In the last week, I have received news of Pulteney students’ outstanding successes across a range of endeavours. Our Senior Division Debating team has been promoted to compete in the Open Division Grand Final in coming weeks and two further teams have progressed to the finals. Our Concert and Stage Bands and String Ensemble have been honoured with Gold and Silver awards in the South Australian School Band and Orchestra Festival held at Westminster 19-21 August. In the recent InterCol, I enjoyed seeing students of all ages participate with good spirit and, in many areas, achieve significant improvement across the wide range of sports we have on offer and Head of Sport, Nik Sacoutis provides a full report on the results further on in this edition of PRW. Senior students have led the School’s push to raise funds and awareness for the 40 Hour Famine, with furniture being relinquished in many circumstances. The traditional Book Week parades in Prep & Kurrajong have been a delight and shown the many ways in which the students have interpreted the theme of “Books light up our world”.

These are the events and experiences our students often cite when reflecting on their time at Pulteney. Not surprisingly, these opportunities are closely scrutinised when parents select a school for their child. Demographer and author Mark McCrindle has identified that parents look closely at school values, co-curriculum offerings, leadership and character development. The infographic below, published by the Association of Heads of Independent Schools Australia, provides a further summary of research data on the “value-add” that independent schools provide students. At Pulteney, our goal is to continue to provide a lasting learning legacy for all of our students, through the provision of an engaging and inspiring education experience.


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

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Kurrajong
8216 5570
Staff News

Whilst Daniel Polkinghorne undertakes parenting leave, I am pleased to announce that Mr Sam Jordan has been appointed as his replacement for the remainder of the year. Sam comes to Pulteney from Prince Alfred College where he has been teaching Science (with a particular focus at Middle School level) for 11 years. Sam also has significant experience in a pastoral role and is looking forward to supporting the progress of 7DP Home Group.

Miss Eve Horne has advised me of her resignation from her role as ELC Educator in Kurrajong. I thank Eve for her wonderful support of our youngest students and wish her every success in her future endeavours.

Anne Dunstan,
Principal

To comment on this article use this link to go directly to the Principal’s Blog: http://www.pulteney.sa.edu.au/our-school/principals-message/principals-blog/

From the Head of Science

Science and Credibility

One of the absolute strengths of Science, as a human activity, is the self-imposed requirement for review. No scientist can make a claim without it being thoroughly checked and peer reviewed. If we take ‘global warming’ as an example, any claims made are inspected and critically analysed by experts in the field. All experiments are checked for evidence of both systematic and random errors. If the claims pass inspection, they can be published in journals whose job it is to only report on verified information. If a credible journal will not publish a report, it will be because it has not passed the peer-review test, and cannot be verified.

Unfortunately there are those that abuse the Scientific method and make claims that have not been verified. They may make claims in an area outside of their field, as we have seen so often with ‘global warming’, or they may report in media that do not seek evidence, as much as they seek to sell a good story. This is what we continually see in newspapers, glossy magazines and TV current affairs.

It is at least partly the role of the Science faculty to help students sift through the ‘noise’ of popular media to find credible sources of information. This is not easy, and is being made considerably harder by the digital age. Websites, and some magazine articles, are extremely clever at appearing to be knowledgeable, when they are either ill-informed or biased. More often than not, the author believes in what they are writing, but that does not make it any more correct. Bias and poor quality information are quickly passed on by word of mouth, or by further reporting based on the misinformation.

Diets are an excellent example of where misinformation can be quickly spread. The ‘Paleo’ diet is a topical case in point. In my opinion (and don’t forget that I am not a nutritionist) the concept of eating the foods that we evolved to eat is quite sound, and we should avoid processed foods. However, according to The Advertiser, Mike Willesee “shed five kilograms after taking up the paleo diet for 10 weeks, which included giving up soft drinks, dairy, grains and legumes, and starting an exercise routine.” (adelaidenow.com.au, 24/8/15; I admit this in not a credible source!) I would suggest that he would have lost the weight by simply giving up soft drinks and exercising. To claim that giving up dairy, grains and legumes has caused the weight loss is an exaggeration, which can lead some to conclude that the diet alone was the
So, how can we test a diet? Junior School students learn that a scientific study (they call it a 'fair test') needs to have only two variables: one that we deliberately change (the diet), and one that changes because of it (the weight). All other aspects need to be kept constant, otherwise we will not know if it was the diet that caused the change in weight, or one of the other aspects.

There are a few difficulties in any test on diet, and one of the biggest is what is known as the 'placebo effect'. In simple terms, a subject who knows that they are changing their diet will often change other parts of their behaviour so that they achieve the result that they expect. Without meaning to affect the research, they take the dog for an extra walk, and take the stairs rather than the lift. Hence, they lose weight for reasons outside of what they were expecting. There are ways around this, and most of the other difficulties, but they are beyond the purposes of this article.

Where does this leave us? How can we know if the information presented has been tested? The answer is to always have your 'credibility' filter around you. Where did you find the information (Nature journal or Today Tonight)? Who is the author (celebrity chef or nutritionist)? How recent (1915 or 2015)? Have they given their sources of information (a reference list)? If the information does not pass the credibility test, it will not be worth the paper it is no longer printed on.

Richard Drogemuller,
Lead Teacher - Science

National Youth Science Forum

The Science faculty congratulates both Mollie Hohmann and Jake Atkinson on gaining positions at the National Youth Science Forum. This event is held over 12 days in Canberra in January. For both these students to gain a placement is a significant achievement. We wish them both well, and look forward to hearing about their exploits.

Younger students who have an interest in Science, and wish to learn more, can go to: https://www.nysf.edu.au

Jake Atkinson, Mollie Hohmann, Richard Drogemuller
**From the Chaplain**

**Baptism Welcome**

It has been good to welcome in recent weeks Old Scholars, current school members and family friends of the wider Pulteney community. They have come together to celebrate the baptism of their infant children in the chapel of St Augustine of Canterbury, here at Pulteney Grammar. The sense of belonging and connectedness to community has been joyfully and powerfully experienced.

Baptism has joined these children and their families to Christ and to the whole Church, not just in this school, but in every part of the world, in the past and in the future, in earth and in heaven.

Baptism is a once in a lifetime event and when you are at the beginning of God’s work in you. This is a journey that will take a whole life to complete. There will be moments when the journey ahead is a delight and there will be times when it is hard. In community you will never be alone.

Remember that in Jesus heaven has touched our world. Belonging to him will change your whole life. Through worship, prayer and caring for others, you will grow more and more like Jesus. Stand up for fairness, truth and kindness. God’s love is for you and for everyone. Share with other people the good news of his love. Pray for yourself and others.

**Confirmation Service:**

Members of the Pulteney Community are invited to join us at this special celebration which will be held in the Robert Henshall Sports Gym, 9:00 Friday 11 September.

**Magdalene Centre**

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, phone 8216 5512 / 0434 297 879 or contact the school office.

Deep Peace,
Michael

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**Winter Intercol 2015**

The winter sport season for the majority of PGS teams concluded on the weekend with the annual Winter Intercol against Scotch College. What a fantastic day it was with a magnificent carnival atmosphere and high quality games played.

I would like to congratulate all the students who took part for their endeavour and sportsmanship. In particular, the 1st XI boy’s Soccer and girls’ soccer teams for exceptional performances that resulted in wins.

The final Intercol results were as follows:

- Soccer (Boys 1st XI) defeated Scotch 3-1
- Soccer (Girls 1st XI) defeated Scotch 5-1
- Hockey (1st XI Mixed) were defeated by Scotch 6-3
- Netball (Senior A) were defeated by Scotch 51-30
- Basketball (Boys 1st V) were defeated by Scotch 44-29
- Football (1st XVIII) were defeated by Scotch 23.16 (154) to 11.5 (71)

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**Friends of Pulteney**

Friends of Pulteney meetings are held monthly, on the third Thursday at 7:30pm.

The next meeting is tomorrow night in Wheaton House. All are welcome.

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Overall, the Winter Intercol shield finished 4-2 in favour of our opposition. Unfortunately the overall intercol shield was retained by Scotch.

I would like to thank all the sports coordinators, coaches and officials whose support and organisation on the day was outstanding and went a long way towards the success of the day.

### Senior Winter Sports Dinner 2015

This year the Senior Winter Sports Dinner was held on the 22nd of August at the Glenelg Surf Club. It was a fantastic evening, which celebrated the participation and achievements of our students.

I would also like to congratulate the following students who received awards on the evening.

**Senior A Netball**
- Best & Fairest: Natasha Holmes
- Coach’s Award: Jessica Fielke
- Most Improved: Sophie Rawson

**Senior B Netball**
- Best & Fairest: Victoria Cirocco
- Runner-up Best and Fairest: Kate Barnett
- Coach’s Award: Sophie Vardaro

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**SALA Blue Sky School Fundraiser Art Show & Bake Sale**

Organised By Joseph, Sarah & Jeremy Ninio
Date: Sunday 30th August
Time: 10am – 4pm
Venue: 7/136 Grant Avenue, Toorak Gardens


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'Feeding' By Joseph Ninio, Age 13.

'Red Panda Cub' By Sarah Ninio, Age 8.
Senior C Netball
Best & Fairest: Sophie Ridgway
Coaches' Award: Georgia Natsias
Most Improved: Sophie Radford

Senior D Netball
Best & Fairest: Claire Churchill
Coaches' Award: Zoe Tweddell
Most Improved: Emily Edwards

Senior E Netball
Best and Fairest: Zoe Denton
Coaches award: Alanah Croft
Most improved: Maddy Dieperink

Senior F team
Best and Fairest: Alexandra Jocic
Coaches Award: Isabelle Knights
Most improved: Stephanie Beer

1st XVIII Football 2015
MVP – Josh Francou Medal – Ben Adams
MVP Runner Up – Jack White
Most Improved Player – Matt Nielsen
Best Team Man – Angus Sexton
Coaches Award – Alex Redshaw

Anthony D Brown Memorial Trophy – Best overall contribution to football (Year 12) - Will Bourchier
Mike Coward Shield for best first year player – Liam Geddes-Ryan

Boys 1st XI Soccer
MVP: James Cartwright
Most Improved: Sam Symons
Coaches Award: Ali Kaissi

Boys 2nd XI Soccer
MVP: Alexandros Chisholm
Most Improved: Alex Young
Coaches Award: Mitchell Bender

Boys 3rd XI Soccer
MVP: Daniel Calderisi
Most Improved: Isaac Richards
Coaches Award: Cael Keenan

Girls 1st XI Soccer
MVP: Kimmie Adkins
Most Improved: Sophie Rawson
Coaches Award: Miah Nalpantidis

Girls 2nd XI Soccer
MVP: Aliyah Balacano
Most Improved: Emma Henshall
Coaches Award: Christiana Michaels

John Cichinski Award – Service to soccer –
2015 - James Cartwright
1st XI Hockey
B&F: Charlie Fewster
Most Improved: Willand Huynh
Captains Award/Best Team Person: Tristram Fyfe

1st V Basketball
MVP: James Sibly
Runner-up MVP: Elijah Randell
Most Improved: Samuel Hore
RA Sexton: Jessica Rule

2nd V Basketball
MVP: Matthew Rule
Runner-up MVP: Tobias Genborg
Most Consistent: Angus Lumsden

3rd V Basketball
MVP: Samuel Heal
Runner-up MVP: Elliot Bell
Most Improved: Thomas Bertozzi

4th V Basketball
MVP: Hugh Gowland
Runner-up MVP: Elias Patrikis
Most Improved: Ryan Moseby

Term 4 Summer Sport

Now that the winter sport season has concluded for most teams, we turn our attention to the Term 4 summer sport season. Training for all teams will commence in the last few weeks of Term 3. Students are reminded to listen carefully to the notices in the daily bulletin, as all information regarding training will be published via the bulletin.

Activities Photos

Activities photos for years 7-12 will take place next Tuesday the 1st of September in Wyatt Hall. Students are required to wear their full individual sports uniform for each photo. A photo schedule will be circulated to each Home group and tutor group. Students are asked to make note of each of their photo times and arrive 5 minutes before their scheduled photo.

From the new music teacher…

You know the opening credits of Mr Bean, where he lands in a new environment and then runs around trying to find his bearings, arms flailing, look of wide-eyed terror? That’s how I felt, and probably looked, in my first few weeks at Pulteney. Starting in Week 8 of Term 1 is a privilege that I would not wish on anyone, yet I could not have been more supported, welcomed, and whole-heartedly embraced by a community. With no time for opening credits or staff inductions, it was straight to business with music classes and ensembles from Year 6 to 12, a Year 11 pastoral care group, and all the concerts and events that came with these groups.
With each day came new discoveries, new faces, new understandings…and many, many failures in the name of learning. For example, in my second official week of teaching, I released my Year 8 Music class 20 minutes early, and then had to chase them through the school and finish the lesson in the middle of the quadrangle…as a parent tour group calmly walked past…”Yes, I'm the new, OTHER, Music teacher…”

Now, in the middle of Term 3, on a pontoon after an epic few weeks of concerts and competitions, I take time to express my thanks and gratitude to the Pulteney community for welcoming me and supporting me through this year. The community spirit at Pulteney is so strong and secure that the moment I walked into my teaching role, I noticed it immediately…in the parent support groups, in the school events, and in the way other staff and students relate to one another. It's a healthy and affirming environment to be in.

I thank Kym Wilson and Ali O’Connell for their unwavering support of me, and constantly getting me up to speed; and the team of instrumental teachers for their limitless work and care that they pour into the music students, which allows them to flourish in the ensembles I direct. I thank the Pulteney staff for their whole-hearted support of me, with some even making the effort to visit me in the Music Centre to welcome me in those first few frantic weeks. I thank the leadership teams across the whole school, in Prep, Middle and Senior Schools, as I have the very unique responsibility of teaching across almost the entire cohort of students. With their compassion and deep understanding of their students, I have been able to build an understanding of my classes to be able to teach effectively, as I developed my own rapport with my classes.

Most of all, I thank the students I teach. I am overwhelmed with gratitude at how you have handled an unusual and sudden change of teacher. Here, I particularly acknowledge my Year 11 and 12 students, who have embraced me as a teacher and trusted me enough to lean into my teaching in their very important senior years of study, without question, just a genuine desire for excellence in learning.

The joy I have experienced working with you each day, getting to know your personalities, and making new musical discoveries has been truly wonderful for me. There is a genuine curiosity and desire to learn in our students, and I am privileged to be able to work with classes who are willing to take a risk, be innovative, and embrace new challenges.

I look forward to continuing to help you grow, musically, academically, and personally, in whatever way I am able.

With spots, stripes, and ridiculous amounts of colour!

Ms Annie Kwok
Junior Chess Club

The Prep School entered three teams into Division C for the 2015 SA Chess Primary Schools Competition. Once a fortnight our teams travelled to Christian Brothers College Junior School Library during Terms 2 and 3, playing a total of seven rounds.

Each team was made up of four players, competing against teams from PAC, Parkside and CBC (a total of 8 teams).

The three Pulteney Teams were punctual, polite and competitive.

As a result, Pulteney Team 1 topped the seven rounds and move into the finals, to be played on Friday 11 September at the SA Chess Club Headquarters.

Congratulations to team members; Itay Yarom, Max Soester, Jack O’Connor and William Darker. A great result; 22 wins from 28 games.

Team 2 improved their tactics over each term. Well done to Matthew Button, Arvind Pati, Jeremy Ninio, Christian Bizot and Calien Sutton, who helped in the last two games in this team.

**Team 2 results;** 13.5 wins from 28 games.

Team 3 had a mixed group of students coming into the world of competition. Each gave their best effort and learnt new strategies along the way.

The team consisted of Manolis Stamatalopoulos, Jack Gamlin, Logan Holman, Lachlan Perry, Niah Kilgariff-Johnson, Oliver Holman, with help from Jake Mastersson and Calien Sutton.

Their results were; 8 wins from 28 games.

Thanks must also go to the following students who helped make the teams when we were short on numbers; Zach Pouras, Fraser Brion, Seb Brett and Benjamin Newman.

Throughout the two terms, many students from Year 3 and Year 4 attended Thursday lunchtime coaching lessons held in 5A with Mr Aistrope.

Mr Graham Walker also attended and coached strategies that all the students followed and enjoyed putting into practice.

Graham also supported the teams each Tuesday fortnight for the competition.

Many thanks for your skills and work with the students.

I thank all the parents for their support and encouragement throughout this 2015 season of chess.

Hoping the Year 3, 4, 5 and 6 students next year continue to play, and represent Pulteney Grammar School in the 2016 Chess competitions.

Dennis Aistrope,
Chess Co-ordinator, Prep School


There are a number of different companies producing mathematics online. The Prep school has been using Mathletics for a number of years. We are looking for a suitable program for use in the senior school.

As such, some of our middle school classes are undertaking a trial of MathsOnLine. This is a resource that covers the Australian curriculum for K – 12. It has over 1400 tutorial videos, lasting between 4 and 9 minutes each, that explain concepts and examples, as well as a large range of interactive questions and tests. These are available online at any time of the day.

Whilst not all of our classes will be using the trial, all students from years 7 – 10 have been registered. If your child is in these years and you would like to look at the program and see how it works, please ask your child to obtain their password and login from their mathematics teacher.

A number of families invest in tutors for their child. Irrespective of whether the school decides to utilise this program, it is available to any parent at a cost of $197 per annum. There are
various packages available for those interested. If the school does decide the program is worthwhile, the students will receive free access as part of the school licence.

For more information, you can log onto their website.

We will be using the trial period to assess whether to invest in this program. Any feedback about the program, both positive and negative, would be greatly appreciated as we assess the value of this program. Please feel free to provide feedback to your child’s mathematics teacher or directly to me on mark.webber@pulteney.sa.edu.au.

Mark Webber,
Head of Mathematics

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Open Times for Term 3
Wednesday 12.30 pm - 4.30 pm
Friday 8.00 am - 11.30 am

Term 4 is fast approaching, which means that all students are required to wear their summer uniform as per Term 1.

New students who started their education at Pulteney Grammar School in Terms 2 and 3 will need to come into the Pulteney Shop to be fitted out for their summer uniform before the end of Term 3.

Hopefully the start of Spring will bring some warmer weather.

Have a great weekend!

Jenny Hewitson,
Shop Manager
Senior Sport Notices

Results

Netball

**Senior A** defeated by Scotch A 30 - 51
Best players: Sophie Zuill, Jess Fielke

**Senior B** defeated Scotch B 37 - 36
Outstanding team effort

**Senior C** defeated by Scotch C 24 - 34
Best players: Georgia Natsias, Emily Conroy

**Senior D** defeated by Scotch D 29 - 33
Best players: Bella Martin, Jasmine Scuteri-Young

**Senior F** defeated by Seymour 2 25 - 40
Best players: Belinda Greig, Alanah Croft

**7A** defeated by Scotch 7A 7 - 57
Best players: Amelia Goehr, Charlotte Casey, Felicity Lucsh

**8A** defeated by Scotch 8A 24 - 33
Best players: Amber Washington, Nadia Lukis

**8B** defeated Scotch 8B 38 - 21
Best players: Aiden Heal, Lara Kittel

**8C** Defeated by Seymour 8C 8 - 20
Best players: Eleanor Champion, Shelby Gilsmore

**9A** defeated Scotch 9A 40 - 23
Best players: Pippa Adkins, Aneisha Bishop

**9B** defeated by Scotch 9B 10 - 20
Best players: Maya Clarke, Izzy Denham

Football

Intercol day started in cool and foggy conditions, our very keen year 6/7's jumping out of their skins to get started! Coaches Josh Frick and Nick Laity managed to focus the players on the job at hand and soon we were away. At our last encounter we were beaten by 100 points and left feeling dispirited and broken, this time however, the game was much better contested and, despite not managing to score, the margin was significantly reduced. This was a solid team effort played out with great courage, testament to the improvement made by this team over the season.

Next to take to the field were the year 8/9 boys, up against a team of year 9's. From the outset we hunted in packs, tackling furiously and frustrating our larger opponents who tried to use their strength to take us on. Our tenacity and ability to run the ball had us a mere 5 points in arrears at half time and looking to be a real threat. Despite some very handy reinforcements in the shape of Wayne Inglis and Ben Beswick who played the earlier game, the size of the Scotch boys eventually wore us down and they began to score more freely.

With the return of many of our front line players from injury, the Pulteney firsts took to an immaculately prepared Morgan Oval with a definite sense of purpose. Firmly placed as underdogs, the Navy Blues immediately took the fight up to their more fancied opponents, fighting hard for everything, chasing, tackling and playing great team football. Goalless in the first, the lads regrouped and produced a stunning seven goal haul in the second quarter, outscoring Scotch to be 13 points behind at the long break. Alas however the party was over in the second half and, despite our proud lads fighting to the final siren, Scotch ran out convincing winners. It was an honest effort from our senior side and one which earned them the respect of their opponents and the good sized crowd of spectators. It has been some time since Pulteney kicked eleven goals in an Intercol game and from such a young side, this promises much for the next few years.

The scoreboard will show 3 losses and no wins for football on the weekend and some one
sided looking score lines however this does not do justice to the effort of our players. In
typical Pulteney fashion every player gave their all, never taking a backward step, resting only
when the final siren sounded. Congratulations to all – pre-season starts in a few short
months!

Results

1st XVIII defeated by Scotch: 11:5 (71) to 23:16 (154)
Year 8/9 defeated by Scotch: 5:5 (35) to 13:10 (88)
Year 6/7 defeated by Scotch: 0:0 (0) to 8:18 (66)

Soccer

Results 15 August

First XI:
Pulteney drew 3-3 with Westminster College
Best Players: Dion Vithoulkas, Ali Kaissi, Calvin Heath
Goal scorers: Ali Kaissi 1, Apo Stamatelopoulos 1, Alex Misfud 1

The players continued to show improvement in all aspect of play. It was pleasing to withstand
some pressure without conceding and to eventually go 1-0 up with a great team goal. After
30 tense minutes of play, we found ourselves 2-1 down. As we have shown all year, the
Pulteney spirit and never give up attitude helped us go 3-2 up with 5 mins to go.
Unfortunately we conceded a sloppy goal with 2 minutes to go and ended with a draw. The
players were very disappointed as it felt like we had lost the game but as the First XI coach, I
was proud of how they conducted themselves.

Second XI:
Pulteney 2-1 defeated by Immanuel College
Goal scorer: Jake Goehr
Best players: Kolin Plumbi, Jake Goehr, Zennor Johnston, Mitchell Bender

Year 9:
Pulteney 3-0 defeated by Christian Brothers College
Best players: Nick Nayler, Benjamin Cahill, Hugh Brunning

The boys put a good challenge to CBC this week playing a very strong match that was not
represented by the score. They have shown improvement from their game against the same
opposition earlier in the season.

Year 8:
Pulteney 11-0 defeated Cabra College.
Goal scorers: Jack Adamson 3, Dillion Hill 3, Dimos Karagiannis, Jake Reedman, Christian
Veronese
Best players: Jack Adamson, Dillion Hill, Dimos Karagiannis, Christian Veronese

Year 7: Pulteney lost to Woodcroft Christian College

Girls First XI:
Pulteney 3 – 1 defeated Immanuel College
Goal Scorers: Tanya Oliver, Ella Wiltshire, Isabella Fabbro
Best players: Miah Nalpantidis, Natasha Holmes, Katia Stamatelopolous,

The girls found some excellent form and touch on a small pitch. Despite some good plays by
the opposition, the defence and mid field worked hard to produce opportunities for the girls
up front. Despite squandering some chances the forwards found the back of the net 3 times
and secured a deserved win.

**Girls Second XI:**
Pulteney 3-0 defeated Immanuel College
Goal scorers: Nadine Falkhead 3
Best Players: Shona Heath, Nadine Faulkhead and Luana Nichinonni.

**Girls Middle B:**
Pulteney 2-1 defeated Walford Girls School
Goal scorers: Anna Evans 1, Maggie Bailey 1
The girls played in the pouring rain during the first half but tried to maintain focus and enthusiasm despite the conditions. With 2 players short, the Pulteney girls adapted their game to ensure they put pressure on their opposition.

Soccer results 22nd August

**First XI:**
Pulteney 3-1 defeated Scotch College
All played well
Goal scorers: Apo Stamatelopoulos 1, Alex Misfud 2

**Second XI:**
Pulteney 1-1 drew with Scotch College
Goal scorer: Tom Katsidonis
Best Players: Seth Dolphin, Henry Mellor, Alexandros Chisholm

**Third XI:**
Pulteney third XI lost to Scotch 5-0. The team played reasonably well in all aspects of the game but unfortunately broke down in defence too often. The improvement of this team over the course of the season has been fantastic.

**Year 8:**
Pulteney 5-2 defeated Scotch College
Goal scorers: Dimos Karagiannis, Louis Tonkin-phanoulas, Gus Naido, Dillion Hill, Christian Veronese
Best players: Jack Pamminger, Zac Marsden, Gus Naido

**Year 7:**
Pulteney lost to Woodcroft Christian College

**Girls First XI:**
Pulteney 5 – 1 defeated Scotch College
Goal Scorers: Tanya Oliver 4, Katia Stamatelopolous
Best players: Veronika, Miah Nalpantidis, Kimmie Adkins, Tanya Oliver
A great win by the girls in the final and most important game of the year. All the things we have been working on in the season came together on the ‘big stage’, and it was pleasing to see them achieve such success. A fitful ending to a great season.
Girls Second XI:
Pulteney 4-0 defeated Scotch College
Goal scorers: Nadine Falkhead 3, Luci Sara1
Best Players: Emma Henshall, Nadine Faulkhead, Aliyah Balacano

Girls Middle A:
Pulteney 4-0 defeated Scotch College
Goal scorers: Luana Nichinonni 3, Julia Pounentis
Best Players: Cate Stone, Emily Wilson, Luana Nichinonni.
The girls played very well in the final game of the season. Cate and Emily were strong in defense, sending the ball forward on many occasions. The forwards ran hard and were rewarded for their efforts. A great win over Scotch.

Girls Middle B:
Pulteney defeated Wilderness Girls School
Scorers: Anna Evans 2
Best players: Kate Muller, Lily Bowering

Basketball

1st V defeated by Scotch 29-44
We were really well prepared on how we were going to play this game and the team executed well throughout the first half. We defended and rebounded strongly and pushed the ball up the floor with great intensity to take a 1 point lead into half time. Our second half was full of opportunities but we couldn't quite finish off our good work and I was exceptionally proud of how we fought out the game.

This was a total team effort: Randell climbing out of a sick bed with a tireless effort around the basket, supported by Hore who presented all match - Nielsen was a commanding presence in the key way - Sipek was an important contributor at both ends and hit a huge 3 pointer - Price hustled strongly to create chances - Rule handled the ball carrying duties like a veteran - T Sibly worked magnificently at the defensive end - Athanasas created some great assists - J Sibly led us for the whole game providing defense, rebounding and creating opportunities at the offensive end.

2nd V defeated Scotch 43-42
After a tentative start we were jolted into action by a couple of desperate loose ball dives by Angus Lumsden allowing us a narrow lead at quarter time. We dominated the 2nd and 3rd quarters with Matt Rule scoring five straight 3 pointers without a miss and he was supported by Toby Genborg driving strongly to the basket. Nick Golfs, Jessica Rule and Elliot Bell started to gain some ascendancy on defence and Simon Huynh provided invaluable relief to maintain our momentum. Our 11 point 3 quarter time lead was quickly eroded due to some hot shooting by Scotch and our own tentative play. We hung in and played a strong last 2 minutes where Matt Rule scored a critical basket and Jessica Rule finally put us back in front with only seconds to play. A great game which we deserved to win.

3rd V defeated Scotch 45-24
After a very scratchy start to the game Pulteney began to get some momentum at the offensive end of the floor by moving well with and without the ball allowing us to get some really good open looks. Samuel Heal, Daniel Bai and Elliot Bell did a fantastic job of finding a way to the basket and Hamish Thomsson was crashing the boards, giving us lots of second chance opportunities. As the game wore on we started to really impose ourselves on our
opposition and our intensity at the contest meant that we very rarely gave up easy baskets which allowed us to come away with a very impressive victory. Well done to all involved, a great way to start what we hope is going to be a fantastic Intercol weekend.

4th V – Bye

Middle School

Middle A’s defeated Scotch 88-18
The boys showed great teamwork and intensity on both ends of the floor. A special mention to Daniel Nielsen, Cameron Horsell, Rory Egarr; Matthew Rodda, Sathyaith Sukumaran and Mak Fegusson who will be leaving the Middle School Basketball program and joining the senior squad next year. Good luck boys and well done in a great season.

Middle B’s defeated Scotch 54-2
A great end to the season for our Middle School B boys! A huge game and one we had on our calendar all year; the boys came out with a bit of energy and that was evident on the court and on the scoreboard, running out 52 point winners. It could have been much more but to the boys credit, they were great sports and played a very fair game. A great season and a very enjoyable one! Cannot wait for next year to start already.

Middle C’s - Bye

Badminton

Seniors As were defeated by Seymour 4 games to 2
Doubles Results
Gwynne Martin and Daisy Bai won 21-9
Mia Hillock and Erica Turner lost 7-21

Singles Results
Gwynne Martin won 21-16
Daisy Bai lost 9-21
Mia Hillock lost 12-21
Erica Tuner lost 5-21

Seniors Cs were defeated by Seymour 6 games to 0
Doubles Results
Alana Shahin and Claudia Hammerstein lost 13-21
Claudia Hammerstein and Erin Morello lost 19-21

Singles Results
Alana Shahin lost 5-21
Claudia Hammerstein lost 16-21
Erin Morello lost 9-21
Anu Pati lost 19-21
Prep Sport Notices

Results

Soccer

Yr 5 Boys Gold defeated Scotch 8-1
Yr 5 Boys Navy defeated Scotch 7-3
Yr 6 Boys lost to Immanuel 5-11
Yr 4 Girls Blue defeated Seymour 5-1
Yr 4/5 Girls White Pembroke
Yr 4/5 Girls Gold defeated Walford 13-0

Football

Yr 1/2 PGS 3-1-19 lost to Burnside 4-0-24
Yr 3 PGS 10-7-67 defeated St Johns 2-3-15
Yr 4 PGS 4-3-27 defeated CBC 1-4-10
Yr 5 PGS 4-3-27 lost to Burnside 13-6-84

Netball

Yr 2 Red lost 0-8
Yr 3 Blue won 8-0
Yr 3/4 Gold won 1-0
Yr 4 Navy won 4-3
Yr 5/6 Blue lost to Mercedes16-25
Yr 6 White lost to St Johns 10-26
Wanted
Laptops / ipads
For Nepal Orphanage / School

We are collecting any Laptops / iPads in working order for the Deprived Women’s and Children’s Upliftment Centre School / Orphanage.

The Students are having computer lessons via BOOKS!

We would like to set up a ‘Computer Lab’ with Laptops and or iPads with Educational Games and Skills.

(including cords / chargers if possible)

For more information please contact:
Lynne Rawson lrawson@adam.com.au or
Mark Bourchier mark.bourchier@pulteney.sa.edu.au
The Robert Henshall Sports Centre
Pulteney Grammar School
(Gilles Street Entrance)

My Big Fat Greek Lunch
Sunday 30 August

12 noon for 12.30pm

The Pulteney Long Lunch
Sunday 30 August 2015
12 noon for 12.30pm

Book now at www.trybooking.com/CTIX

Sue-Ellen Sipek on 8216 5520 or
sueellen.sipek@pulteney.sa.edu.au

$120 early bird (pre 16 August), $150 (on or after 16 August)
Pulteney Challenge 2015

Sat Sept 12 – Sun Sept 13

Get your team together...

...and see if you can beat last year’s winners!

Years 7-12 (& families)
Kuitpo Forest
100 students competed in 2014!

Information sheets in Senior Library entrance or here (opens PDF file)
We Need Your Help!

Silent Auction
Items Required

The Long Lunch, is the major fundraising event for The Pulteney Foundation. We are seeking donations for the Silent Auction.

Items that have sold well in the past include:
- Holiday Houses including Timeshare
- Winery experiences
- Antiques
- Days out skiing or sailing
- Days on a farm – birthday party
- Corporate Boxes@Adelaide Oval, Entertainment Centre, etc
- Electrical goods
- Services
- Paintings
- Restaurant experiences
- Sporting goods

The list is endless, anything you enjoy – Others will too!

Donations can be dropped into your sub-school front office.

Remember all of our children benefit from all we do!

For more information please contact Sue-ellen Sipek on 8216 5520 or sueellen.sipek@pulteney.sa.edu.au.
**October Venture (Rock Climbing)**

This year’s October Venture will be rock climbing at Mt Arapiles, Vic.

Brief details:

| **When:**  | Tuesday 30 September – Saturday 3 October 2015 (first week of the holidays) |
| **Where:** | Mt Arapiles, Vic |
| **Who:**   | Years 8 – 12 |
| **Cost:**  | $470 (refund if more than 10 students apply) |
| **Applications:** | Min. 8 – Max. 12 students Applications close Fri August 28 |
| **Gear required:** | BYO sleeping bag, food & climbing clothing. You can borrow tent, cooking stove, sleeping mat, rain jacket, from the school. |
| **Arrangements:** | Professional climbing instructors take small groups of students. Available climbs range from beginner to advanced. |

Every student in Year 8-12 can join the Venture Club simply by coming on one of our trips. Why not also get involved with the Duke of Edinburgh Award and use the July Venture as one of your expeditions?

For more information:
- Join the Club’s Edmodo page (group code mg6v9y)
- Collect an information sheet from the Library entrance. Expressions of interest are received online: [http://goo.gl/forms/kKqz5fwChU](http://goo.gl/forms/kKqz5fwChU)
- Contact Mr Drogemuller ([rjd@pulteney.sa.edu.au](mailto:rjd@pulteney.sa.edu.au))
Art Show & Bake Sale For Nepal

Earlier this year, when the Ninio children heard about the earthquake in Nepal, they decided to hold an art exhibition and bake sale during the South Australian Living Arts Festival in August. They thought that people may have forgotten that help would still be needed long after the initial disaster. The Year 6 project on inequality in the world reinforced Jeremy’s determination to help the children of the Blue Sky School.

Over the last six months Joseph (Year 8) and Jeremy (Year 6) have been preparing for this event, their first photographic exhibition. Sarah (Year 3) has painted colourful birds and a red panda, the national animal of Nepal. They have also been making marmalade and planning to bake delicious treats for their bake sale.

Please come and see their exhibition and support the children of the Blue Sky School.

When:
Sunday 30th August
Time 10am – 4pm
Where:
7/136 Grant Avenue,
Toorak Gardens
Find Us On Facebook:

‘Red Panda Cub’ By Sarah Ninio, Age 8
‘Feeding’ By Joseph Ninio, Age 13