful mentorship from the older boys.

Our focus shifted to the Big Bands at the beginning of Term 2 with all Big Bands in the Senior School experiencing Generations in Jazz in Mount Gambier. It was a privilege to be part of the wonderful cohort of boys and staff participating in this year's national event. Once again, a very successful year with superb results. Big Band 3 performed well in Division 4 and came a gallant 13th in what proved to be a very competitive section with many bands staging much older boys than them. Big Band 2 were fantastic, making a huge impact on the adjudicators in Division 3; so much so that they came 3rd overall. Big Band 1 were outstanding, coming 5th in what was a closely contested section once again. All bands playing difficult professional-level repertoire and made the task of adjudicating challenging for the judges. We also come away with some incredible individual awards. Hugo Evans and Owen Chen on guitar and piano respectively, received Division 1 Superband selection. Tom Xu on trombone receiving Division 3 Superband selection. Nathan Thomas was awarded Future Finalist selection for his outstand drumming one of only a few students selected from the 4,000 that participated in Generations in Jazz this year.

Big Band 1 kept their positive momentum moving forward into Term 3 with a highlight of the year being the honour of performing at the *Gold Ribbon Gala Ball* for the Childhood Cancer Association at the Adelaide Convention Centre in front of several thousand people. It

was a fantastic opportunity for the boys to showcase their talent to the wider South Australian community and to represent the Prince Alfred College community, showing their support behind what was a very worthy cause.

Once again, we had strong representation in the SASBOF Band Festival run by ABODA at Westminster School. PAC had three of its concert bands prepared for this State-wide event across three different divisions. The focus, dedication and passion shown by the boys in each band is testament to the strong results, continuing their consistent high level of musicianship across this event. Senior Concert Band were awarded gold in the Advanced Concert Band section, once again showing why they are one of the leading school concert bands in South Australia. The Intermediate Concert Band continued their successful campaign, receiving a gold award in the Intermediate Concert Band division while the Junior Concert Band received a silver award in the Junior Band division. Overall, our concert band program continues to punch above its weight in the South Australian school community.

We were also heavily involved in our annual September performance in conjunction with the Theatre Organ Society of South Australia at the Capri Theatre with 2 Big Bands putting on a great show. This was a highlight for the Prep Big Band musicians. This year saw Big Band 1 fill the other spot which is the first time in at least 10 years. The Year 12 boys shined brightly, knowing this was their second to last performance, which was very well received by the Capri Theatre community.

Term 4 saw the newly formed Big Bands for 2025 get a chance to perform in the *Live @ Langley* gig, showcasing the depth of talent and excellence the band program continues to uphold. They are all looking forward to beginning their preparations on the repertoire for *Generations in Jazz 2025*.

A big thank you to my fellow band director, Mr Andrew Edge, for his unwavering support in upholding the culture and professionalism within the Bands Program.

#### **Adam Mason**

Bands and Instrumental Tuition Coordinator





#### **Ensemble: Prep Big Band**

**First Row:** Lochlann Sutherland, Philip Sruhan, Thomas Dobbins **Second Row:** Struan Cowe, Fengshung Zhang, Patrick Le, Kye Thompson, Jonas Knight **Third Row:** Rayan Khan, Sebastian Horvath, Arthur Goldsworthy, Hamish Thompson **Director:** Adam Mason **Absent:** Leonardo Witkowski, Joseph Huang



#### **Ensemble: Intermediate Concert Band**

First Row: Edward Tainty, Johnny Chong, Marvin Sun, Aidan Chen, Elijah Onyeizugbo, James Selby, Leone Thorne, Harry Czabayski, William Katdare, James Dobbins, Antonio Maurici Second Row: Tate Symons, Noah Laforest, Hugo Mittiga, Spark Wang, James Goldsworthy, Adrien Hennessy, Jay Jang Third Row: Harrison Daly, Romesh, Ediriweera, James Arkwright, Jack McKinnon, Ansh Tiwari, Tom Waddy, Tony Xiang Fourth Row: Mason Engelbrecht, Keith Ng, Paul Gaganis, Ben Hamood, Max Cohen Fifth Row: Sebastian Saunders, Aadeesh Nanvey, Lucas Pizzino, William Spitty, Henry Zadow Director: Adam Mason Absent: Napoleon Condous, James Morgan, Campbell Cowe, Jordan Sun, Ellis Twigge



#### **Ensemble: Big Band 1**

First Row: Zac Flapper, Xavier Lim, James Pudney, Nathan Thomas, Max Zeng, Owen Chen Second Row: Jack Zeng, Apollon Velonakis, Christopher Towers, Max Whittle, Owen McCauley Third Row: Fraser Newman, Jack Elms, Houcheng He, Hugo Evans Director: Adam Mason Absent: Caleb Sam-Ling, Angus Thorne, James Warwick, Dougal McLauchlan



#### **Ensemble: Big Band 2**

**First Row:** Aidan Chen, Harry Czabayski, Hugo Mittiga, Noah Laforest, James Dobbins **Second Row:** Zhengyu Xu, Isaac Yu, Samuel Commons, Joshua Zhang, Alex Johnson **Third Row:** Jack Zeng, Nicholas Whyte, Oliver Siegele, Caleb Sam-Ling **Directors:** Thomas Pulford (absent) & Adam Mason **Absent:** Harrison Daly, Keir Nairn, Olebogeng Nyathi, Lucas Fusco, Zac Grice, Stefan Drusian



#### **Ensemble: Senior Concert Band**

First Row: Xavier Lim, James Pudney, Joshua Zhang, Caleb Sam-Ling, Nathan Thomas, Roshan Ediriweera, Francesco Ciampa, Max Zeng, Lucas Fusco Second Row: Tristan Wong, Owen McCauley, Isaac Yu, Sebastian Abboud, Zac Flapper, Zac Grice Third Row: Max Whittle, Christopher Towers, Fraser Newman, Jack Elms, Angus Thorne, Apollon Velonakis, Samuel Commons Fourth Row: Jack Zeng, Houcheng He, Oliver Siegele, Ethan Chen, Hugo Evans Fifth Row: Nicholas Whyte, Jonty Belton, James Warwick, Aidan Obst Director: Adam Mason Absent: Owen Chen, Dougal McLauchlan, Zhengyu Xu



#### **Ensemble: Big Band 3**

**First Row:** Edward Tainty, Johnny Chong, James Dobbins, Anotnio Maurici, James Goldsworthy **Second Row:** Jay Jang, William Katdare, Spark Wang, Jordan Wang, Romesh Ediriweera **Third Row:** Jack McKinnon, Sebastian Abboud, Lucas Pizzino, Ben Hamood, William Pan **Director:** Mr Andrew Edge **Absent:** Paul Gaganis, James Morgan, Ansh Tiwari, Thomas Waddy, Leone Thorne



#### **Ensemble: Junior Concert Band**

First row: Lochlann Sutherland, Leonardo Witkowski, Kimson Ma, Anthony Demasi, Jaiyen Landers, Sammy Rayner, James Marshall Second row: Kye Thompson, Brian Wen, Tom Gregg, Kayden Dean, Philip Sruhan, Thomas Selby, Harry King Third Row: Christian Varrichio, Maximilian Polikin, Frank Berwertz, Patrick Le, Thomas Dobbins, Jonas Knight, Hamish Hewitt Fourth Row: Rayan Khan, Eyad Shahin, Isaac Sunjaya, Hamish Thompson Fifth Row: Xander Kammer, Arthur Goldsworthy, Sebastian Horvath, Struan Cowe Director: Adam Mason Absent: Patrick Yan, Fengshun Zhang, James Payne



Ensemble: Rock Band Gold First row: Fraser Newman, Ivan Ng, Hugo Evans, Thomas Henchliffe Director: Andrew Edge





**Ensemble: Rock Band Black** 

**First row:** Leon Thorne, Harrison Thomas **Second row:** Aiden Bywaters, Keir Nairn, Harrison Daly **Director:** Andrew Edge



#### **Ensemble: Senior Jazz Combo**

First row: Nathan Thomas, Apollon Velonakis, Hugo Evans Second row: Max Whittle, Fraser Newman, Angus Thorne Director: Andrew Edge Absent: Owen Chen



## **Ensemble: Junior Drum Corps**

First row: Philip Sruhan, Lochlann Sutherland, Fred Marsh Second row:
Maximilian Polikin, Nicholas Pizzino, Jack Karapandzic, Kayden Dean
Director: Andrew Edge, Frank Fragomeni (absent) Absent: Fengshun Zhang,
Edward Thomas



**Ensemble: Tuned Percussion Ensemble** 

First row: Freddie Mittiga Second row: Isaac Huf, Hardy Zhang Director: Sophia Butler Absent: Dawson Sullivan



#### **Senior Drum Corps**

**First row:** Noah Burton-Howard, Aiden Bywaters **Second row:** Tony Xiang, Leon Thorne, James Pudney, Spark Wang **Third row:** Jonty Belton, Zac Flapper **Director:** Frank Fragomeni **Absent:** William Pointon



**Guitar Ensemble** 

First row: Daniel Foo, Hamish Warn, Ashton Gerecke Director: John Kourbelis

# Kings Speech and Public Speaking

#### The 2024 King's Speech Competition

This year, PAC's 14th King's Speech Competition once again showcased the public speaking skills of our best speakers from Years 5 to 12, as they competed for the prestigious Lionel Logue Award in their respective divisions. After 20 speeches – with topics ranging from 'why we need viruses', 'whether a plant-based future is better', and the 'future of farming' from our Preparatory School boys to the power of music, politics, education and money from our Middle and Senior School boys – the results of the 2024 King's Speech Competition were as follows:

#### **Preparatory School Division:**

- First place (Lionel Logue Award): Sammy Rayner
- · Runner Up: Henry Stirling
- · Finalist Medallions: Ashton Gereke

#### **Middle School Division:**

- First Place (Lionel Logue Award): Devesh Anavkar
- · Runner Up: Aidan Chen
- · Finalist Medallions: Hugo Mittiga

#### **Senior School Division:**

- First Place (Lionel Logue Award): Luke Economos
- · Runner Up: Thomas Henchliffe
- Finalist Medallions: Julian Dawson and Sam He

Congratulations to all competitors, and special thanks to our MC Ethan Chen, timekeeper, Nikolas Muzik, our Short Speech Marshal, Ethan Bailey, our student photographer, Will Edwards, and our Rostrum adjudicators, for helping to run this year's competition. Also, a special mention needs to be made of Thomas Henchliffe, one of our most seasoned speakers, who set an unlikely to be beaten record this year by being runner-up for the sixth year in a row! Lastly, also a special mention to those boys who joined the Rostrum organisation's prestigious Voice of Youth competition this year to test their skills against the rest of the state, including Ethan Chen, Isaac Yu, Aidan Chen, and Hugo Mittiga – who made it through to this year's Semi-Finals in this competition.

#### **Mark Bailey**

Debating and Public Speaking Coordinator

#### **Preparatory School Public Speaking Program**

Public speaking is a cornerstone in the development of young boys, teaching them to articulate their thoughts clearly, engage with an audience, and cultivate self-assurance. These skills are invaluable as they navigate their academic journey and prepare for future leadership roles. The program not only refines their ability to express themselves but also fosters resilience, critical thinking, and the ability to thrive under pressure.

Our Preparatory School Public Speaking Program has been an opportunity for students to develop high level communication skills, poise, and confidence. The program, featuring the IPSHA Poetry Recitals, IPSHA Junior Orator and our internal King's Speech competition, have proven to be engaging and enriching experiences for all involved.

The Junior Orator and King's Speech competitions challenged students to craft and deliver persuasive speeches, allowing them to explore topics they are passionate about. Meanwhile, the Poetry Recitals encouraged a deep appreciation for language and performance, as boys learned to bring poems to life through voice, tone, and expression.

The highlight of this year's program was the participation and success of students across Year 4, 5, and Year 6, showcasing the breadth of talent and dedication among our boys. This year, our school proudly achieved state-wide recognition, with our boys securing wins from Year 4, 5, and Year 6 in the IPSHA Poetry Recitals against other independent schools and winning the Year 6 IPSHA Junior Orator competition.

We are incredibly proud of all our participants and winners, whose hard work and dedication have set a high standard for public speaking within our school community. This program continues to be a vital part of nurturing the skills and character of our boys, inspiring them to find their voices and share their stories with confidence and conviction.

#### **Bonnie Dawson**

Public Speaking Coordinator in the Preparatory School



- 1. IPSHA Poetry Recital winners Samuel Charters, Samuel Rayner and Freddie Mittiga
- 2. King's Speech group shot of competitors
- 3. Lionel Logue Award winners Devesh, Luke and Sammy
- 4. Devesh Anavkar winner of the Middle School Division
- 5. Luke Economos winner of the Senior School Division6. Sammy Rayner winner of the Preparatory School Division
- 7. Thomas Henchliffe six times runner up













# Debating

# **Secondary School**

With over 60 Secondary School boys choosing to take on Debating in 2024, together with five Junior B teams from the Preparatory School, this year PAC were proud to enter a record 17 teams in SADA's Schools Debating Competition. Once again, we were well represented in all six divisions, with all boys going over and above the call of duty with their commitment and skill levels, leading to another highly successful season. In Senior A, looking to add to PAC's hat-trick of State Championships, PAC 1 dominated the preliminary rounds and remained on top of the ladder, winning all debates except for the Grand Final. In their second rematch after St Peter's took back the John Bannon Shield during the Intercol, both teams put on an excellent display of skill and general knowledge, with PAC ultimately taking home the Runner Up trophy for 2024. In similar circumstances, our Intermediate A boys in the PAC 1 team also made it to the Grand Final after being on top of the ladder all season. They were similarly unlucky to miss out in a split decision, joining Senior A in taking home the Runner Up trophy for their division. A special mention to Devesh Anavkar, who was voted best speaker in the Intermediate A Grand Final, and also to Ansh Tiwari, who's commitment to debating earned him the coveted Most Valuable Debater award within SADA's Intermediate B division. Whilst no longer holding the mantle as State Champions in the Senior School divisions this year, all boys can be proud of their efforts, the accolades they have earned, and their contributions to a Debating Society which continues to go from strength to strength each year.

With the departure of our Year 12 boys, including our Captain, Nicholas Henchliffe, and Co-Vice Captain, Thomas Henchliffe, this year also marks the end of an era. For many years now, Thomas and Nicholas, like their older brother Alex before them, have been two driving forces behind the growth of our Debating culture and our recent successes. Together with their teacher coaches, the enormous commitment made by these two boys, as with our other student coaches, has been crucial in ensuring our legacy as one of Adelaide's most successful debating schools. Special thanks to Thomas Henchliffe and Nicholas Henchliffe for all their efforts, as well as to our other Co-Vice Captain, Owen Chen, and our other student coaches Nicholas Whyte, Owen Barkla, Ansh Tiwari and Kieran Gray.

Lastly, a special thanks to the Henchliffe family, who this year introduced a new incentive designed to inspire and motivate student leadership in Debating: The Henchliffe Family Prize. This new perpetual prize recognises the exemplary character and effort or leadership within the Prince Alfred College Debating Society, with a special medallion and monetary gift to those students who have shown a commitment to not only their own growth as debaters, but to our debating culture. In 2024, these awards went to the following boys: Sammy Rayner in the Preparatory School, Charles Tang in the Middle School, and Nicholas Whyte in the Senior School. Congratulations to these boys and to all our debaters and coaches for ensuring that our debating culture continues to flourish.

#### **Mark Bailey**

Debating and Public Speaking Coordinator (Secondary School)

# **Preparatory School**

# Junior B Debaters - State Champions in 2024

This year approximately 30 Preparatory School boys participated in debating, and it has been amazing to watch their growth throughout the year. All teams should be very proud of their performance across the season, though special mention must be made of PAC Green, who finished 7th out of 56 teams, before progressing into the Junior B State Finals. This team consisted of Charlie Collett, Arthur Goldsworthy, Sammy Rayner and Hamish Thompson, with Tommy Hodgson acting as timekeeper and chair in the final rounds. After defeating St Andrews in the Quarter Finals, these boys then progressed through the semi-finals, defeating St Johns to earn their place in the Grand Final. On Sunday 20 October, after a long and exciting week in Canberra, the boys then contested the Grand Final at the South Australian Law Courts in the Samuel Way Building, where they convincingly argued against the proposition of a three-day weekend to become State Champions. Congratulations to all boys on a very successful season of debating, and a special mention to Hamish Thompson, who was also nominated best speaker in the Grand Final.

#### **Lisa Clemente**

Debating Coordinator (Preparatory School)











- Captain Nicholas Henchliffe passing the Intercol Shield to St Peters Captain Alexander Koh
- 2. Junior B State Champions (PAC Green) Tommy Hodgson, Sammy Rayner, Hamish Thompson, Arthur Goldsworthy (Absent: Charlie Collett)
- 3. PAC 1 Senior A Runner Up State Champions
- 4. Junior B Best Speaker in the GF Hamish Thompson
- 5. Intermediate A PAC 1 Runner Ups in 2024



#### **Preparatory Debating**

Row 3: Alexander Kumar, Seb Goncalves, Isaac Huf, Arthur Goldsworthy, Jimmy Pulford, Fengshun Zhang, Charlie Collett Row 2: Frank Berwertz, Maximilian Polikin, Keshav Balachander, Sebastian Horvath, Ashton Gerecke, Tommy Hodgson, Henry Stirling, Henry Drew Row 1: Alexander Nguyen, Patrick Yan, Brian Wen, Jimmy Apostolakos, Ziggy Tasci, Thomas Dobbins, Sammy Rayner, Hugo Kirkpatrick, Jawad Ismaeel Teachers: Ms Lisa Clemente, Ms Bonnie Dawson



#### **Debating Inter A**

Row 2: Charles Tang, Milo Kotzee, Max Zeng Row 1: Noah Laforest, Devesh Anavkar, Zhao-Kai Wilcox, Tom Nolan Coaches: Thomas Henchliffe (top left) and Jacquie Sexton (absent)



# **Debating Inter B**

Row 2: Kieran Gray, Campbell Cowe, Apostolos Gaganis Row 1: Lachlan Wilde, Aaron Liu, Hugo Grayling Coaches: Mr Martin McKinnon and Owen Barkla



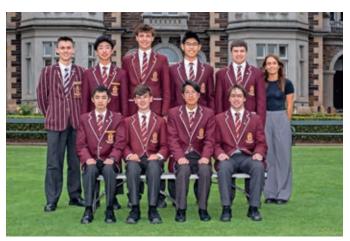
# **Debating Junior A**

Row 2: William Elder, Jay Nanvey, Sebastian Saunders, Lucas Pizzino, Romesh Ediriweera, Hugo Mittiga Row 1: Connor Caruso, Alexander Boase, Lucas Clayton, James Goldsworthy, Aidan Chen, Antonio Maurici, Jonathan Chong Coaches: Owen Chen, Nicholas Whyte, Ms Salley Persian



# **Debating Senior A**

Row 2: Aidan Obst, Owen Barkla, Nicholas Whyte, Ethan Bailey Row 1: Ridha Ismaeel, Owen Chen, Nicholas Henchliffe, Thomas Henchliffe, Luke Economos Coaches: Mr Mark Wilde (absent) and Kyan Jenkins (absent)



# **Debating Senior B**

**Row 2:** Isaac Yu, Julian Dawson, Ethan Chen, Edward Lock **Row 1:** Zichen Li, Edward Stothard, Jit Fan, James Arney **Coaches:** Nicholas Henchliffe and Ms Annie Matsouliadis

# Shades of Red

In the 2024 iteration of Shades of Red, we encouraged our Princes community to unlock their creative potential. Our motif was the lock and key and through this, we wanted to encourage personal reflection on the idea that we all have the potential for creativity, vulnerability and emotive expression - we should be summoning the courage to simply unlock it. We should identify what the keys to our creativity may be, and dismantle the locks that obstruct such necessary expression, especially at a time in history that is in such dire need of beauty, love and the unifying power of art.

Once again, we felt very privileged to experience such a large range of very personal entries, each designed to evoke specific feelings in their respective audience. These submissions, whether playful or poignant, have rightfully earned their place within the publication. Additionally, having the special opportunity to foster and catalyse the talents of our Preparatory and Senior School students, serves to bring a sense of community and unity to our endeavour. This publication works to abolish the stereotype that young men cannot express themselves; that it is taboo or 'weak' to show emotion. We are confident that the content between the pages of this year's journal does this powerfully.

At the launch this year, Henry Yang delivered his very moving and impactful slam poem about the insidious nature of racism. We also heard from Zac Flapper, Dr Emily Beattie, Edward Colaiacovo, Noah Leaheart, Angus Hall and Boseok Kim. Prizes were also awarded for poetry, artwork and photography pieces which reflected the unique eye and style of each contributor.

It has become tradition for us to invite a member from the wider community to share their insights on the power of language. This year we were thrilled to have Mel Lambert sharing her views on how everyday life can be used as inspiration for creative writing and poetry. Mel has 20 years' experience working in the not for profit and government sectors in the UK and Australia where she held development and innovation leadership roles. Mel co-hosts a monthly storytelling event in Adelaide called "Tenx9"

Mel spoke passionately about her own relationship with creative writing and left us with the words of one of her muses Nick Cave, the Australian rock star who describes his art of song-writing, which is

of course a form of poetry. "It begins with a lot of notetaking. Even though the notebooks are full of meaningless words, there are always little bits in there that, in time, begin to rise off the page. They start to shimmer."

We are grateful for the support of the committee members this year. It is a significant undertaking, putting a journal of this scale together. It is a publication for the students, by the students, and it is the following boys who took responsibility for spearheading our publication this

Miles Falahey - Editor in Chief

Caleb Tang

Harry Piggott

Tom Thredgold

Liam Quinn-Fogerty

Chewa Maurici

Luke Economos

Ridha Ismaeel

Aryan Parwal

We would like to extend our appreciation to Headmaster, Mr Roberts, for supporting our journal and taking the time to both read the work we have produced but also to share his own insights and reflections at our launch. Additionally, we would like to extend a large thank you to Ms Maycock, Mr Richards and Ms Bishop for their invaluable help in sourcing Preparatory School entries. Moreover, we would like to thank those who have been courageous enough to contribute to the journal via their submissions. Shades of Red would not exist without you.

We are very proud of this publication and would once again thank all who have made it possible. Here's to unlocking our creative potential,

#### **Nick Iadanza and Melody Marshall**

Co-Coordinators Shades of Red Committee, 2024



- Shades of Red Committee 2024
- Shades of Red Committee 2024: Teachers, Melody Marshall and Nick Iadanza; Year 12s Harry Piggott, Tom Thredgold, Caleb Tang, Miles Falahey; and Year 11s Luke Economos, Liam Quin-Fogarty, Ridha Ismaeel, Chewa Maurici, Aryan Parwal and Petey Flower
- Hugo Spears, Year 10
- Parent and Head of ICT, Daniel Goldsworthy
- Guest speaker, Mel Lambert, Dr Emily Beattie, Connor Caruso, Year 7, and guests at the Shades of Red launch
- Zach Henderson, Year 11 and family
- Hugo Mittiga (Yr7), Noah Leathart (Ýr9), Devesh Anavkar (Yr9), Lucas Pizzino (Yr7), Antonio Maurici (Yr7)
- Ashton Gerecke, Year 6, and his father Kurt















# **Preparatory School Co-Curricular Sport**



# **Preparatory Sport 2025**

2024 has been an exciting and productive year in the Preparatory School, with students from Reception to Year 6 eagerly participating in a wide range of co-curricular activities. It's always wonderful to see the boys embrace opportunities to represent their school, whether on the sports field, in academic competitions, or through cultural events.

I extend my heartfelt thanks to our dedicated staff who work tirelessly to guide and support our students. Their unwavering commitment and enthusiasm make these experiences both meaningful and memorable for the boys.

A special thanks also goes out to our external coaches and Old Scholars who generously contribute their time and expertise to coaching and mentoring many of our teams. Your involvement plays a crucial role in enriching our programs and fostering the growth and development of our students.

# **Sports Sampling Program**

Our Reception to Year 3 students enthusiastically participated in the weekly program, which allows them to explore a variety of sports. This program focuses on developing fundamental skills while providing the boys with the chance to enjoy engaging in small-sided games. It's always wonderful to see their energy and enthusiasm as they build confidence and teamwork through these activities

# Sapsasa

We again had a large number of our boys from Year 4 to 6 compete at the district swimming, cross country and athletics days. Many of these boys were successful and went on to represent the East Adelaide district compete at the state carnivals.

We also had a good representative of boys in the East Adelaide district teams for football, soccer, hockey, cricket and tennis at the state carnivals. We also had boys selected in the state teams for cross country, athletics, softball, touch, cricket, tennis and football.

Our Year 5/6 boys competed strongly at the Sapsasa basketball and for the first time we had students compete at the mountain bike and triathlon championships.

# **Running Club**

Running Club on Tuesday mornings was again popular, with many of our Year 3 to 6 boys keen to improve their running. Thank you to the dedication of Mark Howson, Deb Trengove and Jordan Neal who provided the boys with a fantastic opportunity to improve their running technique while also building their fitness levels.

# **Cross Country**

A number of our keen runners from Years 5 and 6 participated in the SAAS cross country competition that was held on Wednesday afternoons across Terms 2 and 3. Our boys were very successful, winning many of the Primary-aged races.

# The Scots College visit

As they did in 2018 and 2022, The Scots College from Sydney visited us at the beginning of Term 4 to play our Year 6 teams in basketball, tennis and cricket as well as our Year 7 water polo team. It was a great experience for all involved.

#### Cricket

As well as our six Prep cricket teams who played in the SAAS competition this year, we also formed an internal T10 competition for our Year 5/6 students which was played on the Back Oval each week. This gave more boys the opportunity to have a game each week.

It was pleasing to watch our boys' skills improve over the year and to see such outstanding sportsmanship within our teams each week.

# **Tennis**

Our numbers in tennis were strong again this year. From those who were learning the basics to those who play at a high level, it was wonderful to see the boys enjoying their tennis each week. Credit to the boys for always displaying excellent sportsmanship each time they walked on the court.

#### T-Ball

While the number of teams in the competition gets smaller each year, our T-Ball numbers at PAC remain healthy. For many of our boys it was their first time playing and it was brilliant to see the development across the year.

## Volleyball

This year, we had two teams in the Year 5/6 competition. For many of the boys, it was their first time playing volleyball, but to their credit, they worked hard to improve their skills while also learning the rules and strategies of the game.

#### **Basketball**

Unfortunately, this year was the first time in many years that we weren't able to field a Year 4 basketball team. However, our numbers in Year 5/6 remained healthy and all had successful years. These teams were fortunate to be coached by some of our best Year 12 players.

# **Football**

This year we had a Year 3 team, a Year 4 team and two Year 5/6 football teams. All four teams enjoyed some competitive matches during the season, and all boys got the opportunity to play in various positions all over the field. It was rewarding to see the boys develop both individually and as teams throughout the season.

#### Soccer

Soccer was popular in Year 3 this year with 29 boys playing which is a positive sign for the future of soccer at the College. We also had good numbers in Year 4, 5 and 6. All teams had good seasons and we were fortunate to have many of our best Senior soccer players coach out teams this year.

# **Hockey**

Thirteen enthusiastic boys from Year 4 to 6 of varying abilities and experience made up our hockey team this year. Under the guidance of some of our senior students, the team gelled together and it was pleasing to see the older boys leading the way for our younger, less experienced players.

#### **Table Tennis**

Our team consisted of boys who had never played a competitive match before to those who play at a high level. Despite this they all made significant progress across the season and each week, displayed excellent sportsmanship.

#### **Touch Football**

For many boys, the chance to play an invasion sport during summer is very appealing. While it is a sport that is very different to the more common sports played here, the boys loved the opportunity to learn new skills and strategies and they developed significantly over the year.

#### **Sam Barton**

Head of Preparatory Sport



# SAPSASA

Row 4: Hugh Brown, Eddie Sheppard, Andrew Mudge, Tommy Hodgson, Brax Bown, Axel Gikas, Jake O'Dea, Angus Christie, Thomas Selby Row 3: Kayden Dean, Harvey O'Brien, Seb Goncalves, Zak Sheridan, Sebastian Watts, Jack Woodrow, Sebastien Haskett, Henry Stirling, Charlie Collett, Kye Thompson Row 2: Harry King, Alfie Pledge, Maximilian Polikin, Hunter Moran, Ashton Gerecke, Max Diestel-Feddersen, Isaac Huf, Noah Reid, Jimmy Apostolakos Row 1: Rory McDonald, James Marshall, Charles Camilleri, Ed Paglia, Morgan Price, Edward Newton, Teddy Teasdale, Hugo Mallett, James Bourlotos, Jack Case, Seb Roussos

# Secondary School Co-Curricular Sport



2024 has seen success and growth in the Sports program at Prince Alfred College. This year I have not been disappointed in the continued commitment of our young men. I have been extremely impressed by the level of excellence, that Prince Alfred College students have achieved. This year, some of our newer sports continue to grow - Volleyball and Surfing in particular.

Sport remains an integral part in

the lives of PAC students, and we continue to develop and underpin our program with the values of Respect, Belonging, Endeavor and Excellence. We continue to develop programs and coaches to the ever-changing landscape of competitive sport. We will, continue to offer a sporting experience which will enable every boy to achieve personal success.

The commitment of the coaches and staff has again been exemplary. The effort and leadership has been greatly appreciated. The young men of Prince Alfred College have again been beneficiaries of the work done.

In 2024, success has been in the forefront of the sporting program at Princes. An impressive number of State Championships- 1st XI Cricket,

Water Polo, Tennis, Athletics 400m - Jack Rayner, Squash - Aryan Madan, Year 10 Football, 1st XVIII Football and Rugby.

SAAS Championships - Cricket, Water Polo, Tennis Drive 1 & 2, 1st XVIII Football, Year 10 Football, Hockey (Joint) & Rugby

Our Intercol fixtures against St Peter's College was again a highlight. Intercol victories in: Tennis, Cricket, Water Polo and Sailing in the Summer season, Chess, Squash, Soccer, Rugby, Hockey (Joint) and Football in the Winter season.

This success could not have happened without the dedicated staff and coaches who, on a weekly basis inspire, challenge and motivate these young men to achieve their best. I sincerely thank all the staff and coaches who have guided teams this year. Sincere thanks must go to Mrs Deb Trengove and the significant time and energy she has devoted to seeing the sport program at PAC run as smoothly as possible, and Mr Troy McKinnon, who again has led the Co-curricular program with dedication and distinction

Lastly, to those boys who competed for the mighty Reds, thank you. Your effort, passion, drive and hard work rarely goes unnoticed. In 2025 we will continue to develop and evolve our Sports program to continue to be at the forefront of sport in South Australia and nationally.

# **Paul Brown**

Head of Sport



# Summer Sport / Co-Curricular



#### **Badminton Middle Red**

Row 2: Jonathan Lau, James Arkwright, Yitong Wang, Jordan Sun, Jet Yiv, Yingcong Lin Row 1: Joshua Wang, Aidan Chen, Regan Whitmore, Toby Wong, Tom Nolan, Jonathan Wong Coach: Alistair Phillips



#### **Badminton Middle White**

Row 2: Ben Hamood, Sebastian Saunders, Bailey Khuoc Row 1: Antonio Maurici, Yusuf Uzman, Samar Charaya, Ollie McKinnon Coach: Alistair Phillips



#### **Badminton Open A**

Row 2: Aidan Foo, James McFarlane, Chengzhuo Qian Row 1: David Jia, Max Zeng, Hau Shing Shiu, Caleb Sam-Ling Coaches: Mr Jeff Ellis, Alistair Phillips

#### **Badminton**

The Badminton program has steadily grown especially in the Middle School teams. We had 5 teams competing in their respective grades in the SASS competition; A, B, C, Middle School Red and Middle School White. Congratulations to the first team that won the SASS Shield in 2024.

Max Zeng and Caleb Sam-Ling are two first team players who are to be commended for their efforts in representing South Australia at state level with Caleb recently winning boys doubles in the U/17 State Championships.

Below are the awards that were handed out this year:

#### **Awards**

Prince Alfred College Open Badminton Champion	Adrian Shiu
Open A Coach's Award	Tharan Balachander
Open A Most Improved	David Jia
Open B Coach's Award	Caleb Tang
Open B Most Improved	Francesco Ciampi
Open B Best and Fairest	Angus Phillips
Open C Coach's Award	Henry Yang
Open C Most Improved	James Searle
Open C Best and Fairest	Tony Xiang
Middle School Red Coach's Award	Johnny Chong
Middle School Red Most Improved	Bailey Khuoc
Middle School White Coach's Award	Josh Wang
Middle School White Most Improved	Ollie Mckinnon
Middle School Best and Fairest (Meng Ling Cup)	Max Zeng
Prince Alfred College Badminton Championship SS	Adrian Shiu
Phillips Cup All Round Player	Caleb Tang

Thank you, old scholars Meng Ling and Chris Chong who have volunteered their time, to coach and manage the senior players and year 7s that have just joined the badminton program.

Thank you, Head of Sport Paul Brown and Sports Administrator Deb Trengove for their support and behind the scenes work that make it all possible for the sport.

# **Kevin Khaw**

Head of Badminton



#### **Badminton Open B**

Row 2: Francesco Ciampa, Yifan Qian, Angus Phillips, Hamish Warn, Tsz To Tristan Wong Row 1: Henry Yang, Ziheng Tang, Yingxi Xiang, Chengyu Sun, Rijak Dhingra, James Pudney Coaches: Mr Matt Slade, Alistair Phillps



# **Badminton Open C**

Row 2: Yifan Qian, Yin Hei Chan, Joe Arkwright, Yingxi Xiang Row 1: Henry Yang, Charles Tang, Natchanawee Soralekkitti, Xavier Lim, James Pudney Coaches: Alistair Phillips, Ms Tayla Harradine Absent: James Searle

# **Cricket**

2024 Cricl	ket Awards			
Year 7 W	hite Coach's Award		Connor Caruso	
Year 7 White Most Valuable Player			Mateo Simonides- Dickson	
Year 7 Re	d Coach's Award		Harry Gatenby	
Year 7 Re	d Intercol Most Valuable	Player	Billy White	
Middle So	chool White Coach's Awa	ard	James Mcdonald	
Middle So Player	chool White Most Valuab	ole	Zeke Blaskett	
Middle So	chool Red Coach's Award	b	Hugh Davidson	
Middle Sc	:hool Red Most Valuable	Player	Joseph Simpson	
Middle So	chool First Xi Coach's Aw	ard	Sneh Thakkar	
Middle So Player	chool First Xi Most Valua	able	Zac Grice	
4th Xi Co	ach's Award		Declan Keanie	
4th Xi Mo	st Valuable Player		Hamish Vandepeer	
3rd Xi Co	ach's Award		Will Pointon	
3rd Xi Mo	st Valuable Player		Sam Davey	
2nd Xi Fie	elding Award		Hugh Wilcox	
2nd Xi Bo	wling Award		Hayden Reese 11 W	
2nd Xi Ba	tting Award		Jasper Zerbe 307 Runs	
2nd Xi Co	ach's Award 2		Henry Yelland	
First Xi No	orman Dowie Batting Av	vard	Dylan James 602 Runs	
First Xi R.	E. Cresdee Bowling Awa	rd	Matthew Leray 31 W	
First Xi Fie	elding Award		Matthew Leray	
First Xi Malcolm Dawe Medal For Service And Commitment		Ryan Percival		
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	Angus Dunn	5/11 2nd Xi V Trinity College
	Ryan Percival	5/10 1st Xi V Brisbane Grammar School
	Tom Turnbull	6/37 1st Xi V Newington College
	Matthew Leray	5/8 1st Xi V St Peter's College
	Matthew Leray	5/14 1st Xi V Sacred Heart College
	Sam Davey	5/13 3rd Xi V Trinity College
	Hudson Duka	5/3 3rd Xi V Rostrevor College
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	Zac Grice	100* V St Peter's College Intercol
	Dylan James	100 V South Gloucestershire School
	Dylan James	102 V King's Worcester School
	Tharan Balachander	100* V Newington College
	Luke Szabo	127 V Sacred Heart College

# Sam Knight

Director of Cricket



#### Cricket 1st XI

Row 2: Dylan James, Blake Roberts, Jesse McMahon, Hayden Reese, Jared Kuhl, Yarra Mickan, Harry Piggott, Thomas Turnbull Row 1: Jesse Laing, James Schimanski, Jamie Selvanayagam, Ryan Percival, Matthew LeRay, Luke Szabo, Tom Dolling, Tharan Balachander, Blake Vause Coach: Mr Sam Knight, Mr Shannon Tubb (absent)



#### Cricket 2nd XI

**Row 2:** Hayden Reese, Angus Dunn, Henry Yelland, Jonty Maraun, Jack Slattery, Jasper Zerbe **Row 1:** Mac Seal, James Schimanski, Jesse McMahon, Ivan Arnold, George Marks, Hugh Willcox, Blake Vause **Coaches:** Mr Ashley Woodcock, Mr Sam Knight



#### Cricket 3rd XI

Row 3: William Pointon, Joshua Penhall, Jack Slattery, Sam Davey, Oscar Rasheed Row 2: Jack Southwood, Angus McLachlan, Barnaby Wheare, Noah Parkinson, Saxon Larwood, Jack Siemer Row 1: Hudson Duka, Hudson Haynes, Eddie Callaghan, Will Hobbs, Nicholas Mitchell, Kai Dalby, George Butler Coach: Mr Sam Knight



#### Cricket 4th XI

**Row 2:** Thomas Thredgold, Charles Waltham, Barnaby Wheare, Noah Parkinson, Robert Case, Aston Hogben **Row 1:** Sam Davey, Oscar Rasheed, Jack Schirripa, Max Barnett, Declan Keanie, Peter Cole, Jack Southwood **Coaches:** Mr Ed Dolling, Mr Sam Knight



# Cricket Middle 1st XI

Row 2: Zac Grice, Henry Fogden, Jobe Stevens, Achyut Chopra, James Hobby Row 1: Daniel Mundy, Mason Engelbrecht, Kai Ivins, Harry Bowman, Harvy Vandenberg, Sneh Thakkar Coaches: Mr Mitch Thiele, Mr Sam Knight, Mr Peter Brown



# **Cricket Middle Reds**

Row 3: Joseph Simpson, Loki Bown, Bronte O'Callaghan, Zeke Blaskett, Hugh Davidson Row 2: Jack McKinnon, Jackson Finnis, Alexander Charlick, Alexander Butler, Tom Louden, Henry Lovell Row 1: Harry Dolling, Henry Owler, Henry McAuliffe, Xavier Abbott, Tom Laube Coach: Mr Sam Knight



#### **Cricket Middle White**

Row 3: Alistair Maria, Harrison Martin, Thomas Stuchbery, Ned Siemer, Louis MacIntosh Row 2: Toby Noble, Campbell Cowe, Cooper Jolly, James Ali, Charles Nolan, George Hawkins Row 1: Benjamin Johnson, Lachlan Wilde, Spark Wang, Harry Hodges, Sage Goel Coach: Mr Sam Knight



#### Cricket Yr 4 Red

**Row 2:** Billy Freemantle, Eddie Sheppard, Teddy Teasdale, Jax Gikas **Row 1:** Harry Denton, Alfred Chapman, Nash Noble, Joseph Huang, Archie Thompson **Coach:** Mr Tom Hunter **Absent:** Freddie White



# Cricket Yr 5 Red

Row 2: Hamish Hewitt, Teddy Bown, Charles Walker, Will Andrews Row 1: James Bourlotos, Alex Clark, Charlie Jackson, Thomas Henderson, Hugo Mallett Coach: Mr Sam Barton



#### **Cricket Yr 4 White**

**Row 2:** Louis Pan, Harrison Duckworth, James Coleman, Henry Condous, Xavier Do **Row 1:** Harvey Holmes, Christopher Capobianco, Jack Case, Edward Newton, Jobe Reid, William Jovicevic **Coach:** Mrs Edma Kassouf, Mr Tom Waters (Absent)



# Cricket Yr 5-6 T-0

**Row 2:** Jimmy Kammer, Benjamin Dunstone, Lachie Fletcher, Tom Dickson, Thomas Dobbins **Row 1:** James Marshall, Perry Chen, Orlando Antunes, Isaac Huf, Harry King, Kimson Ma **Coach:** Mr Oliver Fox



# Cricket Yr 5 White

Row 2: Aston Smith, Daniel Auciello, Eyad Shahin, Lachie Demasi Row 1: Lucas Drusian, Ishaan Hossain, Seb Antonas, Eddie Katdare Coach: Mr Mark Howson, Mrs Marie Viscion (absent) Absent: Harry Luke, Ed Paglia, Ned Sanders, Harry Williams



#### Cricket Yr 6 White

**Row 2:** Oscar Gerlach, Sebastien Haskett, Sebastian Watts, Jack Woodrow, Max Diestel-Feddersen, William Leahey, Angus Owler **Row 1:** Oliver Thompson, Philip Sruhan, Jack Williamson, Keshav Balachander, Tommy Hodgson, Mikey Haywood, Edward Colaiacovo **Coach:** Mr Rob Colaiacovo



#### Cricket Yr 6 Red

Row 2: Rayan Khan, Charlie Paholski, Lachlan Boylan, Brax Bown, Struan Cowe, Jake O'Dea Row 1: Rory McDonald, Charlie O'Hara, Charlie Collett, Jock Loveday, Joshua Sam, Jonas Knight, Sammy Rayner Coach: Mrs Heather O'Hara, Mr Tom Turnbull (absent)

# Rowing

The Boat Club devoted its pre-season to a process-driven approach with the Senior rowing squad - emphasising skill development over immediate results. As the other squads began their pre-season, ownership of this cultural cornerstone passed on to them. The Head of the River proved to be another exceptional day for the club with success spread across all crews. Although the 1st VIII race remained just out of reach once again, the team left the course confident they were heading in the right direction.

We have since zeroed in on the details that define our standards for a PAC oarsman. Our approach centres on the individual while simultaneously embracing the idea that the club is larger than any one person. Guided by a "bottom-up effect" philosophy, we believe that when every team member strives for personal bests, they inherently hold one another accountable, thus uplifting the entire group. Our goal is to ensure every student enjoys an experience on par with that of their teammates.

A key pillar of the student experience is access to high-quality equipment. The Boat Club is fortunate to stand on the strong foundations laid by those before them - a fact that many admire. The College and the Rowing Parents Support Group (RPSG) continue to provide extensive support in resource allocation and community building, ensuring the Boat Club continually evolves for the benefit of our students.

A significant strategic move this season was the reinstatement of the "Boatman" role, now renamed the "Boat Club Facilities Officer." We are delighted to welcome Wayne Severin into this position. Wayne, a skilled boat builder and former national rower for South Africa, is a familiar face, having coached our 1st VIII back in 2008. His return is both exciting and inspiring for the club.

The beginning of the season also saw the addition of several new coaches. Notably, we are proud to introduce our new 1st VIII coach, Nathan Bowden. Nathan joined us following a successful coaching tenure at St Peter's College and after a distinguished professional rowing career for Australia - including participation in multiple World Cups and World Championships. His deep respect for the coach/athlete relationship and unwavering commitment to our standards signal an exciting new chapter as he takes on the role of 1st VIII and Head Coach.

For the first time in years, rowing camps moved back to the Scotts Creek Campus, and every camp was a success. This facility, established by our predecessors, provides a safe space where athletes can risk failure and, in doing so, learn invaluable lessons for growth. In Term 4, we focused on building depth, developing robust student-athletes, and fostering the resilience needed to overcome adversity - a challenging yet essential process that saw genuine commitment from all involved.

#### **Season Highlights & Events**

After a year's hiatus due to record flooding, the Boat Club returned to the Riverland for the annual regatta. We also established a new partnership with the Berri Football Club, which graciously hosted our Riverland dinner and catered to the Intermediate and Senior Squad squads also on camp.

Returning to school in Term 1 marked the season's climax with the Head of the River and the National Rowing Championships. With regattas scheduled every weekend for all squads, logistical challenges - like sourcing enough food to fuel our rowers were met seamlessly, thanks in no small part to our dedicated parent volunteers.

At the Head of the River dinner held at the College, we celebrated with a combined prize-giving ceremony attended by 320 guests. The evening was filled with inspiring speeches, great weather, excellent food & drinks, and a strong sense of community - all testaments to another successful rowing season.

A notable milestone was the trip to Sydney for the Australian Rowing National Championships. Fourteen Senior and five Intermediate rowers, along with their coaches, travelled to compete. Their hard work was rewarded with silver medals in the Under-19 Men's VIII, Coxless IV, and U17 Men's Double Scull events.

Strong leadership is the backbone of any successful club. This season, Captain of Boats Elijah Roberts, along with Co-Vice Captains Sam Stunell and Charlie Wundenberg, set a lasting example for the entire Boat Club. A big thank you goes out to them and to all the coaches who consistently go above and beyond in guiding our students. We also extend our sincere appreciation to the RPSG, led by Alex Freemantle, whose efforts in fundraising and community engagement have inspired every member to get more involved.

# **Tim Hennessy**

Director of Rowing

Most improved Year 9 Oarsman

Most outstanding Year 9 Coxswain

Most outstanding Year 9 Oarsman

Most committed Year 8 Clubman

Most improved Year 8 Oarsman

Most outstanding Year 8 Coxswain

Most outstanding Year 8 Oarsman

Year 8

# Boat Club awards, awarded at the club Prize Giving

boat club awards, awarded at the clu	g
The Brian J Richardson Trophy for Dedication and Leadership within the PAC Rowing Club	Eli Roberts
Prestige Medal (first awarded 2021) Director of Rowing selection	Not awarded in 2024
Seniors	
Most committed Senior Clubman (Garner Cup)	Sam Stunell
Most improved Senior Oarsman (N.C. Howard Award)	Charlie Wundenberg
Most outstanding Senior Coxswain (H.E. Freburg Trophy)	Alex Hamood
Most outstanding Senior Oarsman (PAC Rowing Club)	Max Garnett
Intermediates	
Most committed Intermediate Clubman	Ky Fogarty
Most improved Intermediate Oarsman	Jack Stunell
Most outstanding Intermediate Coxswain	Maddern Croft
Most outstanding Intermediate Oarsman (P.B. Piper Memorial Trophy)	Nick Christiansen
Juniors	
Year 9	
Most committed Year 9 Clubman	Charlie Yelland

**Harrison Gibson** 

**James Selby** 

Jensen Hunt

**Lachlan Logan** 

Noah Burton-Howard

**Liam Charlesworth** 

Fred Ashby



Rowing 7-8A

Row 2: Robert Nairn, Bernie White Row 1: Noah Burton-Howard, Jack Amber, Harry Hobby Coach: Richard Hamood



Rowing 7-8B

Back row: Lachlan Bauer Front row: Lachlan Logan, Harry Menz, Fred Ashby Coach: Mr Marcus Gibson Absent: Henry Ashby



Rowing 7-8C Row 2: James Morgan, Apostolos Gaganis Row 1: Hugo Grayling, Harry Hall, Campbell Brown Coach: Mr Ted Henbest



Rowing 7-8D
Row 1: Edward Mibus, William Gibson Coach: Mr Ted Henbest
Absent: Carter Gereke, Sam Matheson, Finn Saturno



Rowing 7-8E
Back row: Marlon Lock Front row: Harry Czabayski, Ansh Tiwari, Keiran Gray
Coach: Ms Jasmine Cooper Absent: Jasper Arnold-Channey



Rowing 7-8F Row 2: Robert Nairn, Bernie White Row 1: Noah Burton-Howard, Jack Amber, Harry Hobby Coach: Richard Hamood



Rowing 8-9A
Row 2: Jensen Hunt, Harry Grandioso Row 1: James Selby, Dougal McLachlan,
Harry Adams Coach: Mr Tim Santin



Rowing 8-9B Row 2: Lucas Sheridan, James Warwick Row 1: Alfred Antonas, Harrison Gibson, Sabian Manera Coach: Mr Eddie West



Rowing 8-9C Row 2: Jonathan Duff, Samuel Bryson Row 1: Peter Papageorgiou, Harry Paholski, Milo Kotzee Coach: Mr Tom Mallick



Rowing 8-9D Row 2: Alexander Oakes, William Garnett Row 1: William Edwards, Hamish Wiles, Maxwell Kammer Coach: Mr James Williams



Rowing 8-9E Row 2: Joshua Fleming, Charles Yelland Row 1: Oliver Priestley, Alby Will, Thomas Whittle Coach: Mr James Tye



Rowing 8-9F&G
Row 2: Sebastian Mibus Row 1: Ben Logan, Lachlan Murphy, Kieran Gray
Absent: Arlo Bromley, James Mudge, Will Wildman, Deklan Murphy, Jock
Perry and Oscar Kermeen Coach: Mr James Williams and Mr Tim Santin
(absent)



Rowing 9-10A
Row 2: Nick Christensen, Athan Harlaftis Row 1: Christian Smith, James
Dixon, Maddern Croft Coach: Mr Thomas Johnson



Rowing 9-10B Row 2: Benjamin Wilkin, Julian Dawson, Charlie Freemantle Row 1: Lucas Fusco, Owen McCauley, Hugo Elkhoury Coach: Mr Andrew Brennan



Rowing 9-10C Row 2: Taine Meyer, Jack Stunell Row 1: Sabian Manera, Ky Fogarty, Leroy Condous Coach: Mr Jake Hamood



Rowing 9-10D
Row 2: Henry Pedler, Henry Stephan Row 1: Peter Papageorgiou, Angad Gill,
Milo Kotzee Coach: Mr Jack Miller



Rowing SB 2nd IV Row 2: Aidan Obst, Oliver Dennis Row 1: Tiago Barlow, Finn Wundenberg, David Oyekale Coach: Mr Mitch Parker



Rowing SB 1st IV Row 2: Arjun Dosanjh Row 1: Angus Hall, Frankie Chapman, Chi Lam Argus Choy Absent: Petey Flower Coach: Mr Mitch Parker



Rowing SB 2nd XIII

Row 2: Angus Freemantle, Hugo Knight, Marco Wirth, Lachlan Davidson Row 1: Oliver Smith, Charles Wundenberg, Isaac Evans, Jasper Hill, Nickolas Miteloudis Coach: Ms Emily Elkhoury



Rowing SB 1st XIII

Row 2: Sam Stunell, Jack Wilkin, Sam Remeljej, Maximus Garnett Row 1: Alex Hamood, Angus Williams, Eli Roberts, Louis Dawson, Edward Chapple Coach: Mr Nathan Bowden



#### **Head of the River Results**

Event/Race	Place	Time
Juniors (Year 7/8 squad)		
Schoolboy Yr 7/8 F Coxed Quad	2nd	4:26
Schoolboy Yr 7/8 E Coxed Quad	2nd	4:19.06
Schoolboy Yr 7/8 D Coxed Quad	3rd	4:05.6
Schoolboy Yr 7/8 C Coxed Quad	2nd	3:58.4
Schoolboy Yr 7/8 B Coxed Quad	1st	3:47.5
Schoolboy Yr 7/8 A Coxed Quad	2nd	3:39.2
Year 8/9 squad		
Schoolboy Yr 8/9 G Coxed Quad	3rd	4:12.4
Schoolboy Yr 8/9 F Coxed Quad	1st	3:56.1
Schoolboy Yr 8/9 E Coxed Quad	2nd	3:56.3
Schoolboy Yr 8/9 D Coxed Quad	1st	3:59.7
Schoolboy Yr 8/9 C Coxed Quad	1st	3:49.7
Schoolboy Yr 8/9 B Coxed Quad	1st	3:43.8
Schoolboy Yr 8/9 A Coxed Quad	5th	3:54.1
Intermediates (year 9/10)		
Schoolboy Yr 9/10 D Coxed Quad	5th	6:36.3
Schoolboy Yr 9/10 C Coxed Quad	1st	5:53.5
Schoolboy Yr 9/10 B Coxed Quad	1st	5:43.7
Schoolboy Yr 9/10 A Coxed Quad	1st	5:28.3
Seniors		
Schoolboy 3rd Four	n/a	n/a
Schoolboy 2nd Four	2nd	9:29.2
Schoolboy 1st Four	3rd	7:40.8
Schoolboy 2nd Eight	1st	6:35.2
Schoolboy 1st Eight	2nd	6:25.9

# Rowing 2024

Row 9: Arjun Dosanjh, Athan Harlaftis, Lucas Sheridan, Sebastian Mibus, Marco Wirth, Hugo Knight, Alexander Oakes, Julian Dawson, Benjamin Wilkin, Lachlan Davidson, Jensen Hunt, Aidan Obst, Henry Pedler Row 8: Jasper Hill, Charlie Wundenberg, Charlie Freemantle, William Garnett, Jack Stunell, Angus Freemantle, Taine Meyer, James Warwick, Ollie Dennis, Isaac Evans, Finn Wundenberg

Row 7: Keir Nairn, Harry Grandioso, Harrison Gibson, William Wildman, Samuel Bryson, Bernie White, Joshua Fleming, Jonathan Duff, Charles Yelland, Alby Will, Frankie Chapman, Henry Stephan

**Row 6:** Andrew Brennan, Thomas Johnson, Ky Fogarty, Owen McCauley, Leroy Condous, Hugo Elkhoury, Nick Christensen, Harry Paholski, Harrison Menz, Carter Gerecke, Jack Amber, Lachlan Bauer, Maxwell Kammer, Tim Santin, Ted Henbest

**Row 5:** James Williams, James Tye, David Oyekale, James Mudge, Hamish Wiles, Harry Adams, Angad Gill, Maddern Croft, Lucas Fusco, Christian Smith, Oliver Smith, James Dixon, Marcus Gibson, Jack Miller

**Row 4:** Jake Hamood, Tom Mallick, Marlon Lock, Harry Hobby, Harry Hall, Sabian Manera, Thomas Whittle, Lachlan Murphy, William Edwards, Dougal McLachlan, Milo Kotzee, Mitch Parker, Eddie West

**Row 3:** Emily Elkhoury, Jasmine Cooper, Campbell Brown, Nickolas Miteloudis, Chi Lam Argus Choy, Tiago Barlow, Oliver Priestley, Zander Zacharia, Edward Mibus, Alfred Ashby, Apostolos Gaganis, Lachlan Logan, James Morgan, Richard Hamood

Row 2: Ben Logan, Deklan Murphy, William Katdare, Finn McNally, Harry Czabayski, Alfred Antonas, Ansh Tiwari, Kieran Gray, Peter Papageorgiou, William Gibson, Noah Burton-Howard, James Selby, Hugo Grayling Row 1: Wayne Severin, Alex Hamood, Louis Dawson, Maximus Garnett,

Samuel Remeljej, Elijah Roberts, Nathan Bowden, Jack Wilkin, Sam Stunell, Angus Williams, Edward Chapple, Tim Hennessy

**Absentees:** Jasper Arnold-Channey, Samual Matheson, Finn Saturno, Liam Charlesworth, Henry Ashby, Arlo Bromley, James Mudge, Jock Perry, Oscar Kermeen and Petey Flower, Coaches: Angus Rikard-Bell, Henry Norton

# Sailing

The 2023-24 season began auspiciously with our home base of Adelaide Sailing Club preparing to host the International Laser Class Association or ILCA Australian national, Masters and World championships. Joshua Zhang and William Spitty took part in pre-season youth coaching clinics and competitions, leading up to competing in the nationals in January, within the ILCA 4 youth category. The senior men's ILCA 7 national and world championships were eventually won by West Australian, Matt Wearn, who went on to win his third gold medal at the 2024 Olympics in Paris.

After putting on such major events, ASC hosted the double regatta Metropolitan Championship for secondary school team sailing, on the consecutive Sundays of 17 and 24 March. 15 teams from 9 schools (Concordia, Immanuel, Investigator, Ocean View College, PAC, St Peters, Sacred Heart, Walford, and Westminster) competed across 11 rounds, sailing over 50 races.

Both days saw some good racing, with our first team skippered by Tom Henchliffe, Pete Cole and Josh Zhang, with Will Spitty in reserve, eventually finishing mid fleet out of 14 teams. Our second team, ably led by Stephen Wang, and supported by Ivan Ng and Tony Xiang, with Tony Jiang in reserve, had some good competition with Walford and Concordia's second teams. Our full complement of crews consisted of Harry Hu, Zhao-Kai Wilcox, Keith Ng and Darcy Sandow in the firsts, and Xavier Chen, Thomas Yu, James Yang and Stanley Jia in the seconds.

Following last year's exhibition event, the first official Sailing Intercol was programmed as the best of three races at the end of the final day. Unfortunately, a strengthening sea breeze that had begun shortly after midday saw the regatta terminated before final rounds could be raced, including the Intercol. The championship was decided on final

standings and went to Sacred Heart, while, based on prior agreement, PAC 1 came out two places ahead on the ladder of St Peters 1, giving us the inaugural Intercol victory. This generated some controversy as, while the two teams did not meet on the first Sunday, they did have three races together during the second day's rounds, which included a few controversial umpiring decisions resulting in two wins for the St Peter's team

Disappointingly, the annual team sailing highlight of the State Championship, scheduled for the April holidays at Goolwa Regatta Yacht Club, was cancelled due to a major blue-green algae outbreak in the lower lakes affecting that part of the Murray River.

Some consolation did come in the form of our first official end-of-season event, in honour of the sport's first official Intercol. This was held as a cocktail evening in the Ashton Room and gave an ideal opportunity to farewell our departing Year 12s, especially Captain Tom Henchliffe, who capped off an amazing 7 years in the sport. His exemplary commitment to Sailing at PAC will leave a wonderful legacy that we hope to build upon in future years. Finally, a huge thank you must go to the many supportive parents, who transported, fed, watered and encouraged the boys over so many hours of sailing.

#### **Award Winners**

Colours	Thomas Henchliffe and Joshua Zhang
Best & Fairest Medal	Thomas Henchliffe
Most Dedicated Sailor	Joshua Zhang
Most Improved Skipper	Tony Xiang

#### Jonathan Scobie

Co-ordinator of Sailing



# **Swimming**

Our Swimming program continues to enjoy strong enrolment and some strong results. We are continuing to rebuild after several years of dominance and so we are investing coaching into our younger age groups as they develop to become champions. Our Senior squad is consistently strong and has maintained its status amongst the state's

Swimming is primarily an individual sport but our coaches and student leaders work hard to engage the squad into a team atmosphere. It is wonderful to see the camaraderie at each swim meet and the genuine interest each swimmer has in his teammates success.

Stand out performances from Lucas Pizzino, Fred Hassell, Will Maynard, Fergus Keighran, Alex MacDonald, Luca Bacon, Oscar Cohen and Louis Annetta have laid a solid foundation for ongoing improvement.

We have at times, struggled to maintain depth and consistency across all age groups and this is the key to winning a SAAS final or an Intercol. We are aware of our deficits and areas to improve, and so we will continue to do this, to develop a champion squad, rather than a squad of champions.

We have the swimmers, the coaches and the culture to achieve this and we look forward to ongoing improvement in 2025.

Prestige Medal	Alex MacDonald
Mark Sheppard Swimmer of the Year 2023	Fred Hassel
Chris Leung Most Improved and Outstanding Team Person 2023	Angus Hall
Coach's Award 2023	Luca Bacon, Lucas Pizzino

# oach's Award 2023

# **Scott Parker**

Director of Aquatics



#### **Swimming**

Row 3: James Arney, Kai Ivins, Louis Annetta, Frederick Hassell, Luca Bacon, Charlie Fassina, Jacob Branson **Row 2**: Angus Hall, Lucas Pizzino, Nick Christensen, Charles Waltham, Ryan Bowyer, Boseok Kim, Henry Burroughs, William Maynard

Row 1: Thomas Ciccocioppo, Declan Lin, Seokjin Yoon, Bailey Khuoc, Angus Mills, Stephen Feng, Chadwick Westbrook, Alec Halkett, Jack Henderson Coaches: Ms Mel Brister, Mr Scott Parker, Mrs Felicity Liddy

# Surfing

In its second year as an official co-curricular activity, the PAC surf team has grown to 16 members and is fast becoming a close-knit group of athletes, coaches and dad's, who surf with their sons (mum's are always welcome!).

We continue to compete in school age-based tag team competitions, and although we are challenged in this format, we do give our best. We are often humbled by the surfing talent amongst other schools who are closer to the coast but this has not deterred us, it has spurred us on to improve.

We are all on a road of progression with surfing and so our weekly surf sessions involve one to one and group coaching, where boys receive expert tips on rips, reading waves and performing manoeuvres, and these are supported by weekly surf skate lessons at school where we concentrate on body mechanics and form. All of this has seen significant improvement in our surfers, particularly our junior surfers.

We were lucky this year to also visit the Melbourne URBN Surf wave pool for a one-day strike mission. In this experience, we are filmed and coached by professional film maker and surf coach, Mr Kale Brock. We are maintaining a close relationship with Kale, and we look forward to ongoing surf trips.

In surfs through spring, we were blessed with clean, fun waves in the Middleton area and we have had some amazing surfs as a group. The vibe in these conditions has been full of cheer, encouragement and

stoke and it is a wonderfully joyous feeling to see everyone having a good surf and enjoying themselves. To have mother ocean on our side and everyone getting amongst it has made several memorable surf sessions for us all to reminisce.

I would like to thank all of the surfers for the way they operate in the surf, with safety, etiquette and kindness. I would also like to thank the dads who shred in the waves - Kristian Maynard, Sam Pentland and James Lindsay - who often join us and offer additional water safety and coaching.

The program is running well, and I thank our current student leaders in Pete Cole and Jack Shirripa for helping to maintain a culture of care, safety, fun and inclusivity. In 2025 we look toward more great waves, more contests and hopefully some more strike mission trips with expert coaching.

Most skilful in the water	Finn Carey and Eddie Chapple
Most committed and enthusiastic about the program, dry land and in the water	Pete Cole and Will Maynard (shared)

#### **Scott Parker**

Director of Aquatics



**Surfing Row 2:** Jack Schirripa, Nick Ricciuto, Thomas Lindsay, Max Barnett, Harry
Goldsworthy **Row 1:** Edward Chapple, Finn Carey, William Maynard, Peter
Cole, Archie Erbe **Coach:** Mr Scott Parker



T-Ball Yr 4-5
Row 2: Freddie Mittiga, Jimmy Pulford, Jingjie Huang, Basil Baklavas
Row 1: Sam Charters, Oliver Hennessy, Ashwin Srivastava, Oliver Chong
Absent: Mr Christopher Richards (Coach), Flynn Obst, Francesco Demaria

# **Tennis**

It has been yet another wonderful season of tennis right through from our Middle C teams to our Drive team. This season the College had over 140 students enrolled in tennis across 16 teams weekly.

Middle school tennis comprised of 7 teams ranging from our Middle A1 team to our Middle C team. Our Middle C teams were competitive each week with many new players improving their skills and ability to score correctly over the course of the season. The Middle B teams had numerous wins with some strong performances from many of our Year 8 boys. Our B teams highlighted the depth and strength of tennis in our program, and it was pleasing to see many of them improve their skills and go about their matches in the right manner. The middle A1 team had a super season most of which were hard fought matches against St Peter's and Marryatville.

This season our Senior program consisted of 9 teams including 2 drive teams, 3 Senior A4 teams 2 B teams and a 2 C teams. This has been the first season the College has been had 16 teams across the middle and Senior School. This occurred due to not only an increasing demand in this sport but an acknowledgement to the depth of tennis and quality of programmes that we have at the College. Across the season our Senior teams competed in great spirit. Many of our boarders made up the C teams and they competed well throughout the season. The B teams had strong performances across the season with many boys improving their game and pushing for selection in the A teams. Two of the Senior A4 teams were undefeated across the season highlighting a strong group of Year 12's in the sport.

The Drive division 1 and 2 tennis teams both had undefeated seasons winning the state championships defeating Marryatville and St Ignatius College respectively. This was the first time that the College has been state champions in both divisions concurrently. A super effort to all players in this squad as they were always prepared and had the attitude of improving as each session surpassed. An amazing effort to round out the fixtures when PAC won its 18th straight Intercollegiate fixture against St Peter's. A credit to Captain of Tennis, Oscar Wang, on an exceptional season. He led by example and created a wonderful environment for the younger boys in this group. Thank you to all the coaches and staff who gave their wisdom and support to boys at training and on match day.



#### **Tennis Senior A4**

Row 3: William Prescott, Isaac Yu, Boseok Kim, Hugo Spears, Eli Anders Row 2: Sebastian MacIntosh, Thomas Neal, Dougal Ashby, Asger Abraham, Oliver Dunbar, Noah Thiessen Row 1: Lucas Dang, Owen Chen, Hugo Sanders, Gabriel Yeo, Cooper Jarrett, Ed Prescott Coaches: Mr Jack Schipanski, Mr Brett Gilbert, Mr Josh Gregg

#### **Awards**

Middle C	Best Teammate Award	Erik Lidums
Middle B	Best Teammate Award	Felipe Papathanasiou
Middle A	Best Teammate Award	Luke Modra
Senior C	Best Teammate Award	Jake Nykiel
Senior B	Best Teammate Award	Jack Kohlhagen
Senior A	Best Teammate Award	Ed Prescott
Drive 1 and 2	Best Teammate Award	Minh-Duc Nguyen
Drive 1 and 2	Best first year player	Max Edwards
Drive 1 and 2	Most improved	Ashton Lim
Drive 1 and 2	Most valuable player	Oscar Wang
Drive 1 and 2	PAC Cup Runner-Up	Aiden Lim
Drive 1 and 2	PAC Cup Winner	Filip Fantasia

#### Josh Gregg

Director of Tennis



**Tennis Drive 1 Intercol Team** 

Row 2: Sidney Malone, Max Edwards, Samuel Cumming, Louis Kellaway, Oscar Wang, Henry Allen Row 1: Minh-Duc Nguyen, Filip Fantasia, Cooper Ferme, Kai Coghlan, Aiden Lim, Nathan Thomas, Ashton Lim Coaches: Mr Jack Schipanski, Mr Shane Harris, Mr Josh Gregg



**Tennis Drive 1** 

Row 2: Max Edwards, Oscar Wang Row 1: Kai Coghlan, Aiden Lim, Filip Fantasia, Ashton Lim Coaches: Mr Jack Schipanski, Mr Shane Harris, Mr Josh Gregg



**Tennis Drive 2** 

**Row 2:** Louis Kellaway, Samuel Cumming, Sidney Malone **Row 1:** Nathan Thomas, Cooper Ferme, Henry Allen, Minh-Duc Nguyen **Coaches:** Mr Jack Schipanski, Mr Josh Gregg



# **Tennis Senior B1&2**

**Row 2:** Oscar Rasheed, Felix Waltham, Hayden Willmott, Lachlan Spitty, Jude Saturno, Tymoteusz Jachacy **Row 1:** Remy Worthington, Brody Davies, Jack Kohlhagen, Harry Goldsworthy, William Trengove, Oscar Di Matteo **Coaches:** Mr Jack Schipanski, Mr Josh Gregg



#### **Tennis Senior C**

Row 3: Fletcher Davidson, Angus Hewett, Nicholas Whyte, Henry Murdoch Row 2: Hugo Richards, Alec Sincock, Aryan Parwal, Angus Thorne, Jake Nykiel Row 1: Sean Keeler, Maximilian Flower, Charles Carney, Aleksander Kierno, Henry G Drew Coaches: Mr Jack Schipanski, Mr Josh Gregg



#### Tennis Middle A1

Row 2: Jay Nanvey, Christian Bibbo Row 1: Mitchell Stankiewicz, Andy Venning, Minh-Khiem Nguyen Coach: Josh Gregg



**Tennis Middle A2** 

Row 2: Anthony Rapuano, Kieran Gray, Harvey Koch Row 1: George Karas, Felipe Papathanasiou, Nicholas Rapuano, Oliver Gilbert Coach: Mr Josh Gregg



#### **Tennis Middle B2**

Row 2: Thomas Schirripa, Henry Zadow, Yan Xie, Henry Fan, Thomas George Row 1: Oliver Brooksby, Oliver Morelli, Solomon Williams, Christopher Clayton, Hunter Petersen, Hardy Lloyd Coach: Mr Josh Gregg



#### **Tennis Middle C**

**Row 2:** Elijah Onyeizugbo, Tate Symons, Eriks Lidums, Thomas Waddy, Louis Sergi, Alexander Wissell **Row 1:** Christian Roberts, Alexander Yip, Jasper Roberts, Adrien Hennessy, Tyler Kennedy Costello, Edward Taintey, Henry McPhail **Coach:** Mr Josh Gregg



#### **Tennis Middle**

Row 3: Finnias Saturno, Lucca Malivindi Henry Reid, Fraser Bishop, William Pledge, Mitchell Brook, Lucas Trengove Row 2: Thomas Davies, Hugo Gwynne, Edward Lindsay, Henry Mitchell, William Pan, Joe Ricciuto, Thomas Michael, Lachlan Gardiner Row 1: Henry Marshman, Thomas Goldsworthy, Charles Hammond, Mohammed Ismaeel, Jae-Young Jang, Benjamin Prescott, Thomas Ciccocioppo, Angus Tremlett Coach: Mr Josh Gregg



#### **Tennis Primary A**

Row 2: Sonny Šposato, Ashton Gerecke, Henry Stirling, Hamish Thompson Row 1: Ethan Tan, Angus Christie, Fengshun Zhang, Henry Drew, Liam Thompson Coach: Mrs Fiona Howat



#### **Tennis Primary B Red**

Row 2: Zak Sheridan, Hunter Moran, Henry Sutton Row 1: Tom Gregg, Hugh Herriot, Tom Trengove, Jawad Ismaeel Absent: Alexander Nguyen



**Tennis Primary B White** 

Row 2: Seb Goncalves, Axel Gikas, Xander Kammer, Alfie Pledge Row 1: Kayden Dean, Hugh Brown, Patrick Le, Brian Wen Manager: Ms Claire Maycock Absent: Patrick Yan



**Tennis Primary B Gold** 

Row 2: Isaac Sunjaya, Oscar Qiu, Hardy Zhang, William Amber Row 1: Thomas Selby, Ziggy Tasci, Alex Qiu, Jaiyen Landers Coach: Ms Maddy Higgs Absent: Rupert Norris



Tennis Primary B Maroon

Row 2: Senyuth Dissanayake, Sebastian Horvath, Oakley Cluse-Robertson, James Payne Row 1: Kye Thompson, Andrew Mudge, Archie Marsh, Charles Camilleri Coach: Mrs Steph Moffatt



**Tennis Primary C** 

Row 2: Jimmy Apostolakos, Christian Varricchio, Will Haywood Row 1: Anthony Demasi, Tom Ivers, Oliver Rodrigues Coach: Miss Judy Zhu Absent: Archie Karamalis



**Tennis 4-5 Development** 

**Row 2:** Daniel Ondimu, Andreas Kefalianos, George Besir **Row 1:** Leon Chang, Morgan Price, Matias Goncalves, Viren Dhiman **Coach:** Ms Julia Blethyn



# **Touch Football Yr 5-6 Red White Gold**

Row 2: Hunter Moran, Sebastien Haskett, Jimmy Apostolakos Row 1: Xander Kammer, Jimmy Kammer, Henry Sutton, Isaac Huf Coach: Sam Barton Absent: Harry Williams, Alexander Kumar, William Leahey, Ed Paglia, Ned Sanders

# Volleyball

The 2023/24 Volleyball season was again a leap forward for Princes Volleyball. We saw another increase in student interest, and a reconciliation of our inaugural official Volleyball Intercol in Term 1 2024. We also enjoyed our first participation in the Volleyball South Australia Secondary Schools Cup competition.

Term 4 2023 saw 41 registered players arrive for our preparations, jumping straight into fixtures from Week 1. Mixed results from all teams provided learning for coaches and players alike, with all teams progressing in terms of tactics and skill, putting our newest Volleyballers on a fast track to improvement. Term 1 2024 saw an increase to 54 players and the inclusion of a fifth team, the Open Cs, bringing more court time for all players across the program.

This season, for the first time, we sent a team to the South Australian Volleyball Secondary Schools Cup, an all-schools divisional competition held over three days during Term 3. The core group of the 2024 Open A group all participated in this competition, providing valuable match experience and even gaining referee qualifications through Volleyball Australia. As a result, the Open As hit the Term 4 fixtures with more experience, more confidence, and a greater understanding of the nuance of competitive Volleyball.

Intercol week again saw, for the second time ever, an Official Open A Intercol. The RED Centre transformed into a dedicated Volleyball space on par with any high-level competitive Volleyball in Australia. While the Intercol results were certainly not what we had hoped for, they were a clear indication of the positive direction our program is heading. We also saw the inclusion of Intercol fixtures for teams beyond the Open As, with almost all teams enjoying the long-standing rivalry with St Peter's College. Our 2023/24 Volleyball captains summed this experience up most succinctly in their end-of-season address: "To briefly speak on behalf of all the players, the Intercol crowd was loud, energetic and supportive... Intercol wouldn't have been the same without you."

Overall, PAC Volleyball is moving in the right direction, and we are all looking forward to the next season and even greater involvement and success

# Congratulations to the Volleyball award recipients for 2023/24:

Open A Best and Fairest	Miles Falahey, Year 12
Open A Coaches' Award	Alex Johnson, Year 10
Open B Best and Faires	Harry Paholski, Year 9
Open B Coach's Award	Jack Schultz, Year 12
Open C Best and Fairest	Lucas Fusco, Year 10
Open C Coach's Award	Saverio Blefari, Year 10
Middle A Best and Fairest	Jack Wilson, Year 8
Middle A Coach's Award	Fred Martin, Year 8
Middle B Best and Fairest	Archie Tudorovic, Year 7
Middle B Coach's Award	Laurence Dalman, Year 8

#### Will Mercer

Volleyball Coordinator



**Volleyball Open A** 

Row 2: Jesse Rothgrew, Sam Heuzenroeder, William Manuel, Joseph Menz Row 1: Miles Falahey, Joseph Callaghan, Baoqing Zhao, Christopher Andrews, Alexander Johnson Coach: Mr Will Mercer



Volleyball Open B

Row 2: Jesse Manuel, Ryan Bowyer Row 1: Jack Schultz, Ethan Chen, Jensen Hall Coach: Mr Will Mercer Absent: Eric McCauley (Coach), Francis Venning, Aidan Witenden, Arlo Bromley, Harry Paholski



**Volleyball Open C** 

Row 2: Oscar Mulhern, Mitchell Harris, Saverio Blefari Row 1: Seokjin Yoon, George Papagiannis, Leonardo Fabrizio Coaches: Ms Hana Mayer, Mr Dylan Pippett Absent: Lucas Fusco, Spencer Tudorovic, Will Heuzenroeder, Lachlan DeAraugo, Louis Fiorili, Tyson Lopes



#### **Volleyball Middle A**

Row 2: Athan Dimitriadis, Aiden Bywaters, Willis Lopes, Marlie Motlop Row 1: Andreas Elia, Jack Wilson, Wilbur Smith, Fred Martin Coaches: Ms Emily Putland, Mr Will Mercer Absent: Liam Jurisevic (Coach), Spencer Zerbe



# Volleyball Middle B

Row 2: Romesh Ediriweera, Laurence Dalman, Isaac Rogers, Calvin Anesbury Row 1: Regan Whitmore, Archie Tudorovic, Finnias Saturno, Harry Neill, Lucas Clayton Coaches: Ms Emily Putland, Mr Will Mercer Absent: Mr Dexter Schultz (Coach), Mr Will Stewart (Coach), Lachie Fleming



#### Volleyball Yr 5-6 Red White Gold

Row 2: Flynn Colmer, Daniel Priestley, Arthur Goldsworthy, Max Pelizzari, William Raeside Row 1: Lochlann Sutherland, Alfie Zerbe, Maximilian Polikin, Frank Berwertz, Harvey O'Brien, Leo Witkowski Coach: Ms Anne Melbourne Absent: Hugo Kirkpatrick

#### **Water Polo**

Water Polo at Princes is experiencing a period of unprecedented success and participation in the program. Record student numbers and five successive Intercol wins have placed us firmly as the strongest school with a water polo program. This is not said to boast, but rather, to acknowledge the hard work and commitment of the players, and the expertise and wisdom of our coaches who have developed a culture of high performance, inclusivity and above all, enjoyment.

It has been a joy to see the program running so smoothly. I would like to acknowledge our elite players, many of whom play club and are also selected in state age-based teams. Princes often has the largest contingent of schoolboy representatives in state teams which is a testament to the boys who have dedicated their own time to the sport. It is also important to recognise and congratulate Charlie Smart (Year 10), Jake Martin (Year 12), and Sam Ciccocioppo (Year 12), who have made several Australian teams in recent years. This is an incredible feat to have three PAC students play at an international level and we will watch their water polo careers progress with keen anticipation.

Leadership with water polo comes in many different forms and we are blessed with a number of coaches and players who lead by example and who assist in maintaining the strong culture that exists. I would like to specifically recognise our five Year 12 players whom have all shown leadership, kindness and commitment during their final year of water polo. Mack Taylor, Charlie Roberts, Jake Martin (Vice Captain), Jules Hyde Kelly (Vice Captain) and Sam Ciccocioppo (Captain), have all made significant contributions and have left an enduring legacy for our next crop of elite players to nurture.

We look toward 2025 with anticipation of continued success at the elite level and with an ongoing commitment to making the sport inclusive, enjoyable and competitive. Our coaching staff remains stable and so we have a strong platform to build continuous improvement.

	Best and fairest	Coaches Award
Middle B	Billy White	Archer Bermingham
	Charlie Bermingham	Tommy Hodgson
Middle A	Lachlan Bauer	Lucas Pizzino
	Harry Hobby	Jacob Ewer
	Campbell Brown	Joe Ricciuto
	Gus Thredgold	Harvey Chapman
Open C	Tom Balnaves	Lucas Dang
Open B	Toby Dodd	Seb Harkness
Open A	Tom Lindsay	James Cree
	Sam Ciccocioppo	Jake Martin/Jules Hyde Kelly

# **Scott Parker**

Director of Aquatics



#### Water Polo Open A Red

**Row 2:** Julian Hyde-Kelly, Jake Martin, Charles Smart, Charles Waltham, Mack Taylor **Row 1:** Oliver Lipkiewicz Charles Roberts, Samuel Ciccocioppo, Kyle Prinsloo, Nick Ricciuto, Kai Ivins **Coach:** Mr Scott Parker



#### Water Polo Open A White

**Row 2:** Harry Goldsworthy, Jack Schirripa, Hudson Pentland, James Cree, Thomas Lindsay, Max Barnett Samuel Commons **Row 1:** Joshua Balacco, William Maynard, Finn Wundenberg, Olebogeng Nyathi, Eddie Sorensen, Toby Munt, Jack McAuliffe **Coach:** Mr Scott Parker



#### Water Polo Open B & C

Row 3: Jackson Rossi, Ky Fogarty, Edward Lock, Olebogeng Nyathi, Qingjia Yu Row 2: Will Boyce, Luke Scarce, William Daniel, Toby Dodd, Jude Saturno, Lachlan Calvert Row 1: Zach Gentile, Thomas Balnaves, Joshua Scarce, James Arney, Lucas Dang Coach: Mr Scott Parker



#### Water Polo Middle A

Row 3: Flynn Ritossa, Charlie Bermingham, Jacob Ewer, Carter Gerecke, Jock Perry, Campbell Brown Row 2: Taj Panelli, Harrison Babyszka, Angus Thredgold, Harvey Chapman, Thomas Loudon, Harry Hobby, Thomas Maynard Row 1: Harry Czabayski, Benjamin Prescott, Toby Wong, Solomon Williams, Finn McNally, Harry Dolling, Ben Logan Coach: Mr Scott Parker



#### Water Polo Middle B

**Row 2:** Braxton Bown, Thomas Williamson, James Goldsworthy **Row 1:** Paul Kassapis, Tommy Hodgson, Ned Sheppard, Billy White **Coach:** Mr Scott Parker



#### **Water Polo Middle**

Row 3: Stephen Feng, Loki Bown, Liam Charlesworth, Bernie White, Max Cohen, Edward Lindsay Row 2: Charles Michell, Alexander Kay, Lucas Pizzino, Cooper Jolly, Daniel Foo, Oscar Kermeen, Joe Ricciuto Row 1: Noah Burton-Howard, Thomas Goldsworthy, Aaron Liu, Louis MacIntosh, Archie Bermingham, Isaiah Salagaras, Chase Hogben, Thomas Ciccocioppo Coach: Mr Scott Parker

# Winter Sport / Co-Curricular



#### **Achilles Cup Squad**

Row 4: Thomas George, Charles Nolan, Toby Noble, Tom Turnbull, Nicholas Christensen, Seb Harkness, Kale Matthews-Hampton, James McFarlane, Luke Scarce, James Ali, Archer Bermingham, Naite Slade, Flynn Ritossa Row 3: Christian Bibbo, James Mudge, Sebastian Saunders, Harry Goldsworthy, Oliver Dennis, Louis Kellaway, Ethan Chen, Max Beltrame, Benjamin Barnard, Oliver Kirkness, Joe Kernahan, Joe Ricciuto, Bronte O'Callaghan, Charles Tang Row 2: Jesse Laing, Mason Engelbrecht, Charlie Bermingham, Raheim Brown, Jack Stunell, Joseph Hewson, Leroy Rossi, Ryan Bowyer, Nick Ricciuto, Hugo Spears, Yifan Qian, Archie Colaiacovo, Liam Charlesworth, Hugo Gwynne, Henry Lovell Row 1: Harrison Gatenby, Lachlan Wilde, Finnias Saturno, Christopher Clayton, Henry McAuliffe, James Arney, Mitchell Wray, William Rayner, Jack McAuliffe, Reuben Bosch, Ellis Twigge, Tom Laube, Elijah Onyeizugbo, Charlie Camilleri Coaches: Mrs Nicole Adam, Mr Timothy Earle, Mrs Deb Trengove

# **Athletics**

# **Track and Field**

This year, athletes from Prince Alfred College competed across a range of events. In collaboration with the Western Districts Athletics Club, PAC embarked on an exciting new chapter by participating in our inaugural season with SA Athletics. Notable achievements were recorded, with several athletes and our junior team securing national qualifications.

# **Australian Athletics Championships**

In April, Naite Slade (U/17 400m), Jack Rayner (U/18 100m, 400m &  $4\times100$ m), Zac Bald (U/18 400m), and Charlie Camilleri (U/13 800m & 1500m) proudly represented South Australia at the Australian Athletics Championships held in Adelaide.

# **SA Schools Challenge**

The College participated in the SA Schools Challenge in May in both the junior and senior categories. Our Senior team placed 3rd, finishing behind Trinity College and St Peters College, while the Junior team placed 2nd to Trinity College. Congratulations to the Junior team for qualifying for the National Schools Challenge Championships in Brisbane in December.

# National Schools Challenge junior team:

- Christian Bibbo
- Finn Saturno
- Harry Gatenby

- · Mason Engelbrecht
- Elijah Onyeizugbo
- · Hugo Gwynne

#### **VIVA All Schools State Athletics Championships**

In October, PAC athletes competed at the VIVA All Schools State Athletics Championships. Several athletes delivered outstanding performances, with notable results including:

- Jack Rayner: Dominant victories in both the 200m and 400m events
- Jack McAuliffe: 2nd place in the U/17 2000m Steeplechase.
- · Joseph Hewson: 2nd in the U/17 1500m.
- **Hugo Gwynne**: 1st in the U/15 200m Hurdles and 2nd in the 100m Hurdles.

These athletes have received state team selection and have been invited to compete at the National All Schools Championships.

# **Achilles Cup**

Proudly led by our Athletics captain, Jack Rayner, 64 athletes from Years 6 to 12, competed in the annual Achilles Cup. With a series of 1st and 2nd place finishes, PAC secured 3rd place overall. Special mention must be made of Hugo Spears, whose willingness to step in and fill gaps in the team due to injuries, was greatly appreciated. We also commend the efforts of our Year 12 students, including Louis Kellaway, Tom Turnbull, Will Pointon, and Henry Pearce. Despite the pressures of final year preparations, each of these athletes dedicated their time to competing in numerous events, contributing vital points to the team's success.

# **Achilles Cup: Notable Results**

#### First Places

• Henry Lovell: 14yr Div 2 Discus

Finn Saturno: 14yr Div 2 Hurdles, Div 2 800m
Flynn Ritossa: 15yr Div 1 800m, Div 1 1500m
Archer Bermingham: 13yr Div 2 High Jump

Naite Slade: 16yr Div 1 400m
Mitchell Wray: 14yr Div 1 Javelin
Ethen Chen: 15yr Div 2 Discus
Ollie Kirkness: 15yr Div 1 400m
Ben Barnard: 16yr Div 1 Javelin
Harry Gatenby: 13yr Div 2 1500m
Charlie Camilleri: 13yr Div 1 1500m
Jack McAuliffe: 16yr Div 2 1500m
Joseph Hewson: 16yr Div 1 1500m

#### **Second Places**

• Mason Engelbrecht: 14yr Div 1 Discus, Div 2 Shot Put

Liam Charlesworth: 13yr Div 1 Javelin
 Reuben Bosch: 13yr Div 2 Javelin
 James McFarlane: 19yr Div 1 400m
 Jack Southwood: 19yr Div 2 High Jump

• Finn Saturno: 14yr Div 2 100m

• Archer Bermingham: 13yr Div 2 400m, Div 1 Discus

• Christopher Clayton: 13yr Div 1 Long Jump

Ben Langley: 19yr Div 2 100m
Nick Ricciuto: 16yr Div 2 Javelin
Naite Slade: 16yr Div 2 200m

• Elijah Onyeizugbo: 13yr Div 1 Triple Jump

Thank you to Mrs Trengove, Mr Brown, Mr Earle, Mr Thiele and Mr Howson for your support both leading up and on the day of the Achilles Cup competition.

#### **Cross Country**

The Cross-Country runners have trained hard this year and have had success in a number of events. Weekly trainings have been held every Tuesday morning featuring runs around the park and local streets, as well as fitness activities on the front oval. Regular runners include: Harry Gatenby, Alex Boase, Lachlan Wilde, Eric Lidums, Jack Henderson, Charles Tang, Sam He and Tom Xu.

# SASSA Cross Country Championships

The SASSA Cross Country Championships was held at Oakbank at the end of Term 2. Two athletes achieved impressive top-10 finishes:

- Harry Gatenby: 9th place, completing 3 km in 10:54.72
- Tom George: 8th place, completing 4 km in 14:06.71

#### **Weekly Inter-school Cross Country**

The weekly cross-country events featured strong performances from both the middle and senior teams. In particular, the middle team (Years 7–9) finished 2nd overall, narrowly missing out on 1st place to St Peter's College. The athletes who contributed to this outstanding result included:

- · Harry Gatenby
- · Lachlan Wilde

- · Alex Boase
- · Tom George
- · Charles Tang
- Flynn Ritossa

The senior team (Years 10–12) also saw notable individual performances from Jack McAuliffe.

#### **Mercedes Relays**

The Mercedes Relays, which took place early in Term 3, marked the culmination of the weekly cross-country events. The middle team delivered an excellent performance, finishing 4th overall. The team members were:

- · Tom George
- · Harry Gatenby
- · Lochie Wilde
- · Alex Boase

# **Ekiden Relay**

The Ekiden Relay, held at Bonython Park in early Term 4, was the final event on the calendar for the cross-country season. The team, which was notably young, finished an impressive 7th out of 20 teams. Their time of 1:19.48 was competitive, with CBC finishing first in 1:15.25. The team members included:

- · Harry Gatenby
- · Lachlan Wilde
- · Alex Boase
- · Tom George
- Charles TangReuben Bosch
- · Ellis Twigge
- Jack Henderson

Special thanks to Mr Earle for his dedication and commitment to the cross-country program at PAC.

#### **Nicole Adam**

Athletics Co-ordinator



#### Athletic

Row 2: Hugo Gwynne, Archie Colaiacovo Thomas George, Charles Tang Row 1: Harrison Gatenby, Ellis Twigge, Eriks Lidums, Finnias Saturno Coaches: Mrs Nicole Adam, Mr Timothy Earle

#### **Basketball**

The PAC basketball program had a successful year. Our Senior program, led by Head Coach, Brad Haydon and assistant coaches Stuart Brennan and Brandon Reynolds, produced a number of strong performances and were competitive against the top teams in the Open ABC SAAS competition. The Open A team were defeated in a tight and highly competitive Intercol match, unfortunately going down to our rivals at St Peter's College 54-56.

The strength of our Senior 4 teams throughout the season highlighted the work of coaches Mike Hill, Tom Waters and Marco D'Annunzio in helping the development of all our Senior players, many of whom earn games in higher teams throughout the year.

The Middle School program was once again overseen by Head Coach Zach de Wit and assistant coach Matt Thomson. Our Middle A team had another very successful season in the SAAS competition, which culminated in a strong performance in the Intercol match, defeating Saints 62-49. We were also pleased to promote and recruit a number of new coaches, including Old Scholars Max Spiniello (Middle C), Kristian Commons (Year 7 Red) and Jono McKay (Year 7 White) into our Middle School program.

PAC also hosted the Friday afternoon Year 5/6 competition, and the PAC teams have been well coached by Senior leaders in the basketball program – Cody Corbett, James Semmens, Lucas Jones and Arjun Dosanjh. All four boys have done an outstanding job working with our younger players on Friday afternoons.

There were some outstanding individual performances in 2024 which should also be acknowledged; Cody Corbett (Captain) and Kale Matthews-Hampton were selected in the SA Country Under-18 team, Joshua Dartnall was selected for the SA Metro Under-16 team, and James Matthias was selected in the SA Country Under-16 team.

In 2024, Honours Colours was awarded to Cody Corbett and Colours was awarded to Bryce Sanders for their performance and leadership in basketball throughout the year.

It has been another successful year for basketball at Princes and I would personally like to thank the key staff, coaches, students and the PAC basketball community for their support of the program.

#### Season Most Valuable Player Awards for 2024:

PAC Most Valuable Player	Cody Corbett
Intercol Most Valuable Player	Kale Matthews-Hampton
Open B	James Semmens
Open C	Thami Nyathi
Open D Red	Alex Hamood
Open D White	Oliver Dunbar
Open D Gold	George Butler
Middle School Most Valuable Player	Josh Dartnall
Middle B	Tyson Lopes
Middle C	Harry Will
Middle D	Nick Lai
Year 7 Red	Oscar Cramp
Year 7 White	Ben Burgess

#### **Jack Harford**

Basketball Coordinator



#### **Basketball Open A**

**Row 2:** Bryce Sanders Jonah Lagana, Christian D'Annunzio, Kale Matthews-Hampton **Row 1:** James Matthias, Henry Pedler, Cody Corbett, Joshua Branson, Lucas Jones **Coach:** Mr Brad Haydon



#### **Basketball Open B**

Row 2: James Semmens, Toby Dodd, Ethan Chen, William McKay Row 1: Oliver Smith, Samuel Commons, Arjun Dosanjh, Henry Burgess, Curtis Mundy Coach: Mr Stuart Brennan



#### **Basketball Open C**

Row 2: Lachlan Spitty, Noah Parkinson, Kalan Curtis Row 1: Baoqing Zhao, Hugo Sanders, Olebogeng Nyathi, Christian Smith Coach: Mr Brandon Reynolds Absent: Athan Harlaftis, Marc Milograd, Joseph Callaghan



# **Basketball Open D Red**

**Row 2:** Aston Hogben, James Cree **Row 1:** Alex Hamood, Zach Henderson, Nickolas Miteloudis **Coach:** Mr Michael Hill **Absent:** Jacob Murnik, Robbie Aylward, Joseph Menz



#### **Basketball Middle A**

**Row 2:** Sebastian Mibus, Alexander Oakes, Joshua Dartnall, Raheim Brown **Row 1:** Sabian Manera, Hamish Wiles, Lachlan DeAraugo, Alby Will, Arlo Bromley **Coach:** Mr Zach de Wit



#### **Basketball Open D White**

Row 2: Oliver Dunbar, Charles Smart, Henry Murdoch, Jude Saturno Row 1: Joshua Balacco, Felix Waltham, Sizhe Jia, George Papagiannis Absent: Mr Tom Waters (coach), Jet Yeend



#### **Basketball Middle B**

Row 2: Joshua Fleming, Spencer Zerbe, James Morgan Row 1: William Halkett, Harry Will, Jack Henderson Coach: Mr Matt Thomson Absent: Kai Coghlan, Tyson Lopes



# **Basketball Open D Gold**

Row 2: Alec Sincock, Levi de Wit, Churui Tian, Lachlan Mills Row 1: George Butler, Hugo Richards, Kai Dalby, Lucas Dang Coach: Mr Marco D'Annunzio (absent)



# Basketball Middle C

**Row 2:** William Luke, Jiabao Xie, Kieran Gray **Row 1:** Jack Henderson, Harry Will, Joshua Manuel, Varish Anup Kumar **Absent:** Mr Max Spiniello (coach), Sneh Thakkar, Lachlan Fleming, Bailey Khuoc



#### **Basketball Middle D**

Row 2: Oliver Priestley, Pun Ng, Daniel Foo, Nicholas Lai, Giuseppe Fuda, Apostolos Gaganis Row 1: Hugo Grayling, Stephen Feng, Darcy Sandow, Anthony Rapuano, Nicholas Rapuano, Oliver Gilbert Absent: Mr Connor Craige (coach), Josh Murnik, Carter Gerecke, Mosen Feng, Harvey Herbert, Isaac Wood



#### **Basketball Year 5-6 White**

**Row 2:** Benjamin Dunstone, Jack Woodrow, Lachie Fletcher, William Amber **Row 1:** Ishaan Hossain, Patrick Le, Jimmy Kammer, Xander Kammer, Jonas Knight **Coaches:** Lucas Jones, Mr Oliver Fox



#### **Basketball Middle 7 Red**

**Row 2:** Harley Dean, Jacob Branson, Yingcong Lin **Row 1:** Alexander Yip, Oscar Butler, Oscar Cramp **Coach:** Mr Kristian Commons **Absent:** Jenson Habgood, Elijah Onyeizugbo, Samar Charaya



#### **Basketball Year 5-6 Gold**

Row 2: Oscar Qiu, Yang Ye, Senyuth Dissanayake, Hardy Zhang, Alex Qiu Row 1: Kimson Ma, Harry King, Tom Dickson, Frank Berwertz, Brian Wen Coaches: James Semmens, Arjun Dosanjh, Mr Oliver Fox



# **Basketball Middle 7 White**

Row 2: Benjamin Burgess, James Arkwright, Roy Axford, Declan Lin Row 1: Harry Neill, Lemuel Takayidza, Wilbur Smith, Connor Caruso Coach: Mr Jonathan McKay Absent: Massimo Russo, Harry Neill

#### Chess

# **Secondary School**

It has been another strong season for our chess program, with a record 65 players across 13 teams. In terms of results, PAC 1 Red, consisting of Ethan Retnajara, Tharan Balachander, Oliver Fenton and Clynton Vuong, had another strong season, finishing 5.5 points ahead of their nearest challenger, completing our 15th straight Division 1 title, and 43rd overall. PAC 1 White and Gold also had good seasons, both coming equal 5th, despite being the two youngest teams in the division.

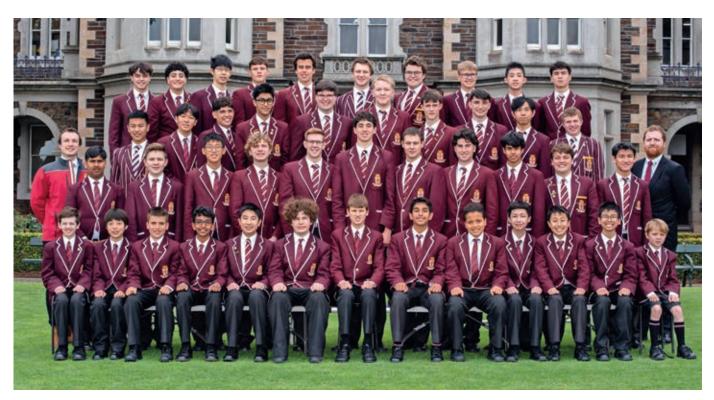
There were also a number of strong performances in other divisions, with us entering 10 teams across Division 2 and 3 competitions. PAC 2 White, an entirely Year 8 team, stepped up from Division 3 last season to finish 4th in Division 2 at the Chess Centre. PAC 2 Gold and PAC 2 Green both finished equal 10th, with these teams being entirely Year 10 and Year 7 respectively, save for Year 2, Arthur Kerrigan, filling in for a night. In Division 3, PAC P White would go on to be Champions on the final match day, with Hugo Spears rallying the troops, and helping the side overcome a 2 point deficit going into the final night. Division 3 also saw two Year 12 teams, PAC P Red and Orange, compete, and while whole articles could be written of their exploits, the real value of these teams was the entertaining, though sometimes mildly terrifying, brand of chess they brought to the table.

The College also won the annual Intercollegiate Chess match for the 15th straight year, defeating St Peter's College 8.0-2.0 at St Peter's, in a match that was closer than the scoreline suggested. For the first time two preparatory school players were named in an intercollegiate lineup, with Year 6 Keshav Balachander at board 5, and Year 5 Patrick Yan at board 10. Patrick Yan would win his game, having already represented the College in Table Tennis earlier in the day. Even beyond this though, our side was remarkably young, with over half of the team being in year 8 or below.

There were a number of notable individual achievements over the season. Ethan Retnaraja has had another remarkable year, coming 4th in the Australian Reserve Championship, 2nd in the Checkmate Open and winning the South Australian Blitz Championship. Alistair Maria came 2nd in the State U16 Championship and equal first on points in the City of Adelaide U21s. Tony Xiang came 2nd in the October Junior 25, after a remarkable rise in the last 12 months. Connor Caruso also had a remarkable first season with our program, coming 2nd in the October Junior 60 U15 section, 3rd in the City of Adelaide U12s, and the best U1000 in the Hosworth High-Flyers.

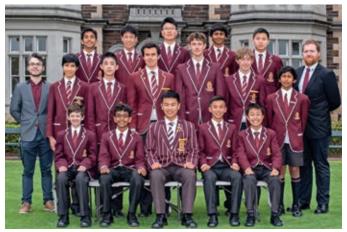
This year, we hosted the Richard E Thorne Shield and House Chess together during the Athletics Carnival. Watsford would win the Middle Years House Chess, while Taylor would win the Senior Years. Alistair Maria of Watsford won the Middle Years Richard E Thorne Cup, ahead of Xavier Lim in 2nd and Tony Xiang in 3rd. Oliver Fenton of Waterhouse pulled off the miracle to win in the Senior Years, ahead of Ethan Retnaraja in 2nd, and Tharan Balachander in 3rd. The final for the Shield was played on a digital board, and played live to everyone on the front oval by the big screen, with a large crowd also present within the Piper Pavilion. Alistair, with the black pieces, defeated Oliver in what was a closely fought match, making Alistair Maria our Secondary School Champion for 2024.

Co-captains Ethan Retnaraja and Caleb Tang, and vice-captain Lachlan McKay, are to be congratulated on their excellent leadership this year. Mr George Bartley again coached our division 1 boys, and his influence was particularly important in the development of a number of our younger players this year. Mike Hill was again instrumental, and I thank him for his 4 years with the program; while he himself would describe himself as just 'bringing the fun', few students would describe his merciless performances in practice matches that way,



#### Chess Div 2-3

Row 4: Jasper Hill, Ben Hamood, Yucheng (Andy) Lin, Nick Christensen, Lachlan McKay, Hugo Evans, Fraser Newman, George Hawkins, Yingxi (Tony) Xiang, Henry Powell Row 3: Ziheng (Caleb) Tang, Pun (Keith) Ng, Saverio Blefari, Aryan Parwal, James Searle, William Holland, Hugo Spears, Taine Meyer, Natchanawee (JJ) Soralekkitti, Matthew North Row 2: Samar Charaya, Owen Hislop, Henry Fan, Jack Schultz, Angus Phillips, Jonah Lagana, Oscar Cohen, Zach Floreani, Aadeesh Nanvey, Luke Economos, David Jia Row 1: Connor Caruso, Jonathan Wong, Mitch Stankiewicz, Yusuf Uzman, Henry Yang, Tate Symons, Erik Lidums, Sneh Thakkar, James Goldsworthy, Jonathan Lau, Aidan Chen, Josh Wang, Arthur Kerrigan Absent: Maddern Croft, Rijak Dhingra, Ky Fogarty, Ashton Gerecke, Josh Inglis, Josh Larkin, Adam Lee, Arthur Goldsworthy, Pun Lai (Ivan) Ng, Marvin Sun, Chad Westbrook, Aidan Witenden, Jack Zeng Coaches: Mr Mike Hill and Dr Daniel Kerrigan



#### Chess Div 1

Row 3: Sneh Thakkar, Charles Tang, William Pan, Tharan Balachander, Xavier Lim Row 2: Ethan Retnaraja, Yingxi (Tony) Xiang, Lachlan McKay, Alexander Oakes, Oliver Fenton, Keshav Balachander Row 1: Connor Caruso, Yusuf Uzman, Ziheng (Caleb) Tang, Clynton Vuong, Aidan Chen Absent: Angad Gill, Carter Gerecke and Ansh Tiwari Coaches: Mr George Bartley, Dr Daniel Kerrigan



# **Chess Intercol**

Row 2: Sneh Thakkar, Tharan Balachander, William Pan, Oliver Fenton, Yingxi (Tony) Xiang, Alistair Maria Row 1: Keshav Balachander, Clynton Vuong, Ethan Retnaraja (Co-Captain), Ziheng (Caleb) Tang (Co-Captain), Connor Caruso, Patrick Yan Coaches: Mr Mike Hill, Dr Daniel Kerrigan, Mr George Bartley



#### Chess Primary A

**Row 2:** Keshav Balachander, Ashton Gerecke, Arthur Goldsworthy, Harrison Duckworth **Row 1:** Arthur Kerrigan, Thomas Dobbins, Joshua Sam, Patrick Yan **Coach:** Ms Kellie McCauley

and his overall leadership and guidance of the boys, particularly our division 2 boys, set a standard for us all to aspire to. I also thank Lewis Montagnese and Peter Serwan for their work this year with our lunchtime chess program, and this has helped see a continued rapid rise of many of our younger players.

Finally, a special thanks to Sophie Davies, Kelly Logan, Nick Greb, Paddy Johnson and the rest of our incredible facilities team for their tireless work and support of our chess program. Their ability to have any event up and running at any time never ceases to amaze me, and our program would not be possible without their support.

Michael Wills Chess Prize 2024	Ziheng (Caleb) Tang
Year 12 Chess Prize 2024	Ethan Retnaraja
Year 11 Chess Prize 2024	Tharan Balachander
Year 10 Chess Prize 2024	Henry Yang
Year 9 Chess Prize 2024	Xavier Lim
Year 8 Chess Prize 2024	Ansh Tiwari
Year 7 Chess Prize 2024	Connor Caruso
Boarders Chess Prize 2024	Pun (Keith) Ng
Most Matches Chess Prize 2024	Yingxi (Tony) Xiang

#### **Dr Daniel Kerrigan**

Director of Chess

# **Preparatory Chess**

It has been another strong year for Preparatory Chess at the College, with 41 players from Years 1 to 6 represented the College. In terms of results, PAC A Red, led on board 1 by Keshav Balachander, alongside Patrick Yan, Joshua Sam and Ashton Gerecke, finished 2nd overall in Primary A, behind East Marden Blue in first place. PAC A White performed admirably this year finishing 7th out of 8 teams. In the EK Shield, we finished 2nd, our best performance in many years.

Players in B and C Grade have also gone from strength to strength this year. PAC B Red had a strong season, coming 4th, half a point behind third, and being invited to the B Grade finals. Our three B Grade board 1s, Joseph Huang, Nicholas Pizzino and Fengshun Zhang set the standard throughout the season, while the remarkable improvement of Tommy Hodgson saw PAC B White have a late surge. Two of our C Grade teams, Red and White, were also involved to the finals, and would finish 9th and 12th respectively out of 22 teams, with Tom Dickson, Ishaan Hossain and Leon Chang being standouts. Aidan Wei (3.5/5) and Year 1 Humphrey Duckworth (2.0/2) also had strong seasons.

We also hosted the traditional House Chess and Richard E Thorne Cups this year. In the Reception to Year 3 section, Year 2 Arthur Kerrigan came 1st, winning all 5 of his matches, while Nicholas Pizzino and Thomas Yan came equal 2nd. In the Preparatory School competition, Keshav Balachander won with 5.0/5, while Patrick Yan came 2nd, with there being a three way tie for 3rd between Harrison Duckworth, Ashton Gerecke and Joshua Sam on 2.0/5. In House Chess, it was a tight competition, with Taylor and Waterhouse both finishing on 11 points, half a point ahead of Cotton. In the end, it came down to a bullet tiebreak between Keshav and Patrick, with Patrick winning the competition for Waterhouse.

In state competitions, a number of students achieved impressive results. Patrick Yan went from strength to strength over the course of the season, winning an incredible 24.0/24 in the July Junior, before going on to win the U11 State Title in October. Patrick, Year 5, would also go on to be our youngest ever player to win in an Intercollegiate



#### **Chess Primary E**

**Row 2:** Philip Sruhan, Patrick Le, Tommy Hodgson, Fengshun Zhang, Ezra Spiers **Row 1:** Joseph Huang, Lochlann Sutherland, Nicholas Pizzino, Sammy Rayner, Louis Pan **Absent:** Thomas Yan, Nathan Zhang **Coach:** Ms Kellie McCauley



#### **Chess Primary C**

Row 2: Jimmy Apostolakos, Tom Dickson, Jimmy Pulford, Ishaan Hossain, Felix Xia Row 1: Sebastian Chryssafis, Leon Chang, Teddy Duckworth, Benji Hodgson, Alexander Nguyen, Aiden Wei Absent: Henry Condous, Viren Dhiman, Humphrey Duckworth, Vihan Mallikarachchi, Oliver Newton, Tom Ryan, Ashwin Srivastava, Austin Wang Coach: Ms Kellie McCauley

Match, defeating St Peter's Vice-Captain of Chess, Casper Cai, on board 10 for our first points of the night. He was joined in the match by Keshav Balachander at board 5, who drew with Andrew Xu. In Year 2, Arthur Kerrigan had another strong year, notably coming equal 3rd in the U9 State Championship. Thomas Yan and Nicholas Pizzino were also impressive, and received medals for their individual day performances during state tournaments.

Many thanks must go to Kellie McCauley for her assistance this year, particularly around B and C Grade training, and lunchtime chess. Peter Serwan's work with our A Graders was also exceptional, and his work with them has seen many of them take their game to a new level this year. Keshav Balachander is to be commended for his work as student leader for Chess this year, and he led the program well, on and off the board. Caleb Tang, our Secondary Co-captain, also continued his work with our B and C Grade boys this year, and his ability to work with our youngest players was exceptional. Ethan Retnaraja, Tharan Balachander and Oliver Fenton are also to be thanked for their work as assistant arbiters for our Preparatory competitions.

A special thanks must, once again, go to our facilities team, without whom this season would not have been possible. In particular, their work in hosting the City of Adelaide Junior in April set a standard, and represented the first time this competition was hosted outside the Chess Centre in many years.

2024 RET Cup, Preparatory School Champion	Keshav Balachander
2024 RET Cup, R-3 Champion	Arthur Kerrigan
5-6 Chess Best and Fairest 2024	Keshav Balachander
5-6 Chess Most Improved 2024	Tommy Hodgson
3-4 Chess Best and Fairest 2024	Harrison Duckworth
3-4 Chess Most Improved 2024	Joseph Huang

#### **Dr Daniel Kerrigan**

Director of Chess



#### Football Yr 3

Row 2: Charlie Siciliano, Connor Boylan, Ezra Spiers, Alby Ballard, Sid Sheppard Row 1: Fred Marsh, Charlie O'Brien, Hugo Powell, Alex Humzy-Hancock, Rapha Viscariello, Henry Sheppard Coach: Mr Peter Waters Absent: Rafael Antunes, Harley Barber



#### Football Yr 4

Row 3: Jack Case, Teddy Teasdale, Eddie Sheppard, Jobe Reid, Xavier Do Row 2: Billy Freemantle, Andreas Kefalianos, James Coleman, Harrison Duckworth, Edward Newton, Seb Roussos Row 1: Oliver Chong, Freddie White, Harry Denton, Christopher Capobianco, Harvey Holmes Coach: Miss Ellen Avery, Mr Herny Pontifex (absent), Mr Sam Waltham (absent) Absent: Henry Condous, Liam Thompson



#### Football Yr 5-6 Red

Row 3: Myles Moore, Andrew Mudge, Brax Bown, Hunter Moran, Aston Smith, Charles Walker Row 2: Hugh Brown, Teddy Bown, Angus Owler, Sebastian Watts, Sebastien Haskett, Jake O'Dea, Lachie Demasi Row 1: Eddie Katdare, Seb Antonas, Angus Christie, Jimmy Apostolakos, Henry Drew, Hamish Hewitt, Edward Colaiacovo, Lucas Drusian Coaches: Mrs Lucy Radford, Mr Rob Colaiacovo Absent: Oscar Gerlach, Ron Rodrigues

#### **Football**

2024 was another successful year for the football program building on previous seasons. We had over 400 boys and 16 teams playing football from Years 3-12, and we were able to expand our coaching group to 37 coaches this season, allowing the boys to continue to grow as players. We also had a Friday night Auskick program for younger boys which was run brilliantly by Mr Barton and assisted by the First squad players.

This year we combined with soccer to take a group of Year 8 footballers and Year 8/9 soccer players on a tour to Melbourne. This was the first tour of its kind for the school, and the first for Year 8 football since 2019. The boys went on a tour of the MCG, a team dinner at Leo's spaghetti bar, a tour of the Melbourne Demons, Melbourne Victory and Melbourne Storm facilities which was run by past Old Scholars and current Melbourne Demons, Kade Chandler and Tom Sparrow. We also saw the Crows beat the Bombers by 2 points in a high scoring encounter, and we played against our friends in Melbourne, Wesley College.

The First XVIII had our turn this season hosting Wesley College, where we played them on the final day of Term 1. It was a great opportunity for the team to put what they had learned from new coach David Oatey into practice in front of a large crowd at lunch time. We went on to win the game comfortably as the First XVIII began their undefeated season. The First XVIII had a tremendous year which saw the team play on Adelaide Oval against Sacred Heart College in the SAAS grand final. The boys started strong and held the lead all game to win 10.12.72 to 7.8.50. Jay Polkinghorne was awarded with the best on ground for the game.

The Second XVIII also had a wonderful year, finishing very strong. Starting in the Division 1 competition and getting valuable experience against the top-level teams, before qualifying for the Division 2 competition where we finished 3<sup>rd</sup>. Having two teams in the best 10 teams in school footy this season is an amazing effort.

The Year 10's are the final team that play in a competition with finals and these boys played at a consistently high level across the season to win both the School Sport SA knockout final and SAAS grand final both against Sacred Heart College.

Across the football program all teams showed great improvement, with most teams playing considerably better the second time they faced an opponent during the season. This helps to see the growth that each team had over the course of their season.

I believe our best highlight for the season and best example of what it means to be a PAC footballer came from our Fifth XVIII, who, in their final game for the season, kicked the ball 'accidentally' to a couple of Rostrevor players so they could kick their first ever goals. The parents from both teams were so proud of the boys with one opposition parent saying, "that's the sweetest game of football I've ever seen."

I would like to thank all the boys, coaches, staff and families involved in the football program. You have been fantastic to work with, bounce ideas off and continue the growth and improvement of the football program. I look forward to working with everyone again in 2025 as we look to continue the growth of the program.

# **Michael Higgs**

Director of Football

1st XVIII Football	Best and fairest	Rome Burgoyne
1 <sup>st</sup> XVIII Football	Runner up best and fairest	Matt LeRay
1 <sup>st</sup> XVIII Football	Princes award	Eli Anders
1 <sup>st</sup> XVIII Football	Leading goal kicker	Jay Polkinghorne
1 <sup>st</sup> XVIII Football	Best first year player	Hayden Willmott
1 <sup>st</sup> XVIII Football	Service to football	Eli Roberts
1 <sup>st</sup> XVIII Football	Dalwood trophy / Best on v Wesley	Matt LeRay
1 <sup>st</sup> XVIII Football	Most courageous	<b>Brodie Harris</b>
2 <sup>nd</sup> XVIII Football	Best and fairest	Hamish Illman
2 <sup>nd</sup> XVIII Football	Runner up best and fairest	Mac Seal
2 <sup>nd</sup> XVIII Football	Princes award	Harry White
2 <sup>nd</sup> XVIII Football	Most courageous	Seb Lennon
3 <sup>rd</sup> XVIII Football	Best and fairest	Cooper Ferme
3 <sup>rd</sup> XVIII Football	Princes award	Sam Girdler
3 <sup>rd</sup> XVIII Football	Most courageous	Yarra Mickan
4 <sup>th</sup> XVIII Football	Best and fairest	Daniel Yu
4 <sup>th</sup> XVIII Football	Princes award	Freddie Whitford
4 <sup>th</sup> XVIII Football	Most courageous	James Schimanski
5 <sup>th</sup> XVIII Football	Best and fairest	Ryan Bowyer
5 <sup>th</sup> XVIII Football	Princes award	Melique Andrews
5 <sup>th</sup> XVIII Football	Most courageous	Declan Keanie
10A Football	Best and fairest	Mitch Harris
10A Football	Best and fairest	Finn Wundenberg
10A Football	Princes award	James Dixon
10B Football	Best and fairest	Hugo Spears
10B Football	Princes award	Ed Prescott
9A Football	Best and fairest	Mitchell Brook
9A Football	Princes award	Bronte O'Callaghan
9B Football	Best and fairest	Henry Owler
9B Football	Princes award	Lachlan Murphy
8A Football	Best and fairest	Harry Hobby
8A Football	Princes Award	Mitchell Wray
8B Football	Best and fairest	Jensen Hall
8B Football	Princes award	Lachlan Logan
7A Football	Best and fairest	Harry Gatenby
7A Football	Princes award	Oliver Brooksby
7/8B Football	Best and fairest	Marlon Lock
7/8B Football	Best and fairest	Tom Maynard
7/8B Football	Best and fairest	Christopher Clayton
7/8B Football	Best and fairest	Henry Ashby
7/8B Football	Princes award	Hardy Lloyd



#### Football Yr 5-6 White

Row 3: Thomas Selby, Tom Trengove, William Leahey, Zak Sheridan, Rupert Norris, Charlie O'Hara Row 2: Charlie Jackson, Charlie Collett, Jock Loveday, Max Diestel-Feddersen, Sonny Sposato, Alfie Zerbe, Ned Sanders Row 1: James Bourlotos, Anthony Demasi, Tom Ivers, Hugo Mallett, Ed Paglia, Charles Camilleri Coach: Ms Heather O'Hara Absent: Bayley Pink (Coach), Adam Lee (Coach)



#### Football 1st

Row 3: Louis Kellaway, Thomas Thredgold, Brodie Harris, Bryce Sanders, Gillon Wakelin, Daniel Thompson Row 2: Hayden Willmott, Kale Matthews-Hampton, Dougal Ashby, Taj Murray, Antonio Mondello, Samuel Cumming, Rome Burgoyne Row 1: Oscar Finnis, William Prescott, Thomas Turnbull, Louie Montgomery, Matthew LeRay, Eli Anders, Noah Mennillo, Naite Slade Coaches: Mr David Oatey, Mr Michael Higgs, Mr Nick Rees



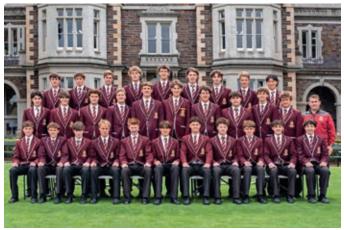
#### Football 2nd

Row 3: Lachlan Faulkhead, Max Barnett, Elijah Roberts, Jared Kuhl, Otto Wendt, Jackson Crosby, Sebastien Lennon, Oliver Hein Row 2: Curtis Mundy, Noah Thiessen, Hayden Reese, Jack Slattery, Jonah Lagana, Benjamin McArthur, Hamish Illman, Benjamin Barnard, Mac Seal Row 1: Henry Pearce, Harold Sage, Eddie Sorensen, Jeht Ryan, Evan Davies, Harry White, George Malone, Milan Scullino Coaches: Mr Peter Hopkins, Mr Mitch Simpson



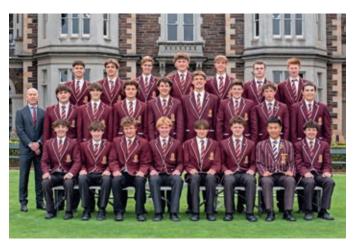
#### Football 3rd

Row 3: Charles Roberts, Cooper Ferme, Luke Szabo, Eli Murray, Charles Waltham, Angus Dunn, George Marks, Blake Roberts Row 2: Peter Flower, Zachary McRoe, Sidney Malone, Jake Martin, Barnaby Wheare, Mack Taylor, Yarra Micken, Louis Dawson, Charlie Sanders Row 1: Will Hobbs, Oliver Lipkiewicz, Harry Miller, Cooper Jarrett, Peter Cole, Angus Harvey, Benjamin Langley, Harold Sage, Qingjia Yu, Samuel Girdler Coaches: Mr Luke Manno, Mr Anthony Chambers



#### Football 4th

Row 3: Charles Wundenberg, Joseph Grundy, George Koch, Angus RuddenklauJack Wilkin, George Campbell, Edward Johnson, Tom Dolling, Qingjia Yu Row 2: Zach Floreani, Seb Harkness, Charles Siemer, Riley Vivian, Ryan Bower, Sam Heuzenroeder, Lachlan Davidson, Samuel Desmazures, Samuel Kent, William Pointon Row 1: Jesse Laing, Brody Davies, Charles Carney, James Schimanski, Declan Keanie, Angus Hodges, Jack Schirripa, Joshua Dalman, Henry Southwood, Archie Warrick, Jack Kohlhagen Coach: Mr Phil Noble



#### Football 5th

Row 3: Jack Schirripa, Hugh Dunn, George Koch, Zachary Bilyk, Henry Burgess, Archie Underwood, Declan Keanie Row 2: Samuel Desmazures, Seb Harkness, Charles Siemer, Lachlan Davidson, Ryan Bowyer, Fletcher Davidson, Joseph Grundy, Noah Oswald Row 1: Archie Warrick, Charles Carney, Will Pointon, Peter Cole, Angus Hodges, Joshua Dalman, Ziheng Tang, Jack Kohlhagen Coach: Mr David Roberts



#### Football Yr 7

Row 3: Mitchell Stankiewicz, Hunter Petersen, Henry Ashby, William Elder, Jasper Norris, Edward Antonas, Angus Whicker Row 2: Luke Modra, Charles Hammond, Chris Clayton, Thomas Williamson, Charlie Bermingham, Marlie Motlop, Oscar Maraun, Oliver Brooksby Row 1: Harrison Gatenby, Ollie McKinnon, Angus Tremlett, Mateo Simonides-Dickson, Edward Taintey, Alexander Boase, Hardy Lloyd, Paul Kassapis



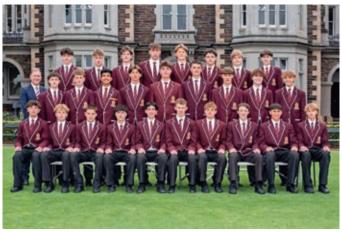
#### Football Yr 8A

Row 3: Campbell Brown, Mason Engelbrecht, Archie Colaiacovo, Thomas Stuchbery, Eddie Lindsay, Harry Hobby, Jack McKinnon Row 2: Harry Hall, Christian Bibbo, Lachlan Bauer, James Ali, Cooper Jolly, Bernie White, Joe Ricciuto, Liam Charlesworth Row 1: Thomas Goldsworthy, Isaiah Salagaras, Taj Panelli, Loki Bown, Mitchell Wray, Henry Lovell, Tom Laube, Xavier Abbott Coach: Mr Henry Smart



#### Football Yr 8B

Row 3: Thomas Davies, Lucas Trengove, Ned Siemer, Marlon Lock, Angus Thredgold, Alfred Ashby, Hugo Gwynne, Finn McNally, Harry Hodges Row 2: Thomas Maynard, Campbell Brown, Lachlan Logan, Alexander Kay, Jacob Ewer, Jack Amber, Toby Noble, Samuel Matheson, Louis MacIntosh, Jensen Hall Row 1: Deklan Murphy, William Gibson, Lachlan Wilde, Levy Rossi, Charlie Burroughs, Benjamin Johnson, William Katdare, Henry Marshman, Fred Martin Coach: Mr Troy McKinnon



#### Football Yr 9A

Row 3: Thomas Loudon, James Mudge, Alexander Butler, Alexander Charlick, Kai Ivins, Charles Nolan, Eddie Marks, Thomas George Row 2: Max Paholski, Bronte O'Callaghan, Achyut Chopra, Ollie Kirkness, Lucas Sheridan, Harvey Chapman, Joe Kernahan, Henry Mitchell, Jackson Finnis Row 1: Mitchell Brook, Hugh Davidson, Harvy Vandenberg, Darcy Thatcher, Flynn Ritossa, Lachlan Murphy, Harvey Koch, Joseph Simpson, Isaac Peris-Coe, Henry McAuliffe Coach: Mr Greg Atterton



#### Football Yr 9B

Row 3: Harrison Martin, Toby Munt, Harrison Gibson, Jensen Hunt, Joshua McDonald, Thomas Whittle Row 2: Jock Perry, Harry Adams, Harry Grandioso, Louis Fiorili, Harry Paholski, Thomas Schirripa, Oliver Swain-Wride Row 1: William Andre, Henry Owler, Harrison Babyszka, Henry Reid, Alfred Antonas, George Longbottom, Harry Dolling, James Selby



#### Football Yr 10A

Row 3: Henry Fogden, Luke Scarce, Thomas Neal, Kale Matthews-Hampton, Mitchell Harris, Hudson Pentland, Jobe Stevens, Jack Southwood Row 2: Lachlan Calvert, Harry Goldsworthy, Finn Wundenberg, Thomas Lindsay, Julian Dawson, Nick Ricciuto, Hugo Spears, Finn Carey, James Dixon Row 1: Zach Gentile, Oscar Di Matteo, Sebastian Miteloudis, Joshua Scarce, Thomas Balnaves, William Trengove, Angus Mills, Armani-Jacom Scullino Coach: Mr Dylan Pippett



#### Football Yr 10B

Row 3: Eddie Prescott, Sebastian MacIntosh, Angus McLachlan, Joshua Penhall, Hugo Spears, William Johnson, Jack Siemer, Nicholas Christensen, Harry Bowman Row 2: Ryan Tait, Jackson Rossi, Oliver Staugas, Oscar Mulhern, Benjamin Wilkin, Will Heuzenroeder, William Daniel, Harry Saint, Saxon Larwood, Hugo Elkhoury Row 1: Alexander Johnson, Hamish Vandepeer, Maximilian Flower, Henry G Drew, Daniel Mundy, Ky Fogarty, Remy Worthington, Joshua Pullino, Jack McAuliffe

#### **Hockey**

As 2024 was an Olympic year, our sport achieved a higher profile than usual along with the inevitable scrutiny and expectation of success. Fortunately, PAC was somewhat more successful than our Kookaburras and Hockeyroos!

This year proved to be challenging on two fronts. With decreasing numbers participating, two teams were entered into the school competition rather than our usual three. Noticeably, other schools also struggled with declining numbers. As such, the Open A competition was restructured to include the Open B to provide for a viable competition. While this measure provided a short-term solution it led to some unavoidable mismatches and larger than expected scorelines.

Nevertheless, both of our teams achieved significant success with the middle school winning all bar one game in their respective competition. Coached once again by Chris Towers and Fred Vartuli the squad continued to build on the development of skills and tactical play. Several new players were also introduced during the season as injuries and illness inevitably took their toll. Principally secured from the Preparatory School hockey team, they played with great commitment and enthusiasm. Special thanks to Chris Tower, Fred Vartuli as well as team Manager Paul Balestrin for their continued support of the team across the season and all the organisational work behind the scenes.

The 1<sup>st</sup> XI on the other hand embraced underdog status eventually sharing both the SASSA Championship and Intercol titles with St Peters. The Intercol was particularly notable with the team demonstrating great spirit and courage to fight back from a 1-3 scoreline to level the game. As the bulk of the team was comprised of Year 12's I would like to thank our departing Year 12's for their exemplary service during their time at the College. They include Fred Vartuli, Chris Towers, Josh Inglis, Eddie Chapple, Hudson Duka, Matt North, Asgar Abraham and Francis Venning.

I would like to particularly thank our departing leaders Captain Fred Vartuli and Vice -Captain Eddie Chapple for their outstanding leadership and service throughout this season. Thanks also must go our exceptional coaches Connor Spouse and Seb Foster for their tireless efforts with not only coaching the technical and tactical aspects of the game at a high level but more importantly instilling a positive and dynamic team culture.

PAC has a rich history and tradition with producing talented hockey players. This year is no exception with the following gaining representative honours

State Representation	
U18 Hockey SA	Jack Sharman, Joshua Inglis, Eddie Chapple
U16 Hockey SA	Aaron Walsh, Orlando Vause
U15 State Schoolboys	Orlando Vause
U14 Hockey SA	Orlando Vause

1st XI Hockey Awards	
1 <sup>st</sup> XI Captain:	Fred Vartuli
Coaches Awards:	Robbie Hill
Brian Leach Award:	Chris Towers
Dalton Casey Best Intercol Player:	Fred Vartuli
Lowe Family – Players Player:	Eddie Chapple
PAOC Best & Fairest:	Aaron Walsh



#### **Hockey Primary**

Row 2: Flynn Obst, Struan Cowe, Charlie Paholski, Joseph Ng, Isaac Huf, Sebastian Gonsalves Row 1: Matias Gonsalves, Francesco Fuda, Alexander Kumar, Alfie Pledge, Archie Marsh, Tom Gregg, Rory McDonald Coach: Mr Greg Bishop Absent: Asgar Abraham (coach), Francis Venning (coach), Orlando Antunes



#### **Hockey Middle 7-9**

Row 2: William Pledge, Zeke Blaskett, Maxwell Kammer, Harrison Martin, Joseph Simpson, Fred Vartuli (Coach) Row 1: Noah Burton-Howard, James McDonald, Orlando Vause, Johan Louw, Leon Thorne, Archie Erbe Coaches: Mr Paul Balestrin (Manager), Christopher Towers (Coach)



#### **Hockey Senior A**

Row 2: Jack Sharman, Robbie Hill, Aaron Walsh, Asger Abraham, Christopher Towers, Francis Venning, Jamie Selvanayagam Row 1: Blake Vause, William Pledge, Joshua Inglis, Frederick Vartuli, Edward Chapple, Hudson Duka, Zeke Blaskett, Orlando Vause Staff: Mr Mark Dell'Oro (Hockey Co-Ordinator) Absent: Connor Spouse & Seb Foster

## Middle School Hockey Awards Most Improved: Archie Erbe Coaches Awards: Noah Burton-Howard Best & Fairest: Will Pledge

Fred Vartuli

Success in sport by its nature is cyclical as it should be. As such I am quite excited about our emerging talent. I am confident that given time to develop and the necessary hard work, PAC will continue to enjoy success.

#### Mark Dell'Oro

Player:

**Hockey Coordinator** 

Dalton Casey Best Intercol

#### Rugby

Our PAC rugby community remains strong, and our players, coaches, and support staff had a great season. We had strong numbers across the age groupings which augers well for the future of PAC rugby.

The schools' rugby competition faced some challenges this year with only two other schools fielding teams. This resulted in a shortened season, however, all games were played in the tradition and spirit showcasing PAC Rugby's endeavour and respect for the game, and our opposition. Competitions were organised through the South Australian Rugby Union (SARU) for school rugby development. PAC worked closely with SARU to register all players and was compliant with policies on concussion, and general player management.

I would like to express our gratitude to the South Australian Rugby Referees Association for supplying qualified referees to all fixtures, the contracted medical personnel who assessed players' medical needs, and to the amazing PAC housekeeping staff in both the Boarding House laundry for washing, ironing and folding the many, often muddy, jerseys for the next week, and for keeping the Park 15 training sheds clean. This work is often unseen but always appreciated.

I would also like to thank our PAC Rugby community, consisting of parents and friends of players who were ever present on the sidelines cheering on our boys. Their encouragement and support for our coaches was fantastic, and our game wouldn't be the same without you.

I would like to acknowledge and express my deep gratitude to our wonderful coaches, for the hours supporting rugby and our boys, especially Paul Brown, Patrick Etuati, Andrew MacGregor, Josh Prinsloo, Mark Marno, and Luke Seifert. Their passion, and commitment to the rugby program made it a success and, for me personally, it was a pleasure to work with them all.

I would also like to acknowledge and thank Jeremy Rylett for his great work co-ordinating PAC's rugby program over the past 12 years and he will be missed in this role. Jeremy's often unseen work gave our players an opportunity to flourish both on the field and within the rugby community. His passion and love for rugby is widely acknowledged and valued by the PAC Rugby community, Rugby Union South Australia, and the Rugby schools in Adelaide.

Our season started with a seven-a-side (7s) competition involving all age groups and was played over three weeks in May. In the U18s competition, there were three teams from St Peter's, a team from CABRA Dominican College, and two teams from PAC. There were some hard-fought matches, however both PAC teams were victorious against all other teams, meeting each other in the final. The U16s were equally successful and fielded two teams, who accounted for both St Peter's teams. As with both the U18s and U16s, the U14s were a force to be reckoned with, and also went through the competition undefeated.



**Rugby U14s** 

Row 2: Reuben Bosch, Willis Lopes, Robert Nairn, Ned Siemer, Lachlan Noble Row 1: Fred Martin, Alexander Wissell, Ellis Twigge, Jack Wilson, Ollie Morelli, Henry McPhail Coach: Mr Mark Marno Absent: Luke Seifert



#### **Rugby U16s**

Row 2: Jack Siemer, Judd Smith, Harry Saint, Oliver Dennis, Oliver Siegele Row 1: Edward Callaghan, Olebogeng (Thami) Nyathi, Saxon Larwood, Owen McCauley, George Butler Coach: Mr Andrew MacGregor



#### Rugby U18s

Row 3: Benjamin Langley, Olebogeng Nyathi, Mawson Mos, Sam Stunell, Oliver Dennis, Liam Quinn-Fogarty, Will Pointon Row 2: Declan Keanie, Charles Siemer, Noah Wilson Charles Waltham, Hugo Knight, Ivan Arnold, Hugh Dunn, Salvatore Costanzo Row 1: Henry Powell, Mustafa Al Fayyad, Kyle Prinsloo, William Deakin, James Schimanski, Will Hobbs, Minh-Duc Nguyen Absent: Jesse Rothgrew Coaches: MrPaul Brown (far left) Manager: Pete Giffard (far right) Absent: Patrick Etuati (coach)

PAC is a keen supporter for boys participating in the Duke of Edinburgh Award, and the rugby program sponsored two players who wanted to develop their game and become accredited rugby referees. Congratulations to Ollie Dennis and Harrison Menz for undertaking this activity. This initiative, sponsored by the Australian Rugby Union and SARU and will help grow our game here at PAC.

Moving deeper into the season, the competition moved to a 15-a-side game, which is more structured rugby with a focus as much on defence as well as attack.

#### The U18s team Played four games:

Game 1 - PAC (40) defeated SPSC (10)

Game 2 - PAC (66) defeated SPSC (0)

Game 3 (Intercol) – PAC (34) defeated SPSC (5)

Game 4 - PAC (47) defeated CABRA College (7)

Captain – Will Deakin

Vice-Captain - Kyle Prinsloo

U16s team played three games, including welcoming Melbourne's Scotch College on their inbound tour on a bright Sunday morning. This was the U16s first game playing this format. The game was played in good spirit and friendships were forged amongst PAC and Scotch College players, and staff leading to reciprocal invitations from Scotch for PAC to tour in 2025!

Game 1 – PAC (15) lost to Scotch College Melbourne (27)

Game 2 - PAC (25) defeated SPSC (20)

Game 3 - PAC (24) drew with SPSC (24)

U14s team Played one game in the 15-a-side format, running out winners in their match against St Peter's.

Game 1 - PAC (40) defeated SPSC (0)

First XV Season Award Winners				
Best Back	Ivan Arnold			
Best Forward	Will Deakin			
Most Improved Player	Archie Underwood			
Lowe Family Trophy (Player's Player)	Salvatore Costanzo			
Pete Layton (Memorial Trophy Best and Fairest)	Salvatore Costanzo			
Philpot Cup (Best on Field Intercol)	Salvatore Costanzo			
South Australian Rugby Referees Association Award for Best on Field – Intercol	Salvatore Costanzo			

U16s Season Award Winners				
Best Back	Oliver Siegele			
Best Forward	Ollie Dennis			
Best and Fairest	Thami Nyathi			
Player's Player	George Butler			

U14s Season Award Winners		
Most Improved Player	Fred Martin	
Player's Player	Reuben Bosch	

#### **Peter Giffard**

Rugby Co-ordinator

#### Soccer

In 2024, we were pleased to welcome several new coaches to our soccer program: Josh Benn (Assistant Coach, 1st XI), Chris Theakstone (2nd XI), Paul Morris (PAC Senior White), Phillip Bunce (Middle A Assistant Coach), and Graham Duffy (Middle B). We also extend our sincere gratitude to our new supporting staff members, Hana Mayer and Candice White.

The PAC Secondary School soccer program continued its impressive growth, expanding to seven teams this year. For the first time, we fielded three teams in the Middle School. The Year 7/8 futsal teams secured a commendable second place against a formidable Glenunga team in round one, while the Year 9/10 knockout team was eliminated by CBC in the first round.

Overall, every team deserves commendation for their highly competitive performances in their respective leagues. Notably, the 1st XI finished fifth on the ladder, narrowly missing out on the finals, and the 3rd XI triumphed in their league. Congratulations to the 1st XI and Senior White teams for their victories in the Intercollegiate fixtures against St Peters. All other teams provided fiercely contested matches, with some of the closest intercollegiate encounters in recent years, particularly in the Middle School.

Participation levels in the Preparatory School are also flourishing, which bodes well for the program's future success.

I extend my best wishes to the outgoing Year 12 students for their future endeavours and warmly invite them to join the Prince Alfred College Old Collegians Soccer Club in the near future. Finally, I express my heartfelt thanks to the boys, coaches, parents, Paul Brown, and Deb Trengove for their unwavering dedication and support throughout the year.

#### Awards 2024

First Xi	Deet Ared Friends	
	Best And Fairest	Daniel Bergamin
First Xi	Best Team Man	Nic Marino
First Xi	Best Intercollegiate Player	Zach Anderson
2 <sup>nd</sup> Xi	Best And Fairest	Eddie Callaghan
2 <sup>nd</sup> Xi	Coach's Award	Max Beltrame
2 <sup>nd</sup> Xi	Best Intercollegiate Player	Jonty Belton
PAC Senior Red	Best And Fairest	Peter Moore
PAC Senior Red	Coach's Award	Will Park
PAC Senior Red	Best Intercollegiate Player	Peter Moore
PAC Senior White	Best And Fairest	James Cree
PAC Senior White	Coach's Award	Nicholas Mitchell
PAC Senior White	Best Intercollegiate Player	Aiden Lim
Middle A	Best And Fairest	<b>George Hawkins</b>
Middle A	Coach's Award	<b>Dougal Mclachlan</b>
Middle A	Best Intercollegiate Player	Felipe Papathanasiou
Middle B	Best And Fairest	Tony Xiang
Middle B	Coach's Award	George Karas
Middle B	Best Intercollegiate Player	Peter Papageorgiou
Middle C	Best And Fairest	Andreas Elia
Middle C	Coach's Award	Hugo Mittiga
Middle C	Coach's Award	Ben Hamood

#### **Tom Rolls**

Soccer Co-ordinator



#### Soccer 1st XI

Row 3: Matt Nelson, Miles Falahey, Maxwell Whittle, Max Sampson Row 2: Harry McFetridge, Harry Edwards, Carmine Piantedosi, Zachariah Anderson, Seth Rocca Row 1: George Skrembos, Samuel Pheasant, Nicola Marino, Liam Kritharas, Hugo Mascolo Absent: Phil Stubbins (coach), Josh Benn (assistant coach), Daniel Bergamin, Matt Nelson



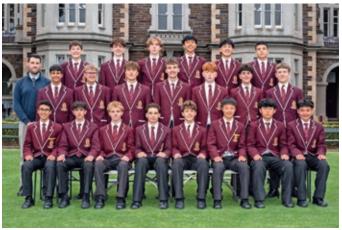
#### Soccer 4th X

Row 3: Henry Michael, Finley Turner, James Cree, Owen Chen, Aiden Lim Row 2: Joshua Dalman, James McFarlane, Nicholas Whyte, Tom McDonald, Jake Nykiel, Max Croser Row 1: Noah Varghese, Chewa Maurici, Nicholas Mitchell, Tsz To Tristan Wong, Leonardo Fabrizio, Oscar Thring



#### Soccer 2nd XI

Row 3: Matt Nelson, Tymoteusz Jachacy, Jonty Belton, Aleksander Kierno Row 2: Edward Callaghan, Ivan Sharma, Max Beltrame, Charlie Fassina, Max Croser Row 1: Tiago Barlow, Max Sampson, Stefan Drusian, George Skrembos Coach: Mr Chris Theakstone



#### Soccer Middle A

Row 3: Athan Dimitriadis, Harry McFetridge, Joshua McDonald, Nathan Wang, Thomas Whittle, Hamza Al Fayyad Row 2: Zander Zacharia, George Hawkins, Dougal McLachlan, Sebastian Saunders, Edward Mibus, Louis Sergi, Thomas Michael Row 1: Mohammed Ismaeel, Felipe Papathanasiou, Finnias Saturno, Lucca Malivindi, Oliver Earle, Ashton Lim, Jae-Young Jang, Jet Yiv Coach: Mr Phil Bunce



#### Soccer 3rd X

Row 3: Maxwell Whittle, Francis Venning, Nathaniel Lindop, Luca Bacon, Isaac Evans, Maximus Matheson Row 2: Hamish Colby, Louis Habgood, Arjun Dosanjh, Asger Abraham, Oscar Wang, William Deakin, Gunyoung Park Row 1: Nickolas Miteloudis, Ziheng Tang, Mustafa AlFayyad, Lucas Romaldi, James Pudney, Peter Moore Coach: Mr Nigel Madden



#### Soccer Middle B

Row 3: Lachlan Noble, Zander Zacharia, Nikolas Muzik, Yingxi Xiang, Lucca Malivindi Row 2: Thomas Ciccocioppo, Jordan Sun, Henry Zadow, Charles Yelland, Louis Sergi, James Goldsworthy Row 1: Aidan Chen, Noah Leathart, Maksim Laughlin, Peter Papageorgiou, Toby Wong, Jonathan Chong Coaches: Mr Beau Muzik, Mr Graham Duffy



#### Soccer Middle C

Row 3: Jasper Roberts, Archie Tudorovic, Spark Wang, Adrien Hennessy Row 2: Regan Whitmore, Tyler Kennedy Costello, Ben Hamood, Hugo Mittiga, Andreas Elia Row 1: Jonathan Chong, Christian Roberts, James Dobbins, William Larkin Coach: Mr Frank Palladino



#### Soccer Yr

Row 2: Will Andrews, Daniel Auciello, Isaac Sunjaya, Eyad Shahin, Maximilian Polikin, Harvey O'Brien, Thomas Henderson Row 1: Alexander Nguyen, Jaiyen Landers, Perry Chen, Ethan Tan, Alex Clark, Hugo Kirkpatrick, Francesco Demaria Coaches: Daniel Bergamin, Zac Anderson (absent), Mr David Leung (absent)



#### Soccer Yr 3

Row 3: Edward Thomas, Dawson Sullivan, Antek Berwetz, Tom Ryan, Nicholas Pizzino, Freddie Ellis, Bailey Trim, Sebastian Chryssafis, Henry Bacon Row 2: Ray Li, Elgin Pandya, Harvey Yeo, Felix Xia, Jack Karapandzic, Sachith Gunawardane, Bram van Minnen, James Blyth, Seb Henderson, Benji Hodgson Row 1: Luca Demasi, Henry Sheppard, Roy Hu, Aiden Wei, Thomas Copas-O'Neill, Charlie O'Brien, Felix Song, Weston Thomas, Asher Lim Coaches: Nic Marino, Carmine Piantedosi, Max Whittle Manager: Mrs Lisa Lacy Absent: Nathan Zhang, Lawrence Belperio



#### Soccer Yr 6

Row 3: Ziggy Tasci, Tommy Hodgson, Sebastian Horvath, Axel Gikas, Jibraan Shahin, Noah Reid Row 2: Henry Sutton, Keshav Balachander, Arthur Goldsworthy, Rayan Khan, Mikey Haywood Row 1: Oliver Thompson, Sammy Rayner, Joshua Sam, Thomas Dobbins, Philip Sruhan, Leo Witkowski Coach: Mr John Shackleton



#### Soccer Yr 4

Row 3: Jax Gikas, Will Haywood, Morgan Price, Edward Newton, William Jovicevic Row 2: Alfred Chapman, Oliver Hennessy, Max Pelizzari, Freddie Mittiga, Basil Baklavas, Viren Dhiman Row 1: Archie Thompson, Archie Karamalis, Oliver Rodrigues, Nash Noble, Leon Chang, Joseph Huang Coaches: George Skrembos, Ivan Sharma, Mr Sean Behan

#### Squash

Squash teams in 2024 had a very successful season with 31 boys participating in the program. The boys were well coached and well supported by both coaches and managers.

**Coaches:** Div 1, Div 2, Div 3 – Will Gray and Year 7/8/9 – Jay Molloy. Assistant coaches Eric McCauley and Sam Zadow both offered great support at training and on game day.

**Staff Managers:** Beth Christie, Mani White, Cynthia Psoramatis, Sally Persian, Donna Martin, Jarrod Cross and Chris Romanos. Thank you to all involved for your dedication, reliability and support all season – it was much appreciated by all concerned.

Captain Aryan Madan and Vice-Captain Tristan Wong showed great leadership and led the teams well. Their involvement helped with the smooth running and success of our program.

2024 saw another great win in our  $2^{nd}$  Intercol fixture against rivals St Peter's College – winning 3-1. Congratulations to the Div 1 team of Aryan Madan, Tristan Wong, Chewa Maurici, Chris Towers and Owen McCauley.

Aryan Madan had a stellar season finishing undefeated in the Squash SA competition and won the Schools Squash Championship Open Division for the  $4^{\rm th}$  year in a row.

It was fantastic to see a select Senior squad perform well again at these Championships.

Div 2 and 3 had a great season also, both making the Grand Finals.

The Year 7/8/9s had a very solid season with two teams competing each week. Both teams made the finals even though Wambana had a major effect on team selections in Term 3.

We enjoyed our end of season lunch on 28 August and congratulations to our 2024 award winners:

Player of the Year	Aryan Madan
Div 1 Coach's Award	Chewa Maurici
Div 2 Coach's Award	Angus Phillips
Div 3 Coach's Award	Aryan Parwal
Year 7/8/9 Best and Fairest Player	Henry Zadow
Year 7/8/9 Coach's Award	Aaron Liu

I would like to congratulate all the boys on a very successful season and say thank you for their exemplary behaviour and sportsmanship all season. I would also like to acknowledge the help of Mitch Thiele and Paul Brown during the first few weeks of Term 3 when I was away overseas. This was very much appreciated by all involved.

#### **Deb Trengove**

Squash Co-Ordinator



Squash Div 1

Row 2: Christopher Towers, Owen McCauley Row 1: Chewa Maurici, Aryan Madan, Tristan Wong Coaches: Mr Eric McCauley, Mr Samuel Zadow Manager: Ms Beth Christie



Squash Div 2-3

Row 2: Apollon Velonakis, Aryan Parwal, Angus Phillips Row1: Connor Heath, Owen McCauley, Ridha Ismaeel Coaches: Mr Eric McCauley, Mr Samuel Zadow Managers: Ms Mani White, Ms Donna Martin



Squash Div 7-9

Row 2: Aaron Liu, Henry Zadow, William Spitty, Charles Tang, Max Benecke Row 1: Noah Leathart, Noah Laforest, Harrison Daly, Alec Halkett, Andreas Elia Coaches: Mr Jay Molloy, Mr Eric McCauley, Mr Samuel Zadow Manager: Mr Jarrod Cross

#### **Table Tennis**

2024 saw another successful year for Table Tennis at PAC. While we increased the number of teams entered into the competition to five (two Open teams and three Middle School teams) based on pre-season nominations, an early exodus of players before the season started created a shortage of players for most of the season, with some teams occasionally having to play short. While this was disappointing, I must commend the majority of the players for their willingness to step up and play in higher grade teams or those players who filled in and played multiple matches on a Friday afternoon.

With the retirement of our long serving coach Kevin Malyschko last year, we were very lucky to find a new head coach for the 2024 season. Anthony Doldo was appointed Head Coach for 2024. Anthony is an extremely talented player and also coaches at local clubs in Adelaide. Anthony did an amazing job this season working primarily with the Open A team but also with the other four teams at training sessions. We look forward to having Anthony with us again next year to drive our Table Tennis program.

This year, Michael Cook was elected Captain of Table Tennis. Michael did a great job assisting with training and organising the boys throughout the season. He was supported by Co-vice Captains Rijak Dhingra and Eddie Lock who both worked with junior players at training sessions helping them work on skills, tactics and fitness. I must extend my thanks to all three young men in fulfilling their roles throughout the seasons and going above and beyond what was expected of them.

In the Middle School competition, we entered three teams. Many players returned from the previous year and their experience was evident. It was pleasing to see an influx of many new players, especially from Year 7 and Year 8. Throughout the season the younger players improved their skills and gained confidence in their play to win many matches. It was impressive to see so many matches being played in Stadium 2 of the RED Centre on a Friday afternoon and all the boys enjoying their Table Tennis.

In the Open Teams, the Open A team had a number of new, younger players selected, which led to a young team with lots of enthusiasm. This year we were able to add to our team a young prep school player, Patrick Yan who was only in Year 5, but earned his spot in the 1st team. Regular pairings were established early, and they built successful partnerships throughout the season. The Open A team had a successful season with a 5 win: 1 draw; 4 loss season. The team is a young one and most of the players will be available for selection again next year so we look forward in anticipation to an even better season next year.

The Open Bs had a successful season winning 6 of their 10 matches in the regular season. They had a great season playing some amazing matches of Table Tennis and building a strong bond together as a team. All the players should be proud of their efforts, particularly Aiden Witenden and Adrian Shiu, who were the most consistent players on the team throughout the season, winning the most sets and developing some amazing skills which have won them many games. My thanks to all those Middle School boys who played in the open teams during the season especially Sage Goel, who as a Year 8 student, played the whole season in the Open Bs.

Unfortunately, each year we have been improving and getting closer to that Intercol victory, however, 2024 we were again to fall short. Saints had a very strong Intercol team with may SA state players. The final score was 14-6, an improvement on last year with many games being closer that the final score indicated. One doubles match went to 20-18. Congratulations to all of the Intercol players who played with skill, determination and sportsmanship. Congratulations to Kai Coghlan, Clynton Vuong, Patrick Yan and James Yu on securing victories in their Intercol matches.

With the introduction of the four perpetual trophies in 2021, we again presented the major trophies at our end of season lunch. This year the perpetual trophies were won by:

The Phillip McLaughlin Trophy for Best and Fairest Senior School Player	Rishab Thairani
The Muzik Family Trophy for Best and Fairest Middle School Player	Kia Coghlan
The Luksch Family Trophy for Open A player of the Intercol	Kia Coghlan
The Economos Family Trophy for Services to Table Tennis	Michael Cook

The annual end of season lunch and presentation ceremony saw a number of players recognised for their contribution to the Table Tennis program. The following boys were awarded medals:

Open A Coach's Award 2024	Rijak Dhingra
Open A Most Improved 2024	Clynton Vuong
Open B Coach's Award 2024	Eddie Lock
Open B Most Improved 2024	Aidan Witenden
Middle A Coach's Award 2024	Bailey Khuoc
Middle A Most Improved 2024	Lucas Clayton
Middle B Coach's Award 2024	Timothy Hill
Middle B Most Improved 2024	Tom Waddy
Middle C Coach's Award 2024	Calvin Anesbury
Middle C Most Improved 2024	Xander Russell

I would like to thank the following Year 12 players for their contribution and commitment to Table Tennis over various numbers of years: Michael Cook and Hayden Chan. Both players have been part of the Table Tennis Community for many years with Michael playing since he was a student in the Prep School. I would like to wish them all the best for their future post PAC and thank them again for their support of Table Tennis over the years.

Once again, the season could not have been as successful without the dedication of the staff; our Head Coach, Anthony Doldo, Daniel Johnson, Greg Zheng, Emily Gough and Chloe Li. These staff were fantastic in their support for the PAC Table Tennis program, both at training sessions and during matches on a Friday. Without the hard work and support of all of these amazing staff, the boys would not have had as much fun and success as they did. Thank you again.

#### **Beau Muzik**

Table Tennis Co-ordinator



#### **Table Tennis Open A**

**Row 2:** Rishab Thairani, Yifan Qian, Yan Xie, James Xu **Row 1:** Clynton Vuong, Rijak Dhingra (Vice-captain), Michael Cook (Captain), Henry Yang, Pattrick Yan **Coaches:** Beau Muzik, Anthony Doldo



#### **Table Tennis Middle**

Row 3: Yiwen Wang, George Hawkins, Max Cohen, Yitong Wang, Spencer Tudorovic, Joshua Manuel, Eriks Lidums Row 2: Alistair Maria, Thomas Waddy, Nikolas Muzik, Nicholas Lai, Henry Fan, Jiajun Weng, Romesh Ediriweera, Stephen Feng Row 1: Jasper Arnold-Chamney, Timothy Hill, Yusuf Uzman, Calvin Anesbury, Lucas Clayton, Jonathan Wong, Henry McPhail Coaches: Greg Zheng, Beau Muzik, Emily Gough, Anthony Doldo



#### **Table Tennis Open B**

**Row 2:** Yan Xie, Hayden Chan, Yifan Qian, Aidan Witenden **Row 1:** Hau Shing Shiu, Callum Nunn, Edward Lock, Sage Goel **Coaches:** Daniel Johnson, Anthony Doldo



#### **Table Tennis Year 5-6**

Row 2: Christian Varricchio, Ashton Gerecke, James Payne, Henry Stirling Row 1: James Marshall, Kye Thompson, Harry Luke, Hugh Herriot, William Raeside Coach: Mr Oliver Fox





#### **Co-Curricular Mathematics Intermediate**

Row 2: Charles Tang, Harry Paholski, Achyut Chopra, Daniel Foo, Milo Kotzee, Devesh Anavkar, Aaron Liu Row 1: Connor Caruso, Joshua Wang, Jonathan Lau, Sage Goel, Jet Yiv, Aidan Chen, Jonathan Wong Teacher: Marta Matthews



#### Co-Curricular Mathematics Junior Red

Row 2: Sage Goel, Lucas Pizzino, William Pan, Sneh Thakkar, Spark Wang Row 1: Johnny Chong, James Dobbins, Jet Yiv, Mohammed Ismaeel, Lucas Clayton, Connor Caruso Teacher: Marta Matthews



#### Co-Curricular Mathematics Junior White

**Row 2:** James Arkwright, Jordan Sun, Aadeesh Nanvey, Tony Xiang, William Elder **Row 1:** Joshua Wang, Aidan Chen, Declan Lin, Clynton Vuong, Jonathan Wong **Teacher:** Marta Matthews

#### **Co-Curricular Mathematics**

In 2024, Co-curricular Mathematics ran two programs: junior and intermediate

The junior program continued from the successful 2023 program, offering Sunday afternoon problem-solving sessions and competition preparation (with focus on the Hamann School Mathematics Competition and the Australian Mathematics Competition) to interested Year 7 and 8 students in two teams: CCM Red and CCM White.

The season started with a highly entertaining impromptu mathematical battle between students and parents. Throughout the year we continued the fun and held 9 battles, closing the season with a wonderful Grand Finale. In the Grand Finale, the champion team challenged and defeated a team of parents, teachers and invited guests.

The students worked under the guidance of Mrs Matthews and Ms Harradine and we thank Mr Harradine for his contributions to the battle program.

#### Lucas Clayton, Year 7:

Throughout the year, Co-curricular Maths was enjoyable and helped me to become a better student. My favourite moment in Co-curricular Maths was when I went up to the board to present a solution for a problem, and had not seen it yet, but guessed the answer (even though my working out was very messy!). Before participating in Co-curricular Maths, I had heard of some concepts but was unsure how to apply them. This program helped me to understand multiple complex mathematical concepts and improve ones that I already knew.

The intermediate program was a new initiative in 2024, offering Wednesday afternoon sessions to interested Year 7-10 students. Participants learnt topics outside of the Australian Curriculum, such as number bases and telescopic sums and prepared for the challenging Da Vinci Decathlon and the Australian Intermediate Mathematics Olympiad.

#### Jonathan Lau, Year 7:

I have really enjoyed attending Co-curricular maths. It explored ideas outside of the curriculum with new concepts and strategies for tackling problems. It has helped me approach problems from different angles. I am grateful for Mrs Matthews' guidance and support.

#### **Marta Matthews**

Co-Curricular Mathematics Co-ordinator

#### **Kent Town Swim Squad Program**

The National Age Championships in April saw 14 Kent Town Swim (KTS) swimmers compete in various events, the most we have had at a national meet. Regan Nelson, Fred Hassell and Matthew Brown making A finals with Milli Liemar making B finals were stand out performances. Fred Hassell also claimed a bronze medal in the State relays with his team breaking a 22-year-old state record.

In April we said farewell to coach Caitlin Pearce and Jack Myers filled the role of State & Development coach.

The State Age Short Course Championships in July produced some great results with personal best times and placings. This also included our relay results reflecting that whilst our program is not big in numbers, the quality of our swimmers remain high and competitive.

Congratulations go to swimmers who were selected for the SAPSASA and SASSSA teams to represent the State at the School Sport championships held on the Gold Coast.

In September, 11 swimmers represented KTS at the Australian Short Course Championships. Fred Hassell broke a 50m-freestyle state record that was previously held by Kyle Chalmers – an outstanding achievement.

The focus this summer will be to continue to build the program and club with more junior level swimmers whilst the more senior swimmers focus on being more competitive on a national level.

#### **Jack Myers & Jason Dunlop**

Kent Town Swim



Fred Hassell competing at the Australian Short Course Championships



## Summer Sport Colours List

#### **Badminton** Rowing Chengzhou (Oscar) Qian **Edward Chapple** Caleb Sam-Ling Louis Dawson Hau Shing (Adrian) Shui Max Garnett Maz Zheng Alex Hamood Hugo Knight Cricket Samuel Remeljei lared Kuhl Elijah Roberts Jesse Laing Sam Stunnell Harry Piggott lack Wilkin

#### **Sailing** Thomas Henchliffe

Joshua Zhang

## **Swimming**Louis Annetta Luca Bacon

Oscar Cohen

### Fergus Keighran

#### **Tennis**

Filip Fantasia
Aiden Lim
Oscar Wang

#### Volleyball

Christopher Andrews
Miles Falahey
Alexander Johnson

#### **Water Polo**

Kyle Prinsloo
Charles Smart
Mack Taylor
Charles Waltham

#### **Summer Sports Honours List**

#### **Athletics**



Thomas Turnbull

#### **Jack Rayner**

Relatively new to the sport of Athletics, Jack has already demonstrated remarkable potential and talent. He was awarded the U/16 age champion at the 2023 House Athletics. In an extraordinarily short period, he has also excelled beyond expectations. At the Achilles Cup last year,

he achieved first place in the U16 100m, 200m and 400m sprints and set a new 400m record, in a time of 50.67 seconds (a record that had previously stood for 24 years). In 2023, at the All-Schools State Championships, Jack achieved first place in the U17 100m and 200m, and second place in the 400m. Jack was then selected in the SA team for the All-Schools National Competition. Jack is the current U/18 400m Champion and second fastest in the state, in the 100m and 200m. In a space of only 6 months, Jack obtained selection and represented South Australia at the Australian Athletics Championships.

#### Cricket



#### **Dylan James**

Dylan is an exquisite timer of the ball, scoring freely against both pace and spin and has a determined presence at the crease. He scored two brilliant centuries in England and has a knack of scoring runs when the team needs them most. In the field, Dylan is exceptional. Without a doubt,

the standout fielder in the First XI, he hunts the ball in the inner circle pouncing on anything that comes near him. He is a highly valued team player who gets better with each passing game and has left a legacy on younger players of professionalism and high work ethic.



#### **Matt LeRay**

Matthew has captained an unbeaten First XI side to 2 championships in both T20 and one day cricket so far this season.

Highly skilled in arguably the toughest discipline in cricket; leg spin bowling, Matthew bowls with the air speed of an adult spinner, without

losing consistency or the ability to turn the ball a rare combination of highly specialised skills. In addition to Matts tactical knowledge and leadership, which have underpinned our First XI success, he leads from the front on the field as a skilful all-rounder who can win matches with bat or ball in his hand. Matt has claimed 29 Wickets this summer @ an average of just 15 as well as scoring 275 runs @ 35 with the bat.

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#### **Ryan Percival**

Ryan Percival is our blue-chip player. Ryan consistently makes and immediate impact whether it is with his deceptively quick and relentlessly accurate bowling, or his highly disciplined batting.

In addition to his outstanding on field skill

and experience, Ryan has been an outstanding leader, regularly volunteering his time to assist our Middle School players in developing their game. He role models good behaviour and training routine and leaves a legacy the younger First XI players will take into next season.



#### **Blake Roberts**

Blake is the teammate everyone wants in their team. A positive force of support and encouragement to those around him. An outstanding wicketkeeper/batsman, Blakes journey is one of hard work, patience and a genuine love for representing Princes.

The role of the wicketkeeper is often unsung as glove men are rarely the outright superstars of the team, but they are the engine room that set the standards for all fielders. Blakes personality suits this role perfectly. He works selflessly for the team and puts others in front of himself at all times.



#### Luke Szabo

Luke is a formidable opening batsman for Princes who has consistently dominated opposition teams with devastating power and impeccable timing. He regularly attacks teams right from the start of the innings, putting PAC well ahead of the game and leaving opponents scrambling to defensive

fields and bowling changes.

Off the field, Luke is extremely humble and has a calming presence on the group. He helps his teammates feel welcome, which allows them to improve and develop their confidence.

This was especially notable when injury ruled Luke out of term 4. He maintained a constant presence throughout this time, supporting teammates and coaches to achieve the best outcomes in any way he could.

#### **Swimming**



#### Fred Hassell

Fred has been identified as a promising national standard swimmer for some years now and has combined natural ability with steely determination to continue to improve his times, his technique and his turns. This year he has again qualified for national individual races. As the 2024 Year 10

swimming champion and school champion of champions, including a 50m free style record which toppled both the year 10 and year 11 previous records, Fred continues to develop as a powerhouse in schoolboy swimming. When we consider his humility, willingness to help and support other swimmers, and his passion for team and relay events, Fred is the personification of a swimmer and young man we can be proud of.

#### **Water Polo**



#### Sam Ciccocioppo

As Captain of our Firsts team, and as a current Australian junior squad member, Sam has few peers in the country which rival his talent and his maturity as a leader within water polo. His flawless prowess in the pool, both as a tenacious defender and also as a brutal attacking goal scorer, Sam can

be relied upon to give his best and to keep a cool had when placed under pressure. As a leader he has been forthright in expectation of player standards and has been unwavering in his dedication to assisting our junior players, where he has attended every junior training session this season. A passionate student of the game, Sam brings a depth of knowledge and an infectious enthusiasm which make training and playing water polo in his presence, a pure joy. He epitomises the Princes man through his sport and with absolute clarity and pride that we recognise him as one of our greatest schoolboy players in recent history.

#### Julian Hyde Kelly

Julian has been the Firsts goalkeeper for three years and in this time has been pivotal in all three successive Intercol victories. In 2022 and 2023 his outstanding goalkeeping in the third and final quarters not only kept us in each match but also set up us for counter attacks in the final seconds.

This year Julian made for consecutive saves from four shots in the final quarter which capped off three years of outstanding goal keeping and service to Prince's water polo. Julian, as vice-captain of the sport, has brought an invaluable leadership to not only his beloved Firsts team, but also in his coaching of our junior goalkeepers. Three mornings a week for the entire season, Julian volunteers before school to support the junior players and to share his wisdom and technical knowledge of the game. Outside of school water polo Julian is an accomplished club and state goalkeeper and has ambitions of continuing his development as a goalkeeper for National League.



#### **Jake Martin**

Jake is a current Australian junior squad member and is in the starting seven of the Adelaide Jets men's team, who compete in the Australian National league of water Polo. In this role, Jake is often charged with the responsibility of manning up against current Australian and international

Olympic players who play in our National league, and often being called upon to take penalty shots. All of this as a Year 12 student, playing at the highest level in Australia is a feat few 17-year-olds can attest to in the country. Here at Princes, Jake is our Co Vice Captain and has played a pivotal role in shaping the strategies we use in our firsts team, where he has become a dominant and much feared player in schoolboy competition. He can be relied upon to steal the ball in each game, and to score highly as our key centre forward and penalty shooter. He has also shared his wisdom with the junior PAC water polo players, assisting our Wednesday morning development program.



#### **Charlie Roberts**

Charlie debuted as a Firsts player in Year 10, where his dominant third quarter against key Saints playmakers, nullifying threats and assisted to set up an inspirational victory in the final quarter. Since that time, Charlie has gone from strength to strength, representing South Australia

in various national competitions, being a dominant force in club competition and regularly assisting our junior players with trainings. Charlie has also been keen to develop his refereeing qualifications as another string to his bow. In this year's Intercol, Charlie made several steals in the middle of the pool and regularly displayed his revered hard-line defensive press against his opposition. He also backed this up with three crucial goals from the wing, which were pivotal in asserting scoreboard pressure against St Peters in the Intercol. Charlie completes three years of distinction as a Firsts player.

#### **Winter Sport Colours List**

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Basketball	Brodie Harris	Hockey	Charlie Siemer
Bryce Sanders	Louis Kellaway	Asger Abraham	Sam Stunell
	Matthew LeRay	Hudson Duka	Soccer
Chess	Noah Mennillo	Chris Towers	Nic Marino
Oliver Fenton	Antonio Mondello	Fred Vartuli	
	Harry Piggott	Blake Vause	Squash
Debating	Jay Polkinghorne	Aaron Walsh	Tristian Wong
Owen Chen	Will Prescott		
Nicholas Whyte	Bryce Sanders	Rugby	Table Tennis
	Daniel Thompson	Ivan Arnold	Rijak Dhingra
Football	Tom Threadgold	Salvatore Costanzo	Rishab Tharani
Eli Anders	Tom Turnbull	Will Deakin	
Dougal Ashby	Hayden Willmot	Henry Powell	
Sam Cumming		Kyle Prinsloo	

#### **Winter Sport Honours List**

#### **Basketball**



#### **Cody Corbett**

Cody has been an outstanding all-round contributor to basketball throughout his time at Prince Alfred College. Cody is a highly-respected and admired player whose consistent leadership saw him named Captain for PAC in 2024 and also named Captain for the Under-18 SA Country

team, both leadership opportunities he has relished. In addition to his achievements externally, Cody's determination, poise and team-first attitude has been pivotal to the success and development of the Princes' basketball program over the past three years.

#### Chess



#### Tharan Balachander

Tharan is a remarkable chess player. Known for his strong calculation, and calm demeanour at the board, Tharan has had another excellent season, finishing with a perfect score in interschool chess, including achieving his third Intercollegiate win this year. He is a former U15 State Champion,

and top 3 finisher in the U18s. He is also a past winner of the City of Adelaide U21s and has come equal 4th in the Open City of Adelaide, alongside other achievements which would be remarkable at any age. Beyond this, however, Tharan is a humble young man, who has given his time to assisting the program over the years, notably as an assistant arbiter in our preparatory competitions.



#### Ethan Retnaraja

Ethan is an impressive chess player at any level, and to achieve what he has while still at school is truly remarkable. This year alone, he has come 4th in the Australian Reserves Championship, the competition directly below Australian Championship, 2nd in the Checkmate Open and

won the South Australian Blitz Championship. He has won all of his matches for the College this year, and after 5 years, he has only had

one draw and one loss in interschool chess. He has remained active in state level tournaments throughout the year, despite his academic load, and even took the time to qualify as a national arbiter over the Christmas School Holidays. He has also served as our co-captain of chess for 2024 and acted as an assistant arbiter for our Preparatory Interschool Chess competitions.



#### **Caleb Tang**

Caleb has led the chess program with distinction this year as co-captain. A former state champion at U11, U12 and 14 level, alongside top 3 placings at U16 level. Caleb has always led by example in our chess program, and has had a remarkable year, leading a young PAC 1 White side to a top 5

finish in Division 1. Caleb is a kind and humble young man, and one who has always sought out opportunities to help coach players in our preparatory teams, and he has always been the first to volunteer his time to service to the program. His work coaching our youngest players has certainly had an impact, and working alongside Caleb was the highlight of many of our youngest players' weeks. Despite the efforts he has put into his studies this year, he has always found time for service to program, and in many other areas in the school.

#### Debating



#### **Nicholas Henchliffe**

As Captain of Debating this year, and Co-Vice Captain of Debating in 2024, Nicholas has led by example and made tremendous contributions to our Debating culture. He has coached our younger boys for the last three years, running their training sessions and attending all their

debates, plus many hours working with these boys outside of their regular training sessions. He has also been responsible for much of our program, such as helping to construct the Debating newsletter, helping to run and adjudicate our preseason competition, and much more. He has been selected in the state team for the last three years, was part of the South Australian team last year who won the National title and is one of the best (arguably the best) school-aged debater in South Australia.



#### Thomas Henchliffe

As Co-Vice Captain of Debating for the second year in a row, Thomas has led by example and made tremendous contributions to our Debating culture. He coached our younger boys in for the last three years, running their training sessions and attending all their debates, plus many hours

working with these boys outside of their regular training sessions. He has also been responsible for much of our program, such as helping to construct the Debating newsletter, helping to run and adjudicate our preseason competition, and much more. He was part of the South Australian team last year who won the National title, was again selected in the State team this year, and is one of the best schoolaged debaters in the state.

#### **Football**



#### **Rome Burgoyne**

Rome has had an incredible year of football which has seen him represent South Australia for the second year running at U18 level, made his SANFL league debut and winning the Best and Fairest for the First XVIII in a year where we were crowned SAAS champions in an undefeated season. Rome

is a smooth moving running defender who has one of the best kicks in the state. Rome showed wonderful improvement across the season which saw him add the ability to consistently take intercepts marks, to complement his clean hands-on ground ball.



#### **Louie Montgomery**

Louie has had to battle injury across the season which makes his achievements this season even more incredible. Louie for the second year running represented South Australia at U18 level, made his SANFL league debut and was voted in as Vice-Captain for the First XVIII. Louie's ability to

read the play across half back and take intercept mark after intercept mark, combined with his composure and super decision making made it almost impossible for the opposition to break our defences.

#### Hockey



#### **Eddie Chapple**

As the 1st XI Vice-Captain Eddie led from the front. A robust and hard-working striker Eddie has developed a reputation for wreaking havoc within opposition defences with his deft stickwork, elusive running and overall tenacity. An impact player – Eddie is a prolific goal scorer.

His exceptional goal sense and passion was clearly demonstrated during this year's remarkable Intercol comeback from a 1-3 scoreline. Outside PAC, Eddie achieved selection in the Hockey SA U18 State Hockey Team and made his Premier League debut for the Adelaide Men's Hockey Club.



#### Joshua Inglis

Over the years PAC has been blessed with many excellent goalkeepers. They are a rare breed and often do not receive the accolades they so thoroughly deserve. Joshua is no exception. Courageous, intelligent and above all a calming influence he is pivotal in organising team defence.

A constant source of inspiration Joshua thrives under intense

pressure. This was clearly demonstrated during this year's Intercol as he warded of many of Saints sustained attacks. Joshua was selected in the Hockey SA U18 team and is also a member of the Hockey SA Academy, a group of players identified as the next wave of talent in SA.



#### Jack Sharman

A versatile hockey player Jack has earned a reputation within the hockey community as a resolute and skilful defender, midfielder and when required striker. While Jack creates numerous attacking moves for his teammates, he loves nothing more than taking on the opposition when

the opportunity arises. His development as a key player at school and club level is a result of persistence and hard work, a wonderful example for all in the hockey community. His skills, passion and leadership are clearly evident to his teammates and those who have witnessed him in action. Outside of the College program, he has also debuted at Premier League level for the Adelaide Hockey Club as well as the Hockey SA U18 team.

#### Squash



#### Aryan Madan

Aryan has had a very successful year as PAC's number one squash player. The Division 1 team has been undefeated in the 2024 season, which culminated in a Grand Final Victory against St Peter's College in the Squash SA Competition and in the Intercol last month. Aryan was also

undefeated all season in the school competition.

Aryan has represented South Australia in the Australian Junior Open back in April. This was an international event with competitors from all over the world competing. Aryan finished a very credible 23<sup>rd</sup>. He also finished 20<sup>th</sup> at the Oceania Junior Championships this year.

In August Aryan won the School Boys Open Championship for the  $4^{\mbox{\tiny th}}$  year in a row.

Aryan has been a very supportive and successful Captain of Squash for season 2024. He has led by example on and off the court and been a very good role model for the junior boys coming through the program.

#### **Table Tennis**



#### **Michael Cook**

Michael Cook started playing Table Tennis in Year 4 and made an immediate impact with Table Tennis. He was Captain of Table in Tennis in the Prep school in 2018. When moving to the Secondary school in 2019, Michael played in his first intercol as a Year 7 student. Since

then, Michael has gone on to play in 6 intercols for Table Tennis, representing the school with pride and commitment.

Michael has been an automatic 1<sup>st</sup> team selection, having outstanding success and working his way up the ranking. In 2023 he was Vice Captain and this year he was elected Captain of Table Tennis in recognition for his commitment to the sport. At training sessions this season he has spent much of his time coaching the junior and senior players, offering advice and support. Michael has demonstrated a commitment to Table Tennis over and above that expected of a PAC sporting captain.

#### **Performing Arts Honours List**

#### Music



#### Owen Chen

Owen took over the Big Band 1 piano chair from the revered Edmund Black in Term 4 of 2020. For nearly 4 years he's been a key cog in that band and the Music Program more broadly, with his GIJ Super Band selection this year being just recognition of his talents. An intuitive and

supportive accompanist, and a tasteful and melodic jazz soloist, Owen takes all styles and challenges in his stride.



#### Jack Elms

Jack is a musician of exceptional talent, versatility and diligence. From lead roles in musicals and piano solos at assembly, to key spots this year on trumpet in Big Band 1 and in Small Vocal 1; Jack's contributions are significant. It is his singing that has gone to new heights in the last

12 months, with a level of accuracy, control and mature style that is rare to find in school-age vocalists. Having executed wonderful performances in significant external venues this year, such as the CCA Gala Ball at the Convention Centre, Jack has certainly been a star performer.



#### **Hugo Evans**

Hugo achieved back-to-back GIJ Div 1 Super Band selections this year, a rare feat in the history of PAC Music. From countless hours of practice he has formed a formidable guitar technique, giving him speed and accuracy across the many styles of music that he commits

himself to. Hugo's leadership through his passionate performances, his words, his behind the scenes helping, his compositions, all combine to showcase him as a standout in 2024!



#### Nathan Thomas

Nathan followed up his GIJ Super Band selection in 2023 with a Future Finalist selection in 2024, recognising him once again as a standout jazz drummer across a national field. He is the ultimate team man - on the drums he doesn't try to 'stand out' or 'show off' but focuses on setting

up the whole band with his mature feel and rock solid time keeping. Nathan brings an air of respect and positivity to all that he does on and off stage.

#### **Drama**



#### Joseph Callaghan

Joseph's professionalism, commitment and talents have had a measurable impact on the profile and standard of Drama in his nearly two years at the College. With standout performances in 'Lord of the Flies' in 2023 and 'Urinetown' this year, his versatile acting and superb vocal bring audiences

directly into the world and characters he creates, while empowering his peers to do the same. With lead roles under his belt in various external productions and involvement in sought-after workshops interstate, Joseph is hard-working and humble, and outstanding role model for all.



# Community

## Friends of PAC

One of the highlights this year was at the Senior School Athletics Day. The Friends of Prince Alfred College (FoPAC) ran a premium sausage sizzle for the boys and it was a very busy day. We had a surplus of drinks so we decided to announce that with every drink that was purchased the boys would receive a free cookie . A home baked, made with love deluxe chocolate chip cookie at that. We then looked up to see a stampede of hungry boys, running up to buy a drink and get their free cookie. The only problem was that the only thing the boys heard was free cookies! We overcame this minor contractual glitch and proceeded quickly to sell out of drinks, and there was not a cookie crumb to be seen anywhere.

I was fortunate enough when growing up that my parents, Stan and Kerry, worked tirelessly volunteering at community football clubs. Notably the Ingle Farm and the Greek Camden football clubs. As part of that, I would often run the boundary, man the scoreboard or be a goal umpire. Watching them volunteering their time instilled in me the value that this brings to oneself and also to the wider community. I thank them for all their efforts and teachings. Also thank you for sending myself and my two brothers, George and John to Prince Alfred College from 1978 – 1989. With time, one gains a clearer and greater appreciation of such an opportunity.

As with all volunteer organisations, it is very common to see the same volunteers over and over again. To a degree at FoPAC this is the case, however we are also fortunate to have many parents step up and assist us to volunteer for the events and barbecue days that we run and organise. Even if this is only once throughout their time as a parent at PAC, we are extremely grateful for their time. Having new parents engage with FoPAC and volunteer energises all of those involved.

If you have not had the opportunity as a parent to volunteer thus far, please keep an eye out for the sign-up links. FoPAC curates many events and community building opportunities throughout the year. Whether you can volunteer to flip a snag at Athletics Days and Football matches or assist with the Stalls for Father's and Mother's Day, know your contribution will be valued and appreciated. We love meeting new parents of the boys at Princes. These connections are paramount in building our magnificent community and the sense of belonging that comes with this.

Our first event in 2024 was the Family Fun Night. We were blessed by perfect weather and a record turnout. It was great to see so many younger siblings of students, whether they be boys or girls, attend

1 & 2. FoPAC Quiz Night 3 & 4. FoPAC Family Fun Night

















- 1 2024 FoPAC Committee
- 2. Boys choosing their gifts at the FoPAC Father's Day stall
- 3 & 4. Ladies in Red Lunch

the night. These little ones were entertained by the petting zoo and the twilight outdoor movie. The older children went crazy on the various jumping castles and climbing walls. Many somersaults were attempted.

A few quiet beverages were enjoyed by the PAC parents and community as we christened the 2024 year with a great catch up and a good laugh.

Our families tucked into some magnificent paella and butter chicken cooked by PAC chef extraordinaire, Simon Muir – a big thank you to your kitchen and catering team and thank you to our Events team headed up by Sophie Davies, who set up the event for us. Thank you to all the PAC Facilities team members for your ongoing hard work, guidance and knowledge.

Our second major event was the annual Ladies in Red Lunch. We were very grateful for Jade Robran to be the MC again. She is a true professional. Jade interviewed our guest of honour, journalist, Jane Doyle. Jane Doyle spent many years, as we all know, as the face of television news in South Australia. She told some amazing stories of her life experiences. These are the hottest tickets in town, so get in early!

Fast forward to Term 3, to what is now becoming our annual Quiz Night. The dress code was "pick your decade". This theme was embraced with vigour!

Attendees were dressed from the 1920s to the 60s, 70s, 80s, the Naughties, and there was a 'double denim' table and Australian Olympic team table. It was fantastic to see tables represented right through from ELC and reception to Years 11 and 12 and all of those in between

As I sign off as President after three years, I would like to thank my wife Olivia. Olivia has stepped up continually on events days and furthermore, behind the scenes with many working bees to allow the FoPAC ship to sail smoothly.

Also thank you to Liza McNally. Liza is the Director of Marketing and Community Engagement at PAC and also a PAC parent. She has offered boundless ongoing support and energy to FoPAC.

Thank you to all the Headmasters we have worked with, past and present. At the FoPAC meetings, on the Monday of weeks 2 & 8, the Headmaster is present to give us a detailed update on all things PAC related, and even sometimes uses this opportunity to tap into the FoPAC committee as a consultative sounding board. Thank you to David Roberts.

The 2024 FoPAC Executive Committee and Committee members were outstanding. 2025 sees some changes to the Executive Committee of FoPAC

We are blessed to have an engaged, committed and a communityminded team

#### **Our 2025 Executive Committee includes:**

**President** Khanh Chong

Co-Vice Presidents Jane Newton and Carli Halloran

Secretary Brooke Raeside

Treasurer Joe Maurici

**Committee Members:** Vanessa Stillwell, Heidi Chapman, Marnie Kies, Lisa Auciello, Gabi Evans, Leslie Gemmell, Sophie Sruhan, Shirley Fung, Peter Do and Olivia Condous.

Thank you to all of you for stepping up in 2025 to continue the unique engagement and belonging that FoPAC brings to PAC and also thank you to all those before us who have volunteered for the Friends of Price Alfred College which has endured for over 70 years now.

Fac fortia et patere.

#### **Paul Condous**

FoPAC President



## **Foundation**

In 2024, the Prince Alfred College Foundation celebrated its 50th anniversary. This milestone provided us with a chance to reflect on the achievements and all that the Foundation has achieved for the College community over the past 50 years.

The story of the Foundation over these past five decades is one of vision, partnership, and commitment. It all began with a group of forward-thinking Old Scholars and parents who saw the need for a dedicated body to 'preserve, develop, and maintain the standards and facilities of the College into the future'. It was the first of its kind among independent schools in South Australia – an idea that was ahead of its time and one that has shaped the College ever since.

From that very first project – securing 150 acres of land for what would become our Scotts Creek outdoor education centre – the Foundation has continually demonstrated its passion for enhancing the experiences of our students. Over the years, it has supported projects that have transformed our campus, created scholarships that have changed lives, and helped build an environment where students can truly thrive. The relationship between the College and the Foundation has always been about more than just bricks and mortar; it has been about making sure our students receive a holistic, enriching education that sets them up for life beyond the classroom.

The fine work of the Foundation and its members continued in 2024. With the Endowment fund sitting in a healthy position, we turn our eyes to the bold program of Capital works that will re-invigorate our beloved campus over the next decade.

Throughout the year, we hosted events for our members and the broader community, ranging from the Scholarship Morning Tea in February to the 50th Anniversary Cocktail Party for members in November, which we celebrated with a 'Touch of Gold'.

At the AGM in May, we farewelled our President, Mr Nicolas Heard, who held the role from 2018- 2024 and was previously a Board

member from 2009 – a total of 15 years of service. We thank Nicholas for his incredible commitment to the College. Elected as his successor was Old Scholar, Mr James Newton (PAC 1991), and current parent of Edward and Oliver.

In addition to continuing Board members, we welcomed six new Board members elected at the AGM: Mr Mark Hoffmann (PAC 1980 - Vice-President), Mr David Prescott (current parent, Treasurer), Mrs Louise Marsh (current parent), Mr Alan Letcher (PAC 1966 - PAOCA representative), Mr Tom Huxtable (PAC 2003 - Council representative) and Mr Lachlan Coleman (current parent). We welcome our new Board members and look forward to their future contributions.

Our annual Donor and Volunteer Thank You drinks closed off our year with over 150 guests in the gardens of St Jacques on a hot November evening, celebrating the contribution and commitment of our many community members throughout the year.

The Foundation sincerely thanks the members of the Princes community who share its vision of making a difference through philanthropy and contributing to the continuation of Prince Alfred College as a world-class school for boys.

#### **Alice Turnbull and Helen Karapandzic**

Prince Alfred College Foundation

- 1. PAC Foundation Past Presidents L-R: Malcolm Buckby, Andrew Chapman, Janet Young, Nicholas Heard, Russell Trim, Harry Perks
- David and Barbara Hassell with recipients of the Colin Hassell Scholarship
- 3. Donor and Volunteers at the annual Thank You Function in the gardens of St Jacques
- 4. Sofie Roberts, Caroline Hockney, Genevieve Heaslip and James Newton at the Foundation 50 celebration
- 5. The annual T.G. Waterhouse Luncheon











## **Archives**

#### **Commemorating Our Old Scholars**

Prince Alfred College is committed to honouring the memory of our Old Scholars who lost their lives in conflict. On ANZAC Day 2024, we held the inaugural Field of Remembrance Service, marking 100 years since the dedication of the Memorial building established in 1924. In a poignant ceremony, 263 Year 11 and Year 12 students placed white crosses in the front oval, each bearing a plaque with the name of an Old Collegian and the conflict in which he served. This initiative was part of a comprehensive research project by the Archives, which documented the profiles of these young men, some as young as 18 at the time of their sacrifice. The event left a profound impact on all attendees, including distinguished Old Scholars such as Brigadier David Smith and Major Tom Radford. Due to its success, the College is committed to making this service an annual tradition. The Archives will continue to research and add more crosses to honour those who fell in the Boer War and post-1945 conflicts. We have also launched a dedicated webpage featuring their biographies. **LEST WE** FORGET.

#### **Enhancing Our Facilities**

#### • The Colton Wing

At Prince Alfred College, one of our strategic priorities is to provide inspiring facilities. The Archives proudly contributed to the design of a beautifully refurbished space in the Colton wing of the main building, showcasing a selection of the College's artwork in a Salon Hang feature.

#### • Preparatory Rose Garden

As we prepare for our new Preparatory buildings, we have carefully transplanted the original roses into the garden at St. Jacques, the former residence of the Headmaster on Flinders Street.

#### Student Contributions

Year 12 Prefects Caleb Tang and Nic Marino completed internships in the Archives, providing valuable student perspectives for the House Structure Project and the 2024 ANZAC Day Project, including the inaugural Field of Remembrance service. They shared their insights with Year 2 and Year 7 classes and were honoured at the Year 12 Special Prizes assembly, receiving the Brian S. Baldwin Archives and Museum Prize.

#### Remembrance Day

On November 11, our 2025 Captains—Petey Flower, Noah Mennillo, and George Marks—exemplified our College values of Respect, Excellence, Belonging, and Endeavour at the St Peters Heroes Memorial rededication service. In the presence of Her Excellency the Honourable Frances Adamson AC, Governor of South Australia, they solemnly read the names of fallen soldiers from the local area, including those who attended Prince Alfred College.









- Acquisition of distinguished paintings for the Fine Art Collection, including a generous donation of watercolours by James Ashton.
- Significant donations, including Volume 2 of Dr. Brett Gooden's memoirs, A Penny to Go to the Moon (2024).
- Successful transition of College archival data to the Oliver 5 system, aligning with the School's Library systems and enhancing access to our digital collections.
- Professional research support for the Headmaster, teaching staff, external clients, and publishers, including the PAOCFC 100 Years book.
- Public and year-level tours of the Archives, Artworks, and Ashton Room Gallery, including visits from descendants of Headmaster Frederic Chapple and Dr. Ross Philpot OAM.
- The Archives Volunteer program welcomed back volunteers in 2024, with special thanks to Ursula De Leeuw and Tanya Andrews.
- Hosted the Australian Society of Archivists' Inc. SA Independent Schools Term 3 Professional Development day.

The College Archives are unique and invaluable. We have seen a continued increase in donations of historically significant materials, enriching our narrative and preserving the stories of school life for future generations. Thank you to all who have contributed.

The Dawn Geyer OAM Archives Fund supports the ongoing development and preservation of the Archives. We invite members of the College community to support the Geyer Fund with a donation. Thank you for your commitment to preserving our College's history.

#### **Kate Pulford**

College Archivist





- 1. Australian Society of Archivists Inc SA Independet Schools Group meeting
- 2. St Peters Heroes Memorial First Avenue Remembrance Day Service New Plaque
- 3. McBride family and Artwork donation of Keith McBride WW2 Pilot hero
- 4. Colton Room refurbishment and artwork installation in the Reading Nook
- Inaugural Field of Remembrance Service ANZAC DAY 2024. L to R: David Smith, Rev Peter Morel, Ian Smith, Lian Hindshaw in the Memorial Building
- 6. Inaugural Field of Remembrance Service white crosses
- 7. St Peters Heroes Memorial First Avenue Remembrance Day Service. L to R: Vice Captain Noah Mennillo Captain Peter Flower, Vice Captain George Marks and Catafalque party soldiers
- 8. St Peters Heroes Memorial First Avenue Remembrance Day Service Captain Petey Flower
- Dr Brett Gooden and Headmaster David Roberts accepting the Memoirs volume
- 10. Memorial Building Est. 1924













# Old Scholars

## President's Report 2024



It's been another amazing year for the largest Old Scholars Association in the Southern Hemisphere! The Prince Alfred Old Collegians' Association (PAOCA) organised a robust calendar of 42 events locally, interstate and overseas

It was heartening to witness the Old Red community enjoying each other's company and building camaraderie through these events. The six reunions saw strong participation, with alumni coming together to reminisce and celebrate.

Our annual Old Scholars' Week held in the last week of July included our famed Old Old Boys' Assembly attended by 209 Old Reds, with the oldest being Dr Graham Wicks who commenced at Prince Alfred College in 1940. Later that evening, we hosted our Annual Dinner at the Adelaide Convention Centre with over 320 Old Reds in attendance, where we were privileged to hear from Australia's first Olympic Gold Medallist in the Winter Olympics, Steven Bradbury OAM.

Our Intercol competitions remain a highlight, with enthusiastic participation in sports ranging from Football, Tennis, Basketball, Cricket, Golf, Chess, Bridge, Water Polo, Lawn Bowls, Hockey, Squash, Badminton, Bridge and Snooker. Next year we will be expanding our offerings, adding Texas Hold 'Em and Clay Target Shooting to the program.

The 24th Vintage Reds' Luncheon was held at the College on Friday 18 October where we welcomed 273 Old Reds. This event exemplifies the enduring spirit of the Old Scholar community, bringing members together to share stories and memories while strengthening the Association's network.

The commitment and energy of our sporting clubs, committees, and members ensure our teams stay competitive in their respective sports, fostering the best level of competition.

In the 2024 Australia Day Honors, we congratulated Dr Christopher Lex Watson (PAC 1948-1952) for service to the community of Belconnen in the ACT, in particular Community Conservation.

Congratulations to Dr Brett Gooden (PAC 1953-1960) who was inducted into the Princes Men Gallery in April.

The PAOCA Management Committee meets each month to consider ways to support and advance our community, guided by a commitment to benefit the wider scholar community. We aim to promote the participation of Old Reds as mentors for recent school leavers, current university and TAFE students aligning with our mission of fostering guidance and leadership across generations. The PAOCA Mentoring Program allows mentees to be mentored for a six-month period by an Old Scholar as a way of providing guidance, support and further strengthening their network and connection with our great College.

We released our 2024-2026 Strategic Plan earlier in the year which includes advancing all that is relevant to the welfare of Prince Alfred College, promoting unity and friendship among old scholars and maintaining the interest of old scholars in the College.

For the second straight year we hosted the Old Reds' Fathers & Sons breakfast in March (for current parents at the College who are Old Reds, and their sons). It was a huge success, with over 60 fathers and 80 sons attending.

This year we introduced an 'Under 35s focus group' which is aimed at engaging and connecting with the younger generations of our Association.

We also re-launched events in the Mid North and Hobart, both of which were successful and well attended. We've also launched the inaugural PAOCA Football Tipping Competition as a connection for Old Scholars but also one that comes with bragging rights, a trophy and a prize pool!

The PAOCA recently contributed a \$100,000 donation to assist in the new Preparatory Building project due for completion at the end of 2025

This report would not be complete without expressing my deep gratitude to the entire Management Committee for their hard work. I would also like to acknowledge the passing of Committee Member Michael Hihimanis (1975-1980) in May this year. Michael was a passionate, dedicated and collegial Old Red.

In addition, I wish to thank our eight sporting club Committees who work tirelessly behind the scenes to manage their players and day to day Club requirements.

Currently we communicate with over 12,000 Old Reds located all around the world, and I encourage you to regularly update your contact details with our Executive Officer, Mary-Ann Standish, E: mstandish@pac.edu.au

I wish to thank Mary-Ann for her tireless efforts. She is an asset to our Association and her knowledge, drive, commitment and perfectionist tendencies are greatly valued.

In closing, the principles and values of Prince Alfred College continue to shine brightly, supported by the selfless contributions of the Old Reds' community. We are proud to uphold the legacy of our forebearers, and I encourage every member to embrace their role in this enduring tradition.

Finally, I ask all of you to support your mates and always appreciate what it means to be a Princes Man!

#### Andrew Sullivan (1998)

PAOCA President 2023-2024

#### **Incoming President's Report**



I am extremely humbled to become the President of the PAOCA. My time on the Management Committee has coincided with the timing of my two sons joining their cousins at the College. This opportunity to intimately revisit the life of a Princes student, witness the camaraderie amongst the students, their interactions with one another and the shaping of becoming a 'Princes Man', has reinforced how integral a role the PAOCA plays in expanding these qualities into adult life, long after our schooling is completed.

I would like to acknowledge the hard work and steadfast dedication of our outgoing President, Andrew Sullivan. I look forward to his support on the Management Committee as Immediate Past -President, as well as his continued friendship and counsel. Andrew has been supported by the irreplaceable Mary-Ann Standish, whose extreme organisation and tireless efforts arranging reunions, dinners and so many other events, will continue to be an invaluable resource to me.

I am a firm believer that the PAOCA should act as a conduit between our members and the school itself. Headmaster David Roberts is always extremely generous with his time and offers clear and concise updates on all aspects of the College. I look forward to providing you with periodical updates and meeting you in 2025.

#### Cameron Ballard (2001)

PAOCA President 2025



#### Farewell to Peter Andrew Crouch (1961-1974)

In February 2024, Peter Crouch retired from the PAOCA Management Committee. We wish to acknowledge and thank Peter for his 31 years of outstanding commitment and service to the PAOCA Management Committee in his roles as Honorary Secretary, President and Committee Member. We wish Peter well.



#### Farewell to College Chaplain, Rev Mark Dickens

Over the past 15 years Mark has presided at many Old Red events including the Annual Dinner, Annual Thanksgiving Service, the Vintage Reds' luncheon, and the occasional wedding, funeral and baptism. To farewell Mark and say thank you for his commitment and dedication to the Old Reds, we hosted a morning tea in his honour in the Piper Pavilion on Thursday 12 December. Special guests included David Cornish, David and Jenny Clarnette, Malcolm Catford, Grant Chapman, Mark and Jack Waters, Lesley Catford, Margaret Piper, Rosanne Piller, Richard Thomson, Rod and Ann Bailey, Tony and Elspeth Clark.

## **PAOCA Management Committee**



PAOCA Management Committee 2024
Front: Will Curyer, Patrick Deegan,
Cameron Ballard and Rex Wilson
Middle: Christopher Covino, Fred
Hamood, Headmaster David Roberts, Alan
Letcher, John Jovicevic and Peter Mourtzios
Back: Alastair Murray, Mark Henderson,
Rob Hall, Andrew Sullivan, Mary-Ann
Standish and Graham Burfield
Absent: Jim McBride

## **PAOCA Management Committee**

2024 Prince Alfred Old Collegians' Association Officers				
Patron	Headmaster, Mr David C Roberts			
President	Mr Andrew D Sullivan			
Immediate Past-President	Mr Alan R Letcher			
Vice-Presidents	Mr Cameron P Ballard Mr Mark W Henderson (Honorary Secretary from February 2024)			
Honorary Treasurer	Mr John Jovicevic			
Honorary Secretary	Mr Peter A Crouch (retired February 2024)			
Committee	Mr Graham B Burfield Mr Christopher J Covino (commenced September 2024) Mr William J H Curyer (commenced September 2024) Mr Patrick A Deegan (commenced September 2024) Dr Robert J Hall Mr Frederick G Hamood Mr Michael Hihimanis (until his death in May 2024) Mr Albert James (Jim) McBride Mr Peter S Mourtzios (commenced September 2024) Mr Alastair A Murray Mr Rex M Wilson			
Executive Officer	Mrs Mary-Ann Standish			
Auditor	William Buck Chartered Accountants			

#### **Meeting Attendance**

Total number of meetings held after the 2023 Annual General Meeting held on 7 December 2023, and prior to the 2024 Annual General Meeting held on 5 December 2024:

	Committee Member	Position	Manageme	nt Committee	Finance & Au	dit Committee
			Eligible	Attended	Eligible	Attended
1	Andrew D Sullivan	President	9	8		
2	Alan R Letcher	Immediate Past-President	9	8	3	3
3	Cameron P Ballard	Vice-President	9	5		
4	Mark W Henderson	Vice-President & Honorary Secretary	9	7	3	2
5	John Jovicevic	Treasurer	9	8	3	3
6	Graham B Burfield		9	5	3	2
7	Christopher J Covino		2	2		
8	William J H Curyer		2	1		
9	Patrick A Deegan		2	1		
10	Robert J Hall		9	7		
11	Fred G Hamood		9	8		
12	Albert J 'Jim' McBride		9	4		
13	Peter S Mourtzios		2	2		
14	Alastair A Murray		9	5	3	1
15	Rex M Wilson		9	8		

## Old Scholars' Week

#### 120th Annual Old Scholars' Thanksgiving Service | Thursday 25 July 2024 | Eric Freak Memorial Chapel

President Andrew Sullivan and Headmaster David Roberts welcomed over 40 Old Reds and their partners to the 120th Annual Service, led by College Chaplain Rev Mark Dickens, in the Eric Freak Memorial Chapel, Prince Alfred College.

This year we were delighted to welcome Old Red Professor Mel Waters (1968) from New South Wales who played the Chapel's organ and, along with his brother Mark (1974), performed a vocal duet. Mel and Mark were joined by their brother Jack (1965) and their wives.

Rev Mark reflected on the 100th anniversary of the College's Memorial Building, and after the service guests were invited to tour the building and a morning tea in the Ashton Room.



Joanne and Jack Waters, Mark and Mirrie Waters, and Mel and Nina Waters









## PAOCA Annual Dinner | Friday 26 July 2024 | Adelaide Convention Centre

320 Old Reds were privileged to hear from Steven Bradbury OAM, Australia's first Olympic Gold Medallist in the Winter Olympics, at this year's Annual Dinner held at the Adelaide Convention Centre.

As per Annual Dinner tradition, we had tables ranging from Old Reds in their 80s, at the very front of the room, to Old Reds in their teens at the very back of the room!

We had a record number of sponsors this year including Ballard Brands, Brian Deegan Lawyers, Candour Advisory, Commercial & Legal, Covino & Co, The Cumby, Coopers, AJ & PA McBride, The Rezz Hotel, The Seven Stars Hotel and Sullivan Consulting to whom we say thank you!



- Angus Leopold, Luke Stevens, Matthew Economos, Liam Thompson, Tristen Unerkov, James Kay, Hamish Penhall, Angus Catt and Josh Prinsloo (Class of 2023)
- 2. PAOCA President Andrew Sullivan with guest speaker Steven Bradbury OAM
- 3. Rob Parsons (1981) with his son Max (2019)
- 4. Marcus Bernardi and Tim Allen (1988)
- 5. **Back row:** Daniel Tsagouris (2003), Nick Blanch (2004) and Tom Radford (2004) **Front row:** Michael Chrisohoou (2003), Tyson O'Connell (2004) and Brad Yates (2004)

#### Old Old Boys' Assembly | Friday 26 July 2024



**Our Oldest Old Boys and Youngest Young Boys at the Old Old Boys' Assembly:**Sunday Petrosius, Peter Cooper, Adam Rundle, Dr Graham Wicks, Noah Harris and Richard Morris

#### **Old Boys' Present**

**1964:** David Bartlett, Graham Copley, Mark Coventry, Paul Cuthbertson, Richard Davies, Ian Denton, Nick Gray, Rick Gray, Richard Holding, Adrian Jones, Rodney Lewis, Andrew May, Jim McBride, Chris Reed, Bruce Spangler, Andrew Sullivan, Richard Sullivan, Ben Tidswell, Dennis Toop, Max Trengove, Christopher Whitham and Grant Wylie

**1963:** Andrew Cubitt, Richard Dennis, Fred Hamood, Grant Harris, Ian Ide, Craig Roberts, Robert West and Robert Wiltshire

**1962:** Chris Brown, Andrew Butler, Trevor Dunsford, Rod Ellis, Richard Frolich, Rob Hall, Peter Hosking, Keith McBride, Craig Moffat and David Raggatt

**1961:** Chris Buchanan, Bill Close, Peter Cox, Peter Crouch, Colin Dunsford, Richard Fielder and Mark Waters

**1960:** John Adamson, David Cox, Trevor Craig, Russell Gardiner, David Inglis, Christopher Knott, William Maughan, Tony Newman, Jeff Parham, Greg Stanford, Malcolm Wicks and Rex Wilson

**1959:** Robert Byrne, Glenn Cooper, David Hallett, Robert Hetzel, Col Kelly, Barry LeCornu, David Manders, Rob Nicholls, Baylee Roberts, Gary Taplin, Ivan Venning and David Williamson

**1958:** Doug Ashby, Peter Ashby, Don Bosanquet, Andrew Boucaut, Bevan Daniel, Jim Goode, Graeme Moore, Andrew Paine, Richard Pledge, John Potter, George Reeves, Ian Tregoning, Peter Tregoning and Peter Tunbridge

**1957:** Rob Bryson, Tony Charlick, Robert Cornish, Ian Daebeler, Peter Dean, Ian Lasscock, Bronte Rundle, David Smyth and Mel Waters

**1956:** Scott Adamson, Alfred Brown, Ian Clarkson, Darryl Davidson, Vern Drew, Ron Ellis, Graham Evans, Bob Gosling, Ken Grundy, Richard Hurn, John Tucker and Graham Woollard

**1955:** Robert Ashby, Peter Buttery, Grant Chapman, David Haynes, Ian Huntley, Clive Kelly, Grant Laidlaw, Richard Lower, Peter Norman, Tony Roark, Geoff Rundle, Robert Venning, Ian Voysey, Jack Waters, Peter Wiadrowski and Richard Worthington

**1954:** Doug Bloomfield, Ian Gemmell, John Gerard, William Heddle, Philip McBride, John Tremlett and Julian Wilson

**1953:** Warwick Bowen, David Brook, Christopher Dibden, Lindsay Gibson, Brett Gooden, David Hassell, Robert Heddle, Craig MacIntosh, Ken Moxham, Graham Packer, Douglas Pearce, Philip Pledge, Graham Silver, Darrell Trim, Russell Trim and Andrew Trott

**1952:** David Close, Henry Dunn, Jeffrey Evans, Greg Lloyd, Graeme Martin, Ross Philpot, Jeff Rogers, Raymond Thomas, John Thredgold and Deane Treloar

**1951:** Ian Hogben, Evan Jenkins, John Kallin, Malcolm McLachlan, John McNeil, Rob Motteram, Brian North, Ian Pontifex, Gilbert Rutherford, Ian Siegele, Peter Slatter and John Smyth

**1950:** Malcolm Catford, Phillip Silver, John Simpson, Rawleigh Smith and Phillip Stain

**1949:** Viv Burton, Antony Craven, John Evins, Roger Lang, David Motteram, Arthur Murdoch, Bradley Perry, James Thomson and Brian Treloar

1948: Brian Ashby, Tom Chapman and Trevor Richards

**1947:** Peter Goodale, David Hislop, Henry Michael, Roger Siegele, Trevor Siegele and Bruce Standen

**1946:** David Binns, Tony Clark, John Ducker, Peter Hale, Graham Olsson and Owen Williams

1945: Jeffery Clarke and John Oswald

**1944:** John Higgins, Michael McBride, Bruce Newman and David Smith

1943: Ross Johnson and Stan Schofield

1942: David Palmer

**1941:** Peter Cooper, Richard Grayling and Richard Morris

**1940:** Graham Wicks

#### Old Old Boys' Assembly | Friday 26 July 2024

On 23 July 1964 sixty-eight old Old Boys attended the Old Old Boys' Assembly in the College's new Assembly Hall where the service was conducted by the School Chaplain, Rev R K Waters. Sixty years on, 209 old Old Boys attended an Assembly in the College's RED Centre with the calling of the roll undertaken by Headmaster David Roberts. Captain of the School, Max Whittle, gave three cheers to the Old Old Boys, and PAOCA President, Andrew Sullivan, responded with three cheers to the School.

Dr Graham Wicks, who commenced at the College in 1940, was announced as the Oldest Old Boy.



Oldest Old Old Boy, Graham Wicks



New Old Old Boys

**Standing:** Andrew May, Rodney Lewis, Christopher Whitham, David Barlett, Richard Holding, Richard Davies, Max Trengove, Adrian Jones, Jim McBride, Nick Gray, Ben Tidswell, Mark Coventry, Andrew Sullivan, Ian Denton, Paul Cuthbertson and Rick Gray **Seated:** Bruce Spangler, Grant Wylie, Graham Copley, Chris Reed, Richard Sullivan and Dennis Toop

#### **Old Boys' Apologies**

Jim Ashby, Bill Ashby, Peter Bacciarelli, John Badcock, Rod Bailey, John Baker, Reg Baker, Peter Barclay, Jonathan Barker, Ian Bassham, Ted Beesley, Andrew Bennett, Tony Bennett, Andrew Binns, Brent Blanks, Geoffrey Bridge, Hartley Brimelow, Peter Brinsley, Peter Broadbent, Richard Broinowski, David Brown, Malcolm Buckby, Allan Burrows, Richard Butler, Neil Buttery, Ronald Byrne, Ian Campbell, David Cant, Tim Cartledge, Ross Catchpole, Ross Clark, Chris Clarke, Jeffery Clarke, David Clarkson, Simon Claver, Bryan Constable, Chris Coombe, David (Gus) Cooper, Richard B Cooper, Tim Cooper, Garry Copping, Jim Cowling, Phillip Cox, Ashley Dane, Peter Darley, Dean Davies, Geoffrey Davies, Ian Day, Richard de Garis, John Denton, Ian Digby, Simon Drew, Peter M Dunn, John Eastwood, David Evans, Robert Gerard, Glen Goldsack, Robin Greenslade, David Haeusler, Alister Haigh, Warren Hall, Alan Hambly, John Hanson, William Harrod, Scott Hartshorne, Bill Henderson, Russell Heywood-Smith, Geoffrey Hill, Trevor Hill, Jack Hines, Leon Holmes, Geoffrey Honan, Robert Humphris, Rob Hunt, John Jackson, Andrew Jeffery, Reg Jenkin, Bill Johnson, David Johnston, Alec Jordan, Richard Krantz, Trevor Lands, Ian Lawrie, Michael Leach,

Geoffrey Lean, Alan Letcher, David Liebich, Dean Lock, Patrick Lovell, Philip Ludbrook, Jim McDonald, Ian McLean, Des March, Chris Marlow, Peter Marshall, Bruce Martin, Peter Martin, Robert Mason, lan McKay, Roderick McNeil, John Miller, Neville Minnis, Ian Moeller, Jon Moore, Craig Morgan, Mark Newman, Haydn O'Shaughnessy, John Overton, Rod Panter, Ian Pascoe, Doug Paterson, Bruce Perks, Lawton Pinchbeck, John Pledge, Graham Pomery, Bruce Pontifex, Andrew Potter, Tony Prentice, Sandy Rhodes, Bill Riceman, Mark Robertson, Peter Rogers, Neville Rowe, Barrie Sampson, Andrew Sandow, Barry Saunders, Ian Shaw, Geoffrey Shuttleworth, Ivan Simmons, Peter Skipworth, Ian Smallacombe, Ian Smart, Andrew Smith, Roger Smith, Nigel Spehr, John Stanton, Owen Stephens, Mark Stevens, Paul Stewart, Michael Stobie, Philip Sumner, Barry Sweeney, Trevor Sweeny, Noel Taplin, Bill Tasker, Graham Taylor, Murray Tippett, Robert Tonkin, Robert Treloar, Peter Vile, Graham Vimpani, Roger Wainwright, John Walkley, Denby Ward, Ian Waterman, Geoffrey Watson, David Weeks, Peter Weinert, Brian Wheatley, John White, Peter Whitham, Ron Williams, Geoffrey Williamson, Peter Williamson, David Wise, Garry Woodard and Rick Woollard

## **Events**

## Old Reds' Fathers & Sons Breakfast | Friday 16 February 2024 | Under the Jacaranda

After the success of our inaugural Old Reds' Fathers & Sons Breakfast in February last year (for current Old Red parents and their sons), we hosted another which was held under the College's Jacaranda adjacent the Back Oval. It was another great success with over 60 Old Reds and 80 sons attending celebrating the spirit of our community.

This year our guests were fortunate to be welcomed by our President's son, Dawson Sullivan (Year 3). A future Old Reds' President in the making!

- 1. Nic Edwards (1986) and his son Max (Year 8)
- 2. Matthew Thompson (1997) with his sons Hamish (Year 6) and Liam (Year 4)
- 3. Sam Smart (1991) with his son Charles (Year 10)
- 4. Steven Benecke (1994) with his sons Matthew (Year 11) and Max (Year 8)
- 5. PAOCA President Andrew Sullivan (1998) with his son Dawson (Year 3)













**Standing:** David Brown (1966), Grant Chapman (1966), Peter Cox (1965) and Phil Craven (1966) **Seated:** Peter Howe (1965) and Harry Perks (1966)

## Fleurieu Peninsula Dinner | Friday 23 February 2024 | The Encounter Bay Bowling Club

David Brown (1966) as local convenor and MC welcomed 90 old scholars and partners to the Encounter Bay Bowling Club for the annual local dinner, and they were joined by the President of the Association Andrew Sullivan, Committee members Jim McBride, Michael Hihimanis and retiring Secretary Peter Crouch who has served on the Committee since 1993 being President in 1999 and Secretary since 2000.

Headmaster David Roberts was unable to attend due to illness, however the College was represented by Helen Karapandzic (Director of Philanthropy) and Alice Turnbull (PAC Foundation), who presented the Headmaster's address.

Andrew Sullivan spoke on the continual growth of the Association noting that now 12,000 members were on the list stretching all round the world and that annual dinners are also held internationally in places like London, New York and Hong Kong. The annual intercol competitions against St Peter's College are still vigorously contested in good spirit.

Local resident and Old Red Bevan Daniel (1960) proposed the Toast to the School and recalled many of the events, School Masters and stories which resonated with those present.

Awards were handed to youngest Old Scholar James Saunders (2020), and oldest Old Boys Grantley Sims and Tony Clark (1954).

Greg Stanford (1967) led the audience in the School's War Cry which was quite amusing as some had not recited it for many years and needed reference to the wording supplied! Greg wore his original PAC blazer and cap which impressed many after all these years.

#### David Brown (1966)

Fleurieu Peninsula Dinner Convenor

## Mid-North Dinner | Saturday 23 March 2024 | The Royal Exchange Hotel, Burra

After a twenty year hiatus, the Burra Dinner was revived in March. This dinner had the previous distinction of being the longest running dinner on the Old Scholars' calendar. As such, there were quite a few old convenors in attendance namely Chris Reed (1968), Richard Cleland (1959), John Tiver (1964), Jim McBride (1971), Malcom Catford of Appila (1953) and John Mitchell of Clare (1965). It was wonderful to see so many familiar faces as well as many younger members joining in for the first time. "Harry" Butler (1966) despite ill health, made a big effort to attend the pre-dinner drinks. The event was held at the Royal Exchange Hotel and was well attended by 34 Old Reds and partners, making for a most enjoyable evening.

John Oates (1974) did a sterling job of convening the event, ably assisted by Rex Wilson (1966) who delivered the President's Message on behalf of Andrew Sullivan, Ryan Oates (2006) who proposed the Toast to the School, ex local Fred Hamood (1970) who responded, and Jim McBride who provided an update on the state of the school on behalf of Headmaster David Roberts. Richard Treloar (1974) received an Old Reds' tie for the farthest travelled, having come down from Strathearn Station in the North East.

Now known as the Mid North Dinner, we look forward to seeing many more in attendance in 2025.

#### Jim McBride (1971)

- 1. Ben Tiver (1990), Will Gebhardt (2006), Ryan Oates (2006), Simon (1988) and Penny Drew, and Jessica Tiver
- 2. Christobel and Richard Treloar (1974) with Peter Brooks (1980)







## Reds in the CBD Drinks | Friday 12 April 2024 | The Strathmore

Of the 60 Old Reds who attended this year's Reds in the CBD Drinks at The Strathmore on North Terrace, 30 were 'new' Old Reds from the Class of 2023. A big thank you to Old Red David Basheer (1982) for hosting us again.

- 1. Our new Old Reds from the Class of 2023
- 2. Andrew Buttery (1981), Michael Neale (1982), Alastair Murray (2007) and Peter Mourtzios (2017)





## London Dinner | Thursday 4 July 2024 | "In & Out" Naval & Military Club

The London Chapter's 2024 Annual Dinner was held on Thursday, 4 July at The "In & Out" Naval and Military Club, St James's Square. Host Nick Pontt (1995) welcomed the PAOCA President Alan Letcher (1966) to his first London dinner, and Headmaster David Roberts to his second.

Andrew Dibden (2009) proposed the Toast to His Majesty King Charles III and Henry Lawton (2005) responded. The obligatory Toast to the School was undertaken by Tom West (2004), and the Headmaster responded.

Keeping with tradition, the Toast to the "Inner Ratbag" and a Vale to Frank Garrett (1942) was undertaken by Andrew Dibden, and the night's formalities wrapped up with the Princes First XVIII.

Those in attendance included Harry Barnes (2012), Angus Carracher (1995), Andrew Dibden (2009), Peter Flavel (1977), David Gray (1962), Ned Holmes (2012), Frank Hopkirk (1965), Rupert Johnston (2016), James Keeves (2012), Henry Lawton (2005), PAOCA President Alan Letcher (1966), Grant McDonald (1980), James Ma (2013), Richard Myhill (1974) visiting from Adelaide, Mitch Pascoe (2009), Nick Pontt (1995), Ryan Ramsey (1999), Albert Rasheed (2016), Declan Sharp (2013), Trent Smith (2001), Jerome Squires (2009), Lachlan Stranks (2008), Marcus Thompson (1990), Eric Turner (1970), Mark Vorbach (1979), Tom West (2004) and Headmaster David Roberts.

The London Dinner Old Reds

## 40th Annual Brisbane Dinner | Friday 2 August 2024 | Blackbird

Fourteen old scholars attended the 40th annual Brisbane Dinner, this year held at Blackbird in the city.

It was interesting to reflect on the Chronicle entry regarding the first Brisbane Dinner held in 1984 at the United Service Club with Old Boys whose attendances at PAC ranged from 1917 to 1979. Sir George Fisher CMG (1920) was the senior member attending on that occasion starting at PAC in 1917.

We were pleased to welcome our Association President Andrew Sullivan to Queensland from Adelaide who provided updates on the Association's activities.

We extend a big thank you to Headmaster David Roberts who was able to attend and provide important news and updates from the College.

Tom Teague (2009) ably proposed a Toast to the School. Our oldest old scholar present was Don Prider (1953) and our youngest old scholar, Fergus McLachlan (2022).

We look forward to celebrating our Brisbane Dinner again in 2025 and would welcome all Queensland Old Scholars and visitors to attend.

#### **Brenton Gibbs (1984)**

Brisbane Dinner Convenor



The Brisbane Dinner guests at Blackbird

L-R: Headmaster David Roberts, Ethan Lawson (2018), John Phillips (1977), Tom Teague (2009), PAOCA President Andrew Sullivan, Brett Carthew (2004), Nick Vincent (1986), Brenton Gibbs (1984), Sam Catford (1985), Alastair McLachlan (1986), Tom Taylor (2018) and Fergus McLachlan (2022)

Seated: David Weeks (1967) and Don Prider (1953)



The Perth Dinner Group

## Perth Dinner | Friday 16 August 2024 | Royal Freshwater Bay Yacht Club

On Friday 16 August, 20 Old Reds and their partners joined President Andrew Sullivan at the 2024 annual Perth Dinner. Our guests were delighted to hear about the new Preparatory School building project as well as the greater College Master Plan.

The Royal Freshwater Bay Yacht Club, a delightful and picturesque location, has now become our preferred venue!

Those Old Reds who attended were Brian Thompson (1951), Doug McInnes (1960), Jack Ashby (1962), Brenton Kelly (1963), Kym MacCormac (1963), Michael Waterson (1968), Richard Parsons (1971),

Andrew Sneyd (1975), Richard McBride (1976), Alistair Morgan (1987), Giles Thomson (1989), Brenton Phillips (1994), Liam O'Neil (2002), Martin Gross (2005), Brett Jenkin (2012), Jock Lovell (2012), Andrew Thomson (2015), Zac Heim (2016) and Mark Jenkin (2017).

PAOCA looks forward to growing the Perth Dinner in future years.

**Brenton Phillips (1994)** 



The Sydney Dinner Group

# Sydney Dinner | Friday 30 August 2024 | Royal Automobile Club of Australia

The annual Sydney Dinner was held on Friday 30 August and we returned to the Royal Automobile Club of Australia, after a hiatus of many years. PAOCA President Andrew Sullivan welcomed our 48 guests, Old Red Michael Tye (1991) proposed the Toast to the School and Headmaster David Roberts responded.

Peter Barclay (1952) was the oldest Old Red, and the youngest Old Red James Tye (2023), who attended with his father Michael.

It was tremendous to see all decades covered, including: Richard Broinowski (1955), Malcolm McLachlan (1956) and son Alastair (1987), Richard Binns (1957), Warren Kennedy (1957), Graham Trowse

(1957), Peter Nelson (1960), Philip Speakman (1967) and his son Tom (2001), Bill Bundey (1972), Wayne Pascoe (1972), Tim Morris (1976), Jay Weymouth (11978), Peter English (1980), Simeon Votier (1982), Jeff Proctor (1986), Richard Young (1986), Dave Johnson (1987), Steve Pohl (1988), Simon Dixon (1989), Robert Wagstaff (1989), Ket Katdare (1990), Scott Jarrett (1993), Nick Koch (1993), Tom Perks (2001), Hugh Perks (2003), Dave Shannon (2003), Mark Virgin (2003), Ujwal Lakra (2004), Tom Hansen (2005), Daniel Lee (2009), Cameron Wong (2009), Will and Jack McPhee (2011), Jack Tidswell (2011), Henry Brennan (2014), Tom Parish (2014), Sam Sibly (2014), William and Alexander Economos (2018) and Jackson Miller (2019).



The Riverland Dinner group the following day

## 50th Riverland Dinner | Thursday 12 September 2024 | Mallee Estate Wines, Renmark

The Old Reds' 50th Riverland Dinner included Seymour Old Scholars for the first time totalling 35 guests with Tom Shannon convenor and emcee.

Headmaster David Roberts, Director of Boarding Phil Noble, and Admissions Registrar Michelle Roberts represented the College. The Headmaster responded impressively to the Toast to the School given by Peter Hockney (1973), whose father Bruce Hockney convened and chaired the first dinner at Berri in1960. Andrew Sullivan, PAOCA President and Executive Officer Mary-Ann Standish, represented the Old Reds and Andrew enlightened those present of the array of activities of the Association over the last 12 months.

We were also honoured by Adelaide Old Scholars who have supported this dinner over many years. Barry Rollbusch (1956) gave an overview of the dinners since the commencement in 1960. Presentations were made to Oldest Old Scholar present, Barry Rollbusch; newest Old Scholar present, Ollie Pearce (2019); furthest travelled Peter Bowman (1962) and Michael Cartledge (1975). Ollie Pearce with the support of Hugo Kregar (unfortunately unable to attend) offered to coordinate next year's dinner with the assistance of Mary-Ann and Graham Radford and Tom Shannon, giving direction in the background.

A contingent of 18 travelled to Alawoona the following day to view some 400 immaculate cars in Lloyd Griffiths' private car collection and afterwards for lunch at the Paruna Tavern where Barbara Fenner (wife of former Headmaster Bradley Fenner and sister of Lloyd Griffiths) gave a wonderful presentation of their family's history at Alawoona.

## Tom Shannon (1974)

Riverland Dinner Convenor

## Combined Canberra Dinner | Thursday 19 September 2024 | Hotel Kurrajong

This year was Saints' turn to host the annual combined Old Reds and Old Blues Canberra dinner held in the historic Hotel Kurrajong and former lodgings of former Prime Minister Ben Chifley. In lively after dinner speeches, Headmaster David Roberts riffed off ribald Old Blue yarns of yesteryear by Saints Headmaster Tim Browning. On hearing the Latin grace said by generations of Old Blues' Boarders at supper time, Old Reds were left clamouring to obtain the lines of their grace once used by Old Red boarders in their boarding house. PAOCA President Andrew Sullivan gave a stirring update of Old Red ascendancy during the intercol and impressive cadence of international, national and South Australian dinners.

Twenty five Old Reds and nineteen Old Blues swapped stories, remade old acquaintances and formed new friendships as the self-evident pull of Canberra's universities appears to draw strong numbers of Adelaide Old Red graduates to the national capital. The oldest Old Red was Steve Gower (1957) with the prize of the youngest Old Red graduating year being a three-way tie of Sidhak Dhingra, Max Thomas and Sun Tianyu (all 2023).



#### The Old Reds at the Combined Canberra Dinner

L-R: Max Thomas (2023), Ruben Japp (2022), Tianyu Sun (2023), Jiarui Zhang (2022), Sidhak Dhingra (2023), Alex Henchliffe (2021), Jack Wu (2019), Ben Craig (1987), Tom Mitev (2021), Rob Davidson (1973), Ian Denton (1969), Malcolm McGrath (1996), PAOCA President Andrew Sullivan (1998), Roger Wainwright (1961), Steve Gower (1957), Edward Jackson (1993), Anton van Bavel (2001), Hamish Arthur (1991), Headmaster David Roberts and Thomas North (2022)

#### **Edward Jackson (1993)**

Canberra Dinner Convenor

## Melbourne Dinner | Friday 11 October 2024| The Australian Club

On Friday 11 October 2024, a 30 strong contingent of Old Reds met for the Melbourne Annual Dinner at The Australian Club.

Always a highlight on the calendar, it was a great opportunity for the Melbourne based Princes Men to reconnect, share stories and meet some new faces.

A fantastic meal was shared by all and paired with some great SA wines and beers.

Andrew Sullivan was a brilliant host and Tyson Brazel (2016) shared a heartfelt Toast to the School. Headmaster David Roberts also provided great insight into the recent and upcoming developments of the College, much to the interest of the room.

Many thanks to Trevor Lands (1966) for hosting the evening and to Mary-Ann for her continued support in organising the event

#### Sam Duffield (2012)

The Melbourne Dinner Old Reds at The Australian Club





# Mark Newman (1974), Headmaster David Roberts, PAOCA President Andrew Sullivan, Bridget Newman, Nick Glaetzer (1997), Raj Gogia (1992), Donald Smith (1983), Bruce Craven (1964), Lisa De Rooy, Dan Dienes (1981), Katrina Hancock, Meg Craven, Sofie Roberts and David Monckton (1969)

## Hobart Dinner | Saturday 12 October 2024 | The Athenaeum Club

On Saturday, 12 October 2024, a select group of seven old scholars and their partners from all over Tasmania, met at the Athenaeum Club in Hobart, for the first old scholars' reunion to be held in the state for over 20 years. We were joined by Headmaster David Roberts and his wife Sofie, and PAOC President Andrew Sullivan. Despite the wide range of leaving years, from 1964 through to 1997, we found we had so much in common.

David and Andrew provided us with a brief update on all that is happening in the school and old scholars' association today, including the planned development of the Preparatory School. Everyone thoroughly enjoyed the evening, and we resolved to meet again for another reunion in 2025, as well as meet up for more informal catchups regularly during the year.

#### Mark Newman (1974)

Hobart Dinner Convenor





- 1. Bob de Garis (1944) with his sons Andrew (1978) and Mike (1972)
- 2. **The 'new' Vintage Reds: Back:** David Fisher, Tim Day, Bryce Tonkin, Brenton Kitto, Richard Hockney and Greg Veale **Sitting:** Rob Parsons, Justin Ross and Len Easther

# 24th Annual Vintage Reds Luncheon | Friday 18 October 2024

Two hundred and seventy three eligible Old Reds attended this year's luncheon which was held for the first time on a Friday.

Prior to the luncheon 20 Old Reds met at the Eric Freak Memorial Chapel before with Headmaster David Roberts and Deputy Headmaster and Head of the Preparatory School Jon Gelsthorpe for a walk through the junior primary area of Robinson Building prior to commencement of the luncheon.

Most Old Reds on the walk had been boarders in the Preparatory School and were very interested in viewing the current layout of the building and all did a lot of reminiscing!

The luncheon commenced with a welcome from our Master of Ceremonies, former long-term Secretary of our Association, Peter Crouch, who then introduced President Andrew Sullivan. Andrew welcomed all Vintage Reds and in particular the new Vintage Reds attending for the first time, and Andrew gave a summary of all social and sporting events that had occurred locally, interstate and overseas during his second year as President (having attended most of them).

Finally, Andrew presented Peter Crouch with a plaque for his 31 year contribution to the Association.

Rev Mark Dickens gave the Grace. Mark has been the Chaplain at Prince Alfred College for over 15 years and will soon move to the Synod in Adelaide.

Our guest speaker this year was Old Red Trevor Dunsford (1966), proposing the Toast to the School. Trevor is grandfather to four grandsons/future Old Reds currently at PAC. He spoke passionately of the days when he was heavily involved with the PAOC Football Club over a thirty year period, and the contribution many had made during that time. Trevor made particular mention of John Edwards (dec).

Headmaster David Roberts responded to the Toast to the School and gave a very comprehensive and exciting account of the College today, and what is to occur in its future. I'm certainly looking forward to our 25th Vintage Reds Luncheon next year.

#### Rex Wilson (1966)

## New York Dinner | Thursday 24 October 2024 | & Son Steakeasy

The Old Reds hosted the annual New York Dinner at &Son on Thursday 24 October 2024. Our convenors, Ed Brockhoff and Josh Pugh, hosted 12 Old Reds and their partners, including Old Red Mark Vorbach from London, and Jordan Walsh from Melbourne!

#### Ed Brockhoff (2001) and Josh Pugh (2004)

New York Dinner Convenors

Back: Josh Pugh (2004) & Stacey Pugh, Matt Dietman (1998), Jordan Walsh (2009), Tyler O'Brien (2011), Thomas Diakomichalis (1995), Spurgeon Smith and Mark Vorbach (1979)

**Front:** Richard Cant (1978), Ed Brockhoff (2001), Shaun McFarlane (2011), and Karmen Coker



# Reunions



## Class of 1964 Sixty Year Reunion | Friday 19 April 2024 | Prince Alfred College

On Friday 19 April 2024, 48 Old Reds of the 1964 alumni came together for a luncheon in the Prince Phillip Theatre (the Old Assembly Hall) to celebrate the 60-year reunion since they left PAC. It was most appropriate that those in attendance enjoyed the ambience and memories of the Old Assembly Hall. The reunion came about due to the continued drive of John Gerard as he and the reunion sub-committee have realised we need to keep having these reunions whenever possible as we are in the second part of our lives. There were 12 apologies from some Old Reds from suburban, interstate and SA country.

Old Reds who travelled from interstate were Brenton Jarvis, Andy Compton, Des Speakman and David Haynes. It was pleasing to note the amount of other Old Reds making the trip from SA country areas.

The luncheon was organised by a sub-committee of John Gerard, Patrick Lovell, Russell Heywood-Smith and Bob Snewin who worked with PAOCA Executive Officer, Mary-Ann Standish. Sadly, the sub-committee were unable to trace 16 of the 1964 school leavers.

The luncheon welcome and compering was professionally handled by Russell Heywood-Smith. There was a sobering note with the minute of silence remembering the deceased Old Reds from 1964. The luncheon attendees were delighted to hear an address from Headmaster Mr David Roberts as well as a very interesting speech from PAOCA President Mr Andrew Sullivan. We were pleased also to welcome Mrs Alice Turnbull (PAC Foundation Executive Officer) to the luncheon. The Toast to the School was undertaken by Bob Snewin.

There was a segment of the luncheon compered by John Gerard encouraging spontaneous stories from the Old Reds; some of which brought back memories to us all.

This was a wonderful function enjoyed by all in attendance with everyone realising that we must continue with these reunion luncheons. The day concluded with all in attendance joining in a raucous rendition of the school war cry.





- 1. Class of 1964
- 2. Russell Heywood-Smith, Kym Perks, Trevor Dunsford and Ian Ide
- 3. Graham Wright, Bill Baynes, Colin O'Donnell, Russell Gardiner and Richard Jarrett

#### Bob Snewin (1964)

## Class of 1974 Fifty Year Reunion | Friday 4 October | The Gallery

On Friday 4 October 2024, 60 members of the Class of 1974 came together at The Gallery, Waymouth Street, Adelaide for the 50th year reunion of their Year 12 cohort.

It is undoubtedly true to say that it was an excellent event, for a variety of reasons

The venue worked perfectly for a group of this size. The program for the day ran like clockwork thanks to the work of Master of Ceremonies Richard Myhill. Several people travelled from interstate, or from the country regions of the State, and it was especially good to see so many boarders attend (thanks to the great work undertaken by Tom Shannon to rally support).

An important additional feature of the day was that it was also conducted as a reunion for the 1974 First XVIII Intercol football team, with a significant number of players coming together to celebrate their demolition of St Peters as part of a season when the side was undefeated, including with a win against Wesley College in Melbourne.

Special mention needs to be made of the speeches.

PAOCA President, Andrew Sullivan, updated everyone on the activities of the Old Scholars' Association.

Mark Newman then proposed the Toast to the School. Mark was the 1974 School Captain and travelled from Tasmania for the event. As he said in his speech, it is hard to believe that fifty years have passed since we left the school and the ongoing connection with PAC will be different for each person attending the reunion. He went on to say that life's journey would have taken us all in many directions and that the friendships and the lessons we learnt during our school days went a long way to developing us into who we are today. He concluded an excellent speech by noting that the reunion was a great way to reconnect. As said in our school song, We're Princes Men – Yes, now and always Princes Men.

The Head of the Preparatory School, Jon Gelsthorpe, responded on behalf of the Headmaster David Roberts, especially updating us about plans for the redevelopment of the Preparatory School.

John Clements then spoke to mark the occasion of the 1974 Football Intercol.

The last "formality" for the day was a roving mic session, which allowed us to focus on some highlights and achievements in 1974, and since we left school.

The afternoon concluded with a significant number of Old Scholars adjourning to the roof-top bar to continue conversations and enjoying each other's company and the excellent venue.

Special thanks are extended to Mary-Ann Standish for her work in organising the event. Indeed, the consensus appears to be that we should organise another reunion in five years' time given the success of this event!

#### **Richard Dennis**

Class of 1974 Reunion Committee

- 1. James Beauchamp, Geoff Prest and John Roberts
- 2. Tony Risby, Mark Powell and Rob Heaslip
- 3. The Class of 1974









## Class of 1984 Forty Year Reunion | Friday 25 October 2024 | The Lion

On Friday 25 October 2024, 60 Old Reds from the Class of 1984, met at The Lion Hotel, North Adelaide following a tour of the school. With George Kontopoulos and Andrew Marshall in fine form as the emcees, it felt like yesterday that we were at our graduation day lunch in 1984, apart from the waist and hair lines and hair colour!

We couldn't believe that it had been 40 years and sometimes longer since we had seen boys (some now men) that we had spent every day with for many years. We had the pleasure of having half a dozen teachers from our time at the school join us for the luncheon. Now that was a highlight! Then most of us moved into the bar to continue the reminiscing, everyone fighting the need to leave due to the intoxication, not from the alcohol, but from the enjoyment of the company of mates from days gone by.

There is now talk of getting as many of the 1984 boys to join us at the annual London Dinner as part of the 45-year school reunion and an Adelaide 45-year school reunion too.

Fac fortia et patere

do brave deeds and endure

#### **David Garrett**

Class of 1984

## Class of 1994 Thirty Year Reunion | Friday 9 August 2024 | The Lion

The Class of 1994 recently celebrated their 30-year school reunion, bringing together over 50 attendees from Perth to Penrith, Darwin to Davenport, and even as far as Southeast Asia. The event was filled with joy, laughter, and nostalgia as old classmates reconnected and shared cherished memories.

A highlight of the day was the fantastic representation from our teaching community, led by the esteemed former headmaster, Dr Brian Webber. Adding to the occasion, the current Headmaster, David Roberts, delivered a strong speech, sharing his ambitious vision for the College's future.

Former School Captain Matthew Whittle gave a heartfelt and eloquent speech while toasting the school, adding a personal and reflective touch to the celebration.

A great time was had by all, making this milestone event one to treasure!

#### **James Freemantle**

Class of 1994

## Class of 2004 Twenty Year Reunion | Friday 1 March 2024 | The Seven Stars

A 20-year reunion is a peculiar thing. At first sight, yes everyone was a little older, a little greyer and a little wiser. As the night went on, however, we realised that no one had really changed that much. The same old jokers still looking for a laugh, the same deep thinkers still pondering the big questions and the same great teachers still imparting sage advice to the 'kids'. We bonded over the good and the bad of the past decades with the trust that comes from sharing the ups and downs of teenage years.

Since our last reunion in 2014, the topics of conversations had mostly changed from nights out, overseas escapades and questionable decision making to mortgages, kids and politics. Around 60 attended, a great turn out and a credit to the organising group of Toms (Lambert, Ricketts and Radford), and of course Mary-Ann Standish. Many travelled from interstate and overseas and were rewarded with laughs, hugs and rekindled friendships. The venue, food and drinks were absolutely top notch at the Seven Stars Hotel with a huge thanks to Tom Ricketts for hosting us.



We crammed as many dad bods as possible into one frame for a group photo before wrapping up and heading home, an earlier night than it may have been at the last one. It was a joyous occasion and a reminder that no matter where life takes us, the shared memories of our time at PAC will keep us connected. See you all for the next reunion!

#### **Leigh Warren**

Class of 2004 Reunion Committee

## Class of 2014 Ten Year Reunion | Friday 15 November 2024 | The Cumby

Ferris Bueller got it right: "Life moves pretty fast, if you don't stop and look around once in a while, you could miss it". On Friday 15 November approximately 35 Old Reds from the Class of 2014 attended our ten year reunion.

I'd been thinking about this day since I started at the College in 2012. When I first attended a PAC assembly, which celebrated a large gathering of old scholars, I was fascinated. I had never seen a school with such a robust and loyal community. At the time, I thought "that'll be me one day!".

Fast forward to last Friday evening and as I'm walking along the front oval, I see a friendly-looking group of men with very familiar faces. Every man sports an ear-to-ear grin as he chats about the past decade. Sporadic cheers and laughs erupt as new arrivals enter the group and old memories are recalled, all the while the volume gradually increasing. Before long, the Headmaster David Roberts approaches us. David warmly welcomes us and provides an update on the exciting plans for the school's future. Our tour guide for this special occasion was Chris McGuire, a man more than capable of leading a group of boisterous young men through PAC's well-curated grounds. Assisted by his booming voice and visible passion for the school, Chris presented to us in surround sound and high definition the school's numerous transformations and developments.

As we ended our tour of the school's remarkable facilities, we felt the need to quench our thirst for both knowledge and beverages. Arriving at The Cumby, it was now time for some proper catching up. A whirlwind of laughs, jeers, sausage rolls and beers swirled around the room as old friends re-connected. The buzz throughout was palpable, spilling out onto The Cumby's balcony and winding its way along Waymouth Street. Discussions jumped from Peaky Blinders, Christmas Trees and farming to solar panels, wine-making and the daily grind. It was fantastic to see the wide variety of pathways that the 2014 cohort took after leaving school. Whilst all diverse, the common thread of young men trying their hardest stayed true and strong. I'm sure I'm not the only one who's now looking forward to numerous coffees before the end of the year with old chums.

Sincere thanks to Anthony DePalma, Phil McBride, Tom Parish and of course Mary-Ann Standish, without whom the reunion would not have happened!

## Jack Dascombe (2014)

Class of 2014 Reunion Committee

- 1. The Class of 1984
- 2. The Class of 1994
- 3. The Class of 2004
- 4. The Class of 2014
- 5. The Class of 2019







## Class of 2019 Five Year Reunion | Saturday 16 November 2024 | The Cumby

The five-year anniversary was a fantastic occasion, bringing together a great mix of former students who had remained friends and some who had not seen each other since 2019.

The evening began with plenty of conversations centered around where life has taken us since graduation. As the night went on, discussions naturally shifted toward reminiscing about old memories and shared experiences. Stories from our school days were told with laughter, nostalgia, and appreciation for the friendships and moments that shaped us.

Overall, it was a memorable celebration, reinforcing the strong bonds formed during our time at school. The event served as a great reminder of how much we've grown while still being connected by our shared history.

Sam Bennetts (2019)

# **Intercols**

# Intercol Bowls: Thursday 15 February 2024 | Beaumont Bowling Club

The annual Intercol Bowls tournament between PAOC and SPOC was held for the first time at the Beaumont Bowling Club. The decision to make the change to Beaumont was the right one, given the spacious clubhouse for the players to socialise before and after the game and the excellent status of the greens for playing of the game.

Right up to the day of play both teams had an equal number of players to compete, then during that day two full rinks of PAOC players announced they would not be attending, meaning PAOC were eight players short of SPOC's number for the game! This meant two of SPOC's rinks had no opposition and had to play against each other to at least get a game without being part of the competition. This left the seven remaining rinks of four from each team to play against each other for the trophy. However, even with the reduced number of players in the tournament, the result went down to the wire, the difference between the teams' total scores being the smallest possible margin of one shot in favour of SPOC 76 to PAOC 75.

So, the trophy was retained by SPOC and the game was followed by an excellent supper, with thanks to Bianca Harms and Mary-Ann Standish, and drinks from the bar in the very comfortable clubhouse.

A big thank you to Old Red Dave Thomas (1968) for offering the Beaumont Bowling Club for the evening.

#### John Morris (1962)

Intercol Bowls Convenor







- Cameron Ballard, Alastair Murray, Oren Klemich, Andrew Sullivan, Peter Gao, John Jovicevic and Alan Letcher
- 2. Brent Blank, David Brown and Antony and Phillip Craven
- Intercol Bowls Convenor John Morris handing the shield to Saints' Convenor, Greg Twelftree



With a result of PAOCA 79 - SPOC 59, it was another hard-fought battle against the Old Blues, and this year's intercol tennis win makes it six in a row for the Old Reds! It was good to see older Old Reds back in the school colours, and a few new faces in this year's team.

#### Joshua Gregg (2011)

Intercol Tennis Convenor

Front: Thomas Roberts (2019), James Ma (2013), Henry Grey (2022), Jock Piper (2018) and Noah Coghlan (2023) Back: Kurtis Willson (2014), Anthony Thompson (1988), Jack Schipanski (2012), Michael Hihimanis (1980), Corey de Candia (2012), Josh Gregg (2011), Justin Venning (1991), Elliot St Claire (1997) and Alistair MacDonald (1990)





## Intercol Cricket: Chester Bennett Cup | Friday 1 March 2024 | St Peter's College

On the afternoon of Friday 1 March, the annual Chester Bennett Cup was held. Played at the Lloyd Oval at St Peter's College, the Reds took to batting first. Runs were hard to come by - a slow outfield, combining with the loss of a few early wickets meant scoring was kept down.

Mitch Thiele provided some early resistance to the Saints bowling attack, however a continuous steady loss of wickets across the innings meant the Blues kept the Reds to a small total. Some late hitting from Carl Arnold gave the Reds some hope, rounding out the innings to 97 runs from the 20 overs. Going into bat, Saints had a strong start which proved challenging to come back from. Jono Bell with the new ball faced some powerful Saints hitting, before Deakin Murphy slowed up the runs with his accurate left-armers. Carl again featured with the ball

Bottom row: Mason O'Callaghan (2023), Carl Arnold (2022), Angas Marshall (2018), Mitchell Thiele (2020) and Seb MacMahon (2022) Top row: Deakin Murphy (2022), Jono Bell (2023), Connor Craigie (2018), Charlie Marshall (2014), Sam Vartuli (2022) and Charlie Griffin (2021)

while debutant Mason O'Callaghan took a few middle over wickets of his own giving us a fighting chance. Unfortunately for the Reds, Saints passed our below-par score of 97 in the 14th over 6 wickets down.

Many thanks to St Peter's who put on a mid-game afternoon tea for the players and managed to get a pitch prepared in time for the match.

#### Angas Marshall (2018)

Intercol Cricket Convenor



The Old Reds and Old Blues about to tee-off at Royal Adelaide Golf Club

# Intercol Golf: The Rymill Cup | Friday 19 July 2024 | Royal Adelaide Golf Club

60 very keen Old Reds and Blues golfers gathered at the Royal Adelaide Golf Club on Friday 19 July 2024 for the annual Old Scholars Intercol Golf Day.

The course was in immaculate condition and some exciting golf was forecast from the 'crème de la crème' of the players representing their beloved schools. The Reds were favourites after their scintillating form in 2023!

There were some very close encounters with the Reds in front until the last three or four games when the Blues came storming home to prevail, a crushing blow and a devastating loss!

As usual, after lunch and trophy presentations the camaraderie saw everybody play their 'best game of the day'.

Thank you to the convenors of both schools on a job well done.

## Fred Hamood (1970) & Robert Hall (1966)

PAOCA Management Committee Members

# Intercol Badminton: Thursday 18 July | St Peter's College

Result: PAOCA 5 - SPOC 4

This year we had a fantastic team that won back the Old Collegians Cup for badminton. Old Scholars Clement Wong, Eden Lau, Chris Chong, Andrew Surman, Benedict Tang, Don Bui and Felix Fong represented the team well. Special mention to Felix Fong for winning his singles match with great tenacity. The Old Scholars Badminton Intercol is definitely alive. Thank you, St Peter's Old Collegians Badminton Club, for being great hosts too.

#### Kevin Khaw (1997)

Chairman



Kevin Khaw (1997), Felix Fong (2017), Clement Wong (2018), Chris Chong (1989), Benedict Tang (2019), Don Bui (2023) and Andrew Surman (2001)



The Old Reds and Blues competing in the Alan Crompton Cup

# Intercol Football: Alan Crompton Cup | Saturday 13 April 2024 | St Peter's College

The Old Scholars intercol game between the Old Reds and the Old Blues for the Alan Crompton Cup took place on Saturday 13 April 2024, the first round of the 2024 Season.

The Reds were coming off a Division 1 Premiership in 2023, but were missing a number of experienced players and SPOC avoided relegation by a great win in the last round to stay in Division 1. Both the Reds and the Blues fielded teams with some new recruits and young players and were keen to start the season with a win against their archrivals.

On a windy day at Caterer Oval, the Blues got off to a great start kicking five goals to three in the first quarter with the wind, but the Reds fought back kicking five goals to one in the second quarter to lead by 11 points at half time. It was a similar result in the second half with the Reds winning by 17 points at the final siren to retain the Alan Crompton Cup.

Final score was 14.9 (93) to 11.10 (76).

Tom Brinsley (2008) and Jayden Davis each kicked three goals, Tyson Brazel (2016), Joshua Garrels (2020) and Ben Ianiello two goals each, and singles to Craig Pitt (2009) and Oliver Clarke (2013). Best player on the day was Oliver Clarke taking out the Leighton A. Williams Trophy as the best player for the Reds.

Luke McCauley (2018), Lachlan McNamara (2014), Jayden Davis and Jack Ianiello also played well for the Reds.

#### Tim Hall (1978)

PAOCFC Chairman

# Intercol Bridge: Tuesday 23 July | St Peter's College

This year's Intercol Bridge was played at Saints on the evening of Tuesday 23 July 2024 and played in a new format of "Teams Bridge".

SPOC was more successful on the first round but we came back valiantly in the second round. Unfortunately, by the end of the evening, the Old Blues came out strongly to finish well in front of the Old Reds. We were well organised by the Director Paul Hudson and generously hosted by Saints.

This is my final year as convenor for PAOC.

#### Malcolm Wicks (1966)

Bridge Intercol Convenor

# Intercol Chess: Tuesday 23 July | Michael Hihimanis Trophy | St Peter's College

2024 saw another exciting encounter between PAOC and SPOC over the chess board. Held at St Peter's College, PAOC were left scrambling at the last minute, trying to find a 5th board for the evening. Micheal Hoff (1977), Anthony Milton (2010), Tim Gibbons (2023) and Ethan Liu (2023) were ready to go and prepared for the event ahead, but with many of last year's players unavailable, it would fall to Daniel Kerrigan (2007), who was along to watch, to play on board 5, and allow PAC to match the team of five that SPOC had put together.

What followed was an intense series of matches, with most coming down to the final minutes. While Michael would draw, Anthony, Tim and Ethan played brilliantly, leaving only Daniel to struggle away, ultimately saved by the pressure of the clock. With that, it was the Old Reds that would prevail, 4.5-0.5, securing their 39th triumph in 52 matches since 1972. Thank you to all of our players, who ensured another successful Old Scholars' Week function, and helped continue this historic rivalry for another year.

#### Daniel Kerrigan (2007)

Chess Intercol Convenor and Captain



**Back row:** Oscar Chapple (2021), Jayden Selvanayagam (2021), Reilly Hollamby (2019), Michael Staak (2010), Patrick Gabb (2014), Harry Henbest (2021), Liam Rippon (2018), Brock Wise (2021), Harrison Haynes (2022) and Chris Brebner (2007) **Front row:** Alex Chapman (2000), Rupert Catt (2016), Charlie Griffin (2021), Charlie Keeves (2019), Hassan Singh (2021) and Tom Fitzgerald (2010)

## Intercol Hockey: Geoffrey Bean Cup | Wednesday 24 July 2024 | Prince Alfred College

After a few shaky years of opposition forfeits and weakened teams, the annual hockey game between PAOC and SPOC made a strong return in 2024. It took place on the PAC pitch on the evening of Wednesday 24 July 2024. It was a high standard game and a closely fought contest.

SPOC managed to jump out to an early lead which meant the Reds were chasing the game for evening. The three Williams brothers for SPOC proved to be a handful for us through the midfield. Unfortunately, we could never really gain ascendancy of possession or field position. We were in the game most of the night but sadly fell short, with the full-time score 2-4 in SPOC's favour. Goal scorers for PAOC were Michael Staak and Brock Wise with one each.

PAOC was represented by Oscar Chapple (GK), Jayden Selvanayagam, Reilly Hollamby, Michael Staak, Patrick Gabb, Harry Henbest, Liam Rippon, Brock Wise, Harrison Haynes, Chris Brebner, Alex Chapman, Rupert Catt, Charlie Griffin, Charlie Keeves, Hassan Singh and Tom Fitzgerald.

The loss meant that the record streak by PAOC of retaining the Geoffrey Bean Cup for 15 consecutive years comes to an end. Some complacency perhaps crept in. But we will be eager to form a strong playing list and bring the Cup home where it belongs in 2025.

## Alexander Chapman (2000)

Hockey Intercol Convenor

# Intercol Basketball | Monday 22 July 2024 | St Peter's College



**Standing:** Liam Golding (1998), Matt Thomson (2020), Brad Haydon (2005), Mike Hill and Andrew Brennan (2019) **Kneeling:** Jason Oster and Blake Cranna (2019)

# Intercol Squash: B A Fricker Cup | Tuesday 23 July 2024 | Prince Alfred College

On Tuesday 23 July 2024, PAOC and SPOC squash teams squared off for the 67th Old Collegians' Squash Intercol. Since 1957, PAOC has won 56 of the 67 played (2020 was not contested). This year, SPOC edged out a young and eager PAOC, 4-2, to claim the Squash Cup.

Will Gray (2007) lead the line-up at #1 with an exciting match against a young and upcoming opponent, taking victory in 3 games (15-4, 15-10, 15-11), while at #3, Christian MacIntosh (1990) left his comeback too late, losing in 3 games (8-15, 6-15, 9-15).

Tom Farrant (2001) proved his skills at #2, winning in 3 against an old rival (15-8, 15-4, 15-13), and while Stuart Harris (2015) fought hard at #4 going down in 4 games (9-15, 15-10, 9-15, 9-15).

Poised at two wins a piece, it was left to the final matches at #5 and #6, where Pat McGavin (2021) traded blows at #6, ultimately going down in a five game thriller (8-15, 15-13, 8-15, 15-9, 12-15), and Pat Kirwan (2010) scrapping hard in each game, but was overcome in 3 (13-15, 15-17, 12-15).

Players from both teams finished the night with a feed and a drink at the pub, stoking friendly rivalries to be resolved next year.

#### Lucas de Garis (2015)

Squash Intercol Convenor



Standing: Ramon Pathi (SPOC), Rene Papilion (SPOC), Ben Esau (SPOC), Punala Kiripitige (SPOC), Will Gray (2007), Patrick McGavin (2021), Stuart Harris (2015), Patrick Kirwan (2010) and Christian MacIntosh (1990) Kneeling: Marc Wetherell (SPOC), Chatula Kiripitige (SPOC) and Tom Farrant (2001)

# **Sporting Clubs**

#### **PAOC Badminton Club**

This year has seen many positive developments and progress at the club. The number of Old Scholars have slowly climbed each year and we now have different Old Reds from many different years returning to contribute to the club.

In the summer season (2023/24) of the South Australian League Competition, PAOC had two teams winning the A grade (PAOC Under the Sea) and B grade (PAOC Chicken Feet) competitions. In the winter season (2024), PAOC (PAOC Broken Legs) won the A grade competition and had players winning personal best performances trophies as well.

This year has also seen the synergy between Old Scholars and current Reds grow even further. We are fortunate to have Meng Ling (1990) contributing his time coaching the school's first team. Eden Lau (1994) assisting both first team in sparing sessions and also assisting Chris Chong (1989) in developing selected middle school students. Old scholars Alistair Phillips (2019), Andrew Kim (2023) and Kevin Khaw are active coaches in the school's badminton program as well. This synergy has shown the Reds' spirit and philosophy with pride through giving back and growing. We hope this growth will continue for the future.

#### Kevin Khaw (1997)

Chairman, PAOC Badminton Club

#### **PAOC Basketball Club**

In 2024 the PAOC Basketball Club consisted of four teams entered across the SABL and SACBA competitions. This year the Club took the court with new and refreshed uniforms following months of work lead by Brandon Reynolds (2016). We offer our sincere gratitude to PAC for its generosity, and Coopers sponsorship, to allow these new uniforms to come to life.

On the court our Division 1 team was bolstered this year and achieved great success through the regular season winning the SABL In Season Tournament and defeating St Peter's in an emphatic intercol match. Our Division 2 and 3 teams had strong regular seasons and both reaching the semi-final and qualifying final respectively. Our team in the SACBA League reached the semi-final following a division promotion last year, another game that came down to the final possessions and unfortunately going down by just two points.

This year the Club hosted a number of successful events including our annual Beer Pong Championship and Quiz Night. A particular thank you to Charlie Baker (2013) and Mike Hill for their incredible work delivering these fantastic events. On 26 October the Club hosted its annual Club Lunch kindly hosted and supported by The Seven Stars Hotel. Congratulations to all award winners and special mentions to Club Champion Jason Oster, Best Club Man Ollie Fox (2016) and Sean Heylen Medallist, Blake Cranna (2019).

As we look towards 2025, the Club will be executing an extensive recruitment campaign to drive up numbers to continue developing and establishing the Club across the SA Amateur Basketball Leagues. We welcome any and all Old Collegians to join the Club.

#### Stuart Brennan (2016)

President, PAOC Basketball Club

#### **PAOC Cricket Club**

PAOCCC again fielded four Saturday teams in 2023/24 as well as four T20 teams. Across both formats, this gave more than 100 players the opportunity to take the field in at least one game. In the Saturday competition, the Club had an excellent season on field. After a difficult season in 2022/23, the Club bounced back strongly with all sides competitive. The A-Grade led by Nick Clayfield had a terrific season eventually beating archrivals SPOC in the A2 Grand Final to clinch the premiership. The C-Grade led by Ben Lobban also had a dominant year, only losing one game on the way to capturing the C1 premiership in emphatic style. We fared well again in the T20 competition, with our Division 2 side led by Tom Brinsley (2008) capturing yet another flag for the Club in the shortest format.

Off-field the Club continued to go from strength to strength. The Club held a variety of successful functions including the popular Lawn Bowls Night, Quiz Night and the Test Match Breakfast. The Club continued its excellent relationship with The Seven Stars Hotel and old-scholar, Tom Ricketts (2004). A big thank you to Tom for hosting our major functions as well as all our sponsors who play a huge part in giving our players the opportunity to take the field.

The Club is looking forward to another successful season on field in 2024/25 with Sam Turner continuing as coach and several new faces to add to the playing stocks. This is an exciting time as we look to establish our Club once again as the benchmark in the ATCA competition on the back of the young talent coming through the school. A big thankyou to the school, PAOCA, and everyone who contributes so much to the running of and continued success of the Club both on and off field

Thank you to all committee members and volunteers for the work they do to keep the Club running and a big congratulations to our major award winners who are listed below:

Redman Award: Nick Clayfield

Moffat Family Trophy for Best Clubman: Ben Lobban

Mark Schwartz Award (Best 21 & Under): Seamus Nazir

Ted Norman Cup for A-Grade Batting: Angas Marshall

Murray M Wellington Shield for A-Grade Bowling: Nick Clayfield

Olsson Family Trophy for A-Grade Fielding: Joshua Parsons

B-Grade Batting: Thomas Simpson

B-Grade Bowling: Connor Craigie

C-Grade Batting: Paul Chapman

C-Grade Bowling: William Dalwood

LO5 Batting: Abhishek Sharma

LO5 Bowling: Ben Allen

## Ben Lobban (1997)

PAOC Cricket Club



#### **A2 C1 Premiership Group**

Back: Mason O'Callaghan (2023), Harry Hockney (2017), Cameron Pritchard (2014), Angas Marshall (2018), Aaron Richards (2003), Joshua Parsons, Matthew Kildea (2002), Jack Dent (2001), Bradley Weidenhofer (2001), Thomas Brinsley (2008), Jonathan Bell (2023), Chris Drew (1997), Charlie Marshall (2014) and Jaxson Schell (2021)

**Next row:** Seamus Nazir, Sam Turner (coach), Antony Brabham (1983), Paul Chapman, Samuel Tyler (2001), Samuel Vivian (2017), Alexander Marantos (1997) and Riley Chapman (2018)

**Front:** Samuel Vartuli (2022), Ben Lobban (Captain C's), Nick Clayfield (Captain A's), William Linke (2017), William Dalwood (2006), Richard Hockney (Chair) and Andrew Rumbelow (Assistant Coach)

## **PAOC Football Club**

The Prince Alfred Old Collegians' Football Club continues to provide Old Scholars of Prince Alfred College the opportunity to play Australian Rules Football at the highest sustainable level, successfully, and in a friendly, supportive and inclusive environment including outstanding facilities and oval at Park 9.

In the 2024 Season, the Club welcomed over 35 new Old Scholars to our playing group of over 180 players across all 5 teams in the Adelaide Footy League Divisions 1, 1R, C1, C5 and C7.

After the departures of some experienced players from 2023, the A Grade regrouped to finish 6th and the B's finished a commendable 7th.

Craig Pitt (2009) has retired as coach after 5 very successful years including 2 Division 1 Premierships in 2021 and 2023. Craig has made an outstanding contribution to the success of the Club both as a player, coach and as a leader of the entire Club. Craig will be missed as will Trent Bromley (1981), who has stepped down as B Grade coach.

The lower grades were extremely competitive all season with the Club's depth of players leading to a D Grade Premiership, C Grade Runners Up and the E Grade just missing out on the finals. Congratulations to Maximillian Clarke (2007), Thomas Brinsley (2008) and Andrew Buttery (1982), the leadership and support groups for their contributions to a very successful and enjoyable year for the Club's lower grades.

At the End of Season Dinner, the Club thanked Craig Pitt for his dedication and contribution to the Club and inducted David Marsh and Geoffrey Prest (1974) into the Hall of Fame for their involvement with and contribution to the Club over the last 4 decades. The Club also recognized the following Award winners:

A Grade Best & Fairest, Ross C. Johnston Trophy, our captain Lachlan McNamara (2014) who had an outstanding season and whose efforts (together with Craig Pitt's heroics against Tea Tree Gully) kept us in Division 1, and the Coaches Trophy, Jack Janniello.

B Grade Best & Fairest, Joe Howard (2020), and the Coaches Trophy, Trent McCauley (2020).

C Grade Best & Fairest and Player of the Finals, William Dalwood (2006), and Coaches Trophy, William Ayres (2021).

D Grade Best & Fairest, Timothy Sanders (1994), Coaches Trophy, Zachary Palser (2020), and Players of the Finals, Stewart Fincher (2007) & Matthew Faull (2012).

E Grade Jack Kitto-Stewart (2023), and Coaches Trophy, Isaac Sanders (2023).

Club Awards were presented to Andrew Buttery, Best Club Person; Hugo Lidums (2018), Headmasters Trophy for Services On & Off the Field; Archie Perks (2022), Most Improved; Oliver Wilkin (2023) Rookie of the Year; Joe Howard, Ron M. Carter Award for Most Votes Across all Grades; and William Dalwood was Leading Goalkicker with 57 goals.

William Dalwood & Luke Bartlett (2014) were joint AdFL Div C1 Leading Goalkicker winners with 56 goals (for the eagle eyed, Dags kicked 1 goal in the A Grade!).

A special presentation was made to Nicholas 'The Colonel' Sanders (1997) for reaching 400 games for the Club and George Choimes (2004) also reached 300 games.

Playing Life Memberships were awarded to Alexander Butenko (2009), Craig Pitt and Daniel Mosey (2018).

The Club appreciates the support of its many Sponsors, see https://www.paocfc.com.au/sponsorship, its hard-working Committee, volunteers, supporters, the players, their families and friends.

The Club was deeply saddened by the passing of 2 of the Club's Hall of Famers, John Edwards (1957), a player, committee member and a 'founder' of the 245 Club and William 'Bill' Johnson (1952), who played 265 games for the Club, was a Club Captain, Coach & Chairman and a vocal supporter of the Club for over 70 years.

The Club is looking forward to the 2025 Season, its 100th Year (1926 – 2025) and which the Club will celebrate in its Centenary Year in 2026 with the publication of a 100 Year History Book and a Gala Dinner on the June Long Weekend in 2026 (Save the Date!). Should anyone wish to contribute to the History Book with any memorabilia, photos or stories please contact Timothy Hall (1978), see https://www.paocfc.com.au/100-years.

The Club is very excited to have appointed Ned McHenry as its playing coach for the 2025 Season, and assistant coaches Taylor 'Tex' Walker, Darren Thomas, Thomas Brinsley and Adam Perryman (2010).

The Club is looking forward to another successful season in 2025 both on and off the field and welcomes Old Scholars looking for a game at any level, new volunteers, Sponsors and supporters to join the Club at Park 9 in 2025.

#### Tim Hall (1978) and James Parkinson (1977)

Co-Chairs, Prince Alfred Old Collegians' Football Club Inc.

#### **PAOC Hockey Club**

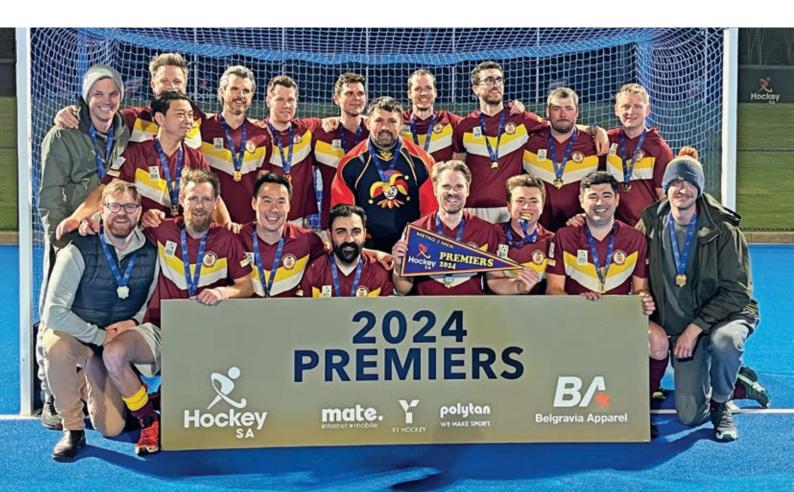
Back row: Andrew Baillie (2004), Will Phillips (2004), Oliver Duckworth, Michael Staak (2010), Blake Anderson (2012), Matthew Hood (GK), Matthew Bruorton, Liam Rippon (2018), Cameron Lowe (2013) and Tim Hall Front row: Patrick Sadlier (2005), Sam Tyler (2001), Derek Lee (1998), Anthony Antoniadis (2005), Alex Chapman (2000), Charlie Griffin (2021), James McGregor and James Risby (2010)

#### **PAOC Hockey Club**

The Prince Alfred Collegians' Hockey Club (PACHC) has enjoyed an incredibly successful season in the Hockey SA Metro 2's Division. After the minor rounds, the team finished third on the ladder. This was the first time the team had finished outside the top two since the 2015 season in the Metro 3's. Finishing third meant that every week of finals would be an elimination game. This do-or-die situation perhaps helped the team's mindset going into finals matches. It was incredibly pleasing and rewarding to see the team produce some of their best hockey in the finals series. In previous seasons, we perhaps haven't peaked at the right time.

The finals campaign was tight, as all of the top four teams had beaten each other at some stage during the minor rounds. In week one, we took on Forestville and, in a dominant display, won 5-2. The Preliminary Final saw us take on the highly fancied Seacliff, who were perhaps expecting to have the week off and qualify directly for the Grand Final but had been upset by Adelaide in their prior game. The team again brought great intensity and managed to defeat Seacliff 3-1 to book a spot in the Grand Final against Adelaide.

The Grand Final against Adelaide had an added layer of meaning with ex-club members Mark Gobolos (1997) and Tom Game now playing against us for Adelaide. PACHC were first to score with Michael Staak (2010) finishing off the goal for us. Adelaide answered back and drew the game up at 1-1. Early in the fourth quarter, PACHC managed to break the deadlock with Matthew Bruorton running the ball from the defensive 25-yard line to the attacking 25-yard line. Will Phillips (2004) put his hamstrings to the absolute test with a massive decoy run of similar distance, allowing Michael Bowditch to get on the end of Matthew Bruorton's backstick pass. Michael then dragged and left one defender in his wake, followed by splitting the goalkeeper's legs





**PAOCA Soccer Club** 

A mix of our players at a raining night with special guest, Bruce Djite.

for what ended up being the winning goal. There was a late scare, with Adelaide awarded a penalty spot flick with only two minutes left in the game. But the Club's super-keeper Matthew Hood was equal to the task, saving the stick side flick to deliver the win and the premiership for 2024.

It was a well-deserved premiership for a playing group that has persisted despite repeated finals disappointments recently, having lost three grand finals in a row from 2020 to 2022, followed by a straight-sets finals exit in 2023. This season is now the tenth consecutive year that the team has qualified for finals. It is the Club's fourth premiership in that period and in its history. The team scored 77 goals while conceding 29 goals for the season. Matthew Bruorton was awarded the Best and Fairest Player. Charlie Griffin led the goal scoring for the team with 17 goals for the season (second in the division). Liam Rippon (2018) was awarded the Best Club Man and Matthew Hood picked up the Player of the Finals Award.

Looking ahead to the 2025 season, the team intends to play again in the Metro 2's Division. The Club welcomes new players to get in touch regarding playing.

#### Alex Chapman (2000)

Chairman, PAOC Hockey Club

#### **PAOC Soccer Club**

Season 2024 began with the news the Reds had been promoted to Saturday Division 3 of the South Australian Amateur Soccer League.

The Club also re-introduced a C-Grade and saw an influx of recent old scholars join the Club. This meant, nearly 50 percent of playing members at the Club were old scholars in 2024.

Being promoted meant that the Club required to shift the focus to securing our position within the higher division. Our Club rose to the challenge, and successfully achieved this target, ensuring another year in Division 3 in 2025.

Highlights for the season included a visit from former Adelaide United and Socceroo star Bruce Djite, a very successful community day, old scholars winning eight of a possible ten awards and in one A-Grade game, all 11 starting players being old scholars.

## The following players were awarded:

Katsambis Award (Club Person of the Year): Kyle Gambling (2023)

#### C-Grade

Golden Boot: Angus Callen (2023)

Players' Player: James Duff (2023)

Coach's Player: Felipe Rodriguez

#### **B-Grade**

Golden Boot: Jerry Karph Jr.; Will Katsambis (2010) and Edward Hawkes

Players' Player: Kyle Gambling (2023) Coach's Player: Orlando Holzapfel

#### A-Grade

Golden Boot: Alex Sterenberg (2023)

Players' Player: Liam Thompson (2023)

Michael Hihimanis Award (A-Grade Coach's Player): Ethan Unerkov (2023)

2025 has already provided the Club with a highlight, our new home at Peppermint Park / Wita Wirra (Park 18) located on South Terrace, which will mean for the first time in many years, the Club will be able to train and play at the same venue. The ground also has a clubroom, which is a very exciting development.

Our whole club would like to put on record its genuine and sincere appreciation to the College for years of support using Park 15 as well as the Old Collegians Association for their continued support, guidance and assistance with our move to Park 18.

If you are interested in playing for PAOC Soccer Club, or know someone who might, please email: admin@paocsc.com.au.

#### Abdullah El-youssef (2019)

President, PAOC Soccer Club

#### **PAOC Squash Club**

The PAOC Squash Club had a successful 2024. The Club had over 40 members compete in the Adelaide Squash League Autumn and Spring pennants, fielding over 20 competitive teams, ranging from the Premier League (highest division) to Division 2 (lowest division).

PAOC Squash also had the pleasure in hosting two annual squash events, the PAC Open, and the Old Collegians' Squash Intercol. Unfortunately, due to injuries and covid, SPOC managed to get one up on us, as we lost 4-2 on matches, with wins for PAOC coming from Will Gray (2007), and Tom Farrant (2001). The PAC Open was held later in the year, seeing around 20 athletes compete for glory, and prize

money. This event is open to all old and current collegians of all skill levels, and is a great way to learn from some of the best around the State, and included players who have played at the highest levels in SA for 20 years, as well as players who were borrowing racquets. It was capped off with a thrilling set of matches for the Men's Open title, with Will Gray claiming his eighth consecutive Men's Open title.

2024 saw greater success in administration with the introduction of the new website feature from Revolutionise Sport. You can visit it at revolutionise.com.au/paocsa

In 2025, the Club plans to build its membership base with current scholars and young Old Reds graduating this year, reclaim the Squash Cup from Hackney, and continue to collect grand final wins across the divisions of the Adelaide Squash League.

#### Lucas de Garis (2015)

Chairman, PAOC Squash Club

#### **PAOC Tennis Club**

The past 12 months have marked significant progress for the Prince Alfred Old Collegians' Tennis Club. With 34 registered players this season, the Club is proud to field five teams, allowing for a range of players to play.

Our teams now compete across divisions from Metro 3, offering a highly competitive standard to Division 8, providing a more social experience. This balance has allowed the Club to grow its membership base whilst maintaining competitive teams.

A highlight of the year has been the return to playing matches on the PAC courts. This move has strengthened ties with the College and the familiar surroundings of PAC have had old collegians reminiscing on school matches!

As we look ahead, the PAOC Tennis Club is well-positioned for continued success. With strong foundations, a committed membership, and a cohesive membership base, the Club is ready to build on this year's achievements and continue serving as a home for tennis for years to come.

#### Will Gray (2007)

Chairman

#### **Thomas Searles (2021)**

Treasurer

PAOC Tennis Club



# The Inaugural Prince Alfred Old Collegians' Rowing Club

The new Prince Alfred Old Collegians' Rowing Club was officially incorporated on 24 June 2024.

Old Scholars Rowing at PAC has appeared over the years but not continuously or been officially recognised, but what has never waned was the passion that past rowers and supporters had for rowing at PAC, and it was this passion which rekindled the belief that the PAOCRC should fill the need for the Old Scholars and supporters within our PAC community.

It became clear that there was no vehicle to tap into and to reconnect with rowing once boys or supporters had left the College. It was also evident that some of the most enthusiastic supporters were families who may not have attended PAC or rowed but watching and supporting their family gave them great pleasure. Recognition of those was also important and so the Club needed to meet the needs of a broad spectrum, whether for the desire to jump back into a boat again for a row or a wish to join a casual "learn to row" program, reconnect socially or create a segway for support, services and to contribute and regardless of age or gender. It may also be that there are those who wish to contribute to the Club or the College through the Bayly Endowment Fund which forms part of the objectives of the Club.

We look forward to reconnecting, have our own eight and a four housed at the Torrens Boatshed. In addition, we hope to hold selected social events and establish a social media presence, and furthermore recognise past contributors, inviting all to revisit the Boatshed and make special efforts to honour our most senior members and supporters.

#### Objectives

The objectives for which the Association is established are to:

- (1) Foster, promote, and support rowing as part of the old collegians' community of Prince Alfred College ("College") with the support and under the guidance of the Prince Alfred Old Collegians' Association (PAOCA).
- Promote the unity and friendship amongst the old scholars of Prince Alfred College through participation in Rowing.
- (3) Promote the unity and friendship amongst the supporters of Prince Alfred Old Collegians' (PAOC) rowing.
- (4) Support rowing at Prince Alfred College, including the long term and continuing success of rowing at PAC through the promotion of the Bayly Endowment Fund (which is funded by the rowers and supporters of PAC/PAOC rowing and is administered by PAC for rowing at PAC), specifically aimed at delivering world class facilities, equipment, coaching, opportunities, and special needs to rowers at PAC.
- (5) Promote and encourage the sport of rowing throughout the general community.

#### The inaugural Committee comprises:

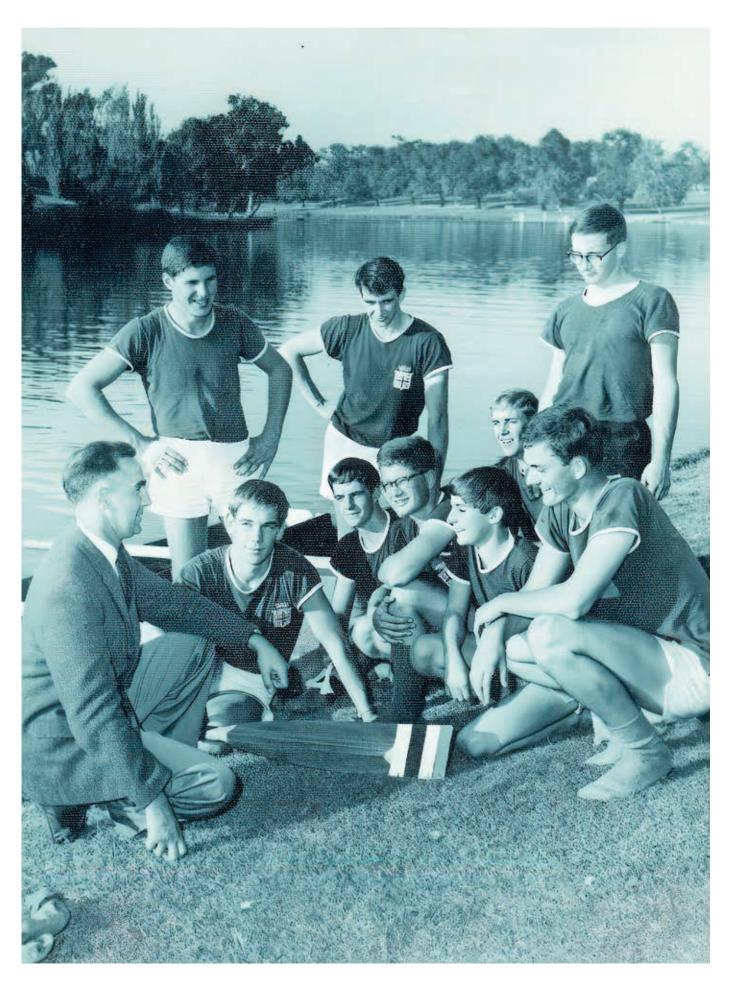
Chairman: Richard Hamood (1976) Secretary: James Admiraal (2007) Treasurer: John Marsh (1996)

Committee Members: Joseph Demaria (1997), Nick Broadbridge (2012), Mon Saunders, Greg Walters (1982), David Richards (1985) and Rob Hall (1966)

Great thanks must go to the College, the RPSG and Director of PAC Rowing, Tim Hennessy, for their support. A special mention must go to the late Michael Hihimanis who volunteered his time to prepare the Constitution and complete its incorporation only days before his sudden passing. To Michael's family we pass on our heartfelt thanks and offer our condolences, and we recognise his contribution to the Club.

#### Richard Hamood (1976)

Chairman



1963 1st VIII on the banks of the River Torrens with Coach, Mr David Mattingley

# **PAOCA Incorporated Founded 1878**

From down the far years comes the clarion call. Your school and my school, the Best School of All.

#### **Honorary Life Membership**

Peter Andrew CROUCH (1961-1974)

#### Life Memberships

Michael William SANDERS (1984-1988) Ian Wai Yan WONG (1986-1992)

#### **New Life Memberships**

The following 2024 students were accepted as Life Members of the Prince Alfred Old Collegians' Association at their Valedictory held on Thursday 17 October 2024, and at the meeting of the Management Committee held on Thursday 7 November 2024:

Asger Ian ABRAHAM

Mustafa AL FAYYAD

Henry Edward ALLEN

Eli Alan ANDERS

Zachariah James ANDERSON

Dougal ASHBY

Luca Simone BACON

Ethan Juarn BAILEY

Quang Son BANH

Owen William Miles BARKLA

Daniel Nicholas BERGAMIN

Joshua Harm BRANSON

Henry Edward George BRUCE

Rome Gabriel BURGOYNE

Joseph Harper CALLAGHAN

George Anthony CAMPBELL

Yin Hei CHAN

Edward Longuehaye CHAPPLE

Francesco lake CIAMPA

Samuel Tucker CICCOCIOPPO

Oscar Henry COHEN

Hamish Griffin COLBY

Michael James COOK

Cody Ambrose CORBETT

Jackson Scott CROSBY

Hugh Preston CZUCHWICKI

Christian James D'ANNUNZIO

Andrew Sullivan presenting Peter Crouch with Honorary Life Membership of the PAOCA at the 2024 Annual Vintage Reds' Luncheon



Edward William Murchison DAVIES

Louis George DAWSON

William Arthur Mengting DEAKIN

Samuel James DESMAZURES

Tom Peter DOLLING

Arjun Singh DOSANJH

Hudson William DUKA

Hugh William Henry DUNN

Angus Matthew DUNN

Roshan Chrisantha EDIRIWEERA

Harry James EDWARDS

Hugo George EVANS

Isaac Matthew EVANS

Miles John Francis FALAHEY

Samuel James GIRDLER

Joseph Walter Reece GRUNDY

Louis Sean HABGOOD

**Brodie Trevor HARRIS** 

Angus Jeffrey HARVEY

Houcheng HE

Thomas Xavier Kelly HENCHLIFFE

Nicholas Charles Kelly HENCHLIFFE

Nathaniel HERBERT

Sam William HEUZENROEDER

Jasper HILL

William Henry HOLLAND

Peter Michael Morgan HURN

Julian Alexander James HYDE-KELLY

Joshua Peter INGLIS

Dylan Reilly JAMES

Cooper Christopher JARRETT

Tianyi JIANG

Lucas William JONES

Louis Patrick KELLAWAY

James Stephen KELLEDY

Samuel James KENT

Hugo Sebastian KNIGHT

Oliver Lloyd KREMINSKI

Jared David KUHL

Joshua Alexander LARKIN

Matthew Adam LERAY

Oscar Thomas Larsen LEVINSON

Nathaniel Anthony LINDOP

Alexander John MACDONALD

Archie Matthew MACMAHON

Aryan MADAN

George Andrew MALONE

Sidney Vincent MALONE

William Andrew MANUEL

Nicola Alessio MARINO

TVICOID / IIC33IO IVI/ IIVII VC

Jake Matthew MARTIN

Maximus Charles MATHESON

Lachlan James MCKAY

Jesse Shaun MCMAHON

# **Purely Personal**

Zachary Thomas-Darcy MCROE

Yarra Phillip MICKAN

Harry Douglas MILLER

Marc Thomas MILOGRAD
Nickolas MITELOUDIS
Antonio MONDELLO

Louie Jay MONTGOMERY

Peter MOORE

Eli Robert MURRAY

Fraser John NEWMAN

Pun Lai NG Matthew Oliver NORTH Gunyoung William PARK

Liam Matthew PEAK

Henry Jon PEARCE
Neil PECKHAM

Ryan David PERCIVAL

Angus Lachlan Thomas PHILLIPS
Carmine John PIANTEDOSI

Harry William PIGGOTT

Harry William Piggott

William Terrence POINTON

Jay Connor POLKINGHORNE

Christian PORTOKALLAS

Henry Morgan POWELL

William Robert PRESCOTT

James Mark PUDNEY

Aidan PULLINO Chengzhuo QIAN

Hayden Jason REESE

Samuel Henderson REMELJEJ

Ethan Dasen Chiel-Loang RETNARAJA

Blake Lyall ROBERTS

Elijah Thomas David ROBERTS

Charles Paterson ROBERTS
Lucas Marc ROMALDI

Jesse Felix ROTHGREW

Mackenzie Thomas ROYLETT

Kalen Sean RUSSELL Harold Norman SAGE Charlie David SANDERS Jack Austin SCHULTZ Milan Cooper SCULLINO

James Raymond SEMMENS

Boyuan SHI

Charles Christian SIEMER
Henry John SOUTHWOOD

Sam Vladimir Thomas STUNELL

Raymond Craig SUMNER

Chengyu SUN

Luke Michael SZABO

Ziheng TANG

Mack Dinwoodie TAYLOR

Noah Sage THIESSEN

Wil Kevin THOMAS

Nathan Philip THOMAS

Daniel James O'Reilly THOMPSON

Thomas Christopher THREDGOLD

Christopher Mitchell TOWERS

Alfred Kingsley TRUMAN

Thomas Jason TURNBULL

Archie UNDERWOOD

Charlie Cooper VANDENBERG

Frederick Mark VARTULI

Francis Timothy VENNING

Riley Jude VIVIAN

James William Charles WAGSTAFF

Oscar Kaiwen Pan WANG

Jianhe WANG

Yifan WANG

Ashton Michael WARDLE

Hamish Luke WARN

Nicholas Scott Douglas WARNE

Yitao WEI

Otto Peter Koeppen WENDT

Maxwell Lawrance Van WHITTLE

Jack Robert Murray WILKIN

Charles Zerella WUNDENBERG

Zhengyu XU

**Australia Day Honours** 

Congratulations to the following Old Red who was awarded a Medal of the Order of Australia (OAM) in the General Division in the 2024 Australia Day Honours:

Dr Christopher Lex Watson, ACT (PAC 1948-1952)

For service to the community of Belconnen through community conservation.

# Obituary

Anderson, Philip Kingsley	1952-1955
Bacciarelli, Mark Vincent	1966-1971
Bennett, Robert William	1947-1948
Bradley, David Colin	1951-1952
Butler, Barry Neil	1952-1954
Butler, Robert Malcolm	1950-1951
Carter, Maxwell John	1939-1943
Chappell, Andrew Charles	1957-1959
Crossing, Donald Robert	1948-1954
Dalwood, Grant William	1968-1974
Dayman, Lyle Irvine	1944-1946
<b>Dunn</b> , Graham Cecil	1949-1953
<b>Edson</b> , Clayton Ross	1973-1978
<b>Evans</b> , David Wyke	1940-1952
<b>Evans</b> , Robert Annells	1961-1965
Ferris, John Walter	1943-1946
Fisher, Brett Anthony	1980-1983
Fyfe, Alan Robert	1957
Gambling, Ian Norman	1948-1951
Giles, Rohan Ernest	1973-1976
Hale, Robert Palmer	1941-1950
Hannaford, James Linfield	1945-1948
Heron, Ian Craig	1954-1958
Hersey, lan	1946-1949
Hihimanis, Michael	1975-1980
<b>Hobbs</b> , William Harris	1940-1951
Hocking, Ian Winston	1951-1953
Hocking, Ross Gregory	1954-1957
Hodge, James Michael	1955-1961
Holdich, John Roger	1948-1951
Hookham, John	1950-1952
Ireland, Jack Lindsay	1939-1940
<b>Johnson</b> , William Morris	1944-1952
<b>Jolly</b> , Andrew Stanley Dickson	1956-1961
<b>Kerr</b> , David Armstrong	1955-1958
<b>Kitto</b> , Richard Klynton	1952-1956
<b>Lemon</b> , Maxwell John	1946-1955
<b>Le Page</b> , Rex Newbury	1946-1948
Leow, Meng How (Stephen)	1974-1975
<b>Lewis</b> , Frederick Gordon	1946-1948
<b>Lines</b> , Dean Hewett	1950-1953
<b>Lyon</b> , Raymond Allan	1948-1953
McKenzie, James Cotter	1946-1953
Menz, Roger William	1941-1949
Morphett, Arthur du Rieu	1958-1959
Northcott, Brett Lindsay	1978-1982
Paterson, Scott	1956-1957
<b>Pitman</b> , Douglas Talbert	1947-1950
Prendergast, Simon	1985-1989
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Reeves, Edward Charles Wheatley	1955-1956
Reeves, Robert Wheatley	1955-1959
Reid, Ross Treloar Wishart	1935-1941
Richardson, Brian John	1959-1965
<b>Robinson</b> , David John	1960-1964
Rogers, Peter Lindsay	1953-1957
Rowe, David Tidd	1942-1946
<b>Skeer</b> , Lancelot Norman	1949-1950
Smith, John Clement Scott	1957-1958
<b>Solomon</b> , Barry Nathan	1958-1970
<b>Speer</b> , Derek Malcolm	1947-1948
<b>Teague</b> , Lexton Roy	1944
Temby, William David	1950-1961
Tregilgas, John	1955-1960
Tremain, Richard Maurice	1968-1974
<b>Vinall</b> , David Laurence	1956-1960
<b>Walker</b> , John Gilbert	1958-1959
<b>Walkley</b> , John Robert Gilchrist	1956-1960
<b>Walter</b> , Shane Duncan	1979-1986
<b>Warnecke</b> , Peter Gerald	1945-1947
<b>Wheeler</b> , Gregory Hilton	1963-1967
<b>Whiteford</b> , John Briant	1946-1949
<b>Wicks</b> , Rodney Henry	1945-1954
<b>Wilkins</b> , Donald Barry	1957
<b>Woolcock</b> , Richard James	1952-1956

# **Past Presidents**

1878-91	J.A. Hartley	1933 A.G. Collison	1964 J.H. Gerard	1995 C.P. Moffat
1892-93	E.B. Colton	1934 S.W. Jeffries	1965 R.W. Piper	1996 A.M. Olsson
1894	G.M. Evan	1935 P.R. Claridge	1966 R.B. Craven	1997 A.D.C. Walker
1895	G.S. Cotton	1936 L.S. Clarkson	1967 B.A. Fricker	1998 D.J. Blanch
1896	A.W. Piper	1937 F.L. Collison	1968 D.S. Riceman	1999 P.A. Crouch
1897	F.A. Chapman	1938 A.G. Trott	1969 E.F.W. Hunwick	2000 R.J. Hall
1898	A. Hill	1939 J. Crompton	1970 W.M. Johnson	2001 A.J. Brasher
1899	J.H. Chinner	1940 W.J. Hiatt	1971 M.B. McLachlan	2002 S. Heylen
1900	G.W. Cooper	1941 F.T. Cooper	1972 E.V. Cox	2003 A.A. Willcox
1901	J.W. Grasby	1942 L.S. Walsh	1973 J.G. Bundey	2004 F.G. Hamood
1902	A.E. Davey	1943 F.E. Piper	1974 B.K. Hobbs	2005 P.B. Brooks
1903	G.W.R. Lee	1944 H.N. Shepley	1975 B.J. Potter	2006 S.R. Miller
1904	P.E. Johnstone	1945 C.J. Glover	1976 D.J. Tucker	2007 R.M. Wilson
1905-09	W.R. Bayly	1946 G.K. Ryder	1977 R.J. Byrne	2008 A.J. Clarkson
1910-11	A.C. Catt	1947 M.W. Evans	1978 R.G. Gerard	2009 A.J. Clarkson
1912	J.R. Robertson	1948 J.F.W. Dunn	1979 G.C. Marshall	2010 F.G. Hamood
1913-14	N.A. Webb	1949 G.T. Clarke	1980 B.J. Francis	2011 P.B. Brooks
1915-16	W.D. Taylor	1950 D.A. Clarkson	1981 D.C. Hassell	2012 G.B. Burfield
1917-18	A.A.L. Rowley	1951 R.W. Pearson	1982 P.O. Buttery	2013 J. Jovicevic
1919-21	W.S. Kelly	1952 L.P.A. Lawrence	1983 A.M. Olsson	2014 J. Jovicevic
1922	R.O. Fox	1953 R.W.M. Johnson	1984 A.G. Gerard	2015 T.B. Huxtable
1923	S.G. Lawrence	1954 F.H. Chapman	1985 R.W. Hone	2016 T.B. Huxtable
1924	H.H. Cowell	1955 N.A. Walsh	1986 G.D. Evans	2017 T.W. Lambert
1925	M. Erichsen	1956 N. Todd	1987 N.G.A. MacDonald	2018 T.W. Lambert
1926	L.D. Waterhouse	1957 F.C. Hassell	1988 M.W.B. Thompson	2019 T.W. Lambert
1927	T.C. Craven	1958 P.E. Clark	1989 T.P. Moffat	2020 A.R. Letcher
1928	H.B. Piper	1959 N.S. Angel	1990 I.M. Rudd	2021 A.R. Letcher
1929	J.M. Bath	1960 C.L. McKay	1991 P.P. Bacciarelli	2022 A.R. Letcher
1930	W.R. Bayly	1961 A.J. Clarkson	1992 A.L. Chapman	2023 A.D. Sullivan
1931	R. Vardon	1962 A.W. Crompton	1993 G.E. Taplin	2024 A.D. Sullivan
1932	A.L. Bertram	1963 D.L. Davies	1994 C.P. Moffat	

The objectives of the Association are:

- 1. The furtherance of all that appertains to the welfare of Prince Alfred College.
- 2. The promotion of unity and friendship among the old scholars of the College.
- 3. The maintenance of the interest of old scholars of the College.



# Staffing

# Staffing Human Resources



2024 has been another exceptional year for the many people who make up the fabric of the staffing cohort at PAC. I have previously referenced the breadth and depth of our team and how this unique model contributes to culture. However, I wish to emphasise how important this model is for the experience of all our students, and indeed the broader PAC community. Unlike many 'like' schools, our College does not engage with external providers to deliver our core services.

All those wearing a name badge, or uniform, are employed directly by the College– and there is a very powerful shared understanding of why we are here – for our students and families. Whether that translates to being in front of students teaching a lesson, preparing the pitches for cricket, delivering after school and vacation care, supporting boarders, providing health advice, facilitating a range of catered events, teaching swimming, providing unique outdoor education experiences or the many other roles undertaken daily across three campuses, this shared bond makes for a very strong and colourful fabric.

At the commencement of 2024, we welcomed 18 new staff members across a range of roles and have welcomed others over the course of the year. At an Executive level, Jon Gelsthorpe commenced as the new Deputy Headmaster / Head of Preparatory School and Sarah Onions as Director of Admissions and both have been incredibly valuable additions to the team. Formal surveys conducted at the completion of induction consistently reference the welcoming atmosphere experienced. In the words of a new teacher "the warmth and culture of mutual respect was apparent throughout the induction day and put me at great ease. I am thoroughly looking forward to being a part of this dynamic working environment and am already proud to be able to play a part". At a more local Human Resources level, this group were the first to experience the full benefit of the new HR platform, Dayforce, through the onboarding process, and our team has continued to benefit from the efficiencies gained through this investment.

An absolute highlight this year was the articulation of the College Values. Working closely with Liza McNally, the consultative process ensured all our community had a voice. For me personally, facilitating the whole school staff session was an example of culture in action. The enthusiastic exchange of ideas, and passion of staff for the importance of these Values will ensure that the agreed Values of Respect, Excellence, Belonging and Endeavour will further strengthen what makes PAC such a special place. It has been so satisfying to hear how quickly these Values have become part of the collective vernacular.



This report evokes mixed feelings for me, as it marks the last I will write as the Director of Human Resources. I will soon embark on a new challenge outside of education. Considered approaches to succession planning and providing leadership development opportunities for our staff are objectives of our new 2025-2028 Strategic Priority – Exceptional People – and the internal appointment of Angela Rankine to the Executive position, following seven years of committed service to the HR team, is a great example of this strategic commitment being realised. I know Angela will continue to drive HR activities which will support all our staff with care and a considered approach.

I commenced my journey at PAC as a mother to a reserved four-year-old. I joined as a staff member when my son was in Year 9, sharing with him some memorable years culminating in his valedictory. I now finish my time with a capable and loving 22-year-old young man. I will always remain incredibly grateful to all those who contributed to his well-rounded education. I will also always remember my time employed with PAC with great fondness and as a time of personal and professional growth and am thankful for the friendships made, which I know will continue beyond the gates.

#### **Elizabeth Tyson**

Director of Human Resources

# Staff Farewells

This year we farewelled the following staff, all of whom were valued members of the College for more than five years.



Megan McLaughlin Administration Assistant 1995 - 2024

Commencing in 1995, Megan held multiple administrative roles during her 30 years of extensive service to Prince Alfred College. From Main Reception to Student Services, Assistant to the Head & Deputy Head of Middle School and Residential Assistant - Boarding House. Megan also made an

immense contribution to the co-curricular life of the College within numerous sporting activities, fundraising events, organisation of camps and so much more.

Alongside this has always been her caring side for staff and students alike. Her senior first aid has seen her as the first responder for many a diabetic and injured student, all of which she has done with calmness, kindness and confidence. Many staff have also confided in her and valued her support and mentorship.

Hard working, loyal to those she respects, blunt to those she doesn't, and ever dependable as a colleague, mentor, friend and confidant, Megan can hold her head high with the way in which she has committed herself to the College and the service she has provided, without ever having to compromise her personal values and ethics.

Mark Dell'Oro Humanities Teacher



Darren Lyne Accountant 2005 – 2024

Darren has been a critical part of the finance department since 2005 overseeing a broad range of key responsibilities including financial and management accounting, tax compliance and the management of the complex payroll function that exists in unique school environments like ours.

In recent years, he played a lead role in the successful implementation of our new Payroll/HR system (Dayforce), a critical project that represents a major advancement in streamlining the College's back-office operations. This achievement reflects his dedication to innovation and operational excellence.

Darren will be greatly missed both personally and professionally, and will be remembered for his dedication and loyalty to the College, his meticulous eye for detail, his willingness to take on new challenges and for being a trusted colleague to all. He has earned the respect and admiration of all who have worked with him, not only for his technical expertise but also for his friendly and collaborative nature.

Darren has accepted a new and exciting opportunity with a national software company and we extend our heartfelt congratulations to him and wish him all the best as he embarks on this new chapter in his career.



Gary Jenkinson
Assistant Director Wambana
2002 – 2024

Gary joined Prince Alfred College in 2002 and over his 23-years of service to the College, he fulfilled many differing roles. A quote, from a James Taylor song lyric that he likes is, "The secret of life is enjoying the passage of time".

Gary has thoroughly enjoyed being a part of the PAC Community. First and foremost, however, he was a dedicated educator of young men, teaching predominantly English, Physical Education, Humanities and Science to students in Years 7 to 9. Furthermore, he had an impact coaching Australian Rules Football and Cricket over that time. His highlights included coaching the PAC 1st XVIII side for six years, from 2005 to 2010. PAC won five consecutive Intercols, were Statewide Champions in 2008 and 2010, and runners-up in 2006, under his leadership.

Gary was the Director of Sport at PAC from 2009 to 2013, a role that he approached with a great deal of passion and joy. In 2011, he took five, very talented PAC tennis players, who had won the National Championships, to represent Australia in the World Schools Tennis Championships, in Le Touquet, France. The team placed fourth in the world. As a long serving 2nd XI Cricket coach, he assisted the 1st XI team during their England Tours of 2011 and 2017. Gary was awarded Life Membership of Sports Association of Adelaide Schools in 2012.

In 2019, Gary was excited to be appointed the Deputy Director of Wambana, a role that he held up until his retirement. His positive mentoring and passion for education cannot be understated during his Wambana time. His teaching created a learning environment, in which interesting experiences were commonplace. This created discipline and order, and he developed a strong and positive rapport with his students. Gary is looking forward to the next season of his life, one in which he and his wife Belinda, can spend ever increasing time with their six grandchildren, and of course see a little more of the

#### **Dale Hobbs**

Director of Wambana



Robby Bond-Wallner Human Resources Advisor 1999 – 2002 and 2008 – 2024

After close to 20 years of extraordinarily dedicated service to the College, Robby Bond-Wallner retired at the end of 2024.

Robby personifies what it is means to be a PAC servant leader – her focus and care is always beyond self. She has incredible intuition, brings

authenticity to conversations, will always ask pertinent questions to check in on the wellbeing of others, and importantly then follow up.

Combined with these traits is enormous talent across the HR domain. Robby's attention to detail to ensure all employment arrangements are accurate is second to none. She is both pro-active and incredibly responsive and offers a level of service which always places PAC in the most positive light. So often new staff members have offered feedback on how welcoming and helpful Robby has been in their first interactions with their new employer.

At a personal level, it has been such a pleasure to work with someone who identifies with PAC as something so much more than their place of work. Robby's willingness to go above and beyond is immeasurable, and she holds herself to a very high standard.

Robby truly 'upholds the red and white'.....and whilst she 'marches on into another day'.....which will hopefully be filled with joy, family, time for her community contributions to CFS and more travel, she will leave an incredible legacy.

**Elizabeth Tyson**Director of Human Resources



Alan Daws Project Manager 2008 - 2024

Alan Daws commenced at the College in January 2008 in the role of Project Manager. Over his time at the College Alan has overseen a number of major developments including the Piper Pavilion, RED Centre Development, new Boarding House and the Dining Room and recent Library extension amongst some of

the more recent building projects.

Alan brought immeasurable skills to his role which resulted in many impressive infrastructure additions to the College footprint. We are appreciative of all that Alan has achieved at the College and wish him well in the future.

Steve Bacon

Director of Corporate Services



Micha Jensen
Coordinator Student Experience
2007 – 2024

After an amazing 33 years of connection to this College, firstly as a student and then as a wonderful employee and colleague, Micha departed the school in 2024 in pursuit of new adventures.

During his time at the College, Micha has 'worn many hats' and added

value to every area he has been a part of, demonstrating his versatility and passion for education. Micha is an energetic, hands-on, and loyal educator who valued student experience above all else. and, His student-first mentality created experiences and journeys that every student at the College could access and thrive in. Not afraid to get his hands dirty, Micha took Scotts Creek into a new era with a big focus on sustainability and improving student connections to nature. Whether it be kayaking down the river on a frosty morning, hiking the Himalayas at sunrise, paddling in New Zealand, or teaching Year 5's about biodiversity, Micha always made each experience a teachable moment, a chance for students to connect with nature, face challenges, problem solve and work in teams.

After 10 years at Scotts Creek, Micha returned to the Kent Town campus where he once again dived into many opportunities. Reinvigorating the Wesley Cup; Athletics Day and Swimming Carnival; co-ordinating the Senior outdoor education expeditions; assisting with tours; and co-ordinating the badminton and Duke of Edinburgh programs, Micha continued his incredible commitment to the boys and the College.

Micha's work ethic, warm heart, and unwavering dedication to the school will be dearly missed. His impact on the PAC community, along with his legacy at Scotts Creek, has left a mark that will endure for generations to come. Micha has forever influenced the lives of the students he taught and led on tours, the colleagues he collaborated with, and the parents he worked alongside.

As Micha heads off on his next adventure, we wish him and his family all the best ....with many epic journeys into the great outdoors.

"Earth and sky, woods and fields, lakes and rivers, the mountain and the sea, are excellent schoolmasters, and teach of us more than we can ever learn from books." –John Lubbock.

#### **Troy McKinnon**

Director of Co-Curricular Activities

#### **Phil Noble**

Director of Boarding



Marie Viscione Finance Officer - Payroll 2008 - 2024

Marie has been a long serving stalwart of the finance department, commencing in a purchasing role over 16 years ago. Since that time, Marie's role has grown significantly seeing her take on payroll responsibilities and being involved in co-curricular roles in the junior cricket, soccer and tennis programs.

Marie has provided excellent service to PAC during her tenure and has had an impact on every department within the College. She will be greatly missed by a broad range of stakeholders, both personally and professionally, and she will be remembered for her kind and friendly nature and her unwavering work ethic and commitment to the College. Marie always went over and above her regular duties to ensure she provided great service and outcomes for her colleagues and she was the ultimate team player.

Marie leaves the College with intentions to become more involved in her family's businesses and to give herself more opportunities to cherish precious moments with her growing family, including the recent arrival of her fourth grandchild. Whilst we are saddened by her departure, we are genuinely happy for Marie as she embraces these new opportunities and adventures ahead.

**Craig Tasborski**Director of Finance



Heather O'Hara
Preparatory School Teacher and
Team Leader
2009 - 2024

Heather O'Hara began her journey at Prince Alfred College in 2009. Over the past fifteen years, she has provided outstanding service within Junior Primary and across the broader College community. As an influential mentor and passionate advocate for curriculum excellence,

Heather's dedication to teaching, learning, and leadership has yielded remarkable outcomes for both staff and students.

In Junior Primary, the boys have benefited from engaging, rigorous, and evidence-based learning experiences, underpinned by explicit direct instruction. Meanwhile, teachers and co-educators have flourished in a culture where their ideas are valued, practices are continuously refined, and a commitment to ongoing improvement is embraced.

Heather is celebrated not only for her remarkable achievements at Prince Alfred College but also for her unwavering love and dedication to her family. This year has been particularly momentous for Heather: her eldest child, Malachi, graduated high school; her middle child, Lily, received impressive accolades in cheerleading; and her youngest, Charlie, continued to dominate the local football and cricket scene.

Heather's legacy will resonate within the gates of Prince Alfred College and the wider educational community for many years to come. We are deeply grateful for her years of dedicated service and leadership. As she embarks on an exciting new chapter in her career, we wish her every success and happiness.

## **Chris Richards**Preparatory School Teacher



Mark Dickens Chaplain 2009 - 2024

In 2024 we bid farewell to our College Chaplain, Reverend Mark Dickens, whose journey at Princes began in Term 3 of 2009. In the time since, Mark has made an indelible mark on our community, touching the lives of students, staff, families, and Old Scholars alike.

Inside the College, Mark's role included the Early Learning Centre to Year 12. In his most obvious role as Chaplain, Mark worked hard to develop values-driven services that are inclusive of all of us, regardless of our faith backgrounds.

Furthermore, Mark showed a dedication to facilitating and supporting community service activities at the school. In the Prep school, he has overseen initiatives like the Hutt Street Centre's "Walk a Mile in My Boots" and the food and Christmas present collections for Uniting Care Wesley Bowden.

One of Mark's most notable contributions has been the initiation and leadership of no less than nine trips to Cambodia. Mark was instrumental in developing meaningful and sustainable partnerships with communities and organisations in the country. These trips, which began with PAC and later included Saints Girls, have involved approximately 140 boys. These experiences have not only broadened their horizons but also instilled a deep sense of service and compassion in our students. Staff were deeply affected by their involvement in the program and the chance to witness our boys at their best.

Outside the school gates, Mark has represented the College in the most significant moments of our families' and Old Scholars' lives, conducting weddings, baptisms, and funerals. His presence has given the College a face at a time of celebration and been a source of comfort and support on behalf of all of us.

Mark has been grateful for the flexibility provided by the College in fulfilling his Chaplaincy role in the Australian Army. Mark offered chaplaincy support during the Australian Government's Regional Assistance Mission to the Solomon Islands in 2012. Following the 2019-20 bushfires on Kangaroo Island, he was seconded as a Disaster Recovery Support Worker in 2021 and his work there was invaluable. These experiences have enriched Mark's life and allowed him to serve his community in extraordinary ways.

#### **Mike Oomens**

Teacher of Film (Design/Art/Film/Technology)



Lisa Lacy Preparatory School Teacher 2011 - 2024

After 14 remarkable years at Prince Alfred College, we bid a heartfelt farewell to Lisa Lacy, whose contributions have left an indelible mark on our school community. Lisa's journey with us began in 2011, and since then, she has worn many hats with grace and distinction.

Lisa's versatility as an educator is truly commendable. She has taught across various grades, from Years 6, 5, 4, and more recently, in Year 2. She has even taken on some temporary relief teaching roles. Her leadership skills shone brightly during her six years as Team Leader for Years 5 and 6, and her passion for mathematics was evident during her two-year tenure as Numeracy Leader. Lisa's dedication to fostering a love for poetry led her to spearhead our inclusion in the poetry journal and competitions and included serving as the competition convenor for IPSHA SA.

Another of Lisa's recent achievements was the development of the Girls Schools Program, which now spans the entire Prep School. Her previous experience in corporate areas has undoubtedly contributed to her exceptional organisational skills and professional demeanour. Colleagues often describe Lisa as kind and caring, always ready to support others, whether by baking delicious lemon cakes for staff at recess or ensuring everything is meticulously prepared for the day ahead. Lisa's ability to find joy in every situation is inspiring; she even dressed up as Joy for Book Week, bringing fun and laughter to the school.

As Lisa embarks on a new chapter at Pedare Junior School as Assistant Head – Wellbeing and Student Life, we know she will continue to inspire and lead with the same passion and dedication she has shown at Prince Alfred College. Thank you, Lisa, for your years of service, your kindness, and your unwavering commitment to excellence.

**John Shackleton**Deputy Head of Preparatory School



Nicole Wauchope ELC Co-Educator 2012 - 2024

Nicole is a dedicated early childhood educator who spent 12 years in the Early Learning Centre working primarily with our youngest citizens – the Toddlers. She leaves us this year to embark on a new role.

Nicole made a significant impact on the lives of young children

throughout her time at the ELC. Her passion for nurturing the growth and development of toddlers was evident in her hands-on approach to teaching and her ability to create an engaging, supportive learning environment. Nicole was always available to the children with open arms, an endearing smile and a word of encouragement.

A mother of three herself, Nicole was a wealth of knowledge and a source of comfort for all families – new, existing and returning - offering motherly advice and an understanding ear.

Nicole was a great team player and was well respected and liked by all who had the pleasure of working alongside her. She was a good sport dressing up for Book Week, pyjama days and coming along to ELC events. Her infectious laugh could always be heard in the staffroom.

We are sad to see Nicole leave the ELC but excited for her new chapter as she heads into a leadership role as an Assistant Director. She will always be remembered fondly by everyone young and old and we wish her every success wherever her journey may take her. Thank you for your dedicated service, Nicole. You will be very missed.

**Melanie Garland**Director ELC



**Tom Maple**IT Service Delivery Manager
2017 - 2024

Tom joined the College as an ICT Customer Service Officer in 2017, quickly demonstrating his technical capability and strong work ethic. His dedication to always providing high quality service was exceptional. During his time here, Tom developed meaningful and positive professional relationships with staff from all

departments. We all miss his relentlessly positive attitude and good humour.

Tom's hard work and commitment did not go unnoticed; he was promoted twice internally, ultimately concluding his journey at the College as ICT Service Delivery Manager. In this role, he led his team with diligence and integrity, ensuring that service delivery was always aligned with the College's goals. As he moves into a leadership role at another school, we wish him all the best.

#### **Daniel Goldsworthy**

Director of ICT



Elizabeth Tyson
Director of Human Resources
2017 - 2024

After seven years of exceptional and dedicated service, Elizabeth Tyson resigned from the College in October 2024. Starting in February of 2017, Elizabeth joined as the Director of Human Resources. A valued member of the Executive team, she has elevated the Human Resources function to drive the strategic

priorities of the College.

Through all her dealings with staff she has brought a sense of kindness and warmth as well as a healthy dose of pragmatism. Among her many achievements has been the introduction of our HRIS system, Dayforce, and the development of the school Values. Elizabeth has worked hard to develop Human Resources into a professional and customer-focused team under her leadership.

Elizabeth is always generous with her time and keeps people at the centre of everything she does, tackling any challenges with positivity and a smile. Without a doubt she has left her mark at PAC and we will be forever grateful for the leadership she has shown in her time at the College.

Elizabeth leaves us to take up a role in the corporate sector, where we are sure she will make an impact as she has at PAC. We wish her all the very best.

**Angela Rankine** 

Director of People and Culture



Anna Williams Mathematics Teacher 2018 - 2024

Anna started at Prince Alfred College in the January of 2018. During that time Anna dutifully fulfilled many roles within the mathematics faculty which have helped, significantly, to shape it.

Anna has been described by her colleagues as always being willing to

help, an FX Graph extraordinaire and deeply caring for her students and their progress. She is always exceptionally well prepared, ensuring that her lessons were the very best they could have been. She is extremely hard working, has extraordinary attention to detail and generous with her time to all. Generally and mathematically, Anna is highly organised, incredibly precise and always willing to share her years of experience and know-how.

For her contribution to PAC over the last seven years, we say a heartfelt thank you.

#### **Anthony Harradine**

Head of Mathematics



Janice Cadiz Librarian 2018 - 2024

During Term 1, we farewelled Janice Cadiz, the Senior School librarian. Janice started her journey with us at the Preparatory Library where she had the opportunity to instil in our boys a passion for reading from an early age. Her wonderful creative skills were showcased often when she designed intricate and colourful

displays for the libraries across both campuses.

During her time at the Secondary School Library, Janice made a significant and positive impact on the library community by contributing to a welcoming and inclusive environment as well as by supporting our Senior students with their research needs.

We would like to thank Janice for her dedication and wish her every success in her next chapter.

#### **Ana Grieve**

Head Librarian



## Tim Earle Assistant Head of Mathematics 2019 - 2024

Tim started at Prince Alfred College in the January of 2019. He took on the important role of Assistant Head of Mathematics (Theoretical) during 2023 and 2024.

Tim has been described as a contributor beyond the classroom including his involvement in athletics

and the Heysen 160 service-learning initiative. Tim is someone who always provides well considered decisions and instils confidence in those around him. Tim is a great teacher with a balanced, calm and caring approach. Tim is clever, humble, inclusive and takes the time to understand people. He is often described as wise beyond his years.

Tim will be sorely missed from the Mathematics faculty and we thank him for his contribution to PAC over the last six years.

#### **Anthony Harradine**

Head of Mathematics



Maddy Higgs Preparatory School Teacher 2019 - 2024

Maddy has been an exceptional colleague and a shining light to everyone fortunate enough to work alongside her in Junior Primary at Prince Alfred College. She joined us in 2019 as a one-to-one support while continuing her studies, and her transition to full-time teaching after completing her degree in early

childhood education was seamless.

From the start, it was clear she had a natural ability to connect with and inspire every student she worked with. Her kindness, thoughtfulness, and empathy shine through in all she does, creating a warm and supportive environment not only for her students, but also for her colleagues. Maddy always had time for everyone—whether it was an eager parent seeking reassurance or a colleague in need of some support. She would check in with genuine care, following up to make sure things were on track, always ready to listen and help however she could.

Maddy's passion for teaching and learning has been evident in the creative and well-prepared lessons she consistently delivered, as well as in her knack for tailoring her teaching to meet the unique needs of every boy in her classroom. Whether it was extending a concept for those ready for a challenge or offering support to those who needed some extra help, Maddy always approached her work with grace, care and dedication

Her commitment to the wellbeing of her students has been incredible. Maddy has a remarkable ability to make each child feel heard and valued, ensuring their happiness and personal growth were always at the forefront. A quintessential team player, Maddy has also contributed to our community beyond the classroom, participating in quiz nights, social events, and the much-loved staff versus student showdowns.

From her infectious enthusiasm during sports days to the magic she brought to nativity performances, Maddy's contributions have left a lasting impact on both her students and our team. Maddy, it has been an absolute pleasure to support your classroom and witness your incredible passion in action. As you embark on your next chapter, know that we will miss you immensely, but wish you every success in your new ventures. Your next team is incredibly lucky to have you!

**The Preparatory Reception Team** 



#### Fran Greenwood Voice Coordinator 2020 - 2024

Fran joined the Music Team at the start of 2020 – just in time for the onset of the 'COVID era'! Singing was an activity that received a high level of scrutiny in this period, with discussions on 'aerosols' and 'safe singing distance' being a regular occurrence, along with the battle of trying to teach singing with masks on

and/or via Zoom. It was this baptism of fire that showed us the sort of asset we had in Fran; relentlessly kind and optimistic, organised and hard working. With her background as an experienced jazz vocalist and primary music classroom educator, she quickly brought a sense of order but also fun to vocal ensembles, which set the tone for 5 years of positive growth under her guidance.

Building the quantity and quality of singing across the College was a key goal for Fran, and she has done just that. In the Preparatory School, the Junior Voices Year 3-6 ensemble has doubled in size with around 40 members, with the new Young Voices (R-2) at 28 boys, plus the auditioned Prep Small Vocal group that features top quality singing and movement in the 'boy band' style. In Secondary, all ensemble singers are now receiving individual vocal tuition, and in 2025 there will be three groups competing at Generations in Jazz – up from two in 2024, and just one for many years before that. Her impact has also been tangible on Prep Arts Hour, several musical productions, House Music and the onset of outstanding solo vocalists, along with the broader culture of the Music Department.

We wish Fran all the best in her exciting new role as a Leader of Learning: Music, and we look forward to building on the exceptional foundation she has provided the Voice Program in her 5 years of wonderful service.

#### **Andrew Edge**

Director of Music

## **Staff 2024**

Ms R Abla (2019), B.Dramatic Arts (Lebanon), Dip.CSECE (Equals) - Co-Educator, Early Learning Centre

Ms S Abou-Mosleh (2023) - Canteen/Catering Assistant

Ms C Abraham (2023-May 2024) - Catering Assistant

Mrs N Adam (2022), B.Ed. (Secondary Physical Education) (UniSA), M.Ed (Deakin), Grad.Cert.Ed.(CathEd) (UniSA) - Teacher

Mr K Adams (2023) – Administrative Assistant Preparatory School and Secondary School Student Services, Co-Curricular Administrative Assistant

Miss M Adams (2022) – OSHC Team Member; Learning Support Co-Educator, Preparatory School

Mr M Ahearn (2021), Cert IV in Community Services (Student Residential Care) - Residential Boarding Assistant

Mrs N Alcantara (2014-Sept 2024) - Housekeeping Assistant

Ms S Alwa (2024) - Kitchen Hand, Scotts Creek

Mr S Ambrose (2022-2024), B.Sport Hlth.Phys.Act. (Outdoor Education) (Flinders) – Outdoor Education Instructor, Scotts Creek

Mr F Andari (2022), B.Medicinal Chemistry (Flinders), M.Sc. (Chemistry) (Flinders) – Laboratory Manager

Dr S Anderson (2022), B.Int.Studies(Hons.) (History) (Adelaide), PhD (History) (Adelaide), M.Teach.(Secondary) (Tasmania) - Teacher

Mr B Ashby (2024) - Athletic Development Coach

Ms C Aunger (2023) – Outdoor Education Instructor, Scotts Creek

Ms L Austin (2021) – OHSC Team Member/Supervisor; Learning Support Co-Educator, Preparatory School

Ms E Avery (2024), B.A.(Dance), B.Ed.(Primary) (Tabor), Dip.Language Teach.(French), M.Language Studies (Flinders) - Teacher

Mrs S Ayton (2023), B.A. (Adelaide), B.Ed. (Uni SA) - Teacher

Mr M Bailey (2011), B.A. Liberal Studies - Literature and Psychology (UniSA), Grad.Dip.Ed. (Secondary) (La Trobe) – Teacher

Mr J Bain (2021-2024), B.Outdoor Ed.(Extended) (La Trobe), M.Appl. Learning and Teaching (Secondary) (Deakin) - Outdoor Educator, Wambana, Acting Deputy Director of Wambana Terms 3 and 4

Mrs K Baker (2018-May 2024), B.App.Sc. (Nursing) (UC) – College Nurse (relief)

Mr S Baker (2023), B.App.Sc. (Uni SA) – Head of Athletic Development and Performance

Mr PM Balestrin (1996), B.Ed. (Technology) (UniSA), Teacher; eduKART Coordinator

Mrs G Bandara (2024), Dip.Human Resource Management, Prof.Qual. Human Resource Management (IPM Sri Lanka), Cert IV Training and Assessment (TAFESA) – People and Culture Advisor

Mrs A Barrett (Nov 2024), B.Nursing (Flinders), Dip.HR Management (AOT) – People and Culture Coordinator

Mr T Bartlett (2023) - Outdoor Educator, Wambana

Mr S Barton (2009), B.Ed.(Junior Primary/Primary Teaching) (UniSA) – Teacher; Head of Sport, Preparatory School

Mr M Bautista (2024) – Catering Assistant/Events Assistant

Mr A Bean (2018), B.A.(History English), B.Teach. (Adelaide) - Teacher

Dr E Beattie (2019), Grad.Dip.Ed. (Adelaide), B.A.(Hons.) (Durham), M.A. (Warwick), D.Phil. (Oxon) – Teacher

Ms M Bedford (2023) - Outdoor Education Instructor, Scotts Creek

Mr S Behan (2007), B.Ed.(Hons.) (Hertfordshire, UK) – Teacher; Team Leader, Middle Primary (Years 3-4)

Mr H Benn (2023) – Catering Assistant; Laboratory Assistant

Ms M Bennett (2021), Dip.Outdoor Recreation (TAFE), Cert III and IV Ed.Support (FTTA) – Learning Support Co-Educator, Preparatory School

Miss A Bianchetti (2017), B.Lang. (French Studies and Italian) (Adelaide), M.T.Sec. (Languages Education) (UniSA) - Teacher

Mr G Bishop (2004), Dip.T. (Hartley CAE), B.Ed. (Magill, SACAE) - Teacher

Mrs M Bishop (2004), Dip.Ed. (Melbourne), B.Ed. (ECE) (UniSA) – Deputy Director, Early Learning Centre; Teacher, Early Learning Centre

Ms J Blanchard-Paterson (2020), AMUSA (2018), B.Mus. (Adelaide), M.Occupational Therapy – Violin/Viola Tutor; Strings Coordinator

Ms R Blenkiron (2016), Dip.T., Grad.Dip.Ed. (Reading and Language Education) (SACA), Cert.Intl.School Leadership (Principals' Training Centre, London) – Boarding Assistant

Mrs J Blethyn (2007), B.Ed.(Junior Primary/Primary) (UniSA) - Teacher

Ms B Bogdanovic (2008) - Housekeeping Assistant

Miss G Boler (2017), Dip.Early Childhood Education and Care (ACCCO) – Co-Educator, Early Learning Centre; Acting Early Learning Centre Operations Coordinator

Mrs R Bond-Wallner (2008-2024) – HR Advisor, People and Culture Advisor

Ms G Boon (2024) - Co-Educator, Early Learning Centre

Mr N Bowden (2023), B.Constr.Mgmt. & Eco.(Hons.) (Uni SA) – First VIII Rowing Coach

Miss E Bozanic (2019), Cert IV Community Services Work, Cert IV Education Support (TAFESA) – Learning Support Co-Educator, Preparatory School, OSHC Supervisor/Team Member

Mr G Brand (2018), B.Ed. (SA CAE), Dip.T.(Secondary) (SA CAE) – Technology Assistant

Mr J Brazier (2022) – Events Assistant; Invigilator

Mr A Brennan (2023) - Rowing Coach

Mr L Brice (2024) - Maintenance Officer, Scotts Creek

Mrs R Brice (2007), Cert III in Ed. (Mt Gambier TAFE) – Learning Support Co-Educator, Preparatory School

Miss A Brister (2021), Cert III Ed.Support (Marden) – Boarding Assistant

Mr J Brister (2024) - Duty Manager, RED Centre

Mrs M Brister (2007), B.Ed.(Hons.)(Junior Primary/Primary) (UniSA) – Teacher

Ms S Bromley (2023), B.Bus. (UniSA), MBA (Deakin), Cert IV Ed.Support (TAFESA) – Boarding Assistant

Mr G Brooksby (2015), B.Ed.(Secondary - Outdoor and Physical Education) (UniSA) – Teacher; Academic Leader – PE/Outdoor Education

Mr Paul Brown (2017), B.Phys.Ed. (ACPE, Sydney) – Teacher; Head of Sport, Secondary School

Mr Peter Brown (2024) - Middle School First XI Cricket Coach

Dr S Browning (2016), B.Sc.(Hons.)(Pure and Applied Mathematics) (University of Kent), Grad.Dip.Ed. (Adelaide), PhD Mathematics (UniSA) - Academic Registrar, Daily Organiser, Secondary School Operations

Mr P Bubner (1996), B.Ed., Dip.T. (SACAE) - Teacher

Mr P Bunce (2024), B.Sc.(Hons)(Geography), M.Sc.(Hons.)(Sustainable Management of Natural Resources) (University of Leicester), PGCE (Sec. Geography Education) (University College London) – Teacher

Ms B Butprasit (2019), Cert III Commercial Cookery (TAFE) – Chef/ Catering Assistant

Mr W Butprasit-Huynh (2021), Catering Assistant

Mrs J Cadiz (nee Manalo) (2018-Mar 2024), B.Lib.Information Studies. (University of Philippines) – Librarian

Mr H Caicedo Murillo (2019) – Labourer – Grounds, Groundsperson

Ms M Campo Granada (2024) - Housekeeping Assistant

Mrs M (Chuan Yu Hsiao) Camporeale (2014), Cert III Children's Services, Dip.Children's Services (ECEC) (TAFESA) – Co-Educator, Early Learning Centre

Mr J Carder (2024) – Director of Cricket

Mr L Cardone (2024) - Academic Tutor, Exam Invigilator

Mrs J Catt (2024), B.Early Childhood Education (UniSA) – Teacher, Early Learning Centre

Mr A Chambers (2023) - Maintenance Officer

Mrs K Chapman (2013) - Housekeeping Assistant

Mr M Charlwood (2010), B.A.(Hons.)(Economics) (Liverpool), PGCE (Liverpool), B.Ed. (Early Childhood) (UniSA), M.Ed.(Research) (Adelaide) – Teacher, Early Learning Centre

 $\mbox{Mr}$  M Chen (2015), MBA (Macquarie), CPA – Risk and Compliance Manager

Mr K Cheng (2024) - Catering Assistant

Mr H Cheung (2024) - Catering/Café Assistant

Ms J Chiu (2020), Dip.CSECE (TAFESA) – Co-Educator, Early Learning Centre

Ms B Christie (2018), M.Ed.(Research), B.SocSc., Grad.Dip.Ed (Adelaide) – Teacher; Literacy Coordinator

Ms Y Chuang (2021), M.Teach. (UniSA) – OSHC Team Member

Mr O Clark (2023) – Boarding Assistant

Ms S Ciby (2023) - Chef

Mr D Coats (2015), M.Ed.(Special Education), Post.Grad.B.Ed.(Special Ed/Middle Schooling), B.Sc.(Psychology) (Flinders) – Teacher; Inclusive Education Coordinator

Mr D Cocca (2024) – Boarding Assistant

Mr L Cocks (2023), B.Hum.Mov., M.Teach.Sec. (UniSA), – Outdoor Educator, Wambana

Mr R Colaiacovo (2003), B.Sc.(Maths and Comp.Sc.), (Hons.Appl.Maths), Grad.Dip.Ed. (Adelaide) – Teacher; Head of House Senior

Mr J Colebatch (2024), B.Management (Marketing) (UniSA), M.Teach. (Primary) (UniWA) - Teacher

Ms A Cole (2023) - Catering Assistant

Mr J Coleman (2014), Cert III Library Info.Services – Head Librarian, Preparatory School

Miss A Cook (2020) – Outdoor Education Instructor, Scotts Creek

Ms B Coppinger-Starkey (2022-Sept 2024) – Laundry Assistant

Ms G Costello (2024), B.A.(ANU), Grad.Dip.Library & Information Management (University of Canberra), TESOL (CELTA) - Librarian

Mr C Craigie (2023) - Boarding Assistant

Ms H Cremasco (2011), Dip.T., B.Ed. (UniSA), M.Ed. (Northern Arizona University), Cert III Lab.Ops. (MSC) – Laboratory Technician

Ms J Cresp (2019), B.Ed.Early Childhood (Swinburne) – Teacher, Early Learning Centre

Mrs T Crockford (2023) – Preparatory School Administrative Assistant

Mrs S Crosby (2008) - Wambana 'Nanna'

Ms D Cross (2020), B.T./B.A. (Adelaide) - Teacher; Subject Coordinator - Geography

Mr J Cross (2006), B.Ed.(Technology) (UniSA) - Teacher

Mr B Cummings (2024), B.Sc.(Human Movement) (UniSA), M.Teach. (Sec.) (Newcastle) – Outdoor Education Instructor, Wambana

Mr H Dangerfield (2023) - Events Assistant

Mrs K Davies (2023), Dip.Bus.(Tourism) (TAFESA) – Boarding Assistant

Ms S Davies (2019), B.Management(International Marketing) (UniSA), Industry Certificate in Festival and Event Design and Management (Flinders), Grad.Cert.Gastronomy (Adelaide/Le Cordon Bleu), Dip.d'Université du Gout, de la Gastronomie et des Arts de la Table (University of Reims), Cert V in Celebrancy (Academy of Celebrancy) – Manager, Events and Venues

Mrs C Dawe (2009), B.A., Grad.Dip.Ed. (Monash) - Teacher

Mr A Daws (2008-Jul 2024) – Project Manager Building Developments

Mrs B Dawson (2015), B.A. (Adelaide), Grad.Dip.T.and L. (Junior Primary/Primary) (CDU), M.Ed.(Leadership and Innovation) (Adelaide) – Teacher; Team Leader, Upper Primary (5-6)

Ms S Dawson (2021), B.Sc.Ed.(Health Promotion) (Auburn Uni, AL USA), Cert IV Education Support (FCC), Tennis Coach (ICF Level 2) – Learning Support Co-Educator, Preparatory School

Mr M Dell'Oro (2006), Dip.T., B.Ed., (SACAE), M.Ed. (UWA), MACEL – Teacher

Ms P Devi (2021), Dip.ECEC (Enable) – Co-Educator, Early Learning Centre

Mr J de Wit (2024) - Outdoor Education Instructor, Wambana

Mrs N de Wit (2012), Cert IV Management, Dip.Bus.Management (Mt Barker TAFE) –Executive Assistant to the Head of Secondary School; Minute Secretary, Risk and Compliance Committee of Council

Ms E Dibb (2018), B.A. (Adelaide), B.A.(Hons.) (Politics and Women's studies) (Adelaide), Grad.Dip.Ed. (Adelaide) – Teacher

Ms A Diloy (Oct 2024) - Laundry Assistant

Mr C Downing (2010), Adv.Dip.Information Systems (Networking) (TAFESA) – ICT Systems Engineer

Mrs T Dunn (2024) - Assistant Manager, College Shop

Mrs S Dragovic (2019), B.Nursing, Grad.Cert.Health (Paediatric Nursing) (Flinders), RN – College Nurse (Relief)

Mr C Drew (2018), B.Sc. (Adelaide), B.Eng.(Hons.)(Civil Engineering) (Adelaide), PGDip.Management (TAFE), B.Ed.Grad.Ent.(Sec.) (CDU) – Teacher; Assistant Head of Mathematics – General

Mr J Dundon (2024) - Academic Tutor, Football Coach, Exam Invigilator

Mrs E Dunlop (nee Morvan) (2016), Cert III in Children's Services, Dip. Children's Services (Early Childhood Education and Care) (Recognition First) – Operations Coordinator, Early Learning Centre

Mr T Earle (2019-2024) B.Eng.(Hons.)(Chemical), B.Sc., M.Teach. (Adelaide) – Teacher; Assistant Head of Mathematics – Theoretical;

Mr A Edge (2017), B.Music, Grad.Dip.Ed. (Adelaide) – Teacher; Head of Music

Ms E Elkhoury (2023), Cert III & IV in Fitness (AIPT) – Rowing Coach

Mr J Ellis (2010), Dip.T. (Sturt CAE), Dip.Rec. (ARDC - NSW), B.Ed. (Flinders), M.Ed.(Ed. Psych.), Grad.Dip.Ed.Admin. (Flinders), Cambridge ESOL-CELTA (SACE) - Teacher

Mr W Ellis (2020), B.Ec., B.Ec.(Hons.), B.Law(Hons.), Grad.Dip.Legal Practice (ALS), M.T.Spec.Ed.Sec. (Flinders) - Teacher; Head of House Senior

Mr P England (2018) – Events and Catering Assistant

Mr J Erbe (2024) - Football Coach, Duty Manager, RED Centre

Ms | Eve (2024) - Events Assistant

Ms H Ewer (2020), Dip.OSHC (TAFESA) - OSHC Director

Mr T Ewer (2022) - OSHC Team Member

Mrs C Fagioli (2006) – Laundry Assistant

Mrs C Fanker (2017), B.Ed.EC. (Swinburne) – Teacher, Early Learning Centre

Mr S Farmer (2024) - Outdoor Education Instructor

Mrs K Fassina (1992) - Administrative Assistant, Property Services

Mr H Fielke (2023), B.Sp.Hlth.& Phys.Act. (Flinders) – Outdoor Education Instructor, Scotts Creek

Mr B Fleming (2023), B.Design (UniSA) - Graphic Designer

Ms H Flowers (2018) - Catering Assistant

Mr D Foote (2024) - Catering Assistant

Mr O Fox (2023), B.Ed.(Prim.& Spec.Ed.), B.Disability Studies (Flinders) - Teacher

Mr M Foy (2004), B.A., Dip.Ed. (Adelaide), M.Soc.Sc. (UniSA) - Teacher

Mr M Foyle (2022), B.Human Movement (Uni SA) – Outdoor Education Instructor, Scotts Creek

Ms M Fragomeni (2018), B.Ed.(Middle/Secondary) (Flinders), B.A (Flinders) - Teacher

Ms T Franco (2024) - Cleaner

Ms L Fraser (2022-2024), B.Outdoor Ed. (La Trobe) – Outdoor Educator, Wambana

Mr G Fulwood (2021-Sept 2024) – Duty Manager, RED Centre

Mr R Gabbasov (2024) – Housekeeping Assistant

Ms A Galbraith (2010) – Catering Assistant

Mr G Gardner (2017) – B.Ec. (Hons.) (Adelaide), M.Public Affairs (Princeton), M.Teach. (Secondary) (UniSA) – Teacher; Academic Leader – Commerce, Law and Public Policy

Ms S Gao (2021) , Dip.ECEC (Inspire) – Co-Educator, Early Learning Centre

Mr M Gibson (2023) - Rowing Coach

Mr P Giffard (2022) B.Psych.Science (Flinders), Dip.Counselling (Ikon) M.Arts (Strategy & Policy) (UNSW), Grad.Cert.Loss, Grief and Trauma Counselling (Flinders) – College Counsellor

Mr B Gilbert (2014), B.Ed.(Secondary Technology) (UniSA), Mechanical Engineering Studies (TAFESA), Cert I General Construction (NEVC), Cert IV Assessment and Workplace Training (TAFESA) - Teacher

Ms R Gleed (2021), Adv.Cert.Child Care (TAFE) - Co-Educator, Early Learning Centre

Mr A Gniel (2022) – Events Assistant

Ms R Gohl (2020), Cert III ECEC - Co-Educator, Early Learning Centre

Mr D Goody (2022) - Maintenance/Caretaker, Wambana

Mrs E Gough (2022), B.Sc.(Pharmacology & Physiology) (Adelaide), B.Ed.(Secondary) (UniSA) – Teacher; Head of House Senior

Mr O Grant (2024) - Outdoor Education Instructor, Scotts Creek

Mr | Graskovski (2016) - eduKart Instructor

Mrs S Gray (2022), B.A.Modern Lang (Hons.)(French, Spanish & Portuguese) (Sheffield), Grad.Cert.Ed (Leeds) - Teacher

Mr B Grayson (2022) – Learning Support Co-Educator, Preparatory School; OSHC Team Member/Supervisor; Duty Manager, RED Centre

Mr N Greb (2005) - Security/Events

Mr T Grech (2022) - Duty Manager, RED Centre

Mrs M Green (2006), Assoc.Dip.Library Technician (TAFE) - Library Technician

Ms F Greenwood (2020-2024), B.Mus. (ANU), Grad.Dip.Ed.Sec. (UNSWP) – Voice Coordinator, Teacher

Mr J Gregg (2019), B.Hlth.Sc., B.Ed.(Middle/Secondary), B.Sport Hlth. Phys.Act. (Flinders) - Teacher

Ms A Grieve (2020), B.Int.St.(Hons.) (Flinders), Grad.Dip.Info.St. (UniSA) – Head Librarian, Secondary School

Mr G Gubatina (2019), Cert II Electronic Engineering, Cert II and III Customer Contact (TAFESA and AWC Business Solutions), ITIL Found. Cert. in IT Service Management (AXELOS) – ICT Customer Service Officer

Ms C Guerrero (2024) - Housekeeping Assistant

Ms P Hall (2022) - OSHC Team Member

Mr | Hamood (2023) - Rowing Coach

Mr J Harford (2012), B.Appl.Sc.(Human Movement), B.Ed.(Middle and Secondary) (UniSA) – Teacher, Director of Basketball; Head of House Middle

Mr AP Harradine (1997), B.Ed. (SACAE) – Director, Potts-Baker Institute; Head of Mathematics

Miss T Harradine (2021), B.Ed.(Design and Technology Ed.), B.Math.Sc. (UniSA) - Teacher

Mr DS Harris (2008) - Caretaker

Mrs R Hassam (2019), B.Ed.(Social Science) (UniSA), Grad.Dip.Ed. (Adelaide), B.A. (Flinders), Arts (Acting) (TAFE) – Teacher

Mr S Hausler (2020) – Outdoor Education Instructor, Scotts Creek

Ms S Havis (2023-Jun 2024), Cert III Aged Care & Disability (Applied), B.Nursing (Adelaide), Cert III ECE (AECC) – Playgroup Coordinator

Mr C Hawke (2022-Jun 2024) – Kitchen Hand/Catering Assistant

Mr B Haydon (2023), B.Health Sc., B.Com. (Flinders), Grad.Dip. Chartered Acc. (CAANZ) – First V Basketball Coach

Miss D Heard (2024) – Learning Support Co-Educator, Preparatory School

Mr E Henbest (2023) - Rowing Coach

Mr T Hennessy (2022) Dip.Management (MBA)- Director of Rowing

Mrs L Hewitt (2022), B.Food Tech & Management(Hons.) (Adelaide) – Academic Administration Assistant

Ms J Hicks (2020), B.Ed.EC (UniSA) - Teacher, Early Learning Centre

Mr M Higgs (2023), B.Ed.(Mid. & Sec.), B.A. (Flinders), Level 3 AFL Coach (SANFL) – Director of Football

Ms M Higgs (2019-2024), B.Ed.EC.Spec.Ed./B.Dis.St. (Flinders) – Teacher

Mr M Hill (2021-2024), B.App.Sc.(Human Movement and Health Studies), M.Teach.(Sec.) (UniSA) - Teacher

Mrs M Hobbs (2011), B.Sc.Marine Biology(Hons.) (Flinders), Grad. Dip.T.andL. (CDU) – Wambana - Teacher

Mrs L Hollitt (2007) - Manager, College Uniform Shop

Mr P Hopkins (2016), B.Appl.Sc.(Medical Laboratory Science), B.Appl. Sc.(Hons.)(Medical Laboratory Science) (UniSA), Grad.Dip.Ed. (Adelaide) – Teacher; Academic Leader - Science

Ms F Howat (2015), B.A, (Adelaide), B.Ed.(Junior Primary/Primary) (Flinders), QTS, (Brunnel, UK), M.Sp.Ed. (Flinders) – Teacher; Inclusive Education Coordinator, Preparatory School; Daily Organiser and Acting Deputy Head of Preparatory School Terms 1 and 2

Mr T Howe (2021) - Events Assistant

Mr A Hsi (2023) - Academic Tutor

Dr D Hu (2020), B.Sc., B.Sc.(Hons.), PhD (ANU), M.T., (Adelaide) – Teacher; Subject Coordinator – Chemistry

Mr Z Hu (2024), B.A.(Chinese Studies), B.Teach., B.Mus.(Hons.) (Adelaide) – Boarding Assistant

Miss M Hughes (2023-May 2024) – Events & Catering Assistant

Mrs D Hulme (2009) – Academic Support Co-Educator, EduCook Coordinator

Ms C Hung (2011) - Front of House Coordinator

Mr T Hunter (2016), M.Teach.(Primary) (UniSA), B.Des.Studies (Adelaide) – Teacher; Literacy Coordinator, Preparatory School

Ms S Huntington (2023), Dip.Outdoor Rec., Dip.Travel & Tourism Mgmt. (TAFESA) – Outdoor Education Instructor, Scotts Creek

Mr N Iadanza (2010), B.A./Teaching (English, Italian, History) (Adelaide) – Teacher; Academic Leader – English; Acting Assistant Director of Teaching and Learning, Middle Years (Term 2 2023)

Mr R Jackman (2021) - eduKart Instructor

Mr J Jackson (2014), B.Ed.Technology (UniSA) – Teacher; Academic Leader – Art/Design/Technology

Mr O Jarman (2020) – Duty Manager RED Centre; Learning Support Co-Educator, Preparatory School; OSHC Team Member/Supervisor

Mr G Jenkinson (2002-2024), B.Ed. (UniSA), Dip.T. (Hartley CAE), Grad. Dip.Journalism (UniSA) – Teacher; Deputy Director, Wambana

Ms F Jennifer (2023) – Outdoor Education Instructor, Scotts Creek

Mr M Jensen (2008-May 2024) – Coordinator of Student Experience

Mr D Johnson (2017), B.App.Lang.Int.Cul.Comm. (UniSA), CELTA ESL (SACE), Cert IV in Training and Assessment (TAFESA), M.T.Sec. (UniSA) – Teacher

Mr P Johnson (2020) - Events and Venues Assistant

Mr T Johnson (2023) - Rowing Coach

Mrs L Jones (2024) - Receptionist

Mr T Kamath (2023), Cert III Business (Queensford) – Academic Tutor, Exam Invigilator

Mr H Kang (2023), Cert III Business (Salford) – Academic Tutor

Miss E Kassouf (2023), B.Ed.(Prim.), M.Ed.(Lebanese Uni), Cert IV Training & Assessment (SGAE), CELTA (SACE), Grad.Cert.Ed. (UniSA) – Teacher; Extension Coordinator; Acting Inclusive Education Coordinator Terms 1 and 2

Ms R Kaur (2023-Feb 2024) - Housekeeping Assistant

Ms L Keene (2024) - Rowing Coach

Mr M Kellow (2011) - Property Services Supervisor

Ms G Kent (2023) - Academic Tutor; Invigilator

Mr L Kerr (2024), B.Commerce (Accounting) (Adelaide), Grad.Dip. Chartered Accounting (CA), - Accountant

Dr D Kerrigan (2018), B.Sc.(Hons.) (Flinders), M.Teach.(Sec) (UniSA), PhD (Flinders) – Teacher; Head of House Senior; Director of Chess

Ms L Khun (2023), B.Ap.Fin. (UniSA), Cert III in Education Support (ACTAC) – Boarding Assistant

Mr A Kiesau (2022), B.Ed.(Primary) (Flinders), B.A. (Flinders) – Outdoor Education Instructor, Scotts Creek and Relief Teacher in the Preparatory School

Mr A Kieselbach (2022-2024), B.Ministry (Tabor) - Chaplain

Ms D King (2018), B.Hlth.Sc. (Adelaide); B.Soc.Wk.(Grad.Entry) (Flinders), B.Ed. (Middle/Secondary) (UniSA), Grad.Cert.Ed.(Catholic Education) UniSA), M.Ed.(Literacy and Language Education) (UniSA) – Teacher; Senior Residential Assistant – International Students

Mr S Knight (2018-Aug 2024) - Director of Cricket

Mr J Korber (2022) - Curator, Grounds

Ms S Kouflidis (2011) - Chef

Mrs L Lacy (2011-2024), B.Bus.(Mgt, Mktg) (Monash), M.Teach.(JP/P) (Flinders), M.Ed.(Leadership & Innovation) (Adelaide) – Teacher; Numeracy Coordinator, Preparatory School; Girls' Schools Program Coordinator

Mrs J Larcombe (2008) - Wambana 'Nanna'

Miss I Lathouros (2022), B.ECE(Hons.) (UniSA) – Teacher, Early Learning Centre

Mr B Law (2023), B.Ed.(Sec. Design & Technology) (UniSA) – Teacher

Mr A Lee (2024) - Football Coach

Miss S Lee (2023), B.Mus.Ed. (Sydney) - Teacher

Mr P Leicester (2023), Assoc.Dip.Elec.Eng. (SAIT), Cert III Outdoor Leadership (SAIT) – Outdoor Education Instructor, Scotts Creek

Mr D Leung (2019), B.Des.Studies, B.Laws (Adelaide), M.Teach. (Primary) (UniSA) – Teacher

Mr S Levy (2024) - Events/Catering Assistant

Mr B Lewis (2022) Dip.Ed.(Poltics & Legal Studies) (UWA), B.A.(Politics & Int Relations) (Murdoch) – Aboriginal Program Coordinator; Teacher; Residential Boarding Assistant

Ms C Li (2024), B.Eco., B.Teach.(Secondary) (Adelaide) - Teacher

Ms T Li (2022), B.A.English (Language & Culture) (China), M.Teach. (Secondary) (UniSA) - Teacher

Ms F Liddy (2009) – Administration Assistant, Student Services; Acting EA to Head of Secondary School Term 2; Administrative Assistant, Secondary School

Ms G Lindholm (2023) - OSHC Team Member

Mr W Linke (2022) - OSHC Team Member

Mr Z Liu (2010) - Catering Assistant and Relief Caretaker

Mrs K Logan (2020), Dip.Hosp.Mgmt. (TAFE) - Events Coordinator

Ms M Lord (2021) - Wambana 'Nanna'

Mr S Ludbrook (2013) - Printer

Mr D Lyne (2005-Nov 2024) - Finance Officer, Payroll/Accounting

Ms A MacDonald (2024), B.Sc.(Hons)(Mathematics) (University of Strathclyde), PGCE (Secondary Mathematics) (University of Brighton) – Teacher

Ms C Macleod (2024), B.A., B.Teach.ECE (UniSA) - Teacher

Mr N Madden (2018), B.Sc.(Hons.) (Durham Uni), M.Teach.(Mid.Sec) (UniSA) - Teacher

Ms N Madisyn (2016), Dip.Children's Services(Early Childhood and Education Care) (TIME) – Team Leader/Co-Educator, Early Learning Centre

Ms MM Magann (2010), Grad.Cert.Ed.(Career Development) (ACU), Dip.Business(HR) (TAFE), Cert IV Career Development (TAFE), Cert IV Workplace Training and Assessment (Training for Learning), Cert IV Marketing (Invisage) – Careers Counsellor and Indigenous Student Support Officer

Mr T Mallick (2023) - Rowing Coach

Ms C Manning (2024) - Outdoor Education Instructor, Wambana

Ms M Manuel (2024), B.Sc., B.Ed (Flinders) - Teacher

Mr T Maple (2017-Jun 2024), Cert III Information, Digital Media, Information; Cert III Cabinet Making (TAFESA), B.Information Technology (UniSA) – ICT Service Delivery Manager

Mr L Manno (2024) - Football Coach

Mr M Manno (2024) - Football Coach

Mr M Marno (2021), RN, B.Nursing (Hons.) (Birmingham) - College Nurse

Ms M Marshall (2007), B.Ed. (Curtin), M.Ed. (Adelaide) – Teacher, CAS Coordinator

Ms D Martin (2013), B.A.(Languages) (Flinders), Grad.Dip.Ed. (Adelaide), B.Ed. (TESOL Inservice) (UniSA), Grad.Cert. (Online Education) (Adelaide), M.Ed. (TESOL) (UniSA) – Teacher; Subject Coordinator – EAL/EAP

Ms L Martin (2020), RN, Grad.Cert.Prim.HC (Flinders) – College Nurse (relief)

Mr A Mason (2010), B.Mus. (Sydney), M.Mus. (Newcastle) – Bands and Instrumental Tuition Coordinator (also Single Studies Music Tutor)

Mrs M Matthews (2017), M.Sc.(Mathematics), Cert.Teach.(Mathematics) (Eötvös Loránd University, Budapest) – Teacher; Coordinator in Mathematics: Non-Routine Problem Solving and Experiences

Miss C Matthias (2020) – OSHC Team Member; Administrative Assistant

Miss A Matsouliadis (2022), B.Ed/B.A.(English & History) (Adelaide), B.A.(Hons.)(English) (Adelaide) – Teacher

Mrs C Maycock (2023), B.Hlth.Sc. (Adelaide), M.Teach.(Prim.) (Flinders), Grad.Cert.Dig.Learning (UniSA) - Teacher

Mrs H Mayer (nee Wong) (2024), Assoc.Arts (Communication & Public Relations) (Hong Kong), B.Soc.Sci.(Hons.)(Asian & International Studies) (Hong Kong), M.Teach.(Middle/ Sec.) (Adelaide), M.Accounting & Marketing (Adelaide) – Teacher

Mr J McAlpine (2022-Feb 2024) - Maintenance Officer

Mrs K McCauley (2007), B.A.(Visual Arts), B.Teach. (Deakin), Post.Grad. Cert.(Religious Ed.) (UniSA) - Teacher

Ms R McDonald (2024) - Co-Eduator, Early Learning Centre

Mr J McKay (2024) - Rowing Coach

Mrs E McKenzie (2008), Grad.Dip.Ed.(Primary) (Monash), B.A.(Education) (Sydney), Dip.Children's Services (TAFESA), Dip.Special Needs Ed. (UK), Dip. Counselling (Ikon Institute, SA) – Counsellor, Preparatory School

Mrs D McKinnon (2022), B.Ed.(Secondary Science) (Flinders) – Teacher; SEQTA School Education Contact

Mrs ML McLaughlin (1995-Jul 2024) – Administrative Assistant, Secondary School

Ms G Mee (2024) - Athletic Development Coach

Mrs A Melbourne (2011), B.Early Childhood Education (UniSA) – Teacher

Ms M Meola (2022), Dip.Children's Services (ECEC) (Enhance) – Team Leader/Co-Educator, Early Learning Centre

Mr J Miller (2023) – Rowing Coach

Mr C Mills (2024) - Football Coach

Mr J Mitchell (2023) - Events Assistant, Labourer - Grounds

Miss S Moffat (2022), B.Ed.(Primary) (Flinders), B.A.(History) (Flinders) - Teacher

Ms M Moon (2024), B.A.(Social Work) (Asbury University), M.Interdisciplinary ECE (University of Kentucky) – Teacher

Mr M Moore (2023) - Rowing Coach

Ms H Monaghan (2024), B.Ed.(Middle and Secondary), B.Sc. (Flinders) - Teacher

Mr L Montagnese (2020), B.Vis.Arts., Grad.Dip.Ed.Sec. (UniSA) - Teacher

Mr M Morris (2023), Cert III Cabinet Making – Maintenance Manager

Ms S Morris (2023) – OSHC Team Member/Supervisor

Mr L Morzer-Bruyns (2022) – Duty Manager, RED Centre

Mr S Muir (2018), Certificate in Commercial Cookery (TAFE), Cert IV Frontline Management (TAFE) - Catering Manager

Mr BC Muzik (2003), B.Sc., Grad.Dip.Ed., Grad.Dip.Sc.(Computing Science) (Wollongong) - Teacher

Ms L Nash (2020), Adv.Cert.Child Care (TAFESA) - Co-Educator, Early Learning Centre

Mr M Nash (2024) – Athletic Development Coach

Mr R Neill (2024) - Football Coach

Mr R Neindorf (2014) - Plumber/Metal Fabricator

Mr D Ng (2021) - Catering Assistant

Mr B Nicholas (2008) - Housekeeping Assistant

Mr CL Nicholls (2001), B.Ec.LLB, Grad.Cert.Legal Practice, Grad.Dip.Ed. (UniSA) – Teacher

Mr H Norton (2024) – Rowing Coach

Mr S Nystrom (2012), B.Commerce (Flinders) - Boarding Houseparent

Mr D Oatey (2023), B.Ed. (UniSA), Level 3 Football Coach (AIS) – First XVIII Football Coach

Ms A Obradovic (2021) – OSHC Team Member, Learning Support Co-Educator, Preparatory School

Mr P O'Brien (2016) - Outdoor Educator, Wambana

Mr F Obst (2024) - Athletic Development Coach

Mr M O'Callaghan (2024) - Football Coach, Labourer - Grounds

Ms J O'Connor (2021), B.Psych.(Hons.) (Adelaide) – OSHC Team Member; Administrative Assistant

Mrs H O'Hara (2009-2024), Dip.Ed.Theology (Luther Seminary), B.Ed. (Junior Primary and Primary) (Flinders), M.Clin.Teach. (Melbourne) – Teacher; Team Leader, Junior Primary (R-Year 2)

Mrs R O'Leary (2019), B.A.(Psych.), B.Com.(Management) (Adelaide). Dip.Management (Leadership Learning Dynamics) – Executive Assistant to the Head of Preparatory School

Ms S Ollerenshaw (2022-Jul 2024) - Cleaner

Mr S Ollerenshaw (2014) - Housekeeping Assistant

Ms L Oltarczy (2022) - Catering Assistant/Chef

Mr M Oomens (2011), B.A., Grad.Dip.Ed. (Adelaide) M.Sc. (State University of New York, Buffalo) – Teacher

Ms A Page (2023) - Outdoor Education Instructor, Scotts Creek

Mr D Pain (2014) - ICT Support Officer

Mr F Palladino (2018), B.Ed.(Secondary Technology) (UniSA), Cert IV Building and Construction (MBA), Cert IV Training and Assessment (TAFESA) – Teacher; VET Coordinator

Mr J Pannell (2024) – Events Assistant

Ms C Papanicolas (2011), B.A.Sc.and Drama (Flinders), Grad.Dip.Sec. Ed.Science and Drama (SACAE) - Teacher

Mr M Parker (2023) - Rowing Coach

Mr S Parker (1996), M.Ed.Studies, B.Ed., B.Ed.Design, M.Ed.Psychology (UniSA), AGDA, MDIA – Teacher; Director of Aquatics

Ms L Pascale (2017), B.Sc.(Hons.) (Open), Post.Grad.Cert. Ed.(Geography) (University of Nottingham) – Teacher; Head of House Middle

Miss A Paterson (2023) – Events and Catering Assistant

Ms A Paterson (2019) – Accounts Payable Officer

Mrs N Paterson (2022) – Executive Assistant to the Headmaster

Miss R Paterson (2023) - Administrative Assistant, Reception

Mr N Patitsas (2011), Cert IV Hort. (ARO) – Curator, Grounds

Ms S Persian (2012), B.Teach., B.A. (University of Newcastle) - Teacher

Mrs K Peterson (2006), Signwriter (Indentured Apprenticeship/TAFE) – Performing Arts Administrator

Ms R Pfeiffer (2024) - Outdoor Education Instructor, Scotts Creek

Ms C Pham (2021-Feb 2024) - Catering Assistant

Ms T Pham (2022) - Catering Assistant

Ms Q Pham (2022) – Catering Assistant, ELC Catering Assistant/Kitchen

Miss G Piggott (2023) - Digital Marketing Assistant

Mr B Pink (2024) - Football Coach

Mr D Pippett (2018), B.Human Mvmt. (UniSA), M.Teach. (UniSA) – Senior Residential Boarding Assistant; Teacher, Coordinator of Service Learning

Mr R Pippett (2011), Dip.T, B.Ed. (UniSA), B.A. Politics and History (Deakin) – Teacher

Ms Z Pirhadi (2021), Cert III Bus.Admin, Cert 4 Education and Support Based on School (Teachers Aid), Dip.Early Childhood Education and Care (Equals) – Co-Educator, Early Learning Centre

Mr J Piscioneri (2017), Dip.Hort. (TAFE) – Senior Horticulturalist

Mr W Polley (2024) - Events/Catering Assistant

Ms A Ponsaing (2024), B.Sc.(Mathematics), B.Sc.(Hons)(Mathematics) (Queensland), PhD.Sc.(Mathematics) (Melbourne) – Mathematics Officer

Mr HJ Pontifex (2024) - Football Coach

Mr G Portolesi (2016), B.Ed.(Middle/Secondary), B.A. (Flinders), M.Ed. (Adelaide), M.Appl.Positive Psychology (Central Queensland Uni) – Boarding Assistant

Mrs I Portolesi (2022), B.Ed. (Charles Darwin), B.Psych.Sc. (Adelaide), M.Appl.Positive Psychology (Central Queensland Uni) - Teacher

Ms L Potter (2018) - Catering Assistant

Mrs L Potter (2017), Wambana "Nanna"

Ms H Prenzler (2024) - Football Coach

Mrs M Prest (2014), B.Early Childhood Ed. (UniSA) – Teacher, Early Learning Centre

Ms P Puerto Navarro (2024) - Co-Educator, Early Learning Centre

Mrs K Pulford (2019), B.A.(Anthropology/Classics) (Adelaide), Grad.Dip. Art History (Adelaide/AGSA), Grad.Dip.Arts and Cultural Management, B.Contemporary Art (Painting) (UniSA), Grad.Cert.Ed. (Adelaide) – Archivist

Mr J Purdie (2024) - OSHC Team Member, Cricket Coach

Ms E Putland (2023), B.A.(French, Asian Studies), B.A.(Hons.)(French) (Flinders), Grad.Dip.Ed. (Adelaide) – Teacher, Academic Leader, Languages

Miss C Pyman (2022) – Drama Assistant; Library Assistant; Events & Catering Assistant

Mr T Quinn (2011), B.Ed.(Middle School), B.A. (Flinders) – Senior Boarding Assistant

Ms L Quinonez Vite (2024) - Housekeeping Assistant

Mr J Quinzi (2011) - eduKart Instructor

Ms L Radford (2023), B.Ed.EC, M.Teach. (UniSA) - Teacher

Ms A Rankine (2017), B.Management (Human Resource Management) (UniSA) – Employee Relations Manager, Return To Work Coordinator, Director of People and Culture

Mr J Read (2020) – Supervisor/OSHC Team Member; Learning Support Co-Educator, Preparatory School

Ms A Redelinghuys (2023), B.A.(Psych), Higher Ed.Dip. (Uni of Pretoria), Life Coaching (Estrada), Counselling (Campus), Child Psychology (Centre of Excellence) – College Counsellor

Ms Y Redondo-Gomez (2020) – Housekeeping Assistant

Mr N Rees (2019) - RED Centre Operations Manager

Ms E Reid (2023) - Duty Manager, RED Centre

Ms J Reppucci (2020), B.Mus.Ed. (Adelaide) – Teacher, Head of House Middle

Ms S Reynolds (2022), B.Ed.(Secondary Drama) (Adelaide) – Teacher, Head of Drama

Mr C Richards (2017), Dip.Early Childhood Education and Care (Ashley Institute of Training), B.Ed.EC.Prim. (New England) – Teacher

Mr C Richmond-Spouse (2024) - Hockey Coach

Mr A Rikard-Ball (2023) - Rowing Coach

Ms M Roberts (1997) - Admissions Registrar

Mrs F Robertson (1992) - Finance Officer, Accounts Receivable

Mr T Robinson (2024) - Football Coach

Mr S Robison (2023), B.Mus.Perf.(Piano), Grad.Dip.Ed.(Sec.) (Adelaide) – Piano Accompanist

Mrs C Rocca (2012), B.S.Ed. (Iloilo, Philippines), Dip.Children's Services (GTC), B.ECE (Swinburne) – Teacher, Early Learning Centre

Mr T Rolls (2021), B.Sc.(Hons.)(Sport, Physical Ed. And Coaching Sc.) (Birmingham), PGC.Ed.(PE) (Staffordshire) – Teacher, Acting Head of House Terms 2-4

Mr C Romanos (2024), B.Ed.(Design and Technology Education) (UniSA) - Teacher

Mrs B Rowe (2012), B.Appl.Sc.(Rec.Planning and Management) (UniSA), Grad.Dip.Ed. (Primary) (CDU) – Outdoor Education Instructor, Scotts

Mr J Russo (2008), B.Ed. (UniSA) - Teacher

Ms S Saliba (2022), Dip.Children's Services (ECEC) (TafeSA) – Co-Educator, Early Learning Centre

Ms J Sanchez (2024) - Housekeeping Assistant

Mr L Sanders (2024) - Boarding Assistant

Ms I Sanderson-Brewster (2021), B.Sc.(Animal Sc.) (Adl), Grad.Dip. Library and Information Management (UniSA) – Librarian, Preparatory School

Mr F Sands (2022) – Events Assistant

Mr C Sani (formerly Comerford) (2016), B.Ed.Mid.Sec., B.Sc., M.Sp.Ed. (Flinders) – Teacher

Mrs P Sani (2023), B.Med.Sc. (Flinders), M.Physiotherapy (UniSA) – Academic Tutor, OSHC Team Member, Invigilator, Support Officer

Mr T Santin (2023-Mar 2024) - Rowing Coach

Mr J Saunders (2023) – Duty Manager, RED Centre

Mrs S Sayers (2010) - Catering Assistant

Ms M Schnaars (2023), B.Sp.Hlth.&Phys.Act. (Flinders) – Outdoor Education Instructor, Scotts Creek

Miss A Schofield (2017), B.Sc., B.Ed. (UniSA) - Teacher, Subject Coordinator – Physics, Research Lead

Mr W Schumann (2024) - Chef

Mr J Scobie (2016), B.A.(Hons.), Grad.Dip.Ed. (Adelaide) - Teacher

Mr B Scorgie (2016) - Catering Assistant

Mr D Scott (2024) - Academic Support Co-Educator

Miss P Seaman (2020), Registered General Nurse (Cambridge), Emergency Nursing Cert. (FMC), Dip.Project Management (Proteus) – College Nurse

Mr M Searle (2024) - Football Coach

Mr T Searles (2024) – Football Coach

Mr L Seidel (2023), Cert III & IV in Fitness (AIPT), Level 1 Strength & Conditioning Coach (ASCA) – Duty Manager, RED Centre, Athletics Development Coach

Mr P Serwan (2010), B.A.(F.A.), Grad.Dip.Ed., Grad.Dip.R.E. – Teacher; Subject Coordinator - Art/Design

Mr W Severin (2023), Cert II Small Business Management (Brace), Trade Cert. Electrician – Boat Club Facilities Manager

Ms J Sexton (2018), B.A.(History) (Monash), Grad.Dip.T.(Secondary) (Melbourne University) – Teacher; Academic Leader, Humanities

Mrs N Sheikh (2024) - Housekeeping Assistant

Mrs A Sianis (nee Jimenez Mena) (2024) – Co-Educator, Early Learning Centre

Mrs I Simonetti (2010) – Administration Assistant, Finance Department

Mr M Simpson (2018), B.Teach. (Adelaide), B.Econ. (Adelaide) – Teacher, Acting Head of House Term 1

Mr P Singh (2021), B.Teach., B.A.(History English) (Adel) – Boarding Assistant

Ms P Singh (2024) Co-Educator, Early Learning Centre

Mr L Slade (2024) - Football Coach

Mr M Slade (2020), B.Ed.Sec.PE (UniSA) – Teacher; First XVIII Football Coach

Mr J Sloan (2022), B.Human Movement (UniSA) – Outdoor Education Instructor, Scotts Creek

Mr N Smallfield (Term 1 2024), B.A., PGCE (University of South Africa) - Teacher, Head of House Middle

Mr H Smart (2024) - Football Coach

Mr W Smart (2018) - Events Assistant; Academic Tutor

Mr A Smith (2024), Dip.Horticulture (ARO) - Manager, Grounds

Mrs S Smith (2020), Cert IV Fitness (AIF) – Receptionist, Finance Officer – Purchasing and Procurement

Mrs A Spitty (2012), B.Sc. (Adelaide), Dip.Ed. (Adelaide), M.Ed.Sp.Ed. (Flinders) – Teacher, Research Project and Personal Learning Plan Coordinator

Mr T Srilasak (2024) - Catering Assistant

Ms R Srivastava (2024) - Co-Educator, Early Learning Centre

Mrs MA Standish (2009) - Executive Officer, PAOCA

Mr MA Steer (1999), Dip.T. (Sturt CAE), Grad.Dip.Ed. (Jazz) (Adelaide), M.Ed.St. (UniSA) - Teacher

Mrs B Stefanovic (2016) – Housekeeping Assistant

Ms M Stephenson (2024) – Events Assistant, Administrative Assistant – Reception, Exam Invigilator

Ms L Stockdale (2018), B.Sc. Marketing (Franklin Pierce University), M.Arts Marketing (Durham University) – Administration Assistant, Student Services and Reception, Assistant Daily Organiser

Mr R Stocker (2024) – Outdoor Education Instructor

Ms S Stojsavljevic (2022), B.Eng.(Electrical & Electronic)(Hons.) (Zagreb, Croatia), Cert IV in IT, Cert IV in Interactive Multimedia (TAFE NSW) – Housekeeping Manager

Miss E Stroeher (2020), Dip.Outdoor Rec., Travel & Tourism (TAFESA) – Boarding Assistant; Learning Support Co-Educator, Preparatory School, Outdoor Education Instructor, Scotts Creek

Mr L Swan (2024) - ICT Service Delivery Manager

Mr N Tang (2023), B.Des.(Hons.) (UniSA), B.Ed.(Middle, Secondary) (UniSA) – Teacher; SEQTA School Education Support

Ms J Te Ariki (2023), B.Outdoor & Envir.Leadership (UniSA) – Outdoor Education Instructor, Scotts Creek

Mr D Thai (2017) - Chef

Mr C Theakstone (2023), Dip.Sport (Budmouth), B.A.(Hons.) (Bath), PGCE PE, PGDip.Ed. (Loughborough) – Senior Boarding Assistant, Teacher

Mr M Thiele (2023) – Cricket Development Coach, Football Coach, Sports Assistant Co-Curricular

Mrs S Thiele (2008), B.Teach.(Primary) (UniSA) – Learning Support Co-Educator, Preparatory School; Teacher

Mr E Thompson (2024) – Outdoor Education Instructor, Scotts Creek

Mr R Thompson (2011), B.A.(Education) (UniSA) - Teacher

Ms A Thomson (2000), RN, Adv.Cert.Clinical Nursing (Flinders), Adv. Cert.Paed.Nursing (ACH), Prof.Cert.Allergy Nursing (UniSA), Cert IV Business Management (CC), Cert IV Training and Assessment (ATEC) – Health Centre Nurse Manager

Mr M Thomson (2023), B.Sc. (Adelaide) – Events Assistant

Ms J Toh (2011) - Boarding Assistant

Ms E Tomas (2022), B.Sc.(Commerce), M.Ed.(Early Childhood Education) (Manila) – Teacher, Early Learning Centre

Mr M Tooze (2022) Dip.Outdoor Ed. (TAFE), Dip.Travel and Tourism Mgt. (TAFE) – Outdoor Educator, Wambana

Ms B Travis (2016), B.Ag.Sc.(Oenology) (Adelaide), Dip.Brewing (Institute of Brewing and Distilling, London), B.Ed. (CDU) – Administrative Assistant, Wambana

Mrs D Trengove (2011) - Administrative Assistant, Co-curricular

Ms L Trujillo (2023) - Housekeeping Assistant

Mr S Tubb (2019) – First XI Cricket Coach

Mrs A Turnbull (2022), Dip.Landscape Design (TAFE) – Philanthropy and Engagement Coordinator; Executive Officer, PAC Foundation

Mr J Tye (2024) - Rowing Coach

Ms N Vasiliadis (2024) - Academic Support Co-Educator

Mr W Vasquez Vega (2023) – Housekeeping Assistant/Cleaner

Ms M Viscione (2008-May 2024), Cert IV Accounting – Finance/Payroll/ Purchasing Officer

Ms S Walgama (2022-Feb 2024), Dip.Early Childhood Education and Care (Enable College), B.Sc (Sri Lanka) – Co-Educator, Early Learning Centre

Mr H Walker-Mizgalski (2024) - Football Coach

Mrs L Wallace (2010), B.Commerce (Adelaide), CA (ICAA) – General Manager, Prince Alfred College Endowment Fund

Mr F Wallner (2016-2024) - eduKart Instructor

Mr S Waltham (2024) - Football Coach

Mr A Ward (2024) - Events Assistant

Mr O Ward (2023) - Outdoor Education Instructor, Scotts Creek

Mr J Wardell (2023-Nov 2024) - Duty Manager, RED Centre

Mr P Waters (2010), Dip.T. (SACAE), B.Ed. (UniSA) - Teacher

Mr F Watts (2024) - Outdoor Education Instructor, Scotts Creek

Mrs N Wauchope (2012-Mar 2024), Dip.Children's Services (TAFE) - Co-Educator, Early Learning Centre

Ms C Weckert (2024) – Learning Support Co-Educator, Preparatory School

Ms CML Wegener (2015), Dip.T., B.Ed.(Early Childhood) (UniSA) – Co-Educator, Early Learning Centre

Ms N Wells (2022), B.Sc.(Hons.) (Adelaide), Grad.Dip.Ed. (Adelaide) – Teacher; Academic Support Co-Educator

Mr E West (2023) - Rowing Coach

Miss A White (2021-Mar 2024) - Catering Assistant

Ms C White (2024) - Co-Educator, Early Learning Centre

Ms M White (2002), MBA (Murdoch), B.Int.Bus.(Marketing and Finance) (Murdoch), Grad.Dip.Ed. (University WA), B.A.(Chinese Literature), B.Econ.Fin. (Xiamen University, PR China), Cert.Int.Chinese Teacher (Jinan Uni, China), Dip.Food and Wine Management. (TAFE), WEST Level 3 Award in Wine (TAFE) – Teacher; International Students Coordinator

Ms S White (2024) – Learning and Adventure Manager, Scotts Creek

Ms K Whittleston (2022) – Cert 3 and 4 Educational Support - Learning Support Co-Educator, Preparatory School

Mrs G Widyasanti (2024) – Co-Educator, Early Learning Centre

Ms S Wigg (2024) – Learning Support Co-Educator, Preparatory School

Mr M Wilde (2010), B.A.(Hons.) English, PGCE English – Teacher

Mr O Wilkin (2024) – Football Coach, OSHC Team Member, Events Assistant

Ms M Wilkin (2023) – Learning Support Co-Educator, Preparatory School

Mrs A Williams (2018-2024), B.Sc. (Adelaide), B.Sc. (Hons.) (Adelaide), Grad.Dip.Ed.(Sec.) (Adelaide) – Teacher

Mr James Williams (2024) – Rowing Coach

Mr Joshua Williams (2021), Cert III Customer Contact (ICT), (AWC BS) – ICT Customer Support Officer

Mr L Williams (2024) – Residential Boarding Assistant

Mr S Williams (2024) – Senior Curator, Grounds

Mr J Wilson (2022), Dip.Outdoor Leadership (TAFE), Dip.Travel and Tourism Mgt. (TAFE) – Outdoor Education Instructor, Scotts Creek

Mr A Wood (2021-Feb 2024) - Senior Curator, Grounds

Dr C Wood (2024) - Outdoor Education Instructor, Scotts Creek

Mr O Wood (2022) – Outdoor Educator, Wambana and Scotts Creek; Boarding Assistant

Mr D Woolford (2016), Cert II in Music Career (Music House Adelaide), Cert IV in Audio Engineering, Cert IV in Multi Media (SAE), Cert IV in Video Production (TAFE) – College AV Technician

Ms H Would (2011) - Boarding Assistant

Ms N Yang (2022), B.A.(Early Childhood Education) (Shanghai), M.Teach.(Early Childhood) (UniSA) – Teacher/Co-Educator, Early Learning Centre

Mr X Yang (2011) M.Information Technology (UniSA) – ICT Customer Service Officer

Ms Y Ye (2023), Dip.Eng.(Foreign Trade) (Guangzhou), B.A.(Eng.) (Open University of China), Adv.Cert.TESOL (American TESOL Inst.) – Learning Support Co-Educator, Preparatory School

Mr S Zadow (2024) - Academic Tutor

Ms H Zhang (2013) - Catering Assistant

Mr G Zheng (2010), Grad.Dip.Ed. (Adelaide), M.Translation (Ningbo University, China), B.English Ed. (Tianjin Normal University, China) – Teacher

Ms J Zhu (2023) B.A. (Beijing), M.A., M.Teach.(Sec.) (UniSA) - Teacher

#### **Kent Town Swim**

Miss G Appelbee (2021) - Instructor/Assistant Coach/Supervisor

Mr P Bishop (2013-Nov 2024) - Coordinator, Learn to Swim Program

Ms E Black (2021) - Receptionist

Ms K Blacker (2022) - Instructor/Supervisor

Miss A Braithwaite (2024) - Instructor

Miss D Braithwaite (2023) - Instructor

Mr H Braithwaite (2022) - Instructor/Lead Squad Coach

Ms M Braithwaite (2021-2024) – Instructor/Supervisor/Assistant Coach/Lead Junior Squad Coach/Lead Fitness Squad Coach; Duty Manager, RED Centre

Miss A Brash (2023) - Instructor/Supervisor/Receptionist

Miss G Brister (2019) - Instructor/Supervisor/Receptionist

Mrs S Brister (2016) - Operations Manager, Kent Town Swim

Mr T Brister (2023-Feb 2024) - Instructor

Miss C Browne (2023) - Instructor

Ms S Bruce (2022) - Instructor

Ms A Collins (2022) - Instructor; OSHC Team Member

Miss | Cooper (2022) - Instructor; Rowing Coach

Miss M Cox (2022) - Instructor

Mr J Dunlop (2015) - Head Swimming Coach

Miss M Eskandari-Marandi (2022) - Instructor/Supervisor

Miss N Eskandari-Marandi (2023) - Instructor

Ms K Hancl (2022) - Instructor

Miss J Jackson (2022) – Instructor/Supervisor/Assistant Coach/Lead Fitness Squad Coach; Duty Manager, RED Centre

Ms S Jackson (2024) - Instructor

Ms R Kavanagh (2024) - Instructor

Miss P Le (2023) - Instructor

Miss M Maddaford (2023) - Instructor

Ms H Maerschel (2021) - Instructor

Mr M Mawby (2019) - Instructor

Miss E Middleton (2018) – Instructor/Receptionist/Supervisor; Training Coordinator

Mr J Myers (2022) – Instructor/Lead Coach of State Squad and Development Squad

Mr A Parker (2021) - Instructor/Supervisor

Ms C Pearce (2019-Apr 2024) – Instructor/Lead Coach/Development Coach/Lead Fitness Squad Coach

Miss E Rogers (2020-April 2024) – Instructor/Supervisor/Assistant Coach

Ms M Singh (2024) - Instructor

Ms J Sullivan (2022) – Receptionist; Administrative Assistant – Reception - Preparatory School and Main Administration, Administration Officer – Finance

Ms E Tolladay (2024) - Instructor

Ms I Truman (2023) – Receptionist

Miss I Walters (2024) - Receptionist

Ms T Williams (2023) - Receptionist; Invigilator

#### **Instrumental Music Tutor Contractors**

Ms S Arhontoulis (1996), B.Mus. (Adelaide) - Piano

Mr M Barricelli (2019), B.Mus.(Jazz Performance) - Voice

Mr E Black (2022) – Piano/Piano Accompanist

Ms J Blanchard-Paterson (2020), AMUSA (2018), B.Mus. (Adelaide), M.Occupational Therapy – Violin/Viola Tutor; Strings Coordinator

Mr D Brookes (2003), B.Mus., Adv.Dip.Mus.(Perf.) - Saxophone/Clarinet

Mr S Cagney (2018), B.Mus.(Jazz)(Hons.) - Guitar

Mr A Casey (2023), B.Mus.(Jazz)(Hons.) (Adelaide) - Piano

Mr G Davis (2020), B.Mus.(Jazz) - Trombone

Mr J Degenhart (2018), B.Mus.(Jazz) - Saxophone

Ms A Douglas (1995), Dip.Mus. (Adelaide) - Flute

Mr A Foyel (2023), B.Mus.(Classical Voice) (Adelaide) - Voice

Mr F Fragomeni (2003), Ass.Dip.(Jazz), B.Mus.(Jazz) (Adelaide) - Drums/ Percussion & Drum Corps Director

Mr J Freer (2023), B.Mus.(Hons.), Cert IV Mus. (Adelaide) - Cello

Ms F Greenwood (2020-2024), B.Mus. (ANU), Grad.Dip.Ed.Sec. (UNSWP) – Voice/Voice Coordinator

 $\label{eq:main_model} \mbox{Mr W Heading (2010), B.Mus.(Perf.), Grad.Dip.Ed.(Sec.) (Adelaide) - Trumpet$ 

Ms E Holbert (2019), B.Mus.(Hons.) (Adelaide) - French Horn

Mr N Holmes (2005), B.Mus.(Orchestral Studies) (FSSOM) - Clarinet

Mr D Horan (2019), B.Mus.(Jazz Performance), M.Teach. - Bass

Mr J Kourbelis (1989), B.Mus. (SACAE), Grad.Dip.Ed. (Adelaide) – Guitar & Guitar Ensemble Director

Mr T Lang (2022), Ad.Dip.Mus. (VicUni), B.A.(Music Industry) (RMIT) –

Ms Z Liu (2023), B.Mus.(Piano) (China), M.Mus.(Piano), M.Teach. (Adelaide) – Piano

Mr N Miller (2024), B.Mus.(Advanced) (Adelaide) – Tuned Percussion

Mr T Pulford (2021), B.Mus.(Jazz) – Big Band Director

Ms E Richardson (2023), B.Mus.(Classical)(Hons.) (Adelaide) - Violin/

Mr E Ryjoch (2023), B.Mus.(Hons.) (Adelaide) - Saxophone

## School List 2024

Salvete in Italics

### Valete In Bold

## **Early Learning** Centre

## Langley

Isabel Ang Xander Bois Sebastian Colasante Harrison Dawe Matilda Dawe Jamie Gauci Sophie Hong Sophie Jurek Zac Knibbe George Kyriacou Jasper Lee

Isaac Lim Claire Liu Hugo Ly Henry Mallett

Gigi Mann Valentino Pace Nicholas Papadimitriou

Alistair Du Plessis

Jack Potter Salvador Pribramsky

Lila Pyragius Xavier Reppucci Parker Richards

#### William Schar

James (Jimmy) Schell Shiyue (Aria) Sheng Elle Starke Nikolas Stokes lasper Tan Thomas Teoh Edward Wallace Jamie Wang Hamilton Williams Theodore Wong-Wells Ethan Yin Nolan Zhang

#### Wilkins

Orion Adams Edward (Ned) Antoniadis Darcy Britten-Jones Chloe Chang Rupert Chapman Ethan Ding Ella Economos Loui Felice Amelia Fone Bodie Furse Caleb Gan Hamish Garry Harry Harford

Cameron Harris

#### **Shawn Huo**

Atlas Leung Aiden Lu Harper Mach Maisie McKinnon Remy Minicozzi Sander (Sunny) van Minnen Rumi Nguyen Otto Noble Hugo Olsen Jimmy Perre Georgina (Georgie) Phillips Zuri Soin Audrey Thai Kai Tran Jack Vella

## **Christopher Waba**

Airen Wang Frederick (Fred) Wicks Levi Wylie

Hunter Allington

## Cooper

Iman Antunes Anthony Arvanitis Hamish Berlangieri Ari Bois Harry Brown Sebastian Capuano Albert (Alby) Cooper Amelia Dodson Banks Downie Darcy Economos Chris Fernandes

Kira Gerlach Olivia Hancock Kyrie Hoang Atticus (Attie) ladanza Henry Kies **Hunter Lambert** Isla Li Jack Littler Ethan Lu **Hubert Macmillan** Oscar Mercer Hugo Nguyen

## Jada Primavera

Lottie Rees Bear Richardson Olivia Silvestri Thomas (Tommy) Smith Henry Steinert Sebastian Tippett Micah Wong Brayden Zheng

## Mattingley

Edward (Ted) Baillie Nicholas Colasante Azaria Connolly George Cundy Dirk Van Dissel

Harrison (Harry) Harding Sigurd Kerrigan Isaiah Kumar Felix Li Frederic (Tiger) Lin Tara Litchfield Kian Mahajan Kosta Papadimitriou Cristian Platis Albert Radford Harry Seet Dulcie Starke Luka Stokes Leonidas (Leon) Toop Caleb Trivedy Hugo Viscariello Patrick Wise Qianran (Rebecca) Yang Avie Yap Aiden Zhong

## Mead

Andy Zhou

Maeve Bolt Hugo Byrne Archer Di Cesare Eliana Chan Zachary Chen Mason Chi Theodore Chrisohoou Chloe Cuff William Dong Nate Ettridge Hugo Grandoni Lucas Houridis Elizabeth (Bess) Lehmann Jack Mally Arlo Marshman Luca Martini Ferdinand Van der Merwe Margot Papilion Oscar Papilion Alexander Paroczy Elliot Persian Edward Phin Charlie Pitt George Du Plessis Evelyn Stollery Judd Temme Charles (Charlie) Wicks Eason Yang William Yu

#### Angwin

## Oscar Byrne

Zeke Connolly Christian Dinh Wilbur Duckworth Jimmy Jarvis Blake Johnson Jasper Johnson

Iordan Kwitko

Theodora Kyriacou Fletcher Lane Alexander Lee Oscar Leonard Charles Littler Grace Liu Suhana Mallikarachchi Andre Manera Songhao (Alex) Pang Maisie Pavic Nicholas Ringwood Alfred (Freddie) Schell Finn Tran Zain Uy

#### Chapple

Zachary Wong

Jacquline Zhao

George Antoniadis Daniel Chen Sophia Davies Sebastian Harris Charlotte Hov Gina Hu Nathan Hu Sarah Huang Patrick Humzy-Hancock Banjo Kakoliris

## Isaac Kong

lacob Le

## Tamia Le

Cohen Lim Yuxin Liu Millie Matsumura Charles Meng Ada Pascale Clementine Phillips Jackson Shaw

#### Eva Stein

Billy Stenson

## **Harry Stevenson**

Alhie Walkden Amelia Wallace Leo Wen

## **Edgerley**

James Arvanitis Raphael Azadeh-Lewis Ellis Bertram

## **Mitchell Bond**

Angkor Chau Hugo Connell Harvey Costa

#### **Clara Coulthard**

Joaquin De Cristobal

Joshua De Cicco-Pirone Riley Edge **Darcie Frost** Freddie Fanker

Louis Furse Liam Healey **Oliver Holmes** 

#### Sam Ivers

Edie Jessop Leo Jones Hugh Jurek Zara Lenzi

#### **Hannah Leung**

Archer Manuel Zoe Melbourne Aireys Mercer

## Samantha (Sammi) Mercer Oscar Motti

Chau Nguyen Harry Pan Digby Prescott

## **Evie Pyragius**

Isabelle Rinaldi Albert (Alby) Rossetti Amelia Shum Carter Soin Charles (Charlie) Somerville Hugo Thomas Otis Tume William Watson

### **Nathan Webster**

Alfred (Fred) Whittleston

## **Edward (Eddie) Wicks**

Ezra Wong Esther Yu Andrew Yue

Zachary Zerella Joshua Zhang

## Preparatory School Reception

## Cotton

Hugh Armeni Walter Ballard Winston Bertram Alexander Boggan Ross Chrisohoou Jack Goldup Noah Harris Louis Hogarth Roland Kerrigan Loxton Manuel Teddy Simmons

## Leo Slegtenhorst

William Stillwell Matthew Sunjaya

## **Taylor**

Archer Allington
Harrison Di Cesare
George Ellis
Angus Jackson
Ethan Li
Nathan Liu
Marcus Ng
Oscar Olsen
Adam Rundle
Tommy Singh
Darcy Wong-Wells

## Waterhouse

Ethan Brown

## Tyson Cheung

Angus Cooper Max Economou Noah Hanxhari Hugo Hay Harry Pelizzari Jet Sclanders Jimi Smith Michael Xu Manny Zeng

## Watsford

Max Bjeshka James Cai Moshen Fan Nicholas Jukic Logan Lohmeyer Edmund MacMillan Sunday Petrosius Arthur Thurston William Tiver

## Lucien Wong

Jordi Zhang

## Year 1

#### Cotton

William Beare Monty Farhan Harvey Herriot George Hogarth Alexander Jovicevic Jaeik Park

## **Taylor**

Baxter Barber Pasquale Cocchiaro Benjamin Karapandzic Christian Kumar Leon Sun Harvey Yates

## Waterhouse

Dean Dong Noah Malalagama Marcel-David Prosper Jacky Shen Jasper Yang Austin Zhang

## **Watsford**

Humphrey Duckworth Kilian Huang Alexander Kies Oliver Owen Taj Richardson Edward Roesch Luca Roscio

## Pasha Shen

Oliver Tiver Jimmy Yang Quintus Zhang Sean Zhu

## Year 2

## Cotton

#### Louie Colaiacovo

Oscar Harris
Arthur Kerrigan
Lachlan Laing
William Scott
Joshua Sergi
Henry Simmons
Archie Tidmarsh
Archie Wadrop
Felix Witkowski
Charles Yin
Elon You
Zach Zha
Roy Zha

## **Taylor**

Darcy Allington
Santiago Antunes
Josh Decelis
George Jin
Niko Kumar
Monty Michell
Logan Mills
Aadvik Mishra
Ziyan Nordin
Oliver Raeside
Gabe Teasdale

## **Hugo Trewartha**Piers Whiting

Warren Yang

### Waterhouse

Harry Chapman Kyrie Halloran Jamison Landers Declan Litchfield Vihan Mallikarachchi Oliver Newton Charlie Quinn Lucas Stockdale-Moore Thomas Yan William Zheng Bryan Zheng

## **Watsford**

Oliver Bjeshka

## **Frederick Cope**

Andre Diano
Hugo Drew
Benjamin Fa
Tom Law-Ducker
Riley Ung
Joshua Varricchio
Austin Wang
Lucas Wong

## Year 3 Cotton

Alby Ballard Antek Berwertz James Blyth Sebastian Chryssafis Sachith Gunawardane Sebastian Henderson *Xavier Johnston* Ezra Spiers Aiden Wei

## **Taylor**

Rafael Antunes Harley Barber Freddie Ellis Benji Hodgson Rory Hu Jack Karapandzic

#### Fthan Liu

Thomas O'Neil-Copas Hugo Powell Dawson Sullivan Rapha Viscariello

#### Waterhouse

Henry Bacon
Lawrence Belperio
Connor Boylan
Alex Humzy-Hancock
Ray Li
Asher Lim
Fred Marsh
Charlie O'Brien
Sid Sheppard
Henry Sheppard
Charlie Siciliano
Edward Thomas
Bailey Trim
Harvey Yeo
Nathan Zhang

#### Watsford

Luca Demasi Teddy Duckworth Elgin Pandya Nicholas Pizzino Tom Ryan Felix Song Weston Thomas Bram van Minnen Felix Xia

## Year 4 Cotton

Jack Case
Leon Chang
James Coleman
Xavier Do
Francesco Fuda
Matias Goncalves
William Jovicevic
Nash Noble
Flynn Obst
Louis Pan
Jobe Reid

## **Taylor**

Christopher Capobianco Henry Condous Viren Dhiman Billy Freemantle Jax Gikas Archie Karamalis Andreas Kefalianos Daniel Ondimu Morgan Price Teddy Teasdale

#### Waterhouse

Alfred Chapman Oliver Hennessy Harvey Holmes Freddie Mittiga Edward Newton *Oliver Rodrigues* Eddie Sheppard Freddie White

### Watsford

George Besir Oliver Chong Harry Denton Harrison Duckworth Joseph Huang *Dravin Pandya Lennox Riseley Seb Roussos* Ashwin Srivastava Liam Thompson Archie Thompson

## Year 5 Cotton

William Amber Daniel Auciello Frank Berwertz Hugh Brown
Tom Dickson
Benjamin Dunstone Lachie Fletcher
Will Haywood
Thomas Henderson
Tom Ivers
Harry Luke
Ned Sanders
Aston Smith
Isaac Sunjaya
Ethan Tan

### **Taylor**

Will Andrews
Orlando Antunes
Jimmy Apostolakos
Kayden Dean
Lucas Drusian
Ishaan Hossain
Charlie Jackson
Eddie Katdare
Hugo Kirkpatrick
Alexander Kumar
Myles Moore
Alexander Nguyen
Jimmy Pulford
Thomas Selby
Harry Williams

#### Waterhouse

Basil Baklavas James Bourlotos Perry Chen Alex Clark *Francesco Demaria* Tom Gregg

## Jingjie Huang

Jawad Ismaeel
Harry King
Jaiyen Landers
Kimson Ma
Hugo Mallett
Rupert Norris
Harvey O'Brien
Ed Paglia
Max Pelizzari
Maximilian Polikin
Eyad Shahin
Charles Walker
Patrick Yan

### Watsford

Seb Antonas Teddy Bown Sam Charters Bille Cope Anthony Demasi Lachie Demasi Hamish Hewitt

## James Marshall Phoenix Taylor

Daniel Priestley Ron Rodrigues Christian Varricchio Brian Wen Alfie Zerbe

## Year 6

## Cotton

Oakley Cluse-Robertson Edward Colaiacovo

## Flynn Colmer

Thomas Dobbins
Seb Goncalves
Mikey Haywood
Hugh Herriot
Patrick Le
Hunter Moran
Angus Owler
Alfie Pledge
Sammy Rayner
Noah Reid
Sonny Sposato
Philip Sruhan
Leo Witkowski
Hardy Zhang

#### **Taylor**

Keshav Balachander Charles Camilleri *Angus Christie* Charlie Collett

## Senyuth Dissanayake

Ashton Gerecke Axel Gikas Arthur Goldsworthy Tommy Hodgson Xander Kammer Jimmy Kammer Rayan Khan Thomas Maynard Andrew Mudge Joseph Ng Jake O'Dea

#### Charlie O'Hara

James Payne William Raeside Henry Stirling Henry Sutton

#### Waterhouse

## Lachlan Boylan

Max Diestel-Feddersen Sebastien Haskett
William Leahey
Archie Marsh
Charlie Paholski
Oscar Qiu
Alex Qiu
Joshua Sam
Jibraan Shahin
Kye Thompson
Sebastian Watts
Jack Williamson
Jack Woodrow
Fengshun Zhang

## Watsford

Brax Bown Struan Cowe Henry Drew Oscar Gerlach Sebastian Horvath Isaac Huf Jonas Knight lock Loveday Rory McDonald Zak Sheridan Lochlann Sutherland Ziggy Tasci Oliver Thompson Hamish Thompson Tom Trengove Yang Ye

## Middle School Year 7

## Cotton

Henry Ashby
Roy Axford
Alex Boase
Oliver Brooksby
Tom Ciccocioppo
James Dobbins
Angus Harry
Jack Henderson
Timothy Hill
Harry Hoffmann
George Karas
William Larkin
Leo Lin

Hardy Lloyd
Marlie Motlop
Lachie Noble
William Pan
Walker Pentland
Hunter Petersen
Christian Roberts
Jasper Roberts
Massimo Russo
Mateo Simonides-Dickson
Emerson Smith
Mitch Stankiewicz
Yusuf Uzman
Harry Will
Toby Wong

### **Taylor**

Varish Anup Kumar Charlie Bermingham Archer Bermingham Reuben Bosch Ben Burgess Oscar Butler Connor Caruso Samar Charaya Napoleon Condous Oscar Cramp Andreas Elia lames Goldsworthy Tyler Kennedy Costello Jonathan Lau Ben Logan Antonio Maurici Luke Modra Sebastian Saunders Marvin Sun **Edward Taintey** Jayden Takayidza Angus Tremlett losh Wang Regan Whitmore Solomon Williams

### Waterhouse

Fraser Bishop Aidan Chen William Elder Harry Gatenby Charlie Hammond Ben Hamood Brandon Hanxhari Adrien Hennessy Declan Lin Ollie McKinnon Hugo Mittiga Harry Neill Minh-Khiem Nguyen Jasper Norris Elijah Onyeizugbo Ben Prescott **Ned Sheppard** Harlev Trish Archie Tudorovic Billy White Tommy Williamson Jonathan Wong Alex Yip Jet Yiv

#### Watsford

Ted Antonas James Arkwright Jacob Branson Johnny Chong Lucas Clayton Christopher Clayton Harley Dean Romesh Ediriweera Lachie Fleming Will Gerlach Jenson Habgood Will Halkett Lucas Hu Paul Kassapis Willis Lopes Lucca Malivindi Oscar Maraun Aadeesh Nanvey Lucas Pizzino Wilbur Smith Tate Symons Ellis Twigge Tom Waddy

## Year 8

Angus Whicker

## Cotton

lames Ali Jack Amber Calvin Anesbury Fred Ashby Max Benecke Oliver Bergin Christian Bibbo Raheim Brown Charlie Burroughs Archie Colaiacovo Athan Dimitriadis Mason Engelbrecht Giuseppe Fuda William Gibson Iensen Hall George Hawkins Chase Hogben Tom Laube Henry Marshman Fred Martin Finn McNally Ollie Morelli Deklan Murphy Toby Noble loe Ricciuto Louis Sergi Gus Thredgold Andy Venning Isaac Wood

## **Taylor**

Zander Zacharia

Jasper Arnold-Chamney Lachlan Bauer Liam Charlesworth Thomas Davies Stephen Feng Lachlan Gardiner Carter Gerecke

## **Ollie Gilbert** Kieran Grav

Knox Green Harry Hall Harry Hodges Cooper Jolly William Katdare Alex Kav Bailey Khuoc Eddie Lindsay Lachlan Logan Louis MacIntosh Tom Maynard Charlie Michell Levi Rossi Isaiah Salagaras Ned Siemer Lucas Trengove Alexander Wissell Mitchell Wray

## **Waterhouse**

Hamza Al Fayyad Campbell Brown Aiden Bywaters Xavier Chen Max Cohen Harry Czabayski Laurence Dalman

## **Max Edwards**

lacob Ewer Alfie Gallagher Tom Goldsworthy Hugo Grayling Mo Ismaeel Ben Johnson Aaron Liu Marlon Lock Henry Lovell lack McKinnon Harrison Menz Ned Mibus James Morgan Keir Nairn Finn Saturno Leon Thorne Spark Wang Jordan Wang Tony Xiang Allen Xie James Xu

## Watsford

Xavier Abbott Loki Bown Noah Burton-Howard Kai Coghlan Campbell Cowe Paul Gaganis

## Sage Goel

Hugo Gwynne Harry Hobby Jay Jang Oliver Manuel *Josh Manuel* Alistair Maria Samuel Matheson

lames McDonald Henry McPhail Taj Panelli Anthony Rapuano Nicholas Rapuano Isaac Rogers Tom Stuchbery Iordan Sun Sneh Thakkar Harrison Thomas Ansh Tiwari Clynton Vuong Chad Westbrook Bernie White Lachlan Wilde Jack Wilson Spencer Zerbe

## Year 9

## Cotton

Harry Adams **Devesh Anayka** 

Devesh Anavkar Will Andre Arlo Bromley Mitchell Brook Sam Bryson Ari Cantor Alex Charlick Hugh Davidson Lachlan DeAraugo Pat Edwards Louis Fiorili William Garnett Harrison Gibson Joe Heaslip Oliver Holden Noah Leathart Frik Lidums George Longbottom

George Longbotton
Will Luke
Edward Marks
Tom Michael
Lachlan Murphy
Tom Nolan
Charlie Nolan
Bronte O'Callaghan
Henry Owler
Will Pledge
Henry Reid
Dante Russo
Darcy Sandow
William Spitty

## <u>Taylor</u>

Alby Will

Yitong Wang

James Warwick

Jarrah Bailey Zeke Blaskett Xander Butler Harvey Chapman Achyut Chopra Ollie Earle Jackson Finnis Harry Grandioso Harry Hu Kai Ivins
Maxwell Kammer
Nicholas Lai
Johan Louw
Harrison Martin
Will Maynard
Harry McFetridge
James Mudge
Peter Papageorgiou
Russell Pickett-Carbine
Clayton Presgrave
Martin Qian

## **Cayden Sampson-Ly**

Thomas Schirripa James Selby Joseph Simpson Charles Tang

## **Angus Tye**

Tom Whittle Will Wildman Hamish Wiles Nicky Xie James Yang David Yoon

## **Waterhouse**

## **Harrison Daly**

Joshua Dartnall Eric Dong Archie Erbe Henry Fan Mosen Feng

## Chase Fenton

Gus Glover Callum Heath Harvey Koch Milo Kotzee Ashton Lim Xavier Lim Tom Loudon Sabian Manera Henry McAuliffe Joshua McDonald Sebastian Mibus Joshua Murnik Nikolas Muzik Alexander Oakes Henry Orton Max Paholski Harry Paholski Jock Perry Flynn Ritossa Xander Russell Ollie Swain-Wride Darcy Thatcher Spencer Tudorovic Nathan Wang Zack Weng Zhao-Kai Wilcox

## **Watsford**

Max Zeng

Alfred Antonas Harrison Babyszka Harry Dolling Jonathan Duff Will Edwards Josh Fleming

Daniel Foo Thomas George Zac Grice Alec Halkett Harvey Herbert Owen Hislop lensen Hunt Oscar Kermeen loe Kernahan Ollie Kirkness Noah Laforest Maks Laughlin Tyson Lopes Dougal McLachlan Henry Mitchell Toby Munt Keith Ng Felipe Papathanasiou Isaac Peris-Coe Ollie Priestley Lucas Sheridan Shaun Thakur Harvy Vandenberg Orlando Vause Charlie Yelland Henry Zadow

## Senior School Year 10

Joshua Zhang

## Cotton

Tom Balnaves Max Beltrame Saverio Blefari Harry Bowman Mitch Butler Eddie Callaghan Kai Dalby Lucas Dang William Daniel Christopher Davi Henry Drew Oliver Dunbar Filip Fantasia Henry Fogden Alec Guglielmucci Mitch Harris Tymek Jachacy Alek Kierno Liam Kritharas Adam Lee Owen McCauley Angus McLachlan Taine Meyer

## **Carlin Miller**

Henry Murdoch
Hudson Pentland
Nick Ricciuto
Harry Saint
Hugo Sanders
Jack Southwood
Henry Stephan
Jobe Stevens
Jack Stunell
Toby Sutherland

Ryan Tait Bobby Wei Remy Worthington Ming Zhu

## **Taylor**

Joshua Balacco Finn Carev Ethan Chen Montrel Coleman Leroy Condous Levi de Wit Leonardo Fabrizio Max Flower Kv Fogarty Charlie Freemantle Zach Gentile Asterios Gerovasilis Angad Gill Athan Harlaftis Will Heuzenroeder David lia Charles Li Tom Lindsay Derek Liu Sebastian MacIntosh Daniel Mundy Henry Pedler Hugo Richards lackson Rossi Max Sampson AJ Scullino Hugo Shaw Adrian Shiu lack Siemer Angus Smith Judd Smith Harry Taintey

## James Wade

Felix Waltham *Benjamin Wilkin* Henry Yang

Jackson Tomkins-Green

## **Waterhouse**

Cooper Armstrong George Butler Maddern Croft Julian Dawson Ollie Dennis Oscar Di Matteo James Dixon Toby Dodd Leo Feng Lucas Fusco Harry Goldsworthy Fred Hassell Alex Johnson

## Sean Keeler

Leroy Rossi

Andy Lin
Nick Marshall
Kale Matthews-Hampton
Jack McAuliffe
Angus Mills
Oscar Mulhern
Archie Murray
Ed Prescott

Caleb Sam-Ling
Jude Saturno
Luke Scarce
Josh Scarce
Oliver Siegele
Alec Sincock
Charlie Smart
Ollie Staugas
Angus Thorne
Finley Turner
James Williamson
Aidan Witenden
Finn Wundenberg
Jet Yeend
Gabriel Yeo

## Watsford

Will Boyce

Bruno Antonas

Lachie Calvert Nick Christensen Oliver Crocker Hugo Elkhoury Charlie Fassina Robbie Hill Adrian Ho James Hobby Will Johnson Alex Kelledv Saxon Larwood Connor Liu Jesse Manuel James Matthias Lachlan Mills Sebastian Miteloudis Tom Neal Thami Nyathi George Papagiannis Josh Penhall Joshua Pullino Ethan Rogers Hamish Ruff Frank Sang Christian Smith JJ Soralekkitti Hugo Spears Rishab Thairani Cyril Tian Will Trengove Hamish Vandepeer Sebastian Veronese Isaac Yu

## Year 11

Jerry Zhao

## Cotton

Sebastian Abboud
Louis Annetta
James Arney
Tiago Barlow
Matthew Benecke
William Bergin
Ryan Bowyer
Henry Burroughs
Charlie Carney
Robbie Case

Max Charlwood
Pete Cole
Max Croser
Sam Davey
Lachie Davidson
Fletcher Davidson
Evan Davies
Luke Economos
Jack Elms
Max Garnett
Hudson Haynes
Aston Hogben
Stanley Jia

## Aklan Kirchner

Jack Kohlhagen Jesse Laing George Marks Tom McDonald Noah Mennillo Henry Michael Nicholas Mitchell Callum Nunn Jake Nykiel Aidan Obst Liam Quinn-Fogarty Jack Rayner Naite Slade Lachlan Spitty Harrison Vokietaitis Hamish Ward Barnaby Wheare Hayden Willmott Marco Wirth

#### **Taylor**

Ivan Arnold Tharan Balachander Zac Bald Benjamin Barnard Max Barnett Jonty Belton Argus Choy Salvy Costanzo James Cree Sam Cumming Rijak Dhingra Stefan Drusian Alex Fan Lachie Faulkhead Cooper Ferme Oscar Finnis Petey Flower Angus Freemantle Jack Grandioso Xander Green Angus Hall Oliver Hein Angus Hewett Angus Hodges Tom Jeffries Fergus Keighran Ben Langley Oliver Lipkiewicz Anthony Long Hugo Mascolo Chewa Maurici Ben McArthur

Curtis Mundy

Taj Murray Sam Pheasant Kyle Prinsloo Jeht Ryan James Schimanski Jack Schirripa Josh Stevens **Toby Stothard** Aaron Walsh Charlie Waltham Nicholas Whyte Angus Williams Thomas Yu

#### Waterhouse

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