

Quality More Than Quantity

This week in chapel, Mumba 3 shared a number of quotes around the theme of quality over quantity. In our busy, connected lives we can be focused on doing more, having more social connections and miss the importance of depth in what we do and in our relationships. Even in academic work we can be trapped into doing more rather than focus on depth of thinking and understanding. The importance of focus, stillness and reflection is central to growth. Creating time for purposeful engagement and thinking actually saves time.

In our relationships and in our learning it is important that there is time for deep connection, to go beyond the superficial. Dinner table conversations even once a week can lead to deepening of relationships. In our relationship with God, He comes to us through His word. We are invited to stop and think about how He is speaking to us. The beauty of the Bible and the parables Jesus told, is that they can speak to us differently each time we hear the same story. Not because they have changed but because we have changed. Jesus didn't leave us with simple long lean messages but full short stories that speak to us powerfully and differently as we grow and mature. Over the millennia and in virtual spaces very different from the desert sands on which He walked, His words speak strongly to us. It is the quality relationship.

Principal's Log

The visit to Sydney where we visited schools that were employing flexible and agile approaches to support personalisation of learning was very affirming. More than spaces, the key was the focus on pedagogy that supported student ownership of learning. Opportunity was created for students and staff to take their learning to greater depths through individually paced work, collaboration with others and smaller group direct teaching. While these arrangements, technology and spaces were important it was the focus on student as learner that was most important. Pacific is very well placed as we transition to more agile environments that support the thinking and learning that young people will need to thrive. At the heart is to have a culture of learning and thinking that supports deep understanding, curiosity and creativity that permeates the community. Pacific has been on this journey for a number of years and has teachers well placed to take advantage of the learning that can be enhanced through rich virtual and physical spaces.

Our approach to thinking and learning has now impacted on Lutheran schools nationally. Through being involved with Mrs Zweck and Ms Michelle McMillan in professional development, Mrs Dominique Jacqueline, a leader in developing Lutheran teacher's pedagogy across Australia is now incorporating the principles of visible thinking into her workshops. Dominique emailed me to thank these staff for opening her mind to the power of this approach to expand and deepen people's thinking through individual reflection and collaboration.

We look forward to the production of ***The Resistible Rise of Arturo Ui*** this Friday and Saturday and wish Mrs Janine Delaney and Mrs Laura Bonner, cast and crew all the best for their performances.

We pray that God would enable and equip us to grow with quality.

Dr Bronwyn Dolling, Principal

Daily Bread

It was named, "Woofie!"

When she was Kindy age, my daughter Felicity acquired a stuffed toy fox (or was it a dog?). This toy was almost as big as she was and she named it "Woofie". From that moment, Woofie became another family member. Woofie travelled on every holiday us, sat at the table with us, watched TV and went to Church with us.

At one level, we give names to identify ownership. The toy fox belonged to Felicity so she claimed the right to name it "Woofie". At a deeper level, we use names to identify relationships. Woofie and Felicity belonged to each other and she used Woofie's name to highlight and underscore their "friendship". Felicity ensured that her family members were kind to her beloved Woofie.

Therefore, it is significant when we read in the New Testament that the "Good Shepherd" knows His sheep and calls them by name. Shepherds in the time of Jesus did know their sheep well enough to use names for this, but the Bible verse takes this to a wonderfully gracious level. The Lord Jesus, who is our Good Shepherd, knows each of us by name. The Lord calls us by name because the Lord loves each of us and cherishes us for all that He created us to be.

Faith believes that the Lord calls us to follow Him to the good pastures where this Good Shepherd will continue to provide abundant life for us.

Pastor Paul Smith, College Pastor

Free Clothes Day – Red Shield Appeal

A free clothes day will be held on Wednesday, 21st May in support of the Salvation Army Red Shield Appeal. Students are requested to make a gold coin donation and, if possible, bring along a tin of food to be used in food parcels. As winter nears, the Salvation Army and other charities report record numbers of requests for assistance are being received on the Sunshine Coast. Students are reminded to wear enclosed shoes, a shirt with sleeves and to bring a hat.

Pastoral Care Team

From the Head of Senior School Students

Year 12 - Student Drivers

It is a college requirement that students who are driving to and/or from school must complete the 'Permission for a Student to Drive a Motor Vehicle to School' form (outlined at the beginning of the year in an email to all Year 12 families). They are also required to hand their car keys into the Middle/Senior College office at the beginning of the school day.

ALL parents should note: Any student/s who are travelling in a vehicle driven by a student driver are required to please bring me a note signed by a parent / guardian consenting to this.

Generation Next Conference Reflection: "Bee" Caring!

Last Friday, 9th May Mr Brendan Delaney and I attended the annual Generation Next Conference held at the University of Queensland. The conference consisted of a number of highly regarded speakers, who focused on current topics about the mental health and well-being of young people.

The speakers and their topics of focus from this conference included:

- Professor Gavin Andrews (Psychiatrist, CRUFAD, UNSW, St Vincent's Hospital) - Anxiety in Young People.
- Andrew Fuller (Psychologist, The Resilience Institute and MindMatters) - Helping Kids Through The Middle Years.
- Mr Dan Haesler (Teacher, Writer, Consultant) - Cultivating Self-Esteem Rather Than Ego.
- Associate Professor Michael Nagel (School of Science in Education, University of the Sunshine Coast) - The Impact of Technology on the Developing Brain.
- Dr Philip Tam (Psychiatrist and Lecturer) - Internet Addiction.
- Dr Chris Seton (Paediatric and Adolescent Sleep Physician) - Sleepy, Grumpy Teenagers.
- Dr Justin Coulson (Parenting Author, Psychologist, Founder of 'Happy Families' - Inspired Parenting) - "Beating the Bully" - Using Emotional Intelligence.

Over the remainder of this term, we will share our notes from the various focus topics presented. We hope that information shared is found to be of value, because we 'walk' together in a young person's educational journey.

This week I want to share my reflections from Dr Justin Coulson's session: "Beating the Bully" - Using Emotional Intelligence and also link his presentation to the current practice at the college.

In the past week, students across Years 5 to 12 have completed the Pacific as a Peace Place Audit. The focus of this audit is to gain quantitative data from anonymous student survey responses to check the level of safety. Each year these results have reflected a very positive student culture and follow-up feedback is reported through to the staff, students, Friends of Pacific and College Council.

Students are encouraged to report all forms of harassment. These are recorded and followed through using a no blame, restorative approach that aims to develop the interpersonal skills of all persons involved and focuses on building working relationships (which is important not just at school but throughout life). To build the capacity in young people to recognise that each person is unique and has strengths to offer (regardless of friendship status) and to work towards mutual respect, we are raising social and emotional awareness. Furthermore, we focus on 'Care, Dignity and Respect' in aspiring to be a peace place. So how does the presentation from Dr Coulson connect?

In working with students, we want them to realise that each person has strengths and is uniquely created. Even so, a human frailty is that sometimes we make poor choices and these impact on others in different ways. Dr Coulson stated that in such circumstances (if something wrong happens), a natural way people tend to respond is to go into 'pufferfish' mode (meaning: to be quite responsive to any innate threat to the peace or calmness in the environment . . . the response of a 'pufferfish' . . .). Following the description of the 'pufferfish' analogy, he remarked with these questions: Will such a negative response inspire a young person to change their behaviour? Will a climate of fear inspire the best in a person? Dr Coulson stated that in his studies, he came across a meta-analysis (a study that examines all studies on a particular topic), that clearly indicated 'no' . . . aggression does not work. A young person needs someone to model; thinking, skill, perspective, compassion and effort. He then presented to the auditorium a study that was conducted by scientists using bees (honey bees and killer bees).

In presenting findings from the bee experiment, Dr Coulson summarised: the genetic coding of a killer bee placed in the environment of honey bees, actually altered over a duration of time, due to behavioural changes in being with honey bees. The key point highlighted by this study is that each of us has the ability to change and build our emotional intelligence: to raise thinking in the area of social and emotional competence.

This means being able to self regulate, being socially aware, being self-aware, being responsible for decisions or choices made (being fully aware of the impact on others and the appropriateness) and building on relationship skills.

'Pacific as a Peace Place' stands as the motto for the Pastoral Care program and is a powerful reminder of the nature of relationships expected at the college. All members of the community are encouraged to be tolerant, compassionate and accepting of others. The college uses positive language to facilitate the development of a safe culture where students work together to support an environment that is peaceful and productive. There is a real focus on 'Care, Dignity and Respect'. Students and staff have the opportunity to develop skills to work through conflict and to grow in their interpersonal skills. Dr Coulson's presentation was affirming (and heard by over 700 individuals from various professions in the University of Queensland's auditorium) and I am thankful for the opportunity to have heard him present at this conference. More information about Dr Coulson can be found at website: <http://www.happyfamilies.com.au>.

' . . . let us encourage one another . . . ' ~ Hebrews 10: 25.

Miss Kim Stone, Head of Senior School Students

From the Head of Staff and Students P-5

Under 8s Day Carnival

This carnival will be held on Wednesday, 21st May between 8.30am and 10.30am. The theme of the day is "Everyone Can Play". For all Prep - Year 2 students, it will be a morning of games, teamwork, laughter and fun. Parents are most welcome to attend and join in the fun.

Year 4 Bike Skills

As part of the TravelSmart program, next Friday all students in Year 4 will have the opportunity to undertake a Cycle Skills Program. The program is cost free and aims to teach students a variety of skills so that they ride safely on off-road cycle pathways. Parents are reminded that permission slips allowing students to participate in the program need to be received by class teachers by Monday, 19th May so that numbers of students needing to borrow equipment can be ascertained.

Walk Safely to School Day

Walk Safely to School Day (WSTSD) is an annual, national event when all primary school children will be encouraged to walk and commute safely to school. This year, all students at Pacific are encouraged to participate in this event. The walk is a community event seeking to promote Road Safety, Health, Public Transport and the Environment. By walking to school, you will get some great exercise and quality time with friends, as well as reducing traffic congestion and pollution around the school.

It will be held throughout Australia on Friday, 23rd May.

If possible, parents are invited to join with their children in walking (or riding if you live too far away to walk) all or part of the way from home to school on Friday, 23rd May.

Walk and Talk . . . If you feel you live too far away to walk from home, then meet at the Oakdale Park in Oakdale Circuit, Currimundi and join us for a short 850m walk from there. Mr Druery will be there to meet you at 8.00am, for an 8.05am departure. To ensure the safety of our students, we ask that children are accompanied by a parent / carer where possible.

This year, through the support of TravelSmart and the Sunshine Coast Council, not only will students (and families) enjoy the many benefits of walking to school, they could also win some great prizes for their efforts. Simply register your participation on council's website

www.sunshinecoast.qld.gov.au up until 5.00pm on Friday, 23rd May and you could win:

- 1 of 10 skateboards,
- 1 of 10 scooters,
- and many other random draws.

TravelSmart is an initiative of the Sunshine Coast Council that encourages the utilisation of alternate forms of transport such as walking, cycling, carpooling and public transport.

Mr David Druery, Head of Staff and Students P-5

Students of the Week

Stars of the Week - This Week Monday, 12th May

Prep	Sonny Austin	Flynn Turnbull
	Ruby Davis	Zoe Woods
Year 1	Hannah Meekan	Jada Baker

	Finn Jones	Talon Paora
	Sam Roberts	Year 1C
Year 2	Macy Brown	
Year 3	Alex Hughes	Gabbie Maynard
	Ryan Salvesen	Isha Wallis
	Hamilton Turnbull	Hazar Pearse
	Sam Swan	Lillian Atkinson
Year 4	William Block	Ruby Akporhonor
	Tom Farrell	Romola Frazer
Year 5	Samuel Hickey	Imogen Layfield
	Elijah Modlin	Hayley Pearce
	Connor Dines	Georgia Moor
	Samantha Holt	Fin Quilligan
	Campbell Williams	Riley Burns
	Briarna Bell	Sarah Jones

You Can Do It Awards

This Week Monday, 12th May

Persistence: Max McDonald and Charlotte Hall.

Food for Thought

Raise a Self-Disciplined Child

Children who possess a resilient mindset are hopeful and have high self-worth. They feel appreciated. They have learned to set realistic goals and expectations for themselves. They demonstrate self-discipline and have developed the ability to solve problems and make decisions. They are likely to view mistakes, hardships and obstacles as challenges to confront, rather than as stressors to avoid. They rely on productive coping strategies that foster growth rather than a feeling of defeat.

<http://www.ahaparenting.com/parenting-tools/positive-discipline/handling-anger>

Mrs Annie Williams, School Counsellor

Senior Drama Production

The Resistable Rise of Arturo Ui by Bertolt Brecht

HURRY!

“UI” is on this
Friday, 16th May and
Saturday, 17th May

Tickets on sale NOW from The Events Centre,
Caloundra! You can also buy at the door.

Don't miss out!

The play, suitable for Middle College and upwards, is being advertised on posters around the school.

Please see the flyer at the end of this newsletter for ticket prices and further information.

We would love to see you at The Events Centre!

Mrs Janine Delaney, Director



School Photos

Prep - Year 5 Monday, 19th May

Years 6 - 12 Tuesday, 20th May



All Orders And Payment Are To Be Made
On-Line

On-line payment is the preferred method by the photographers. Envelopes are not to be returned to school. Please keep them at home for your reference (except for sibling order forms).

If paying by cash or cheque (and ALL sibling orders), envelope and payment is to be returned to the admin office. These should have been returned by **Wednesday, 14th May**.

Students are required to wear FULL DRESS UNIFORM on either Monday, 19th May or Tuesday, 20th May.

Miss Carolyn Sainty, Administration Secretary

Year 2 Trip to North Pine

Year 2 enjoyed travelling down to North Pine Dam and Water Treatment Plant this week as part of their Science topic learning about water. We were blessed with beautiful weather and were able to walk across the dam, discovering how and why it was built. There were tense moments as we had the rare opportunity of seeing some brand new water filter equipment being tested for the very first time. The highlight for many came at the end of the day when we went to the water's edge to look for and identify some water bugs.

The children were commended on their beautiful behaviour and enthusiasm for learning by the driver and venue staff. Well done, Year 2.

We would like to thank all the adults and staff that accompanied us to make it such a wonderful day.





Mrs Jeanette Roach and Mrs Leonie Prout

Goombuckar Indigenous Cultural Bus

Last week, Year 2 were very fortunate to receive a visit from the Goombuckar Indigenous Cultural Bus. The bus has been converted into an Indigenous bush environment, where Aboriginal stories and culture are shared in a very engaging way.

The Year 2 students enjoyed learning about the legend of Coolum and Maroochy, discovered how to be warriors and enjoyed bark painting using Aboriginal symbols. What a fantastic experience!



Mrs Leonie Prout, Year 2 Teacher

Students with Disabilities Travel Rebate



Semester 1, 2014

- Does your child have a verified disability that requires transport assistance to and from school?
- Has your school's learning support teacher assessed your child's travel capability rating as 'semi-independent' or more dependent?



To see if you qualify for financial assistance to help with the cost of transport, visit and apply at www.schooltransport.com.au by Saturday, 31st May 2014.

Late applications cannot be accepted.

Student Travel Rebates

Semester 1, 2014

Bus Fare Assistance



- Does your child attend a school outside the Brisbane City Council boundary?
- Does your family spend more than \$25/week* on fares to and from school (* \$20/week if you hold a concession card)?
- Does your child travel on a publicly available bus not owned or associated with the school?

To see if you qualify for financial assistance to help with the cost of transport, visit and apply at www.schooltransport.com.au by Saturday, 31st May 2014.

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Friends of Pacific

During May, representatives from Friends of Pacific have been able to view a sample model of the proposed video screen for the gymnasium. Funds which are raised from this year's OCEANFest and Friends of Pacific fundraisers will be channeled to this project.

The sample we viewed is incredibly impressive and will be able to be utilised in many and varied ways across the college from Prep to Year 12.

The screen we viewed is going to be located at the Caloundra Rugby Club so if you are passing by, you will have a good understanding of what the Pacific screen will be like.

It is very exciting to think that our fundraising results in such a beneficial addition to our college.

Business Directory

Friends of Pacific are undertaking the project of starting a college based business directory.

This business directory will be open to families of the college and will be available on the college website and eventually in an electronic format.

There will be a nominal annual charge with those funds going to Friends of Pacific fundraising.

In many cases, parents would rather support other families of the college through business so therefore this is the primary focus of establishing the directory.

Please email expressions of interest to fop@paciluth.qld.edu.au and we can then reply to you with further details.

The next Friends of Pacific meeting is on Tuesday, 20th May at 7.00pm. We warmly welcome you to attend.

Mrs Tracey Hindmarsh, Chairperson Friends of Pacific

Careers Department News

1. RSL YOUTH DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM

The RSL Youth Development program has been designed to recognise and reward the outstanding efforts

of high-achieving Queensland students. The 2014 - 2015 program aims to once again award 200 grants to talented Year 10 and 11 students who have demonstrated success in the following categories:

- Academic Achievement (inclusive of Arts, Drama, Dance and Media),
- Sporting Achievement,
- Community Leadership and Civic Participation.

Recipients of the RSL Youth Development program will receive grants of \$2,500 and the top 10% of the highest achieving Year 10 and 11 students will receive a higher recognition via a \$5,000 grant. Recipients will also have the exclusive opportunity to apply for a scholarship worth 50% of tuition fees to study either a single or combined degree at Bond University on the completion of high school.

Pacific Lutheran College has had the honour of having two recipients of this award for Sporting Achievement.

Applications are open online now at www.RSLyouth.com.au

Applications close on Tuesday, 11th November 2014.

Further information is available at www.RSLyouth.com.au.

2. BRISBANE CAREERS and EMPLOYMENT EXPO

This annual event will be held on Friday, 23rd and Saturday, 24th May from 9.30am - 4.00pm at the Brisbane Exhibition and Convention Centre (South Brisbane).

Senior College students are encouraged to attend this event to assist them with their career planning for Years 11 and 12 and Post-Year 12.

3. QUT VICE-CHANCELLORS STEM CAMP

QUT's Vice-Chancellor's Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (STEM), provides high-achieving Year 11 students with an exciting opportunity to attend an interactive six day camp, and engage in solving some of the major challenges facing our society and planet today.

The camp is held from Sunday, 28th September to Friday, 3rd October 2014.

To be accepted into this program, Sunshine Coast students must:

- Be a current Queensland Year 11 student,

- Have achieved a VHA in one or more of the following subjects: Science (Physics, Chemistry or Biology), Maths B or C, Engineering Technology or Computer Science,
- Be 15 as of Monday, 1st September 2014,
- Obtain parental / guardian permission.

The camp is fully funded by QUT and will include accommodation, all meals and program materials for all successful Sunshine Coast applicants. You must arrange your own transport to Brisbane.

For more information, application and eligibility requirements for Sunshine Coast students, visit www.qut.edu.au/stem-for-schools.

Applications close on Monday, 19th May 2014.

4. PILOT INFORMATION EVENING

Flight Options is hosting an information evening focusing on what is required to become a pilot.

Where: Flight Options Flight Training Centre, Sunshine Coast Airport, Mudjimba.

When: Tuesday, 20th May from 6.00pm - 8.00pm.

The evening is free of charge but as places are limited to 15 per session, please book your spot at training@flightoptions.com.au or 1800 896 616.

5. NEW 2015 TERTIARY COURSES and CAREER EVENTS

Senior College students are urged to continually visit university websites as there are regular changes to the study programs.

Each university also has a "News and Events" tab on their webpage which lists events ranging from Open Days, to special experiential programs to campus tours.

The 2015 QTAC Guide for Year 12 students will be issued in mid-June.

The QTAC Tertiary Prerequisites Guide 2017 for the current Year 10 students will be given to the students at the start of Term 3.

6. GRIFFITH UNIVERSITY SPECIAL CAREER EVENTS

Griffith University is conducting a week-long Musical Theatre Audition Workshop from Monday, 7th July - Friday, 11th July.

The workshop is for performers in Year 11 and 12 who want to develop auditioning skills in Musical Theatre (dance, singing, acting and theatre).

To register and pay, visit "Make a payment" at <https://app.secure.griffith.edu.au/musical-theatre/payment.php?id=15>

Please email any queries to musicaltheatre@griffith.edu.au

A Pathways to Medicine Information Evening will be held at the Griffith University South Bank Campus ((in the Ian Hanger Recital Hall, Queensland Conservatorium) on Tuesday, 20th May from 5.30pm - 8.00pm.

Session 1 (5.30pm - 6.30pm): Pathways to Medicine for Graduates. For students who have completed, or are in the process of completing, an undergraduate degree.

Session 2 (7.00pm - 8.00pm): Pathways Into Medicine for High School Students and Students Planning to Commence an Undergraduate Degree.

To register your intention to attend this event, visit the Griffith University website.

Mrs Ainslie Reid, Careers Counsellor

Sports News

SECONDARY SPORT

District Representatives

Congratulations to Tyler Turner, Jacob Marker, Zane Gear and Jez Lofthouse who were selected in the Independent Zone to represent the district at the Regional trials next week. We have had many athletes this year being successful in making it through to Regional teams and we wish the boys all the best at the next level.

PLC Netball

Round 9

With only one more round of competition to go until finals with five teams in the biggest competition on the Sunshine Coast, PLC Netball is on track to have at least three teams make semi-finals on Monday, 26th May.

PLC 5 had a well-deserved rest this week, earning them a bye. PLC 4, PLC 2 and PLC 1 all tasting success and PLC 3 playing their best yet, against a very skilled Matthew Flinders side.

PLC 4 v Matthew Flinders Anglican College

PLC 4 maintained their first post positioning in the Intermediate C Division this week, winning against Matthew Flinders 35 - 6.

All girls worked well as a team and used skills learnt during training to their advantage. Finals here WE come.

PLC 2 v Siena Catholic College

PLC 2 stormed home to defeat Siena 21 - 7. A special mention must go to the mid court who continued throughout the match to provide endless scoring opportunities to the shooters. Jordan Hauenschild earned Player's Player displaying great tenacity and commitment to the ball over all quarters. The girls look forward to their last round of fixtures next week before they commence their finals campaign.

PLC 1 vs Nambour Christian College

PLC 1 tasted another win last night, defeating Nambour Christian College 19 - 11. The girls scrambled the ball through the mid court, with Jessica Curreri and Elsa Jonsson working the ball through the centre to their attacking players. Deni Tynan earned Player's Player for keeping the ball out of the circle. Well done girls.

PLC Rugby

The rugby season is nearing its end and finals matches are upon us. This week, the First XV are taking on Maleny to earn a place in the finals next week. So far this season the boys have gone through undefeated and are looking strong for their semi-final match next week (still to be decided). The boys have shown plenty of courage and determination throughout the season and have played some great team rugby to get them to where they are on the ladder. A big thank you to their coaches Mr Parrish MacLeod and Mr Quinten Lockley for their tremendous effort over the past term. We will provide details of when and where finals will be played via the College's Facebook page and the College App.

The 13 year rugby team also had a pleasing season. Although the team did not win a match all season, it was great to see the boys come together and improve each week. Unfortunately their final game of the season was cancelled due to the opposing school being unable to play but the boys were still keen to play and continue to grow as a team. Well done to all the boys and to Mr Andrew Block for his dedication to the boys and for coaching the team this season.

PLC Basketball

There is a lot of basketball on offer at Pacific throughout the year for a range of different age groups. Next term, the school is involved in the Sunshine Coast Secondary School Basketball competition which runs throughout Term 3 and the first few weeks into Term 4. Students involved will be training on Friday during sport time and playing games on Friday nights at various basketball stadiums around the Sunshine Coast. If you

are not already training on a Friday for sport and would like to be involved in this competition, please see Mr Hauser before the end of Week 5. It is open for anyone in Years 7 - 12.

SCISSA Tennis

Congratulations to the PLC SCISSA tennis team on their first win of the season against Suncoast Christian College last week in the first round of competition. It was a very tight match on our home courts but Pacific managed to win by two sets in the end. This week they take on the Suncoast Storm at Suncoast. All the best to the team and well done to Mrs Evans for her coaching of the group.

Mr Mark Hauser, Head of Sport

JUNIOR SPORT

Year 3-7 Athletics Carnival

Athletics season is upon us with all students working on the various events in their HPE lesson.

The Year 3 - 7 Athletics Carnival will be taking place on Tuesday, 10th June (Week 8) at the University of the Sunshine Coast. All students took part in the 100m and 200m sprint trials yesterday afternoon. The formal discus event will be held next Thursday, 22nd May. Parents please also ensure that your child is in their coloured house shirt for the day. A note also went home this week outlining the main details for the athletics carnival. If there are any parents who are able to assist on the day as an official, please contact Mr Hooper.

Prep - Year 2 Cross Country

The Prep - Year 2 Inter-house Cross Country Carnival is in Week 6 on Tuesday, 27th May. This year, the carnival will be held at the Meridan playing fields adjacent to the college. The carnival will commence around 9.00am. Please see below for a guide to the times.

Time	Year Level	Distance
9.00am	P-2s	(walk the course as a class)
9.15am	Prep boys / girls	400m
9.25am	Year 1 boys / girls	600m
9.35am	Year 2 boys / girls	750m
9.45am	Presentations	

** Please note that the above times are only a guide and may be earlier or later than anticipated.

Students are currently training for this carnival with Mr Druery in their Physical Education lessons and will all have run the course prior to the carnival.

SCISSA

There will be no SCISSA training next Monday afternoon as Pacific has the bye. Next Thursday, instead of having our normal SCISSA round, all students will compete in their formal discus event here at the college.

Primary Students Sporting Success

In the last few weeks, there have been a number of Pacific students from the primary school who have achieved sporting success in their chosen sports.



Harry McLaughlin-Phillips was chosen to represent Queensland in Oztag. He recently travelled to Canberra with his family to play in the national championships. Whilst competing at these championships, Harry was named the Most Valuable Player for Queensland which is an outstanding achievement.

Last Thursday the district soccer trials were held at Matthew Flinders Anglican College for the 12 years girls. Brooke Tait, Victoria Burnes, Lily Croke, Georgia Harle and Stephanie Keenan all attended these trials and were named in the Independent District team which will compete in the upcoming regional trials. A great effort to have five girls from Pacific make the district team.

Lastly, congratulations to Jason Wulff. After winning at the Independent District Cross Country last week at Buderim, he then competed over the weekend at the Queensland All Schools Cross Country Championships at Limestone Park in Ipswich. Jason ran against 79 other students from around the state and finished in 8th place with a personal best time. Well done, Jason.

Mr Darren Hooper, Head of Junior Sport

Pacific Soccer Update



Round 7 - 10th May

Our 17 Pacific Soccer teams were on the road again last weekend as they played away



games across the Coast, but the clear skies and great fields resulted in a great day out for our players, our families and the many spectators.

In the competitive competition, the U11A Pacific Sharks have had a series of tough games but their hard work has been rewarded with a close fought 3 - 2 win against Palmwoods Mohicans.

The U11B Pacific Snappers played Nambour White Lions, who currently lead the table. The Snappers were able to score against the Nambour side but were beaten 1 - 5 by a better team on the day.

U12B Pacific Hammerheads again continued their great team performances with a dominant 6 - 0 win against Palmwoods Celtics.

The U14B Pacific Seahorses played the table-leading Palmwoods Pirates and, although they were beaten on the day, the Seahorses showed their teamwork and determination and were able to score twice against the Palmwoods side.

U14A Pacific Marlins played Immanuel Fire. Teams were nil all at half-time. Immanuel scored an easy goal early in the second half but Marlins stepped up a gear and dominated the rest of the game with solid defence, good attacking runs and many scoring chances. However, despite the good team performance, the Marlins could not find the back of the net and Immanuel held on to take the game 1 - 0.





Winter Pie-Drive Fundraiser

With the cooler months approaching, we are preparing again for our Homestyle Bake Pie Drive. This is an annual fundraiser for the club, with a percentage of the sales returning through the club to our teams.



An order form offering the many sweet and savoury options which are available has been sent to each of our teams, to allow time for taste buds to be tempted and for preferences to be decided. However, the important dates to remember are:

- Order forms and payment to be returned at our home game on Saturday, 17th May.
- Delivery of orders is scheduled for the week commencing Monday, 2nd June.

Team Photos – Tuesday 10th to Friday 13th June



This year our team photos will be taken on each team's training day, from Tuesday 10th to Friday 13th June. Photo times will be advised to each team closer to this date, coaches and managers are

asked to please remember to bring your team jerseys and also wear your training shirts.

District U12 Girls Soccer Team

On Thursday, 8th May selection trials were held for the District U12 Girls Soccer team and five girls from Pacific Soccer took part in the try outs.

Congratulations Victoria Burnes, Brook Tait, Georgie Harle and Stephanie Keenan (U12 Hammerheads) and Lilly Croke (U11 Snappers) who have all been selected to represent the independent schools and will be participating in the games to be played on 21st and 22nd May.

Extra Games for U11B Snappers and U12B Hammerheads

Due to the number of teams in these age groups, extra games will be played throughout the season, resulting in Round 19, Round 20 and Round 21.

U11B Pacific Snappers:

- Round 20 at 6.00pm on Tuesday, 20th May at Buderim
- Round 21 at 6.00pm on Tuesday, 17th June at Buderim

U12B Pacific Hammerheads:

- Round 19 Bye.
- Round 20 at 6.00pm on Thursday, 22nd May at Mudjimba Multisports.
- Round 21 at 6.00pm on Thursday, 19th June at Buderim

Friendly Games Between U13B / U14B Teams

Due to the number of byes in the U13B and U14B age groups, we will be playing extra friendly games between the teams in these age groups to allow the players to have a game each weekend.

U14B Pacific Seahorses will be playing as follows:

- Round 8 on Saturday, 17th May vs U13 Palmwoods Raiders at 2.05pm at Caloundra.
- Round 11 on Saturday, 14th June vs U13 Caloundra Red at 1.55pm at Caloundra.
- Round 17 on Saturday, 9th August vs U13 Immanuel Vipers at 3.35pm at Pacific.

Round 8 - 17th May

This weekend we are playing a home game at Pacific, with games commencing at 8.30am and the U14A Pacific Marlins playing the last game which kicks off at 3.30pm. Each manager will have game times, or visit www.SCCSA.org.au or call us for more info.

The Pacific Seahorses will be playing a friendly against U13 Palmwoods Raiders at Caloundra.

Thank You from the Pacific Soccer Canteen

This weekend, the U6 Sea Stars, U7 Swordfish, U8 Orcas and U9 Cobras have been asked to run the canteen for the morning shift. The U11 Sharks, U11 Snappers, U12 Hammerheads and U14 Marlins will be taking over in the afternoon.



Please remember that when your manager asks for volunteers for the canteen roster, include your name on the roster and help to make this weekend a success for the players and for the club.

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Thank you for your involvement and support of Pacific Soccer. We hope that the 2014 season will be an enjoyable and fulfilling one for you and your family.

Mr Ian Barnes, President

Uniform Shop

The Uniform Shop is open every:

Wednesday 8.00am to 9.30am
Thursday 8.00am to 9.30am
Friday 8.00am to 9.30am

Orders can be placed on-line through flexischools.com.au and will be delivered to your child the following day.

Mrs Donna Hollindale, Uniform Shop Coordinator

Upcoming Dates

MAY

- 14-17 Senior Drama Production
- 19 Prep - Year 5 Photo Day
- 20 Year 6 - 12 Photo Day
- 20 Year 10 Camp Parent Information Evening (6.30pm)
- 20 Sunshine Coast Regional Trial Day 3
- 20 Friends of Pacific (7.00pm)
- 22 Year 4-6 SCISSA – Round 6 (12.15pm)
- 25 PLC Golf Day
- 27 Year 7 Canberra Tour Parent Information Evening (6.30pm)
- 28 Year 10 Business Enterprise Day
- 29 Year 4-6 SCISSA – Round 7 (12.15pm)
- 30 Caloundra Show Day – Public Holiday

Did You Know?

The moon moves 3.82cm away from the Earth every year.

All newsletters can be accessed in a printable format via our website www.pacificlutheran.qld.edu.au, click on the "News and Events" tab, then "Publications".

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ST MARK'S LUTHERAN CHURCH

Invites You to
Sunday Services:

8.00am St Mark's Lutheran Church
16 Bombala Terrace, Caloundra

9.30am Pacific Lutheran College
Woodlands Boulevard, Meridan Plains
Worship in the Drama Room – with a special children's program.

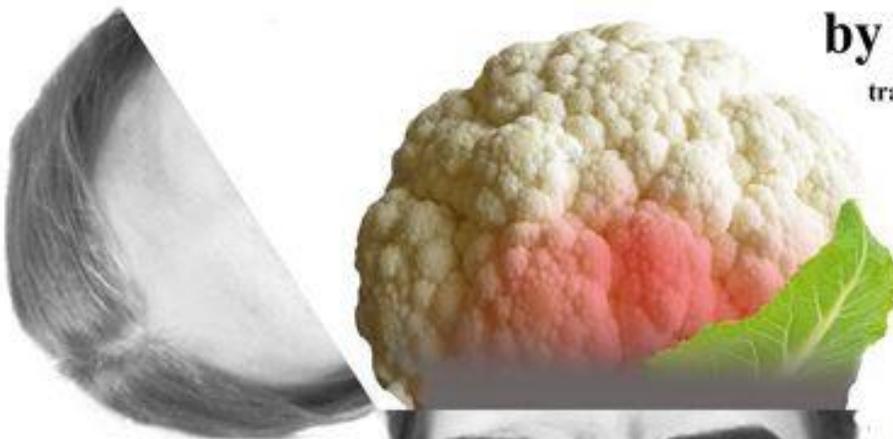
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For more information, contact Pastor Ray Morris on 0429 856 532, email: ray.morris@lca.org.au, web: stmarkslutheran.caloundra.com

Pacific Lutheran College presents
A Gangster Spectacle

THE RESISTIBLE RISE OF ARTUR UI

by Bertolt Brecht
translated by Ralph Manheim



May 16th - 17th

Friday Evening 7:30 pm

Saturday Matinee 1:00pm

Saturday Evening 7:30pm

Tickets from The Events Centre
Minchinton Street, Caloundra

\$ 20 Adults

\$ 15 Student / Concession

\$ 60 Family (2 adults, 2 children)

Bookings:

Ph 5491 4240

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If you or your business would like to be involved as a sponsor, please contact Allyson Sarvari 0402 276 988

PLC Family and Friends Golf Day



The annual event is now a fixture on the PLC Calendar.
Join us for a great day of golf, enjoyable company and
prizes - all for a good cause!



FOUR-BALL AMBROSE

Pelican Waters Golf
Club
40 Mahogany Drive
Pelican Waters

Sunday
25 May 2014

Tee Off - 11:00am

The event is proudly supported by Friends of Pacific. The day last year was a great success - so come along and share in the fun at the world class Greg Norman designed golf course (ranked the best on the Sunshine Coast). Like last year there will be great prizes, raffles and extra fun challenges on selected holes!

SEE YOU THERE

REGISTRATION AND SPONSORSHIP OPTIONS

GOLF individual player \$100

- Includes
- 18 holes of golf
 - PLC Golf goodie bag
 - Light meal
 - Fabulous Prizes

GOLF team of four players \$390

- Includes
- 18 holes of golf
 - PLC Golf goodie bag per player
 - Light meal
 - Fabulous Prizes

HOLE SPONSOR ONLY \$250

Unable to attend the Golf Day but keen to support PLC? Be a part of the event by sponsoring a hole. Includes signage on sponsored hole

MAJOR SPONSOR \$2,500

- Includes
- 18 holes of golf for two teams of four
 - light meal for all players
 - PLC golf goodie bag for all players
 - recognition throughout the course
 - recognition on all promotional material

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- Includes
- 18 holes of golf team of four
 - PLC gift bag per player
 - Light meal
 - signage on sponsored hole
 - recognition on all promotional material
 - Fabulous Prizes

- Major sponsor (\$2,500) *incl 2 teams of 4*
- Hole sponsor with team (\$600) *incl 1 team of 4*
- Hole sponsor only (\$250)
- Individual player (\$100)
- Team of four players (\$390)

Team Name _____

	Player Name	Handicap
#1	_____	_____
#2	_____	_____
#3	_____	_____
#4	_____	_____

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