Review weekly

From the Principal

Fabulous City Week!
City Week runs for much longer than a week but in the last seven days, the Year 9 students have certainly been actively involved in refining and finalising their group presentations. Wednesday night’s Expo unfortunately had to be postponed due to the state-wide power outage. However it has been wonderful to see parents and guests visiting this morning and viewing the students’ work. One of the most inspiring aspects of City Week is the way in which our students work alongside and are mentored by experts in our school and wider Adelaide City community.

John Hanlon, Chief Executive of Renewal SA, wrote to the School in support of the innovative program:

“The program enables students to become closely involved in a diverse range of activities associated with their capital city. Not only do the students have an opportunity to undertake theoretical research into the daily activities of the City but they also get to participate and understand many of the complex business operations that make up the daily business of a city….This program is exciting because of the breadth of industries that the students become involved in…the students have the opportunity to touch on the fundamentals of both local and State government responsibility in areas such as tourism, education, health, environment, development and city activation programs.”

LONG LUNCH
SILENT AUCTION ITEMS
We are seeking donations and need your help. Items that have sold well in the past include:

Experiences, antiques, holiday homes, corporate boxes, electrical goods, services, paintings, restaurant vouchers, sporting goods, or anything else you would love to enjoy, others will too.

Contact suzie.boyaci@pulteney.sa.edu.au or call 8113 5670 or drop donations at the front office.

If your child is absent from school, please contact the sub school directly.

Senior School 8216 5548
Middle School 8216 5599
Prep School 8216 5544
Kurrajong 8216 5570
Brilliant Preptacular!
I extend my congratulations to the entire Prep School student body and staff for what was an outstanding night of music and entertainment at the Adelaide Town Hall on Thursday last week. Students clearly enjoyed every aspect of dressing up to the theme of “Heroes”, singing, dancing and playing music. The parents, siblings, grandparents, staff and Board Members present were so enthused afterwards; it was simply a great night of music and fun.

This event is no small undertaking and I extend my sincere thanks and admiration to Ms Adrienne Cullity for her outstanding leadership and all the Prep School & Music staff for supporting the students in Years 3 to 6 to shine on stage!

Student Success
I extend my congratulations to two of Pulteney’s Debating teams who competed in the Grand Finals on Saturday at Parliament House. The competition has been excellent this year, with Debating SA reporting that a record 215 teams from 52 schools have participated this year. The Year 9 Blue Team consisting of Tom Clapp, Olivia Cameron and Jake Reedman, with Zach Nicholls as Chair, represented themselves and the School in exemplary fashion but were unlucky to be defeated by a narrow margin. Thank you to coach Ms Emily Clarke and also Lucy Johnson and Ben McAdams for their team work throughout the season.

Pulteney’s Senior Debating team won a lively debate that divided the panel of adjudicators which included Senator Nick Xenophon. Each of our senior debaters, Joshua Nicholls, Neha Athreya and Ned Feary, showed exceptional skills to debate the negative argument for the topic “That Trump is a gamble worth taking”. I thank the team’s coach, Ms Elizabeth Guilfoyle, for her excellent guidance, Ellie Vivlios and Joshua Boscaini for their team work throughout the season and also Mr Justin Putland for coordinating Debating at Pulteney throughout the year.

As Term Three draws to a close, I thank all of the students and staff for such a productive term. I also encourage the Year 12 students to plan and implement a clear revision strategy to support their final push in their studies to achieve their academic goals.

Anne Dunstan
Principal
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Uniform Shop
Opening Times
Opening Hours for Term 4:
- Monday 3:00pm – 4:30pm
- Wednesday 12:30pm – 4:30pm
- Friday 8:00am – 11.30am

The Opening Times for the October holidays are:
- Wednesday 12th of October 10:00am – 1:00pm
- Friday 14th of October 10:00am – 1:00pm

We hope you all enjoy the break!
Gay & Georgie
From the Head of Kurrajong

Inquiry Based Learning

“The meaning of ‘knowing’ has shifted from being able to remember and repeat information to being able to find and use it.” (National Research Council, 2007)

Students in Kurrajong use an inquiry approach to learning to wonder, question, develop curiosity and actively construct their understandings through hands-on experiences, research, processing and communicating their understandings in various ways. This approach is underpinned by Pulteney’s Strategic Priority 2, ‘An outstanding teaching and learning experience’ through the implementation of the Pulteney Learning and Performance Culture Framework where ‘We put our students at the heart of what we do. We:

- Inspire, challenge and empower all students to develop their individual talents and passions
- Seek and create ways to enhance student learning’

Learning takes place in a social context where students learn from each other, together with others, and from those outside of the classroom context. Being a city school there are a plethora of opportunities for our students to take their learning outside the four walls of the classroom, and our students and staff have certainly been exploring the city this term. Last week, our younger students in ELC-T caught the free City Loop Bus to the Museum. The children have been learning about collections, and enjoyed exploring the many collections within the Museum of some of their favourite animals. Through their exploration of the Museum, the ELC-T children did some fabulous noticing, wondering and hypothesizing – the foundational skills and dispositions of scientific thinking and inquiry.

Reception students today visited the Jam Factory as part of their study on Chemical Sciences, exploring how ‘objects are made of materials that have observable properties’. Students observed artists working with a range of materials to create different products. It was also a perfect opportunity to integrate students' mathematical learning about shapes as well!

The Year 1 students last week explored the sights, smells and sounds of the Adelaide Central Market as part of their inquiry into money and financial mathematics and as an introduction into the ‘5 senses’ inquiry to be undertaken next term. Students planned a shopping list, managed a budget and purchased healthy food from the market. They then returned to school to cut up the food into fractions, creating food sculptures using joining techniques, before sharing all the tasty delights together and reviewing their experience.
On Wednesday 31 August the Year 2 classes visited the Adelaide Zoo to support their leaning on the topic of ‘Rainforests’. During the excursion the children utilised their mapping skills to locate and navigate their group to the enclosures of all the rainforest animals housed in the zoo. These included the Giant Pandas, Tapir’s, Poison Dart Frogs and many more. Once they found the animals, the children explored and discussed their habitat, current status and diet. The excursion also included a session in the Zoo School, where the children learnt more about animal species, protection of habitats and animals and also important food webs. All the classes had a wonderful and informative day and the excursion helped to reinforce and build on important concepts in the Science and HASS curriculum.

Virginia Evans
Head of Kurrajong
Invacuation and Evacuation
Emergency Drills

During the course of each term, our staff and students practice drills involving invacuation and evacuation so that they are familiar with the correct procedure in the event of an emergency.

Yesterday all students, from ELC to Year 12, and staff practiced what is required in the event of an evacuation. Whilst exiting our School campus it was pleasing to observe the efficient and orderly manner in which staff and students made their way to the playing fields. In the interest of staff and student safety further invacuation and evacuation drills are planned for term 4.

Greg Atterton
Deputy Principal

From the School Nurse

This week I have included some information taken from a Women's and Children's Health Network publication. I feel it is well worth us considering as parents and caregivers of children of all ages.

Sharon Bowering
School Nurse / Registered Nurse

Parents coughing up for potentially harmful medicine, poll finds

The latest quarterly Royal Children's Hospital (RCH) Australian Child Health Poll (ACHP) has found that Australian parents are spending millions of dollars a year on cough and cold medicines that could harm young children.

The poll found Australians are spending an estimated $67 million annually on cough and cold medicines for children aged under 15 years.

A third of children aged under six years receive over-the-counter cough and cold medicines.

Parents of young children who are advised to use an over-the-counter cough or cold medicine are now being advised to challenge this advice as there is no supporting evidence that these medicines are effective.

Key findings from the fourth Australian Child Health Poll include:

> 92 per cent of children have received an over-the-counter medicine in the past 12 months and 65 per cent have received more than one type of medicine

> Although there is no evidence it helps, a substantial proportion of parents give their children paracetamol or ibuprofen to treat cough (27 per cent) or induce sleep (10 per cent)

> One in seven parents use over-the-counter medicines to aid sleep or relax their children for travel, such as on flights or car trips.

For more information visit www.childhealthpoll.org.au.
Information on Careers is located on our School website at:
http://www.pulteney.sa.edu.au/students/futures/

The following topics are covered this week:

- TAFE SA University Pathways
- Year 12 SATAC applications
- Special Tertiary Admissions Test (STAT)
- University Bonus Points Scheme – 2016+ entry
- 2017 New University Courses
- Flinders University Tonsley Campus – Open nights
- Pathways to South Australian Universities
- Academic Ranking of World Universities 2016
- Academy of Interactive Entertainment Experience Day – Wednesday 5 October
- Academy of Interactive Entertainment Open Day – Saturday 19 November
- Australian College of Applied Psychology Information Session – Wednesday 23 November, 6pm
- Useful websites for exploring careers
- Youth Central Career Information
- Zoom In
- Grow Careers
- Careers in Psychology
- Careers in Nuclear Medicine
- Careers in Sport
- Careers that started in science
- Maths Ad(d)s – an online career resource
- Studying in the UK
- Top tips for applying for scholarships
- Australian Veterans’ Children Assistance Trust: 2016 Scholarships and Bursaries.
- C.A.S. Hawker Scholarship
- University of Melbourne

Endeavour College of Natural Health Scholarship Program
- Gap Medics Australia
- Premed Projects
- Adelaide College of the Arts: Dance Auditions
- Pre-Apprenticeships Course Finder
- Australian Apprenticeships: My Gain Videos
- SA Power Networks Apprenticeship Program
- Master Builders South Australia Apprenticeships
- Rio Tinto Apprenticeships
- TAFE SA Associate Degrees in Engineering
- Au Pair in America: Online Information Session
- Projects Abroad Information Session
- The International College of Hotel Management Career Week and Open Day
- Australian Jobs 2016
- TAFE SA Fashion Design Info Sessions
- University of Adelaide Seminar for Parents - Sunday 23 October, 11am or 12noon
- Taxation and Superannuation information for students
- Looking for a job?

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Prep School Sports Notices

Little Athletics – Adelaide Eagles

SUMMER From October-March

- Monday training: 4.30pm and 5.30pm (come to one session or both). Children do the full run, jump, throw with the training program changing slightly each week to reflect our events at the upcoming meet on Friday night. We have trained coaches who run this and everyone is police checked.

- Friday competition meet: 5.30pm set up for a 6pm start. Ages 3-17.

For more information re Adelaide Eagles Little Athletics contacts below

adelaideeagles.org.au/

Facebook: www.facebook.com/AdelaideEaglesLittleAthleticsCentre

Twitter: @Adelaide_Eagles

Netball Holiday Clinics

Taught and Bowled will be offering Netball Coaching Clinics during the October school holidays for girls aged 5-13 years. All clinics will be held at the St Peter’s Girls’ School gym (Stonyfell Rd, Stonyfell) and there are three clinics available:

Clinic 1: Attacking Skills and Match Play, Wednesday 5 and Thursday 6 October, 9:15-10:45am, $60 per participant

Clinic 2: Defensive Skills and Match Play, Wednesday 5 and Thursday 6 October, 11:00am-12:30pm, $60 per participant

Clinic 3: Beginners Clinic, Friday 7 October, 9:15-10:15am, $25 per participant

All clinics will be delivered by qualified, experienced coaches.

To book your child’s place go to www.taughtandbowled.com.au > Netball Coaching > Netball Holiday Programs or for further information please contact Alice Johnswood at alice@taughtandbowled.com.au or 0412 454 784
Prep School Sport Results

Soccer
Yr 4 Girls lost to Pembroke 1-3
Yr 5 Girls were defeated by Walford 1-2
Yr 5/6 Navy Girls defeated Pembroke 3-1

Netball
Yr 2 Navy – were defeated by St Therese 1-2
Yr 3White – were defeated by Unley 0-3
Yr 4 Gold – defeated St Therese 10-2

Car Parks Available
We currently have permanent parking spaces available on Level 7 of the Gilles Street Car Park.

Please contact Kylie Lambert on 8216 5510 or kylie.lambert@pulteney.sa.edu.au for further details.
Pulseneyfest
THE LONG LUNCH
OCTOBER 23 2016

12 for a 12.30pm start
Robert Henshall Sports Centre, Pulteney Grammar School

$120 Early Bird (pre 10 October)
$150 (on or after 10 October)

www.trybooking.com/CTIX
PULTENEY LONG LUNCH
SUNDAY 23 October 2016

AUCTION DONOR FORM

As you will be aware, this year’s major fundraising event for the School, The Long Lunch, will take place on Sunday 23rd October. We anticipate that up to 550 people will attend the event. The largest fundraiser on the day is our Silent Auction, raising over $45,000 at the last Long Lunch, which is a relatively simple means of generating substantial income for the benefit of our children. I am writing in the hope that your business, or perhaps one that you might frequent, would be able to offer an auction item for The Long Lunch.

From past experience, several categories of auction items have consistently raised significant funds. These categories are:

• Family experiences (such as a family trip to Monarto Zoo, holiday house accommodation).
• High end artwork including glass, ceramics and sculpture.
• Quality educational toys and play equipment and small electrical appliances.
• Fine wine.

Other categories include sporting equipment and memorabilia, jewellery as well as contemporary furniture and lighting. The potential list is limitless!

If you would like to donate an item, or have a suggestion for a potential donation, please complete the form below or alternatively contact the Community Relations Office on 8113 5636. Donations may be dropped in to the School front office.

We sincerely appreciate your support, and if you would like to attend The Long Lunch, please visit www.trybooking.com/CTIX

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I / We are happy to donate the following goods/services (description for Auction Catalogue)
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Would you prefer the goods to be collected? Yes No, will deliver.
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Please return to: Pulteney Community Relations Office,
190 South Terrace, Adelaide SA 5000
Fax to: 8216 5588 or email: cate.boucher@pulteney.sa.edu.au
Quad Café

The Quad Café will be held in
The Kurrajong undercroft this Friday.

The Quad Café provides an opportunity for parents to catch up at drop off over a coffee.

When: Friday Mornings during Term 8.00am to 9.00am

If you are available to assist, please contact Cate Boucher on 81135636 or cate.boucher@pulteney.sa.edu.au