



# 'Beyond the Classroom...'

#### **Tours & Exchanges Program Calendar**

Prince Alfred College takes great pride in its camp & touring program, and we believe that the benefits of such experiences can be truly transformational for our boys.

These experiences are carefully curated with an aim of being accessible for boys of all ages and interests, across their journey at PAC.

Ranging from a few days to three weeks, each tour is carefully designed to provide opportunities for students to engage with their passions in a variety of settings, while at the same time, facilitating the development of skills that come from living away from the comforts of home.

The purpose of this calendar is to allow families to plan ahead, taking into account their son's interests, whilst allowing family calendar and budgetary planning for the same.

We believe being part of a larger group that is travelling together, allows students to display organisation, proactivity, empathy, leadership and patience as our boys eat, sleep, travel and learn together. The independence and maturity that comes from tours is often immediately noticeable to parents, on returning home. This, combined with the enduring relationships that are formed between students and between staff and students, from the shared experiences, lead many boys to describe touring as one of the highlights of their time at PAC.

One common benchmark for selection on all tours is a student's attitude to the rigours of school life and the expectation that they apply equal effort and character to all they do. Pastoral staff (Tutors, Heads of House and Heads of Middle & Senior Years) are always consulted prior to tour selections to ensure students who have expressed an interest will make the most of such an opportunity and represent PAC with distinction.

A number of our tours, particularly sports tours, have a set of qualifying criteria, including ability and year level, with priority given to older students. Limits to tour group numbers mean that unfortunately, not everyone who expresses interest may be able to attend.

Each tour is subject to the availability and willingness of staff to lead such tours, with schedules and price guides subject to change.

This schedule should be seen as indicative only, and tours and dates are subject to change.

Troy McKinnon

Director of Co-Curricular Activities





#### Academic Focus

	2025	2026	2027	2028
Agricultural Science (Mundulla Fund)	Marcus Oldham and Longerenong College Tour Year 11/12 May \$	Lincoln College and University of Otago Tour, NZ Year 11/12 July \$\$	Marcus Oldham and Longerenong College Tour Year 11/12 May \$	Lincoln College and University of Otago Tour, NZ Year 11/12 July \$\$
English	UK Literature Tour Year 9-12 April \$\$\$\$		<b>UK Literature Tour</b> Year 9-12 April \$\$\$\$	
Humanities	Humanities European Tour Year 9/11 Sep/Oct \$\$\$\$\$\$		Humanities European Tour Year 9/11 Sep/Oct \$\$\$\$\$	
Languages	Individual exchange opporti		French and Italian	
Preparatory School	Canberra – Civics & Citizenship Year 6 October \$	Canberra - Civics & Citizenship Year 6 October \$	Canberra – Civics & Citizenship Year 6 October \$	Canberra – Civics & Citizenship Year 6 October \$
Science		US STEM Tour Year 9/10/11 Sep/Oct \$\$\$\$\$		US STEM Tour Year 9/10/11 TBA \$\$\$\$\$



### **Co-Curricular Performing Arts**

	2025		2026	2027		2028	
Music	Generations In Jazz Mount Gambier Years 7-12 May	\$	Generations in Jazz Mount Gambier Years 7-12 May New Zealand Tour Years 7-12 Ensemble TBA	\$ Generations in Jazz Mount Gambier Years 7-12 May	\$	Generations in Jazz Mount Gambier Years 7-12 May	\$
Drama	Sydney Immersive Drama Tour (inc NIDA, Belvoir) Years 10-12 April	\$\$		Sydney Immersive Drama Tour (inc NIDA, Belvoir) Years 10-12 April	\$\$		

# **Domestic Reciprocal Exchange**

	2025	2026	2027	2028
	Hale School Exchange Perth Year 8 Aug/Sep \$	Hale School Exchange Perth Year 8 Aug/Sep \$	Hale School Exchange Perth Year 8 Aug/Sep \$	Hale School Exchange Perth Year 8 Aug/Sep \$
Year 8	Toowoomba Grammar Exchange, Toowoomba, Qld. Year 8,			
	Aug/Sep \$	Aug/Sep \$	Aug/Sep \$	Aug/Sep \$



# Leadership and Service Focus

	2025	2026	2027	2028
Service	Outreach Program Year 10 December \$	Outreach Program Year 10 December \$	Outreach Program Year 10 December \$	Outreach Program Year 10 December \$
Leadership	Outdoor Education Leadership program Year 11 Terms 1 to 4 \$	Outdoor Education Leadership program Year 11 Terms 1 to 4 \$	Outdoor Education Leadership program Year 11 Terms 1 to 4 \$	Outdoor Education Leadership program Year 11 Terms 1 to 4 \$
Service and Leadership	Cambodia Tour (with Seymour College) Year 11 April \$\$\$	Mongolia Service Trip Years 10-12 Sep/Oct \$\$\$	Cambodia Tour (with Seymour College) Year 11 April \$\$\$	Mongolia Service Trip Years 10-12 Sep/Oct \$\$\$

### Outdoor and Adventure

	2025	2026		2027		2028	
Year 11 & 12		Tasmania or WA Expedition Years 11,12 July	\$\$\$	New Zealand Adventure Tour Years 11,12 December	\$\$\$	Tasmania or WA Expedition Years 11,12 July	\$\$\$
Year 9/10 & 10/11		Parent & Son Trek Larapinta Signature Years 9,10 July	\$\$\$	Parent & Son Trek Kokoda Walk Years 10,11 April	\$\$\$	Parent & Son Trek Larapinta Signatur Years 9,10 July	
Year 10	Perisher Snow Trip Year 10 June/July \$\$	Perisher Snow Trip Year 10 June/July	\$\$	Perisher Snow Trip Year 10 June/July	\$\$	Perisher Snow Trip Year 10 June/July	\$\$



# **Co-Curricular Sports**

ATHLETICS	2025		2026		2027		2028	
Domestic:	Nationals School Challenge Location TBA Years 6-8 December **	\$\$	Nationals School Challenge Location TBA Years 6-8 December **	\$\$	Nationals School Challenge Location TBA Years 6-8 December **	\$\$	Nationals School Challenge Location TBA Years 6-8 December **	\$\$
AUSTRALIAN RULES FOOTBALL	2025		2026		2027		2028	
Senior Domestic:	Wesley 1st XVIII Football Exchange (Melbourne) Years 10-12 April	\$\$	Wesley 1st XVIII Football Exchange (Adelaide) Years 10-12 April	\$	Wesley 1st XVIII Football Exchange (Melbourne) Years 10-12 April  Perth Football Tour Year 10 July	\$\$ \$\$	Wesley 1st XVIII Football Exchange (Adelaide) Years 10-12 April	\$
Middle School Domestic:	Wesley Year 8 Football Exchange (Adelaide) July	\$	Wesley Year 8 Football Exchange (Melbourne) July	\$\$	Wesley Year 8 Football Exchange (Adelaide) July	\$	Wesley Year 8 Football Exchange (Melbourne) July	\$\$



# **Co-Curricular Sports**

BASKETBALL	2025	2026	2027	2028
International:		US Basketball Tour TBC Years 10-12 July \$\$\$\$\$		US Basketball Tour TBC Years 10-12 July \$\$\$\$\$
Senior Domestic:	National School Championships Location TBA Years 10-12 December \$\$	Brisbane/Gold Coast Basketball Tour Years 10-12 Apri or July \$\$  National School	National School	Perth Basketball Tour Years 10-12 April or July \$\$  National School
		Championships Location TBA Years 10-12 December \$\$	Championships Location TBA Years 10-12 December \$\$	Championships Location TBA Years 10-12 December \$\$
Middle School Domestic:		Melbourne Basketball Tour Years 7-9 April or July \$\$	Brisbane/Gold Coast Basketball Tour Years 7-9 April or July \$\$	Sydney Basketball Tour Years 7-9 April or July \$\$
CRICKET	2025	2026	2027	2028
Senior International:	UK Cricket Tour (non- Ashes) Years 10-12 June/July \$\$\$\$\$		UK Cricket Tour (Ashes) Years 10-12 June/July \$\$\$\$\$	
Senior Domestic:	Wesley/Newington Cricket Exchange Adelaide Years 10-12 January \$	Wesley/Newington Cricket Exchange Sydney Years 10-12 January \$	Wesley/Newington Cricket Exchange Melbourne Years 10-12 January \$	Wesley/Newington Cricket Exchange Adelaide Years 10-12 January \$

<sup>\*\*</sup>PAC must qualify for tour to take place

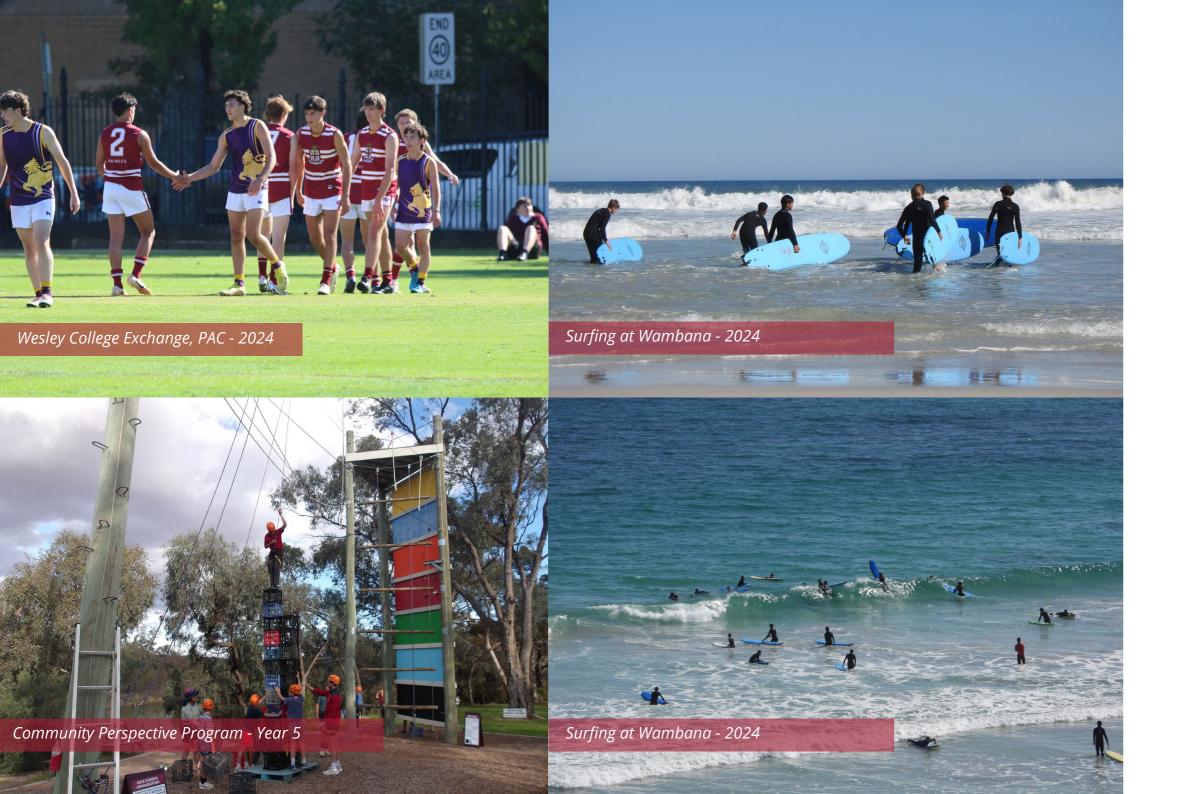


# **Co-Curricular Sports**

ROWING	2025	2026	2027	2028
Middle & Senior Domestic:	Rowing Camps Scotts Creek Years 8-12 January \$  Rowing Camp Scotts Creek Years 9-11 October \$	Rowing Camps Scotts Creek Years 8-12 January \$  Rowing Camp Scotts Creek Years 9-11 October \$		Rowing Camps Scotts Creek Years 8-12 January \$  Rowing Camp Scotts Creek Years 9-11 October \$
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Middle Domestic:	Rowing Camp West Lakes Years 7,8 October \$	Rowing Camp West Lakes Years 7,8 October \$	Rowing Camp West Lakes Years 7,8 October \$	Rowing Camp West Lakes Years 7,8 October \$
Senior Domestic:	NSW State Championships Year 10 February \$\$  National Regatta Years 11,12 March \$\$	NSW State Championships Year 10 February \$\$  National Regatta Years 11,12 March \$\$	NSW State Championships Year 10 February \$\$  National Regatta Years 11,12 March \$\$	NSW State Championships Year 10 February \$\$  National Regatta Years 11,12 March \$\$
Senior International:		Royal Henley Regatta England ** TBC Years June \$\$\$\$\$	Royal Henley Regatta England ** TBC Years June \$\$\$\$\$	Royal Henley Regatta England ** TBC Years June \$\$\$\$\$



Co-Curricular S	ports			
RUGBY	2025	2026	2027	2028
Domestic:		First XV Perth Tour Years 11,12 July \$\$	First XV Melbourne Tour Years 11,12 July \$\$	First XV Perth Tour Years 11,12 July \$\$
SOCCER	2025	2026	2027	2028
International:		International Football Immersion Tour TBC \$\$\$\$\$\$		International Football Immersion Tour TBC \$\$\$\$\$\$
Senior Domestic:			TSS Tournament Gold Coast Years 10-12 April \$\$	
Middle School Domestic:	Wesley Soccer Exchange Adelaide Years 7-9 July \$	Wesley Soccer Exchange Melbourne Years 7-9 July \$	Wesley Soccer Exchange Adelaide Years 7-9 July \$	Wesley Soccer Exchange Melbourne Years 7-9 July \$



Co-Curricular Sports							
SURFING	2025	2026	2027	2028			
Domestic:	Melbourne URBN Surf Wave Pool Tour Years 7-12 Term 4 \$\$						
TENNIS	2025	2026	2027	2028			
International:		International Tennis Tour Europe Years 7-12 June/July \$\$\$\$\$					
Domestic:	Tennis Nationals Location TBA Years 7-11 November \$	Tennis Nationals Location TBA Years 7-11 November \$	Tennis Nationals Location TBA Years 7-11 November \$	Tennis Nationals Location TBA Years 7-11 November \$			
Middle School Domestic:		Wesley Tennis Exchange Melbourne Years 7-9 January \$\$		Wesley Tennis Exchange Melbourne Years 7-9 January \$\$			



# Year Level Camps

	2025	2026	2027		2028	
/ear 2:	Zoo Snooze Adelaide Zoo All Year 2 students Term 4	\$ Zoo Snooze Adelaide Zoo All Year 2 students Term 4	\$ Zoo Snooze Adelaide Zoo All Year 2 students Term 4	\$	Zoo Snooze Adelaide Zoo All Year 2 students Term 4	\$
/ear 3:	Woodhouse Activity Centre Camp Piccadilly All Year 3 students Term 4	Woodhouse Activity Centre Camp Piccadilly All Year 3 students Term 4	\$ Woodhouse Activity Centre Camp Piccadilly All Year 3 students Term 4	\$	Woodhouse Activity Centre Camp Piccadilly All Year 3 students Term 4	\$
⁄ear 4:	Coastal Ecology Program Fleurieu Peninsula All Year 4 students Term 1	\$ Coastal Ecology Program Fleurieu Peninsula All Year 4 students Term 1	\$ Coastal Ecology Program Fleurieu Peninsula All Year 4 students Term 1	\$	Coastal Ecology Program Fleurieu Peninsula All Year 4 students Term 1	\$
ear 5:	Cultural Perpectives Program Scotts Creek All Year 5 students Term 3	Cultural Perpectives Program Scotts Creek All Year 5 students Term 2 or 3	\$ Cultural Perpectives Program Scotts Creek All Year 5 students Term 2 or 3	\$	Cultural Perpectives Program Scotts Creek All Year 5 students Term 2 or 3	\$
⁄ear 5:	Year 5 Parent Experience Weekend Scotts Creek Term 1 or 2	\$ Year 5 Parent Experience Weekend Scotts Creek Term 1 or 2	\$ Year 5 Parent Experient Weekend Scotts Creek Term 1 or 2	s	Year 5 Parent Experience Weekend Scotts Creek Term 1 or 2	\$



### **Year Level Camps**

	2025	2026	2027	2028
Year 6:	Eco-Adventure Program Scotts Creek All Year 6 students Term 2 \$	Eco-Adventure Program Scotts Creek All Year 6 students Term 1 or 2 \$	Eco-Adventure Program Scotts Creek All Year 6 students Term 1 or 2 \$	Eco-Adventure Program Scotts Creek All Year 6 students Term 1 or 2 \$
Year 7:	Community Perspective Program Scotts Creek All Year 7 students Term 1 \$	Community Perspective Program Scotts Creek All Year 7 students Term 1 or 3 \$	Community Perspective Program Scotts Creek All Year 7 students Term 1 or 3 \$	Community Perspective Program Scotts Creek All Year 7 students Term 1 or 3 \$
Year 8:	Adventure Program Scotts Creek All Year 8 students Term 1, 2 or 3 \$	Adventure Program Scotts Creek All Year 8 students Term 1, 2 or 3 \$	Adventure Program Scotts Creek All Year 8 students Term 1, 2 or 3 \$	Adventure Program Scotts Creek All Year 8 students Term 1, 2 or 3 \$
Year 9:	Wambana 5-Week Extended Stay Point Turton All Year 9 students Terms 1, 2, 3 or 4	Wambana 5-Week Extended Stay Point Turton All Year 9 students Terms 1, 2, 3 or 4	Wambana 5-Week Extended Stay Point Turton All Year 9 students Terms 1, 2, 3 or 4	Wambana 5-Week Extended Stay Point Turton All Year 9 students Terms 1, 2, 3 or 4

Information regarding tours, including how to apply, will be emailed to students and parents throughout the year, as they become available. In the meantime, if you have any general queries regarding these tours, please direct them to <a href="mailto:cocurricular@pac.edu.au">cocurricular@pac.edu.au</a>.