Outstanding Achievements in Music

I extend my congratulations to our outstanding music ensembles, the Stage Band, Concert Band, the Grammarphones and Jazz on the Terrace, who all achieved brilliant results at the Balaklava Eisteddfod late last week. Both the Stage and Concert Bands performed with skill and talent to attain First place in their respective divisions. The Grammarphones and Jazz on the Terrace each gained Second placings. While not attaining a place, our String Ensemble and Percussion Ensemble also competed at a very high standard and represented our School beautifully. The Music staff provide wonderful support to our students and I thank them for their efforts. Head of Performing Arts, Mr Kym Wilson, shared with me some of the feedback received from parents and the following comment certainly sums up our appreciation of the Music team’s efforts:

“The invaluable experience… from rehearsing and performing together as a group is just brilliant, and the dedication of the Music Department is outstanding and very much appreciated.”

Year 9 City Week

One of the key highlights for Year 9 students is happening this term. City Week is an experiential learning opportunity that spans more than just a week and engages our Year 9 students in the exploration and analysis of many facets of the City of Adelaide. It aligns with our School’s key strategic priority of building collaborative and creative partnerships and engaging with our community. The City Week experience requires teamwork, creative and critical thinking and excellent planning. This year, students are exploring the theme of “Contributing to the greater good of Adelaide”.

The program involves many businesses, public figures and members of our wider Adelaide community and we are always grateful for their support and mentoring. However, in a communication I received last week, it was made clear to me that not only do our Pulteney students learn so much through the experience, they also give back in return. The letter comes from Cheryl Turner, Educational Tours Coordinator at The Market Kitchen, Adelaide Central Market. It reads:

In 2015 we were involved with the first Pulteney Middle School City week experience, they have also booked to return in 2016; we hope and anticipate this will be an ongoing connection between the school and The Market Kitchen.

The Market Kitchen is an educational, food and tourism hub based above the Adelaide Central Market and we have a strong educational tours program. Pulteney was the first to approach us with a City week experience for their students - other schools are now doing the same…

…In 2015 we had over 600 students visit the Market to study various areas of the curriculum. Pulteney School students stand out as most informed and amongst the best prepared students for their visit. The program run by the teachers is a great way for the students to become more involved with their community.
The presentation evening where the students showcased their ideas for their community was extremely insightful…My clients are always impressed with the vision showcased by the students and their ability to engage with their community and come up with ideas to improve the Market area.

The program the teachers have developed is a great benefit to the student’s education and their development and growth as valued members of our local community.

I look forward to seeing the innovative, dynamic and community-minded presentations developed by our Year 9 students at the City Week Expo on 28 September in Wyatt Hall and I encourage all to attend to see the outcomes from this significant program of learning.

Anne Dunstan
Principal

To comment on this article use this link to go directly to the Principal’s Blog:

From the Director of Community Relations
Community happenings

Term 3 is always one of the busiest in the calendar of The Foundation and Community Relations Office. The senses of excitement, anticipation and nervous apprehension meld together as we bring to fruition the great Pulteney community events of the year. As always I’m amazed and humbled by the support shown to my team, by members of the school community. Were it not for the generosity, both in kind and more importantly in spirit, of parents, grandparents, Old Scholars and colleagues, much of what we achieve would not be possible.

During the past month we have hosted the Old Masters Lunch, a function recognising the service of past members of staff, the Annual Old Scholars Dinner, the London and Hong Kong Reunions and last Friday, the Foundation’s Business Breakfast. The marvellous support of Ord Minnett, through Old Scholar and Foundation Trustee, Ryan Bamford, and current parent Alison Perrott, brought Australian Olympian, Steven Bradbury to The Pavillion as a humorous and thought provoking guest speaker. As ever, Old Scholar and current parent Nick Mavragelos, Proprietor of The Pavillion, supported the event generously.

The ensuring couple of months, see us hosting the Sydney and Canberra Reunions, The Foundation Golf Day on 9 September, The Sundowner on 16 September, The Performing Arts Reunion on 18 September and of course, The Long Lunch on 23 October. Teams of volunteers are busy planning these events and I take this opportunity to thank them for work in progress.

On a sad note, we recently lost one of Pulteney’s most progressive and formative Headmasters, J A (Jock) Mackinnon, Headmaster of Pulteney from 1973 to 1983, passed away on 18 July. We will host a Memorial Service honouring Jock on Saturday 17 September in the Chapel.
As I end this missive, it would be remiss of me not to mention, with much regret, the retirement of Sue-Ellen Sipek. ‘Suze’ has been a larger than life supporter of all things Pulteney, both as a volunteer and employee, for many years. She is already much missed in our office and I’m sure the wider Pulteney community will join me in thanking Sue-Ellen for her service and in wishing her a long and happy retirement. Sue-Ellen is a true embodiment of the Navy Blue Spirit, so important to the future success of our great School.

Mark Bourchier
Director of The Pulteney Foundation & Community Relations

Can Dance Competitions

Throughout the July school holidays, Kurrajong Year 2 student, Michaela Lazarevic (2T), participated in the Can Dance Competitions 2016.

Michaela competed in two competitions as a soloist at Golden Grove Arts Centre, Under 8 Ballet against 14 other competitors and Under 8 Jazz against 12 other competitors. Michaela placed 1st in the Jazz competition. This was her first time competing as a soloist, so she was ecstatic and her parents are very proud of her.

Michaela then competed as part of the Under 8 Troupe at Prince Alfred College. Under 8 Jazz, where the team was awarded 2nd place, Under 8 Classical Ballet 2nd place, Under 8 Tap 3rd Place and Under 8 Song and Dance, Honourable Mention.

She is currently preparing for the SA Staging Dancing Society Eisteddfod 2016 which will be held in October at Westminster College, followed by her ballet exam in November and the USA Dance Tour in April 2017.

As a school we are very proud of the goals Michaela has set herself, and her determination and persistence to then achieve these goals. Michaela certainly has a growth mindset when it comes to her passion for dancing!

Virginia Evans
Head of Kurrajong

Friends of Pulteney

Quad Cafe
In Kurrajong!

Friends will hold the Quad Cafe in the Kurrajong courtyard until the end of Term 3. Pop in and grab your Friday morning coffee from 8.00am.
Science Opportunity for Year 9-10 Students

RMIT University

The ConocoPhillips Science Experience, a three-day hands-on science, engineering and technology program, will be conducted again in Australian Universities in 2016 for students in Years 9 and 10. Each program includes a wide variety of practical activities, together with interesting presentations by leading scientists and engineers.

The South Australian dates are:
- University of Adelaide: 13th – 15th December
- Flinders University: 7th – 9th December
- UniSA: 6th-8th December

This is a Rotary Youth Services Project and fully supported by the Australian Science Teachers Association and Young Scientists of Australia. The cost of the three-day program is $120 (includes GST). Local Rotary clubs are often willing to pay this fee.

Further information and application forms are available from:
Mr. Drogemuller (Head of Science), Rotary clubs and from:
https://www.scienceexperience.com.au

Early application is advised.

Any Year 9 & 10 student is welcome to attend.

WHO DO YOU REALLY WANT TO BE?

This week in chapel we are working with ‘The Parable of the Faithful Servant’ from the Gospel of Luke 12:32-40. The modern mind struggles to discern any positive messages being gained from a relationship between a master and a slave, and understandably so. Theologically the this parable is characterised as an eschatological parable, a parable about end times. This might configure up images of a bible reading from The Book of Revelation to John, highly figurative language that portrays the slaying of dragons, confronting evil, explicit images of judgment, punishment or reckoning but this reading is not about the end times, rather about the way you journey through life. It is not about living your life so that you avoid accountability, rather is more about being ready so that you able to receive life’s blessings. It addresses the certainty of God’s graciousness.

Another curious part of this parable is the phrase, ‘For where your treasure, there your heart will be also’. This caused me to reflect, asking myself- When is it that I am the most engaged in my own life? Who do I choose to be when I am only
responding to that which energises me and gives me peace? What is my treasure?
Much of our lives is given over to meeting the needs of others and complying with what is expected of us. Now much of this is not at odds with what we want for ourselves but sometimes the busyness gets in the way of deep self-knowledge. Our hearts can be distracted in many ways.

I believe that God wants deep peace for us all. This Gospel is not about shaming us into perpetually doing the right thing just in case, it is about trusting that our future rests in the gracious presence and promise of God in our lives and one of the ways we do this is by being true and kind to ourselves, as we serve others.

Confirmation
In Term 3, the Year 6 cohort will be learning and reflecting about confirmation. Confirmation is a formal celebration of a young person taking on the responsibility for their faith development that their parents and god parents promised to undertake at their infant baptism. At baptism all Parents and Godparents undertake to support the child’s faith journey and this includes supporting them explore confirmation.

Confirmation is also a time when teenagers and adults pursue their faith independently. Every member of the Pulteney community is welcome to join us in this faith journey. It is not essential that confirmation occurs at this time or at all. The invitation is to explore faith in community.

Magdalene Centre
The Pulteney community continues to be generous in its regular contributions. Along with non-perishable long life food, blankets, scarves and beanies are also greatly appreciated at this time of the year to help homeless people sleeping rough at this time of year. Donations can be brought to the Chapel Foyer. Baskets have been labelled so that we can sort and care for your donations.

Chaplaincy Contact
I can be contacted at any time, email michael.lane@pulteney.sa.edu.au, mobile 0434 297 879 office 8216 5512

Deep Peace,
Michael

Futures
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:
Year 11 Work Experience
UniSA ‘Day in the life...’
Year 12 Tertiary Information Evening and SATAC seminar
Subject Choices
University and TAFE Open Days – 12 to 14 August
UniSA: Discover Magill
UniSA: Discover Mawson
University of Adelaide Seminar for Parents
SA Power Networks Apprenticeship Program
University Bonus Points Scheme – 2016+ entry
Flinders 2017 New Courses
TAFE SA University Pathways
Endeavour College of Natural Health Scholarship Program
Special Tertiary Admissions Test (STAT)
If you have any questions concerning careers or related topics, please feel free to contact me on leeanne.bryan@pulteney.sa.edu.au or 8216 5553.

Leeanne Johnston-Bryan
Coordinator of Futures

Senior Sports Notices

Hockey

Middle School:
Blue - defeated Concordia 3-0
White - were defeated by Scotch College 1-2
First XI - were defeated by St Ignatius 0-1

To view the full Hockey report, click link below:

Soccer

Girls Soccer
First XI Girls Soccer - Pulteney defeated Westminster 1-0
Second XI Girls - Pulteney defeated Westminster 6-0
Middle A Girls Soccer - Pulteney were defeated by Westminster 0-1
Middle B team – no game

Boys Soccer
First XI Boys Soccer – Pulteney were defeated by St Ignatius 0-11
Second XI Boys Soccer – Pulteney were defeated by St Ignatius 1-4
Third XI Boys - Pulteney were defeated by St Ignatius 0-13
Middle A Boys - Pulteney were defeated by Scotch College 1-2
Middle B boys - Pulteney were defeated by Norwood Morialta 0-9
Year 7 Boys Soccer - Pulteney defeated Trinity College 6-1

To view the full Soccer report, click link below:

Basketball

Senior School
1st V - defeated St Peters College 38 - 29
2nd V – Bye
3rd V – Bye
Pulteney 4th - V defeated Blackfriars 51-22

Middle School
Middle As - defeated Norwood Morialta 40-37
Middle Bs - were defeated by Norwood Morialta 35-24
Middle Cs - defeated Norwood Morialta 44-14
Middle Ds - were defeated by Trinity College 43-10

To view the full Basketball report, click link below:

Netball

Senior A Netball Team - were defeated by Concordia 41 - 52
Senior B Netball Team - were defeated by Concordia 43 – 65
Senior C Netball Team - were defeated by Concordia 27 – 36
Senior D Netball Team - were defeated by Concordia 13 – 36

To view the full Netball report, click link below:
Football

1st XVIII – Pulteney 13:2 (80) were defeated by St Pauls 18:8 (116)
2nd XVIII – Pulteney 2:5 (17) were defeated by Pembroke 20:9 (129)
Year 8/9 – Pulteney defeated Prince Alfred College
Year 6/7 – Pulteney 5:2 (32) defeated Sacred Heart 2:5 (17)

To view the full Football report, click link below:

Badminton

Girls Badminton

Senior A’s were defeated by Wilderness 4 games to 2

Doubles Results:
Gwynne Martin/Mia Hillock defeated Wilderness 21-9
Alexia Daminato/Erin Turner were defeated by Wilderness 13-21

Singles Results:
Gwynne Martin defeated Wilderness in 2 sets: 15-6, 15-7
Erica Turner was defeated by Wilderness in 3 sets: 15-7, 4-15, 15-13
Alexia Daminato was defeated by Wilderness in 2 sets: 9-15, 6-15
Mia Hillock was defeated by Wilderness in 2 sets: 11-15, 9-15

Senior B’s were defeated by Pembroke 6 games to 0

Doubles Results:
Alana Shahin/Erin Morello were defeated by Pembroke 19-21
Lily Trnovsky/Chloe Peng were defeated by Pembroke 11-21

Singles Results:
Alana Shahin was defeated by Pembroke 4-21
Erin Morello was defeated by Pembroke 8-21
Chloe Peng was defeated by Pembroke 7-21
Lily Trnovsky was defeated by Pembroke 13-21

To view the full Badminton report, click link below:

Cross Country

To view the full cross country results, click link below:

Connor Dudley – Year 12

Connor spent another two weeks in the UK playing cricket as part of his ongoing relationship with Worcestershire. He played seven matches with both County and Club teams and made over 350 runs with an average of 50. Connor top scored
against Shropshire with 71 runs in a 20:20 game in the Resource Bank Challenge, opening the batting with Rajat Bhatia a current IPL player, a 67 against Devon and a 57 for his club Shifnal. Connors final innings was 47 off 33 balls. Connor continues to perform at an outstanding level and we wish him the best for his future cricket endeavours.

**Nik Sacoutis**  
*Head of Sport*

**Prep School Sport Results**

**Soccer**  
Yr 4 Boys Blue – defeated Scotch 3-1  
Yr 4 Boys White - were defeated by Scotch 1-8  
Yr 5 Boys Gold - defeated St Peters 15-4  
Yr 5 Boys Navy - defeated St Peters 8-4  
Yr 6 Boys - defeated PAC 5-0  
Yr 4 Girls - were defeated by Walford 0-4  
Yr 5 Girls - were defeated by Pembroke 4-6  
Yr 6 Girls Gold - defeated Seymour 7-1  
Yr 6 Girls Navy - drew with Pembroke 1-1

**Football**  
Yr 3 – PGS 4-2-26 - were defeated by Concordia 12-4-76  
Yr 4 – PGS 9-2-56 - were defeated by Glen Osmond 10-6-66  
Yr 5 – PGS 12-14-86 - defeated St Johns/Belair 2-1-13

**Netball**  
Yr 2 Navy – were defeated by Goodwood 1-5  
Yr 3 Blue – were defeated by Unley 0-16  
Yr 3 White – defeated Concordia 8-6  
Yr 4 Gold – defeated Unley 4-2  
Yr 5 – were defeated by Coromandel Valley 6-16  
Yr 6 – were defeated by Coromandel Valley 0-31

**Hockey**  
Yr 3 Blue – were defeated by Rose Pk 1-2  
Yr 4 - White - were defeated by Gilles St 1-6  
Yr 5 - Gold – drew with Pembroke 2-2  
Yr 6 – Navy – were defeated by Immanuel 0-3
Indoor Bouldering 2016

The Venture Club invites all Middle School students to try bouldering.

When: Sunday August 21, 11 am – 1 pm.

Where: Adelaide’s Bouldering Club, 10 Ware St, Thebarton

Cost: $10
Bring on the day

Transport: If parents can’t take you, transport from school is provided.

How to get your name on the list:
Go to this link:

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSen45b6XzB-uhFwFiikkCHbsbE5hT49RWdAAcAhVsQBSYsxiQ/viewform?c=0&w=1

For more information:
Go to the Venture Club Edmodo page and open the Bouldering folder (Group code: hbghz9 for new Venture Club members)
Or email or see Mr Brown before Tuesday of Week 4 (matthew.brown@pulteney.sa.edu.au)
Saturday 13th August – 7:00pm
Wyatt Hall

Come dressed as your favourite NBA, WNBA, NBL or WNBL superstar!

Door prizes available for pre-purchase ticket holders and best dressed
Competition prizes for Quiz Night Champions and mini-games throughout

BYO Food, drinks and glasses

Pre-purchase price $15 per ticket

Tickets available via TryBooking
https://www.trybooking.com/LZDG

Price at the door $20 per ticket
Pulteney Grammar School
Friends of Music
special raffle

A fabulous opportunity to win
free music lessons for your child in term 1 2017
and help support all of our talented Music students
Tickets are only $10, on sale at
The Gig @ The Gov,
Wednesday 17th August
Do you sometimes feel that you just don’t quite know what to say or do when your child raises an important issue? Are you confident you would know early on if your child was struggling with their feelings? Have you given much thought as to what it actually means when we talk about a young person’s well-being?

Come and hear from our school psychologists, Michelle Roesler and Chris Clements, as they talk about your children and their well-being. This meeting will be relevant for you as parents, irrespective of the year level of your child.

Come and ask questions that matter to you. Come and meet those influencing your children’s well-being.

Come and meet other parents and have a good time.

This is a free event but please book via:

www.trybooking.com/KQNB

The Friends of Pulteney: Making it Happen.
PULTENEY MUSIC PRESENTS

GIG @ THE GOV

THE GOV – 59 PORT ROAD, HINDMARSH
TICKETS $10 AT WWW.TRYBOOKING.COM/MLWE

WEDNESDAY 17TH AUGUST 7:30pm

DINNER AVAILABLE
TABLES TO BE BOOKED DIRECT WITH THE GOV ON 8340 0744
The Pulteney Foundation Golf Day

Kooyonga Golf Club on
Friday 9 September, 2016
Tee off at 12.30pm

To book go to
www.trybooking.com/DNKL

Get your team together now.
2016
Senior Winter Sports
Presentation Dinner
Saturday 27th August. 6.30 pm,
Glenelg Surf Life Saving Club
$50 Per ticket

Football: 1st XVIII/ 2nd XVIII
Basketball: 1st V/ 2nd V/ 3rd V / 4th V
Netball: Senior A/B/C/D
Hockey: Open
Boys Soccer: 1st XI/ 2nd XI/ 3rd XI
Girls Soccer: 1st XI/ 2nd XI

Menu- 3 course meal -TBA
Drinks purchased at the bar

All bookings
https://www.trybooking.com/MJRS

Tickets must be confirmed Fri 19th August 12.00pm.

For more information please contact
Nik Sacoutis at
nik.sacoutis@pulteney.sa.edu.au
2016 Pulteney Long Lunch

When:
Sunday 23 October 2016
12 noon for a 12.30pm start

Where:
The Robert Henshall Sports Centre
Pulteney Grammar School
(Gilles Street Entrance)

Cost:
$120 early bird (pre 10 October)
$150 (on or after 10 October)

Booking:
www.trybooking.com/CTIX
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