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Principal's Message



2018 has been a year in which students have had many opportunities to 'grow wider'

'Growing wider' means students developing the skills, understandings and knowledge they need now as well as in the future. Skills such as critical and creative thinking, communication, collaboration and teamwork, personal and social skills and Information Communication Technology (ICT)

skills. This year students developed these skills in contexts as varied as the three day hike at Googa; the classroom, sporting field and pastoral care activities; The Kokoda Challenge, Tournament of Minds; the 24 hour Human Powered Vehicle competition and the Cultural Tour.

'Growing wider' involves students being exposed to new areas of life, learning and activity inside and outside of the classroom. On any given day we see students 'growing wider' through their engagement with co-curricular activities. They have the opportunity to learn new skills and further develop existing ones, to be challenged, to take risks, to succeed and to fail, to build confidence and resilience, and to learn how to work with others.

'Growing wider' means we invest time and resources into our student well-being and pastoral care programs, into developing a culture where relationships are positive and productive and where connections between people are based on understanding and respect. *'Growing wider'* means providing opportunities for students to grow spiritually, and to be active in the community and in service to others.

Earlier in the year we were pleased to share the results of Year 12 2017. In a cohort where 86% of students were OP eligible, 63% of OP

eligible students received an OP 1-10. This is our strongest ever result in the OP-10 range. These students, along with the broader cohort, are to be congratulated for their achievements and engagement in tertiary and alternate pathways. While there are many factors leading to successful academic outcomes for our students, they include, a shared commitment to each student achieving to their potential and a positive culture. This includes students maintaining a strong but balanced commitment to achieving academically, role modelling by older students and the support of students by staff, family and peers.

In sport, many students competed at representative levels in swimming, athletics, cross-country as well as team and individual sports. Good Shepherd also entered teams in a wide range of afterschool, evening and weekend competitions. Our basketball, netball, touch football, tennis and water polo programs continue to thrive along with sports that are gaining momentum including rugby, volleyball and AFL. Co-curricular sport has never been stronger in terms of quality and level of student engagement.

2018 has been an excellent year for Performing Arts at Good Shepherd. The range of ensembles and bands provided an opportunity for students of different skills levels, instruments and musical interests to find an avenue to develop musically and to perform. This year's College Musical, *'The Lion King Junior'* and the Spring Spectacular performances were outstanding.

In 2018 there were opportunities for students to participate in a number of other co-curricular activities including Tournament of Minds, Debating and Film and Media. 2018 saw continued growth in student opportunity and engagement in Technology competitions.

Thank you to all staff of the College for the 2018 school year and their dedication, skill and commitment to service the students and families of the College. At the end of 2018, Mr Graeme Handreck and



Principal's Message

Mr Martin Polkinghorne will be retiring after serving the Good Shepherd community and Lutheran education for 40 and 23 years respectively. In his role as Careers Counsellor, Mr Handreck has guided many students through the process of identifying and then actioning study, workplace and career pathways. Mr Handreck has contributed to the College beyond his role, an example of which is his organisation of the Driver Training Course for many years. Mr Polkinghorne will be remembered for his passion for Science, and Chemistry in particular, his engaging lessons and his encouragement of student involvement in opportunities within and outside of Good Shepherd. He has led the College's Science Department with equal energy and support. For many years, Mr Polkinghorne was the driving force behind high levels of participation and state and national success in Tournament of Minds. We thank and wish Mr Handreck and Mr Polkinghorne every blessing.

Our College, its activities and co-curricular program have been broadly and enthusiastically supported by the families of the College 2018. This year the P&F have funded a wide range of class-based resources and equipment including the major upgrade to the Prep-Year 2 Playground. The events of the P&F play an equally important role in building and encouraging school community. Thank you to all who supported the events and activities of the P&F through giving of time, energy, resources and supported through attendance.

I commend this year's magazine to you as a celebration of a year in which Good Shepherd's students, staff and parents have '*grown wider*'.

Mr Anthony Dyer

Principal



College Council



Front L-R: Pastor Chris Bartholomaeus, Rachel Schilling, Agnes Reed and Fay Klinge
Back L-R: Rob Francis, Chris Roche (Chair) and Pastor Dylan Miegel

Another busy and exciting year has almost finished at Good Shepherd Lutheran College. As both a long term member of College Council and a College parent, I have been privileged to witness considerable growth and improvement at the College, especially over the last five years.

One of the most obvious ways to demonstrate this is through the continued solid growth in enrolments. This growth is primarily driven through word of mouth from our existing parents, a wonderful show of support and a sign that good things are happening at Good Shepherd.

This year College Council has worked through facilitating a new Master Plan for the College. Having a part in the future planning of the College is a key role of College Council. New building projects will be starting in the near future as the College continues to develop.

College Council members have again given up their time throughout 2018 to maintain a strong governance focus including the area of risk management and to ensure the College is financially healthy and sustainable. I would like to thank all members for the work they do, not only at our regular meetings, to ensure Good Shepherd remains in safe hands.

Our Principal Anthony Dyer has continued to lead the College in a superb way this year. As College Council Chair, I have a great deal of contact with Anthony and see first-hand his dedication and hard work. Anthony is also supported by all the staff at Good Shepherd. On behalf of College Council, I wish to acknowledge all teaching and non-teaching staff for the outstanding work they do with the students throughout the year.

As I have explained, the future is very bright for Good Shepherd. Let us ensure all members of the Good Shepherd community continue to sing the praises of our wonderful College.

Mr Chris Roche

Chair, College Council

From the Pastor



"It's a great place to be!" I hear students, parents and staff of Good Shepherd repeatedly describe our College in this way. And why wouldn't they? Our College is a place of quality learning, full of fabulous people and set amongst beautiful grounds in an attractive location. On a deeper level, however

Good Shepherd truly is a great place because at its heart is a great person –

Jesus the Good Shepherd. Our College logo reminds us daily of his loving care, protection and guidance; inviting us to follow in His way. Every day we have the joyful privilege of giving thanks for our College and entering wholeheartedly into its life of learning, playing, serving, and praying. Every day we become co-contributors to its greatness, making the most of the many and diverse opportunities it presents; honouring its Christ-centred heart, and espousing those core values of love, justice, compassion, forgiveness, service, etc. in a spirit of humility.

For many, however, these traits come across as being counter cultural in an age where the pure pursuit of power, prestige and pleasure is paramount. Counter intuitive even. How do we possibly accomplish such a great, but radically self-less undertaking?

With the sights and sounds of the *Lion King Jnr* musical still relatively fresh in our memories, one song in particular has stayed with me. Its

refrain repeats Rafiki's profound and timely reminder to Simba that Mufasa lives on in him, ready to bring out greatness in the young lion. "He lives in you!"

The Spirit of Christ lives in us! He is the number one source of greatness and goodness in our school life. Jesus' parting words to his disciples assured them of his constant presence with them – "And be sure of this: I am with you always, even to the end of the age." (Matthew 28:20)

It's no wonder we see Christ empowering great things here through our Good Shepherd community: through weekly chapel devotions; Christian Studies lessons; when love becomes action through our support of organisations like ALWS; or at events such as Red Shield appeal, World Vision Youth Conference or Ping Pong-a-thon; in daily pastoral care and counselling; through music in worship, concerts, or morning drum circles; or in conversations on College camps while trapesing through acres of hostile lantana or stepping out on a high ropes challenge to the shouts of encouragement and reassurance from below. In these, and the many other opportunities for growth our College life delivers, we are seeing our students venturing beyond comfort zones into new pastures where great things happen!

Following in the footsteps of the one who went to such great lengths for us, and who daily accomplishes great things through us, we really can celebrate Good Shepherd as a great place to be!

Pastor Simon Cooper



Year 12 Thrive day



Year 4 Bible presentation



The Lion King Junior musical



Year 6 Canberra trip



Year 6 camp staff



Djembe devotion



Chapel band

From the Counsellor

Happy children begin with flourishing families. As each of us strive to be the best parent we can possibly be, there is an enormous pressure of getting it right and for the most part, we do. Just as a plant needs a delicate balance of patience and care to grow, so do our children if they are to flourish within the security and love, trust, joy, respect, patience and care. Happy children are not born but rather nurtured by adults in their lives. Our children struggle to flourish if adults are not flourishing themselves and experiencing joyful living. Increasing love for self and others, using one's gifts and capacities to the fullest that is respectful to the wellbeing of others, including the natural world is part of helping our children flourish.

Flourishing adults are key to creating our children's' capacities, as author Marilyn Ferguson purports, an atmosphere of trust, love and humour can nourish extraordinary human capacity. "One key is authenticity: parents acting as people, not as roles. Finding our authentic self is a life-long journey for some, if not most of us, sometimes we diverge away from this at times taken up by life's influences where we are ceaselessly crafted and sometimes become ill-fitting to our 'true self'." Life within the Good Shepherd community is full of human capacity that is not only inspiring but also encouraging.

Care @ GSLC Week proved this as Good Shepherd families gave \$2,000 to the Kakuma Refugee Camp which is located in the North-western region of Kenya. Kakuma Camp and Kalobeyei Integrated Settlement has a population of 185,449 registered refugees and asylum-seekers. The theme for Care@GSLC Week was 'Activating Joy' and we enjoyed rolling out the Teddy Bears Picnic, random acts of kindness and the Biggest Morning Tea. The week aimed at creating opportunities for students to give joy to others with authenticity and generosity.

Good Shepherd parents enjoyed our first Flourishing Families session aimed at sharing the ethos of positive psychology, neuroscience and emotional intelligence. This session was well received by parents who

had the opportunity to learn more about the benefits of engaging with their children from a strength based perspective and the benefits to their wellbeing and mental wellness. This session dovetailed with our twilight sessions where staff had the opportunity to embrace Positive Ways of Leading Self and Others. The essence of these sessions, for both parents and staff was to embrace a positive culture, bringing meaning, relationships and communications into our everyday lives with self and others. Staff also had the opportunity to participate in the Mental Health First Aid course this year.

Our focus of continuing to embrace positive education in its many facets is a necessary feature of our work at Good Shepherd. As indicated by the Mission Australia Youth Survey report for 2017, where over 24,000 young people took part in the Youth Survey, mental health was the top issue of national concern for young people. Their concerns centred on coping with stress, body image and depression. As adolescence is the peak age of onset for many mental health disorders, there has been a significant increase in the proportion of young people meeting this criterion over the past five years. On the flipside, young people are also resilient as the report suggests, young people highly value friendships, family relationships, and school satisfaction. In addition, the majority of young people (62.9%) felt happy about their lives overall and were very positive or positive about the future. If each of us, as adults, were able to continue our journey towards wellness, we are in the best position to help our children and young people with their wellness journey.

Ms Marg Hall
College Counsellor



College Leaders



College Captains

L-R Gemma Sampson (C), Nicholas Newton (C), Jackson Allan (VC) and Victoria Barnes (VC)



Cultural Captains

L-R Kobi Lua, Noah Albertson, Angus Alexander and Sienna Gelavis

   	COLLEGE CAPTAINS		COLLEGE VICE CAPTAINS	
	Gemma Sampson and Nicholas Newton		Jackson Allan and Victoria Barnes	
	SPORT CAPTAINS		CULTURAL CAPTAINS	
	Lilly-Belle Ellaway, Hayden Lumsden and Jacy Hebin-Botha		Kobi Lua, Noah Albertson, Angus Alexander and Sienna Gelavis	
	SPIRITUAL LIFE CAPTAINS			
	Eleni Diacos, Lachlan Stock, Zachary Roche and Johanna Beasley			
	HOUSE CAPTAINS		HOUSE VICE CAPTAINS	
LAGUNA	Katrina Rickeard and Scott Bailey	Jacy Hebin-Botha and Millie Robson		
WEYBA	Macey Hartshorn and Dylan Williams	James Dewar and Mikayla van den Brenk		
DOONELLA	Ben Cuthbert O'Meara and Imogen Cooney	Hayley Favelle and Patrick Le Moy		
MUNNA	Tahlia Prenzler and Angus Alexander	Harrison Taylor and Ally Sparks		
Year 5 Ambassadors: Alexandra von Homeyer, Georgia Orr, Ava Danswan, Isobel Nettleton-Hart, Daisy Dark, Abigail Smith, Caitlin Corbett, James Allan, Charles Drew, Lachlan George, Joshua Plant, Hayden Grant and Ritchie Bourne				
Year 9 Ambassadors: Eline van Bruggen, Emma Lumsden, Katelyn Dyer, Ketta Olopai, Danielle Dawson, Jessica Butt, Ashleigh Allan, Liam Newton, Tyler Loveridge, Brew Hardinge, Douglas Gemmell, Connor Gipters, William Whittaker and Ashton Bellette				



Sport Captains

L-R Lilly-Belle Ellaway, Hayden Lumsden and Jacy Hebin-Botha



Spiritual Life Captains

L-R Eleni Diacos, Lachlan Stock, Zachary Roche and Johanna Beasley

College Leaders



Laguna: L-R Katrina Rickeard (C), Scott Bailey (C), Jadyne Hebin-Botha (VC) and Millie Robson (VC)



Weyba: L-R Macey Hartshorn (C), James Dewar (VC), Dylan Williams (C) and Mikayla van den Brenk (VC)



Doonella: L-R Hayley Favelle (VC), Patrick Le Moy (VC), Ben Cuthbert O'Meara (C) and Imogen Cooney (C)



Munna: L-R Tahlia Prenzler (C), Angus Alexander (C), Harrison Taylor (VC) and Ally Sparks (VC)



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College Captains' Report

As 2018 is drawing to an end, we reflect on our final year spent at Good Shepherd and our accomplishments as Senior Leaders. In the week prior to the commencement of Term 1, we and the Spiritual Life Captains were invited to attend Enthuse, which is a five day leadership camp at Luther Heights, along with many other Year 12 leaders from all over Queensland. This camp challenged us as leaders and shaped our vision to create a unified College community.

We believed that the first step in unifying the community was to first unify the Year 12s as a cohort, as we felt that once we could lead ourselves effectively, then we would successfully be able to lead others. This concept was put into action through an event called '12 Hours for the Year 12s'. On a Friday night early in Term 2, all the seniors gathered in the Library and spent 12 hours together playing games, group activities and connecting as a cohort. We made a specific point at the beginning of the night to encourage the Year 12s to be intentional about conversing with those that they may not normally talk to on a daily basis. Overall, the night was a great success. We believe that it really benefitted our cohort as leaders and has shaped the rest of our senior year.

Our second major project as College Captains was to work side-by-side with the Spiritual Life Captains to organise and run the Ping-pong-a-thon, a P-12 event designed to increase awareness of child slavery, as well as raise funds to help the fight against it. This event proved to not only be a lot of fun, but a great way to bring the whole College community together for an important purpose.

Finally, as College Captains, we also specifically wanted to focus on empowering and encouraging the Year 12 Senior Leader Groups, which included Academic, Community, Cultural, Environmental, Sport, Spiritual and Media Leaders. We know that these groups are crucial when it comes to organising special events and promoting the feeling of community within Good Shepherd. We would like to take this time to thank these groups for the time and effort that they devoted to making Good Shepherd a better place. With so many wonderful events and projects having happened, including after school tutoring, organising Book Week celebrations, Open Mic sessions at lunch, Clean Up Australia Day, running sport competitions for younger grades at lunch, promoting World Vision, assisting with weekly PowerPoints at assembly and getting the Photography Club up and running.

Finally, we would like to give a special shout out to our teachers, cohort and parents for supporting our efforts throughout this year, as we could not have done it without them. Specifically, we would like to thank Mrs Lunn for backing all of our projects and endeavours, as she has greatly contributed to our success this past year. We hope that we have made a significant difference to student life at this College and have encouraged the development of relationships between students. We are proud of the legacy we have created and are confident that the future leaders at Good Shepherd will carry this on.

Nicholas Newton, and Victoria Barnes
College Captains

Gemma Sampson and Jackson Allan
College Vice Captains



L-R: Victoria, Nicholas, Jackson and Gemma



Outside School Hours Care

We have had a fun filled 2018 in OSHC and we have welcomed many new families to our service. The children have been thoroughly enjoying lots of social play and unstructured times after school in our room and on the refurbished playground. We have utilised our beautiful bushy area outside the Art Block where the children combine their love for the natural environment with creative activities. Often the children take their activities onto the grassed areas. The children have been performing dramatic arts on the veranda, explored nature and enjoyed playing on the ovals and dancing in the theatrette. These flexible spaces allow all the children to engage in their interests.

Our culture of an inclusive environment and cherishing our relationships is continuing. Our staff have been able to facilitate and scaffold on the children's interests. Being a small service enables us to know each of the children well and we will always give the children ownership and voices in our setting. The older children

have been organising making movies and becoming interested in complex activities. Our annual fundraiser for the RSPCA was also a great success.

The children have been helping us in designing the Vacation Care programs. During the holidays we have had some wonderful excursions including Bird World Maleny, the Planetarium, Tewantin Water Park, Big Pineapple, Sea Life, cinemas and several visits to the Noosa J. We also had incursions such as hip hop, acrobatics, circus, Lego workshop, percussion and many more.

Wishing you all a wonderful 2019.

Natalie and Susanne



Little Lambs

Thank you to all our families for a wonderful year at Little Lambs. Our parent participation in the program has been at an all-time high and it is so rewarding to have families so closely linked with the children's learning journeys.

Within our 2018 program, enquiry learning and child agency have been our driving force. Whether we were working as a small group, following individual interests or project work, all children showed their uniqueness, and how we learn in our own way. As the children choose what activities they want to do each day, our learning environment becomes their world of wonder and investigation. Guiding each child's learning then becomes our mission and the program flows from there, continually developing with each child. You can see from some of our photos what amazing learning adventures we have had.

Getting to know our community was a focus this year. The children experienced involvement in local charity events such as: Where's Wally Day for the Fred Hollows Foundation; Talk Like a Pirate Day for children cancer awareness; Good Shepherd library sessions; the new Woolworth's Discovery Tour excursion and visits from the fire brigade, police, WILVO's Wildlife Rescue and Surfer Sam.

We also loved spoiling mums and dads at our Mothers and Father's day mornings here in the Centre.

Our Pyjama Party kicked off the winter blues before they started, and Mad Science Week and Book Week costumes, reflecting our favourite books, embedded in our children's minds more than any other days.

Our connection with Good Shepherd has always been fantastic, with special events and educational weeks, but this year we have included more preparation for the transition to Prep as we embraced the SSP literacy program. Although our delivery is still focused around child choice, the Monster Dance has become a favourite and a daily request.

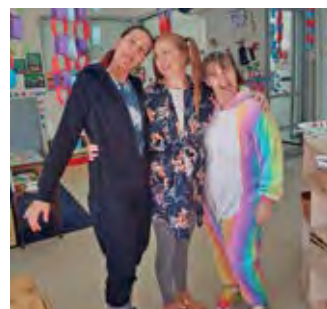
We also found a new friend with Peri Peri the pre-school puppy, and we welcomed Miss Cristina as our newest team member. Peri Peri is just adorable and loves it at Little Lambs. She teaches the children empathy, care for others and builds a sense of security and trust. We thank Miss Cristina for introducing her into our learning environment.

Last, but definitely not least, we thank our fantastic team of educators for the amazing work they do with each and every individual child. The creativity of the program, the designing of our environment into each exciting inquiry play learning area or experience, and the beautiful relationships they share with the children. Our Little Lambs team is simply the best and we thank them all very much. We have had such an exciting 2018.

Ms Michelle Hoskins

Service Leader Nominated Supervisor





Staff List

College Leadership Team

Principal

Mr Anthony Dyer

Deputy Principal

Mr Michael Stock

College Pastor

Pastor Simon Cooper

Head of Senior Years Studies

Mr Matt Armstrong

Head of Senior Years Students

Mrs Karen Lunn

Head of Middle Years Studies

Mrs Sandy Hardy

Head of Middle Years Students

Mrs Melissa Evans

Head of Junior Years

Mr Tim Lambert

P-5 Student Coordinator

Mrs Wendy Beaulieu

Assistant to Principal - Strategic Projects

Mr Matt Qualischefski

Curriculum Leaders

Visual Art

Mrs Sari Petty

Drama

Mrs Andrea Donovan

Science

Mr Martin Polkinghorne

Christian Studies

Mr Mark Bindley

Business Studies

Mrs Leanne Edwards

Film, TV and New Media

Mrs Johanna Foley

Music

Ms Aimee Goodwin

Senior Years Humanities

Mr Ben Osbourne

German

Mrs Eliane Mayer

Maths

Mr Steve Miller-Metzner

Health and Physical Education

Mr Steve Carey

Design Technology

Ms Jo Waites

Food and Textiles Technology and Hospitality

Mrs Sue Jansen

Middle Years Humanities

Mr Innes Harriman

Japanese

Mr Nick Hansen

Information Technology

Mr Ricky Sinclair

English

Mr Tony Purcell

Junior Sport

Ms Yolanda Brady

Student Coordinators

Mr Matt George - Years 6 and 7

Mr Jason Green - Year 8

Mr Paul Stacey - Year 9

College Counsellor

Ms Marg Hall

Director of Music

Mr Jim Tomkins

Career Guidance Counsellor and VET Coordinator

Mr Graeme Handreck

Head of Library Services

Mrs Sue O'Brien

Prep - Year 5 Teachers

Mrs Akane Kinjo

Mrs Ann Henderson

Mrs Anna Thompson

Ms Christine Rose

Mrs Felicity Bezer

Mrs Hayley Brown

Mr James Bourne

Mrs Jocelyn Lambert

Mrs Kandice Platt

Mrs Kirsten Lee

Ms Leah Buckley

Mrs Lindy Batterham

Mrs Maleta Spark

Mrs Nicola Cumner

Mrs Robyn Lutze

Mrs Verena Miller-Metzner

Mrs Val Handreck

P-5 Learning Enrichment Coordinator

Mrs Jenny Reeve

P-5 LE Teacher Aides

Mrs Jenny Hill

Mrs Leigh Abrahams

Mrs Sonia Roche

Ms Jacqui Lewis

Mrs Rachael Willis

Mrs Lauri Ludvigsen

Mrs Tracey Pringle

Prep-Year 5 Teacher Aides

Mrs Alison Varley

Mrs Mellissa Vanslooten

Mrs Bronwyn Tobin

Mrs Karen Mitchell

Mrs Lea Sinclair

Yrs 6-12 Teacher Aides

Mrs Marilyn Beattie

Mrs Cecile Bell

Mr Kevin Yard

Mrs Michelle Spratt

Library Assistants

Mrs Leanne Romeo

Mrs Ann-Maree Pollari

Mrs Ruth Bolders

Ms Madison Dearnaley

Mrs Kaye Sargeant

Ms Lisa Scott

Sport Assistants

Mrs Jane Tickner

Mr Stuart Herriman

Performing Arts Assistant

Ms Barbara Hook

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Mrs Annclare Perkins
Mr Bo Blanch
Mr Ben Hayes
Ms Carla Lee
Mr Craig Moore
Mr Dave Palmer
Ms Hannah Doyle
Ms Hayley Every
Ms Janine Berger
Mrs Janna Walter

Mrs Jasmine Hayes
Ms Jo Anna Morrison
Mrs Kathryn Harris
Mr Mark Davies
Ms Meagan Oakley
Mrs Meghan Tello
Mr Mike Mooney
Mr Murdoch Jennings
Ms Penelope Roberts
Ms Rachel Paterson

Mr Randy Telleman
Mr Russell Oakley
Mrs Sally Carey
Ms Sandy Page
Mrs Sharon Schluter
Mr Stephen Hann
Mrs Tracey White
Mrs Trina O'Donnell
Mrs Wendy Cooper
Mrs Wendy George

Yrs 6-12 Learning Enrichment Coordinator

Mrs Nicole Drew

Yrs 6-12 LE Teacher Aides

Mrs Alison Osmond
Mrs Debra Fern
Mrs Jill Sutton
Mrs Sue Hughes
Mrs Tracey Durham

Music Tutors

Mr Antoni Bonetti
Mrs Ruth Bonetti
Ms Naomi Craddock
Mrs Kathy Dyer
Ms Silvi Eckley
Mr Gavin Hamburger
Mr Owen Newcomb
Mr Adam Poppett
Mr Andrew Veivers
Ms Courtney Underhill
Ms Debra Casey
Ms Tara McPhee
Mr Bill Kahler

Sport Coaches

Mr Shawn Sykes
Mrs Jacqui Delaney
Mr Jon Porter
Mrs Michelle Biggs

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Head of Junior Years PA

Mrs Kerry Butt

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Mrs Stephanie Barber
Mrs Tamara Cochrane
Mrs Karen von Homeyer
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Mrs Sandy Mills

Director of ICT

Mr Scott Josephs

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Mr Wade Russow

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Mr Dennis Findley
Mr Daren Beech
Mr Michael Douglas
Mr Carl Nielsen
Mr Chris Sharp
Mr Warren Fereday
Mr Dallas Bruhl

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Mr Jesse Halpern
Ms Michele Haslam
Mr Don Marriott
Ms Milly Onis
Mr Ian Martin
Mr Warren Fereday
Mr Chris Sharp

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Mrs Susanne Reed
Mrs Natalie Anning

Compliance Officer

Mr Ivan Oreb

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Leigh Abrahams



Rebecca Adamson



Matt Armstrong



Judy Arthur



Stephanie Barber



Lindy Batterham



Marilyn Beattie



Wendy Beaulieu



Daren Beech



Cecile Bell



Janine Berger



Felicity Bezer



Mark Bindley



Bo Blanch



Antoni Bonetti



Carla Lee Bourke



James Bourne



Madonna Bowden



Bevan Bozoky



Yolanda Brady



Hayley Brown



Leah Buckley



Kerry Butt



Sally Carey



Steve Carey



Sam Clare



Tamara Cochrane



Sandra Cooke



Simon Cooper



Wendy Cooper



Nicola Cumner



Mark Davies



Sue Davis



Madison Dearnaley



Andrea Donovan



Mick Douglas



Hannah Doyle



Nicole Drew



Tracey Durham



Anthony Dyer



Silvi Eckley



Leeann Edwards



Mel Evans



Hayley Every



Debra Fern



Dennis Findley



Johanna Foley



Dawn-Lorraine Fraser



Matt George



Wendy George



Aimee Goodwin



Jason Green



Marg Hall



Jesse Halpern



Graeme Handreck



Val Handreck



Steve Hann



Nicholas Hansen



Chris Hardy



Sandy Hardy



Innes Harriman



Katherine Harris



Michele Haslam



Jason Hauser



Ben Hayes



Ann Henderson



Stuart Herriman



Jenny Hill



Barbara Hook



Sue Hughes



Sue Jansen



Murdoch Jennings



Damien Johns



Scott Josephs



Bill Kahler



Shona King



Akane Kinjo

Staff Photos



Timothy Lambert



Trina Law



Kirsten Lee



Jacqui Lewis



Lauri Ludvigsen



Karen Lunn



Robyn Lutze



Don Marriot



Eliane Mayer



Heidi Mikkelsen



Cullum Miller



Stephen Miller-Metzner



Verena Miller-Metzner



Sandy Mills



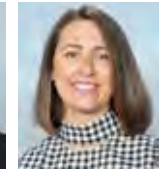
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Carl Nielsen



Sue O'Brien



Trina O'Donnell



Meagan Oakley



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Ivan Oreb



Tana Oreb



Ben Osborne



Alison Osmond



Sandy Page



David Palmer



Rachel Paterson



Annclare Perkins



Sari Petty



Kandice Platt



Martin Polkinghorne



Anne-Maree Pollari



Tracey Pringle



Tony Purcell



Matthew Qualishefski



Jenny Reeve



Penny Roberts



Sonia Roche



Leanne Romeo



Chris Rose



Wade Rossow



Paula Rudd



Katherine Ryan



Kaye Sargeant



Sharon Schluter



Chris Sharp



Lea Sinclair



Ricky Sinclair



Sonia Snowden



Maleta Spark



Michelle Spratt



Paul Stacey



Michael Stock



Debbie Strong



Jill Sutton



Randy Telleman



Meghann Tello



Anna Thompson



Jane Tickner



Bronwyn Tobin



Jim Tomkins



Mellissa Vanslooten



Alison Varley



Karen von Homeyer



Jo Waites



Jannie Walter



Tracey White



Rachael Willis



Angie Willy



Kev Yard

Staff Kodak Moments



JUNIOR YEARS



Junior Years



The Golden Fleece is a collection of achievements and memories across the school and throughout the year. I am sure that as you turn each page you will sense that the year has been successful and great fun.

The smiling, happy faces beam out at you from children enjoying the challenge of learning in an enjoyable way. Junior Years has a very special atmosphere. Each individual is known and cared for and, in turn, the children care for and support each other. We celebrate each other's achievements, and help colleagues and friends through challenging times. The life of a child should be rich, exciting and

challenging. I hope that as you look through this comprehensive book of events and special moments at Good Shepherd, you will detect the joy which makes us all very happy and proud to be here.

For many, this is also a record of friendships that will be affectionately rekindled each time they open the book. At Good Shepherd, we aim to provide high quality educational experiences supported by excellent teachers, and the best teaching and learning strategies. I have no doubt that you will see lots of evidence of this in the pages that follow. I would like to offer my congratulations and sincere thanks to all the teachers and support staff, students and parents for helping to make this another outstanding year in the Junior Years.

Mr Tim Lambert

Head of Junior Years



Junior Years

Positive education and wellbeing remain a focus in the Junior Years. We continue to encourage the children to consider others feelings and use their voice effectively and kindly when interacting with their peers. We have also been teaching students how to 'bounce back' and find courage in everyday life as well as in difficult circumstances. Resilience skills help children to manage worry, find ways to distract and soothe themselves and challenge their thinking. Circle time activities are 'solution focussed' and 'strengths based' in that they don't focus on the problem but on simple fun techniques that they can do to build their strengths, awareness, well-being and resilience. We also practice mindful, relaxing and soothing activities in the classroom that enable students to not only connect with each other but also themselves. Our whole school approach to foster a positive school climate aims to develop in each student the self-awareness and social skills necessary for building positive relationships. We

value the sense of community that we have in our classrooms, as a Junior school and also as a part of our entire P-12 campus. That would not be possible without the wonderful support of our parents, grandparents and friends. I hope this year book provides you with some wonderful memories of our Good Shepherd community.

Mrs Wendy Beaulieu

Junior Years Student Co-ordinator





Prep A

FRONT ROW: Max Adkins, Zoe Ulyate, Madison Mercer, Cleo Maclean, Ivy Allan, Adi Briggs, Claudia Popplewell, Jack Pinkerton
SECOND ROW: Xander Long, Ella Blair, Hamish McNee, Jada Ellis, Bianca Benham, Joshua Howlett, Edie Bell, Hannah Tullett
THIRD ROW: Lucan Sanders, Joshua Shurmer, Georgia Westphal, Harry Farrugia, Jackson Clark, Mahina Tatton, Darby Donovan
ABSENT: Nixon Alyward **TEACHERS:** Mrs K. Platt, Mrs B. Tobin (Aide), Mrs L. Sinclair (Aide)



Prep B

FRONT ROW: Clara Charlesworth, Zenith Davies, Matthew Wray, Ayla Donald, Piper Cracknell, Nina Hughes, Spencer Johnson, Edward Cussel, Mackenzie Taylor
SECOND ROW: Tiane Mulherin, Thomas Lee, Paige MacDonald, Joseph Stewart, Mila Robinson, Aria-Serenity Merchant, Eva Markiewicz, Francesca Prince
THIRD ROW: Brynn Oakley, Boston Cowley-Bulmer, Sophia White, Lincoln Platt, Fraser Withers, Oliver Girt, Paige Balchin
TEACHERS: Mrs A. Henderson, Mrs K. Mitchell (Aide)

What makes me happy?



PREP KOOKABURRAS

- Hamish:** Mummy and Daddy make me happy.
Maddie: Having hugs from Mummy and my friends.
Finlay: Hugs with Mummy and Daddy.
Joshua: Playing with my friends.
Jada: Cuddling my Mumma and Dad.
Nixon: Playing with my little brother.
Jack: Playing soccer with my Dad.
Adi: Going to the RSL for lunch with my friends.
Hannah: When I get my iPad and can watch YouTube.
Claudia: Giving my baby brother hugs.
Mahina: Going on holidays to Hawaii...for free!
Bianca: Going on holidays with my family.
Zoe: Maui, my kitten, sleeping on me at night.
Ivy: Getting a baby cat from Ella.
Xander: When my Mummy and Daddy kiss me.
Eddie: That my Mummy and Daddy love me.
Max: When my puppy dog gives me kisses.
Joshy: My daddy, he looks after me.
Jackson: My sister telling me jokes. What berries do ghosts like?...Boo-berries.
Lucan: When my brother doesn't throw me.
Harry: Mum and Dad, they love me.
Darby: Eating cookies...chocolate chip cookies.
Georgia: Mum and Dad sometimes give me treats.
Cleo: That God loves me.
Ella: Everything makes me happy.

PREP POSSUMS

- Fraser:** White chocolate makes me really happy.
Nikita: Oz Kick.
Lincoln: Playing rugby.
Paige M: My brother playing games with me and getting treats.
Eddie: Chocolate makes me really happy.
Tiane: Everyone tickling me.
Sophia: Getting sugar is the best!
Joseph: My whole family.
Nina: Mummy tickling me and having chocolate M&Ms.
Brynn: Patting my cat.
Mila: Being with my dog and my brother tickling me.
Clara: When my brother tickles me.
Zenith: Going to school every day makes me happy.
Matthew: My Mum tickling me.
Eva: When Nikita does funny things.
Piper: My parents, I love them very much.
Paige B: When my puppy jumps on me.
Tom: Playing Minecraft.
Ayla: When I get my special toy out when I get nightmares.
Spencer: Eating yummy ice cream.
Frankie: Playing with my friends and family.
Boston: Playing the game cat and mouse.
Oliver: Skateboarding down the ramp.



Year 1



Year 1A

FRONT ROW: Eloise White, Charlee Connor, Summer Waye, Elke Downing, Vesper Bateman, Lucinda Smith, Sybella Lloyd, Mila Emblin

SECOND ROW: Lachlan Russom, Taylor Gillard, Benjamin Bergsma, Riley Costin, William Stewart, Kai Kelly, Tom Nuske, Leo Inglis

THIRD ROW: Oscar White, Eva Piercy, Poppy Grant, Isabella Westphal, Charlize Bell, Maggie Conolly, Mihali Diacos

TEACHER: Mrs L. Batterham



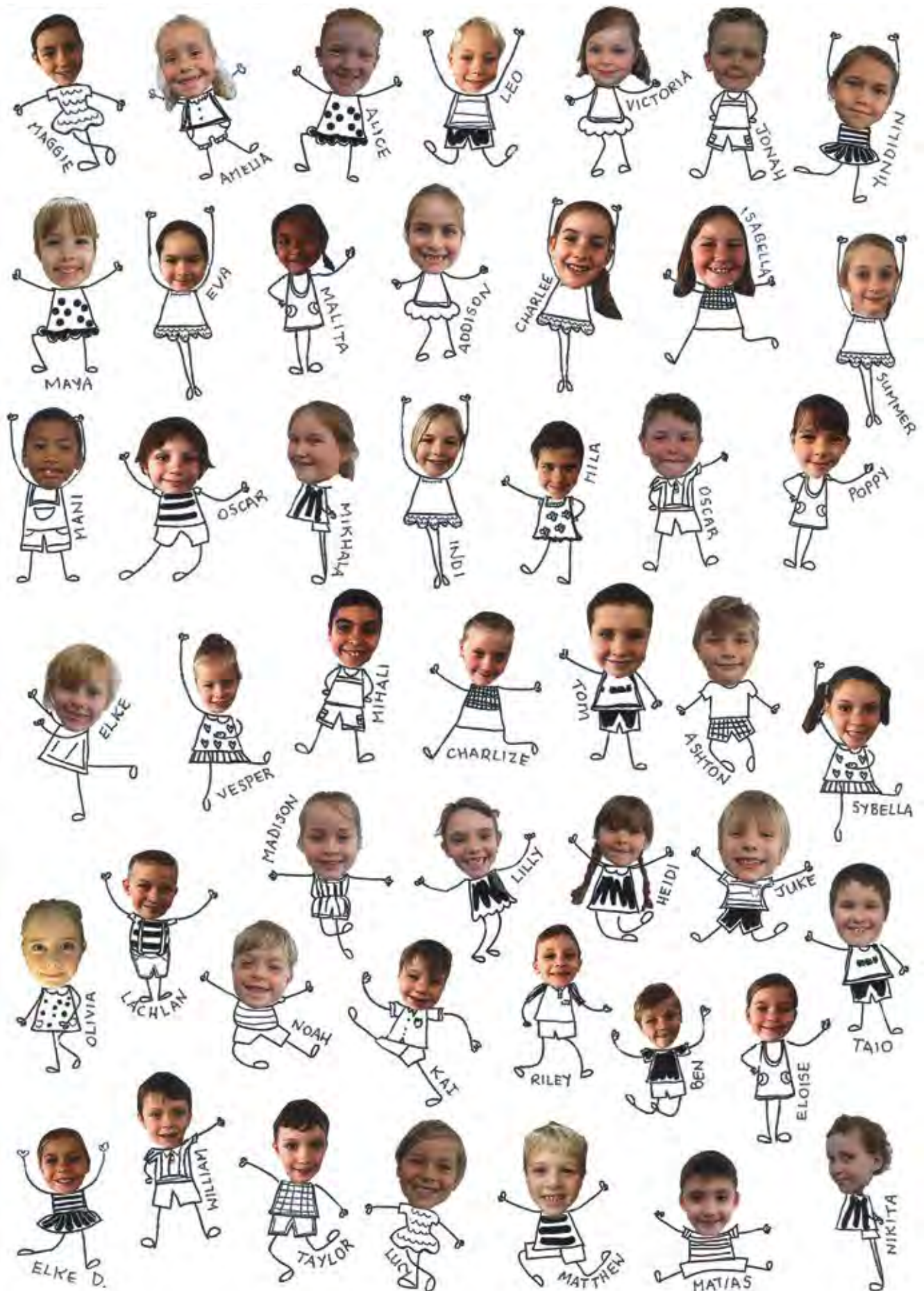
Year 1B

FRONT ROW: Lilly Donlan, Lucy Blair, Elke Clare-Dixon, Nikita Bensley, Madison Stankovic, Maya Gabarrin, Yindilin Pearson, Heidi McDonald

SECOND ROW: Alice Francis, Amelia von Homeyer, Mikhala Brooks, Taio Pricone, Olivia Bernie, Addison Cartwright, Victoria Pinkerton

THIRD ROW: Jonah Rogers, Ashton Charlesworth, Oscar Small, Juke Mulder, Matthew Brook, Austin LaHaye, Matias Tello

ABSENT: Mangkon Cloonan, Noah Shea **TEACHER:** Mrs K. Lee



Year 2



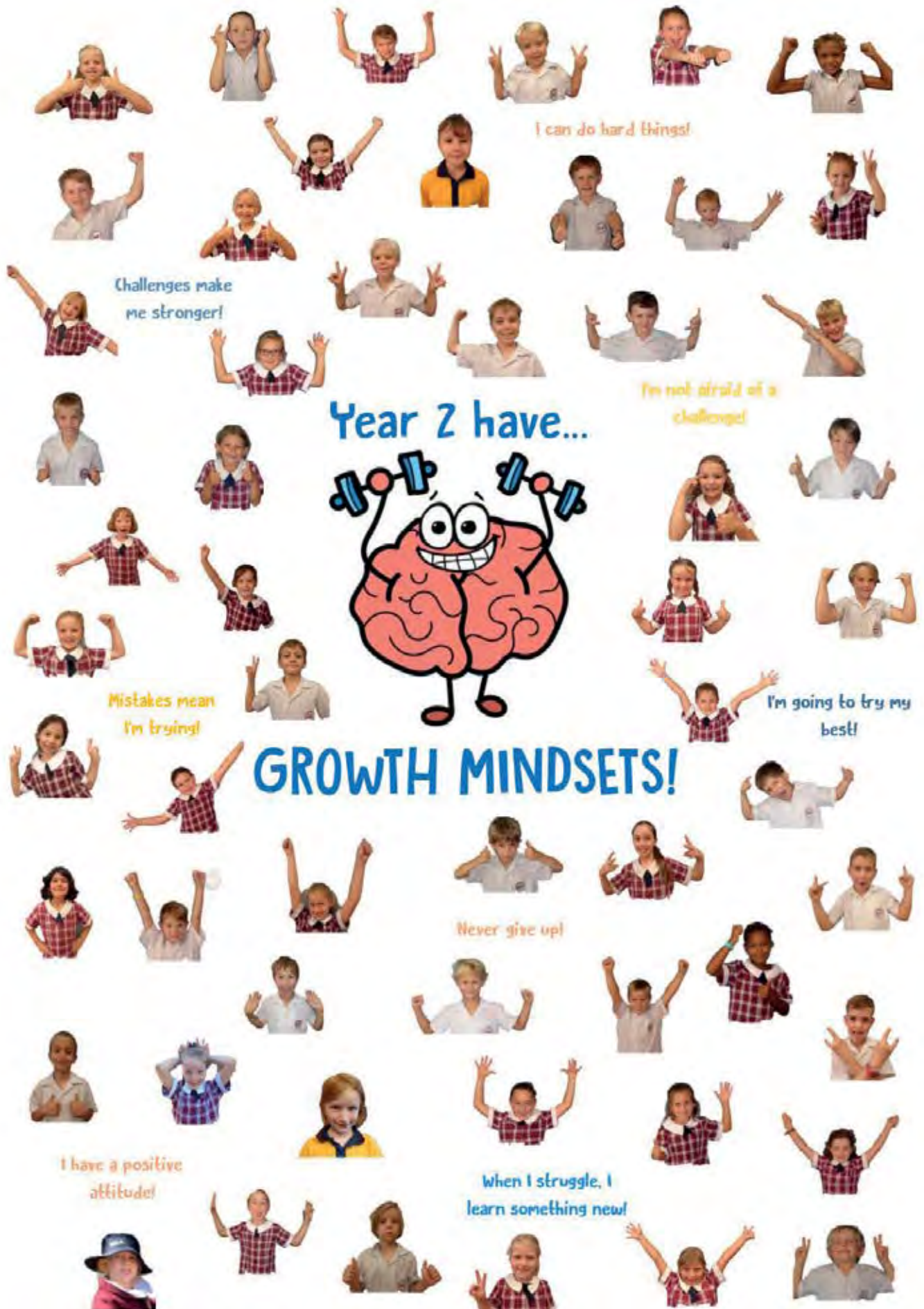
Year 2A

FRONT ROW: Max Taylor, Jack Miller, Ruby Brailsford, Tahlia Cook, Phoebe Atkins, Emmilou Medley, Lexi Mitchell, Harry Fletcher, Mattis Texier
SECOND ROW: Bill Attrill, Poppy O'Rourke, Indi Kolb, Skye Cuthbertson, Zoe Clark, Kiri Todhunter, Alexandria Hamilton, Poppy Wright, Simon van Velzen
THIRD ROW: Lachlan Tindale, Arlo Hillen, Noah Lamarca, Zachary McCudden, Tobias Feuerherdt, Morgan MacDonald, Asher Carey, Jensen Morris
ABSENT: Nadia Baker, Jessie Bostelman
TEACHERS: Ms M. Spark, Ms F. Bezer (absent)



Year 2B

FRONT ROW: Aidan Waldie, Jordan Ulyate, Skye McDermott, Ivy Haddrill, Summer Cowley-Bulmer, Hannah Griffiths, Alice Polke, Alik Christofis, Jaspierre Paton-Williams, Miller Nothling
SECOND ROW: Emily Holmes, Annabelle Mason, Mia Brown, Mia von Homeyer, Ava Harber, Taylor Balchin, Grace Morley, Christine McNee, Pippa Nevett
THIRD ROW: Dash Roberts, Sunny Tomkins, Oscar Lloyd, Luke LaHaye, Nash Bell, Conor Lee, Dane Monie, Henry Brennan
ABSENT: Niamh Bourke
TEACHER: Mrs H. Brown





Year 3A

FRONT ROW: Scarlett Johnson, Cora McDermott, Poppy Hayes, Penny O'Connor, Jett Hartshorn, Benjamin Boden, Cara McGarry, Holly Baughurst, Indi Korybutiak, Polly Boyd **SECOND ROW:** Aiden Perquin, Matthew McMillan, Luke Rinaldi, Archie Howarth, Flynn Westman, Edward Smith, Christian van der Maat, Jaspar Rogers **THIRD ROW:** Kodie Thompson, Declan Bateman, Lucy Broadfoot, Georgia Batty, Yolande Bourne, Daisy Rapacioli, Scout Donovan, Harrison Gander, Dylan Woodcock **ABSENT:** Joshua Bostelman **TEACHERS:** Mrs A. Thompson, Mrs W. Beaulieu



Year 3B

FRONT ROW: Georgie Thomson, Ruby Thompson, Sarantis Diacos, Judah Palmer, Enzo Orstadius, Tristan Purcell, Lucas Edwards, Daisy-Blossom Webster, Amelia Harman **SECOND ROW:** Bethany Bartholomaeus, Charlotte Bateman, Isabella George, Caspian Steel-Hume, Madison Downing, Oliver Sanders, Abigail Charlesworth, Indi Poyzer, Lily Cracknell **THIRD ROW:** Hayden Danswan, William Jobson, Zac Olander, Jackson Holland, Noah Tomkins, Rory Habermann, Zachary Woodcock, Jack Taylor **ABSENT:** Finn Corcoran, Sienna Stankovic **TEACHERS:** Mrs R. Lutze, Ms V. Miller-Metzner



Year 3 Let Us Entertain You—Lion King Inspired Mask Art



Year 4



Year 4A

FRONT ROW: Sydney Suter, Ava Paenga, Charlie O'Rourke, Fraser Clarke, Rory Turner, Mitchell McClenaghan, Finn Banford, Madeleine Stevens, Chloe Holmes **SECOND ROW:** Cooper Rollinson, Georgia Maclean, Ruby Kennedy-Grant, Yindi Turner, Stella Nuske, Charu Croker, Ava Haddrill, Asha Priestley, Grace McDonald, Eli Cussel **THIRD ROW:** Joseph Smith, Charlie Francis, Matthias van Velzen, Mason Howarth, Ryan Griffis, Aden Gregory, Lachlan Broadfoot, Charles Sweeney **ABSENT:** Oisin Bourke, Amber Carroll, Trigg Mulder **TEACHER:** Mrs V. Handreck



Year 4B

FRONT ROW: Sienna Howard, Rosie Wright, Eshua Cuthbert O'Meara, Trieste Paton-Williams, Dylan McDermott, Bon Withyman, Taj Tupper, Charlie Brailsford, Hannah Lewis, Daisy Atkins **SECOND ROW:** Noah Melville, Reef Roberts, Arlo Casey, Marco Tello, Josh Kelly, Dustin Littman, Ashton Porter, Max Plant, Brayth Williams, Oliver Bairstow **THIRD ROW:** Abbie Saggars, Isabella Scotton, Lily-Rose Toms, Zoe Samazan, Lucy Adamson, Matilda Girt, Amelia Nevett, Alice Morley, Elise Mason **ABSENT:** Shannon Desilets **TEACHER:** Ms C. Rose (absent)



Year 4 Memories

Year 4 camp was adventurous
Eating our fresh garden vegies
Afterschool activities and awesome supercool teachers
Readng poems and plays

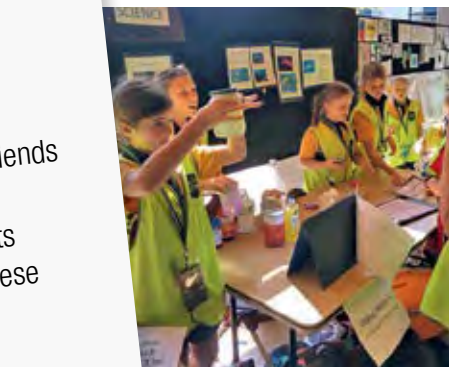


Feeding worms leftover food scraps
Our convict recounts
Understanding and endless thinking
Running cross country and SCISSA sports



Making damper on camp and meeting new friends
Environmental friendly activities
Marvelous music playing with our instruments
Overflowing happiness and origami in Japanese
Recycling rubbish from P-5 classes
Involvd in 'Kids in Action' days
Endless activities to make our brains grow
SCRATCH and computer work

By Year 4 students



Year 5



Year 5A

FRONT ROW: Lilje Berge-Venter, Sienna Kani, Avril Thompson, Zach Falzon, Thomas Mason, Ignatius Gerber, Finn Ellaway, Ernest Gawthorn, Kiera Eckley, Kaitlin Perquin, Lillian Bailey **SECOND ROW:** Eden Reid, Keiran Dow, Ava Danswan, Daisy Dark, Keira Nelson, Laura Fazakerley, Rylie Chapple, Georgia Orr, Heath Emms-Rossow, Tom Southgate **THIRD ROW:** Ella Cassidy, Georgina Brown, Nathan Hindmarsh, Isaac Benjamin, Joshua Plant, Alaska Rosenkranz, Charles Drew, Cloe Berridge, Carolina Vanselow **ABSENT:** Erin McGarry **TEACHER:** Ms L. Buckley



Year 5B

FRONT ROW: Amelia Dunn, Leilana Taylor, Charlie Connolly, Dex Rook, Finn Donovan, Lachlan Taylor, James Allan, Ethan Oberem, Chloe Orstadius, Hayley Dunn **SECOND ROW:** Maya Sperlich, Caila Hollins, Abigail Smith, Alexandra von Homeyer, Isobel Nettleton-Hart, Grace Maioli, Alice O'Connor, Angelique Painter, Georgina Adkins, Caitlin Corbett **THIRD ROW:** Skye Harman, Hayden Grant, Noah Gregor, Oliver Brennan, Thompson Nimac, Lachlan George, Richie Meyer, Codey Boyd, Hannah Boden **ABSENT:** Ritchie Bourne **TEACHER:** Mr J. Bourne

Year 5 Exhibition - One Like No Other



Fun



Interesting



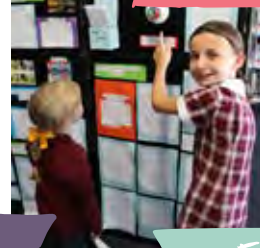
Successful



Busy



Stressful



Exciting



Nerve-racking



Exhausting



Challenging



Hard Work



Time Consuming



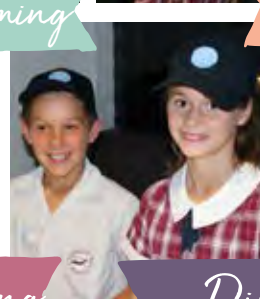
Informative



Outstanding



Mind Blowing



Diverse



Junior Years



MIDDLE YEARS



Middle Years



Mrs Sandy Hardy
Head of Middle Years Studies

Middle Years is a special time in a student's school life. It is during this time that students explore their independence, challenge popular thinking and discover more about themselves and others.

In Middle Years, students begin to experience disciplined subject areas, including Science and Health. They enjoy purpose built facilities, like the Science laboratories and the Information Technology classroom. This is also a time when students begin to specialise in the Arts and Technology subject areas. Students undertake a variety of projects in Arts and Technology, enabling them to express themselves through a variety of mediums. These projects are designed with an inquiry approach to learning, which engages students in creative problem-solving techniques.

Our Middle Years students embraced the opportunity this year to partake in a variety of co-curricular programs offered at Good Shepherd. Through these programs, students were challenged

Mrs Melissa Evans
Head of Middle Years Students

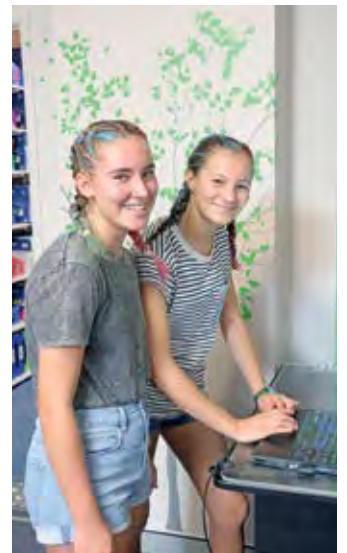


to engage in higher-order thinking. A number of Middle Years students embraced the opportunity to be involved in the College's co-curricular activities, including Tournament of the Minds, academic competitions, Robotics and the College Arts programs.

Our Pastoral Care program had many opportunities for students to engage with others. A key focus was on building relationships and developing key interpersonal skills for their future. Students engaged in activities that developed their understanding of what it meant to live well and flourish. Through a Positive Education model, students connected with each other and themselves. House spirit was an integral part of our Pastoral Care time, with many inter-House activities keeping the healthy competition alive in the everyday life of the College.



Middle Years



Year 6



Benjamin Allan



Remy Andersen



Zanzi Andrews



Coco Asher



Olivia Ashley



Chloe Birstow



Christian Barany



Merrin Bartholomaeus



Oscar Batty



Ella Beaufort



Isla Bell



Mia Bensley



Jack Bourne



James Brook



Luis Brouwer



Macie Bullman



Rosie Burns



Grace Burroughs



Dashiell Cameron



Hamish Chart



Scarlett Clarke



Elke Conolly



Harrison Cumner



Gabrielle Cussel



Liam Cuthbertson



Ryan Diamond



Benjamin Dyer



Thomas Edwards



Harry Falzon



Lachlan Francis



Abigail Gabriel



Gemma Giblett



Benjamin Gibson



Dakota Gilbert



Lucie Goodswen



Coby Govoni



Benjamin Griffis



Thomas Haddrill



Elle Hamilton



Catherine Hardinge



Olivia Harrison-Day



Stella Hawker



Fletcher Hayes



Sophie Hewett



Emma Horn



Caide Hunter



Danielle Igoe-Josephs



Beau Inglis



Joah Jeffries



Ben Jenner



Jason Jordan



Tosh Kachad



Audrey Kennedy-Grant



Jett Kiely



Tobi Korybutiak



Jack Lafferty



Charles Lambert



Allie Littman



Kelsey Loader



Tom Longhurst



Eli Maclean



Zachariah May



Jemma McClenaghan



Max McKerrow



Codi Melville



Ella Mitchell



Evie Modric



China Moore



Elise Morris



Mia Nekuda



May O'Connor



Sean Paradises

Year 6



Verde Paton-Williams



Mijili Pearson



Rhys Pepper



Zak Plant



Scout Plummer



Devan Pringle



Holly Purcell



Jorja Quinn



Jensen Reynolds



Zane Rinaldi



Elijah Robinson



Isla Russell



Cadel Ryan



Leala Samazan



Sofia Sanders



Jamie Scoble



Lachlan Sinclair



Kiandra Smith



Luke Stevens



Shelby Suter



Madelieine Suttie



Abigail Sweeney



Noah Tankey



Olivia Thompson



Samuel Topovsek



Ella Tudor



Indyana Tupper



Anais Turschwell



Baxter Waldie



Jaxon Watts



Leila Waye



Rio Withyman



Noah Woodcock



Isabelle Wruck

Absent: Candice Desilets

Year 6 Sydney/Canberra Trip

At 4am on Sunday 7 October, Year 6 students and staff assembled at Good Shepherd for the annual Year 6 trip to Sydney and Canberra. This year the date coincided with daylight saving in both Sydney and Canberra. As a result, some phones decided that it was 4am in Queensland, when actually it was 3am! This saw a few families and staff arriving an hour early Sunday morning for departure. Better to be early than late!

We were soon on our way. Upon landing in Sydney, the Qantas crew remarked that our students were the best behaved students that they had ever traveled with.

The weather in Sydney wasn't on our side, but the rain ponchos kept us dry as we walked around the Rocks area. After all the walking, it was nice to enjoy a relaxing cruise on Sydney Harbour. From the boat, students could see close up a number of landmark attractions, including the Opera House, Sydney Harbour Bridge and Kirribilli House, just to name a few.

Our day continued with dinner at the airport and another flight; this time our destination was Canberra. Our friendly travel agent Pauline and our bus drivers, Mal, Peter and Ernie, met us at the airport and took us to our accommodation. Due to mechanical issues, those students and staff (and public) on the second flight to Canberra, didn't have their luggage loaded. Therefore, on arrival at Canberra airport, students and staff were given Qantas pyjamas and toiletries. All the luggage arrived the next day, but Sunday night there were a lot of laughs with the Qantas pyjama parade.

While on tour in Canberra, students participated in a variety of educational programs focusing on Australian history, culture, heritage and democracy. Our Year 6 Sydney/Canberra trip was a fantastic educational experience. Please enjoy reading the reflections from some of our students.

Mrs Sandy Hardy
Head of Middle Years Studies

My highlight of the 2018 Canberra trip would 100% be the Australian War Memorial. We all learnt lots about war and how extremely grateful we should be for all the people who have died serving and protecting our country. I especially loved how realistic everything was. For example the light shows and the wax people. This made us all feel as if it were all real. I would definitely recommend going there to anyone keen to know more about past wars. To all the future Year Sixers at Good Shepherd, trust me, you are going to have the time of your life!

Scout Plummer

My favourite part of the Sydney/Canberra trip was the National Museum, because I learnt about Australian history and people. I also enjoyed the Australian Institute of Sport (AIS) because I was able to try out lots of sports in Sportex. We also saw the Australian Women's Volleyball team train, which was fun.

Sophie Hewett

My favorite part of the annual Year 6 Sydney/Canberra trip was the AIS. It was fun getting a tour and seeing just how well the women's volleyball team played. I also really enjoyed Sportex, as I was able to compete against all my friends in a wheel chair race simulator and skiing simulator race.

Devan Pringle

Canberra was AWESOME! I do not even know where to start! The best part by far was definitely the National Gallery of Australia. I just loved seeing all the art and reading how the artists became so famous. My second favourite was Questacon. I loved how there was always something to do. The best level for me was the last one. There was a big slide, air hockey and so much more. If I had the chance to go again, I would.

China Moore



Year 6 Sydney/Canberra Trip

I enjoyed Floriade, the flower festival, because of all the lovely smells of the different types of flowers and because the band was playing all these golden oldies, which made Mrs Hardy sing along! It was quite entertaining! I also enjoyed EVERYTHING at Questacon because everything was different and unique. However, my biggest highlight was when we were in our room, hanging out, because I didn't really hang out with all of them at school, until now. I loved it when we were telling each other our jokes!

Madeleine Suttie

On the Canberra trip, I liked going to the War Memorial because it showed different stories about soldiers who fought in the war. Some inspiring and some sad. I liked going to Questacon because it had many different science gadgets, like the earthquake simulator, the tornado and the angry arms. Finally, yet importantly, was the accommodation, because the beds came with nice fluffy pillows, a warm blanket and a soft mattress. We even had our own private bathrooms. Overall, it was a great camp and I would recommend that you send your children on it because it is a great learning experience and lots of fun.

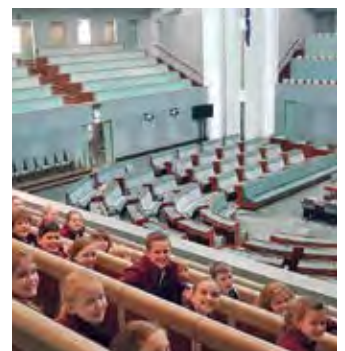
Harrison Cumner

My highlight of the Canberra trip was the CSIRO because I love marine biology. I found it extremely interesting finding more information about it. Going to the CSIRO inspired me to work there as a marine biologist when I am older, because it was so much fun and I loved seeing the marine section.

Jemma McClenaghan

The Canberra trip was one of the highlights for me this year and one of my favourite camps as well. My favourite part of the trip was going to Questacon, because it was fun and there were loads of new things to try out. I enjoyed going to the CSIRO because I liked all the cool inventions. Also, our accommodation was really nice and good quality. Overall, it was an epic trip and I would definitely do it again. I recommend this trip for other school camps. I give this camp a 10 star rating!

Chloe Bairstow





Harvey Adams



Tess Albertson



Poppy Atkins



Amarnie Barber



Samuel Barnes



Amy Beardmore



Erin Beardmore



Laura Beasley



Storm Berge-Venter



Amy Berridge



Molly Boden



Tiana Bourne



Alice Brachold



Ellie Brice



Iluka Brouwer



Angus Butler



Makayla Butt



Sky Carey



Madison Carney



Sam Cassidy



Harry Christianos



Katerina Christofis



Kaydi Connolly



Jesse Connor



Smith Connors



Kayla Cornish



Ava Cullen



Harrison Dawson



Cooper Delaney



Jada Delaney



Jonathan Douglas



Jessica Dunn



Alexandra Ellims



Ethan Ember



Grace Evans



Fletcher Fairbanks



Viktoria Fardon



Kayla Fazakerley



Lachlan Feuerherdt



Zeike Fisher



Noah Gipters



Charlie Glennon



Ruby Good



Lola Grehan



Marley Habermann



Thomas Harmer



Jackson Hawker



Edward Hawkins



Kian Hebin-Botha



Ella Holland



Truly Holmes



Sophie Horner



Sandon Hull



Ruby Hutchinson



Mia Jeffries



Kyah Jobson



Coco Jones



Amie Kerz



Sophie Keys



Auguste Korac



Zach Lamarca



Samuel Lambert



Jack Leary



Mira Love



Kit Low



Daimon Lucht



Bailey Maclean



Cate McCollam



Ella McCudden



Regan McDermott



Max McDonald



William McGarry



Mali McMillan



Florence Miller-Metzner



Sarah Moore



Dane Mulder



Rylan Murray



Paige Newall



Mischa Norgrove Simpson



Tiernan O'Rourke



Jack Paenga



Austen Poyzer



Benjamin Prenzler



Jorja Quinn



Byron Reid



Edward Revell



Emily Rowse



Jack Scotton



Theodore Shenfield



Ashley Sinclair



Dakota Smith



Sebastian Smith



William Spong



Matthew Swart



Liam Switzer



Elizabeth Telleman



Millie Toy



Zoe Turner



Zara Turschwell



Thomas van Bruggen



Zara Vass



Jessica Vaughan



Star Way



Jackson Westphal



Emily White



Emma Willis



Harrison Wright



Amelia Wruck



Ariel Yehoshua



Yi Zhang

Year 7 Googa

We came, we saw, we conquered! Our week was full of adventure, challenges and team building. The taste of 'Googa' has left a sweet flavour in the mouths of our students, in preparation for Year 10!

Outdoor camp, spiders on shoulders, snakes in the grass, lantana cutting, sugar gliding, jail breaking and storming the fort were some of the highlights of the week.

Once again, Googa staff didn't fail to impress. The students were excellent and a fun time was had by all. Participation levels were extreme.

We look forward to 2021, when we will be the FIRST Googa 2 camp attendees. Well done Year 7s.

Mr Matt George

Year 6/7 Coordinator





Henry Adams



Tyler Akerman



Louis Anderson



Liam Asher



James Auckland



Bailey Baker



Ava Banks



William Barany



Summer Baxter



Evangeline Beckton



Cayley Berridge



Kiara Berridge



Jameson Blayney



Paige Bolch



Morgan Boyce



Olivia Boyce



Nikolai Brachold



Olivia Broadfoot



Song Brown



Jed Bullman



Jason Burns



Skye Butcher



Charli Cameron



Justin Cogan



Logan Connors



Cleo Conolly



Riley Coster



Harry Crokam



Hailey Culpán



Morgan Danswan



Digger Dark



Sophie Donald



Liam Douglas



Stella Dye



Isla Echague Browne



Alia Eckley



Harry Ellaway



Amelia Ellis



Kiara Fairfax



Toby Falzon



Ashlyn Fletcher



Hayden Fortington



Annabelle Gabriel



Sophia Gabriel



James Gelling



Grace Giblett



Isaac Giles



George Granland



Tristan Grant



Jaxon Gregor-D'Alberto



Erin Greig



Isabelle Hammond



Anne Hardinge



Jemima Harman



Paige Hebinger



Daisy Hillen



Olivia Hoger



Oliver Holmes



Levi Hooper



Billie Horn



Teddy Huby



Isabel Iriondo



Luke Jenner



Zak Korybutiak



Daniel Kumar



Tahlia Le Noury



Matthew Leonard



Rhian Loader



Zoe Longhurst



Dominic MacDermott-Pott



Jasmin Madill-Mason



Sophie Manley



Jolie May



Beau McWaters



Donnie Meadows



Kasey Millar



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Zac O'Dell



Haheon Oh



Sofie Orstadius



Juliette Painter



Keira Paradies



Ngulunhdhul Pearson



Liam Pepper



Cruz Perrett



Eve Petrides



Alexandra Pringle



Ethan Purser



Jaxon Quinn



Ella Reddaway



Luka Robinson



Oscar Robinson



Amelie Russell



Sophia Ryan



Summer Ryan



Jack Saunders



Amali Scott



Alfie Shacklock



Jarvis Shelton



Lily Southgate



Jake Storton



Finlay Swan



Oliver Taylor

Year 8



Heather Tysoe



Milla Uechtritz



Alana Valotta



Annika van den Brenk



Oliver van der Maat



Finn Vanska



Milah Vass



Liam Walsh



Stella Walsh



Alexandra Watts



Ella Waye



Christian West



Oscar White



Thomas Whyatt



Joseph Wikaira



Amoy Williams



Amiel Wing



Duncan Winn



Mathilda Wood



Amber Woodhams



Josephine Wright



Katelin Wright



Jude Youens

Year 8 Camp

Good Shepherd's Year 8 students enjoyed a three-day and two-night adventure at the Luther Heights Youth Camp, Coolum. Upon arrival, students were greeted by the friendly camp leaders and listened to a talk about how the camp operates, its beautiful surroundings and the amazing program that lay ahead.

The leaders then assisted students to find a bunk in the dorm to sleep and showed them all the facilities, including the most important – the dining room! A healthy lunch of wraps followed, giving students the much needed energy they would need for the busy afternoon of adventure ahead.

The students had a great time as their groups rotated through nine activities over the three days. They participated in fun beach activities, the Rescue-me team challenge, the exciting 10m flying fox, and a

challenging low-ropes challenge course called the Mohawk Walk. The night activities were fun as well! At night we played fun team-building games in the activity hall and enjoyed a fun social bush-dance under the stars in our best country and western clobber... yee-ha!

This camp was made possible by the brilliant leaders at Luther Heights and our generous Good Shepherd teachers, who gave freely of their time and energy to make this camp a fantastic experience for our Year 8 students.

It was certainly an enjoyable and memorable adventure experience.

Mr Jason Green

Year 8 Coordinator



Year 9



Emily Adamson



Alice Alexander



Ashleigh Allan



Finn Allman



Charles Archer



Rhys Bailey



Benjamin Barany



Roxanne Barber



William Batty



Hayley Beardmore



Ashton Bellette



Emma Benjamin



Veslemoy Berge-Venter



Ella Berridge



Banjo Blake



Tristan Bray



Lorelei Broome-Strong



Zoe Butcher



Jessica Butt



Shae Carey



Hannah Chart



Michael Christofis



Charlotte Clark



Rhett Closter



Caleb Cooke



Max Cooper



Isla Corbett



Teisha Cornish



Jonah Couper



Ciara Cullen



Sophie Davenport



Alyssa Davis



Danielle Dawson



Isobel Deimel



Max Diamond



Kendra Drysdale



Maximus Dunn



Dane Dwyer



Katelyn Dyer



Patrick Elliot



Olivia Emery



Lincoln Favelle



Reon Fortington



Jackson Fraser



Douglas Gemmell



Emma Ghent



Connor Gipters



Amber Good



Will Gray



Ryan Greig



Tamara Gurney



Brew Hardinge



Edward Harris



Kaitlyn Hauser



Harry Heppell



Levi Herriman



Tia Hilliard



Isla Hunter



Emma Huxley



Joshua Kacperski



Isabel Kluck



Lulu Korac



Nicola Lafferty



Andrew Lavender



Leonardo Le Moy



Maxwell Leary



Samuel Lieske



Tyler Loveridge



Frankie Low



Alex Lucht



Eliza Luckman



Emma Lumsden



Cody Mackenzie



Ella Marshall



Seamus McDermott



Abbey Meyer



Shailey Miller



Caitlin Moore



Flynn Murray



Brandon Naylor



Liam Newton



Rafferty Noar



Ketta Olapai



Trey Panagiotidis



James Penfold



Buster Plummer



Zachary Price



Liam Pruss



Preston Quinn



Carson Revell



Fletcher Reynolds



Matthew Robinson



Brodie Roche



Shea Roche



Blake Rook



Nicholas Roughley



Keeley Rowse



Maya Rune



Andrew Rzepecki



Bella Smith



Isabella Spong



Liam Strong



Grace Stuart



Amelia Sutton



Jay Switzer



Aliya Tantayakorn



Izabela Topovsek



Lachlan Tupper



Jake Turner



Eline van Bruggen



Carlos Vanselow Neto



Reidun Ward



Hunter Way



Felix Webster



William Whittaker



Mitchell Willis

Year 9 Camp

In Term 2, Year 9 students attended a three-day and two night camping adventure at Camp Glastonbury (near Gympie). Upon arrival, students were greeted by the Total Adventures Camp leaders as well as some unsavoury weather, which arrived just in time for the students to put their tents up. The cohort were then given a run down on how to use the camp facilities, such as the 'Donkey Boiler' to make the water hot for use in the bucket showers. Once all students had been briefed, all gathered under the tarp for shelter and lunch. Unlike previous years, students were split into male and female groups and over the three days, students rotated through four activities. The daytime activities included a survival and raft building activity which challenged students ability to work as a

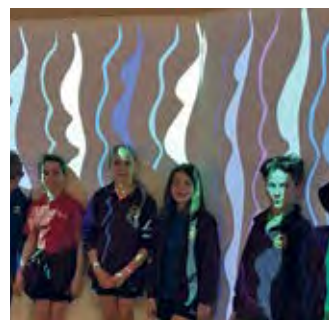
team; mountain biking the local trails and ascending 'Heartbreak Hill'; abseiling the cliffs (which were a half hour walk from the campsite) and a search and rescue activity. During the first afternoon, the boys groups left the main campsite to set up camp elsewhere and have a cookout. Our resident chefs Doug Gemmel, Reon Fortington and Levi Herriman manned the BBQ, cooking steaks and sausages for 60 hungry young men. The girls group took a more traditional approach to camping out, with toasted marshmallows on the open fire. It was certainly a memorable camping experience.

Mr Paul Stacey

Year 9 Coordinator



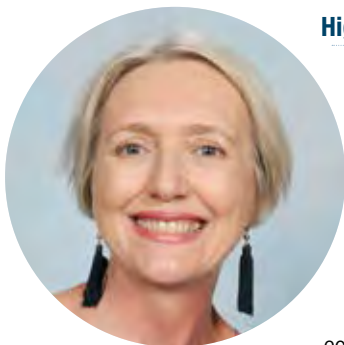
Middle Years



SENIOR YEARS



Senior Years



Highlights

There is so much on offer in the Senior Years at Good Shepherd, with plenty of opportunity for growth and self-leadership skills to develop. We regard all of our Year 12 students as leaders at our College, and this year's cohort is to be congratulated for their efforts to connect with younger years, whether

it be through peer-tutoring after school, leading Chapels, getting involved in the Queensland Inter-year Program (QIP) Program during Pastoral Care or helping to run sport activities or Open Mic sessions during lunch breaks, to name a few.

A number of our College, Spiritual Life and House Captains enjoyed the week-long Enthuse Camp in mid-January, which was then followed up with a one-day condensed form of "Enthuse" for the entire cohort at Luther Heights. The Lutheran Youth Queensland (LYQ) team were back on campus in July to run the second Thrive day, which was geared towards creating good memories for our Year 12s as their school days started to come to their close.

Our Captains have maintained a positive vibe through running our weekly assemblies, whilst various senior leader groups have worked tirelessly to help make the College a better place. One of the more memorable initiatives this year was the Year 12 "Lock-In", which was planned by the College Captains as a way to help consolidate positive connections within the Year 12 cohort. This involved over 50 students spending Friday night camped out in the Library for some good old-fashioned board and card games, a shared pizza dinner and just having the time away from technology to reconnect. The Ping-pong-a-thon, which was jointly organised by the Spiritual Life and College Captains, was another highlight which not only enhanced community spirit, but

drew focus to an important social justice issue: child exploitation. The Queensland Core Skills (QCS) test was another milestone this year, and before we knew, it was time to farewell our Year 12s, with their final week of school consisting of a number of memorable experiences, including the Walk of Honour, their final Chapel and, of course, the Graduation Dinner to celebrate the end of their secondary education.

For Year 11s, without a doubt, the biggest highlight was the Formal, and they looked stunning on their big night, with dancing skills to match. Of course, this year has also seen our Year 11s discover the rigours that go hand-in-hand with senior schooling. This year, there has been a focus on developing their leadership skills during Thrive Days and Curriculum Support lessons as they get closer to taking over the helm of being the student leaders. The Work Experience Program also gave our Year 11 students the opportunity to get a taste of their possible future vocation.

Without any doubt, Googa was the stand-out experience for our Year 10 students, who attended the four week outdoor education camp that has become a rite-of-passage at Good Shepherd. Whether it was conquering their fear of heights, overcoming the challenge of the gruelling three day hike, or simply relishing in the opportunity to get to know themselves and their peers better, Googa certainly delivered a once-in-a-lifetime educational opportunity for our Year 10 students.

We wish our departing senior students every blessing for their future and are sure that with the wealth of experiences available in the senior years, that they will look back on their time at Good Shepherd with many fond memories.

Mrs Karen Lunn

Head of Senior Years Students



Academic Highlights

What a fantastic year 2018 has been for our Senior Years students and their studies. Our students have demonstrated terrific achievements across each subject area, and we are thrilled to see students engage in many quality external learning experiences as well. This year we had students in the Senior Years study over 35 different subjects, which speaks to the wealth of opportunity students have to tailor their learning in individual ways at Good Shepherd. Learning in the Senior Years takes many forms for students in Years 10, 11 and 12 and it has been terrific to see students succeed not only in their academic subjects, but also in VET courses and traineeship positions. This year, we have had students complete courses ranging from Retail, to Fitness, Live Production to Fashion, and every time it is great to see their skills and interests develop through their engagement with their various pathways. I am thrilled to provide a brief overview of some students and their achievements with this summary of the year in senior years studies.

We congratulate the graduating class of 2017 for their achievements in the world after Good Shepherd. Over 90% of the graduating students are now engaged in full-time employment, tertiary study or an apprenticeship or traineeship position. Approximately 63% of the 59 OP eligible students received an OP between 1-10, and 60% of these graduates went on to pursue a Bachelor's degree at a university of their choice. Congratulations to the class of 2017 for their terrific achievements.

Year 12 is always a significant year for senior students as they undertake their summative assessment to reflect their twelve years of formal education. A key culminating event is the QCS test, which took place over two days on 4 and 5 September. This year, we had 72 students sit for the QCS exams. Our Year 12s performed admirably over the two days, and we enjoyed a delicious cake to celebrate this milestone of their senior year passing with flying colours. We have also had many students elect to pursue tertiary studies in 2019, and our QTAC information evening was well attended as students and parents applied to tertiary institutions of their choice in preparation for their post-school plans. Special mention goes to Zachary Roche who achieved an early offer placement for a Bachelor of Primary Education through Australian Catholic University (ACU). Well done, Zach!

Our Year 11s have relished the opportunity to dive into their senior courses. Year 11 is always a significant year of transition as students get used to new modes of assessment and an increasing complexity to each of their subjects. We worked through the Study Skills Handbook in our QCS lessons in Term 1 to find out some strategies that can be helpful in tackling things like procrastination, a lack of motivation, and ways of dealing with distractions. We were then able to apply

these skills to time management techniques and ways of prioritising tasks to help ensure success. It was also terrific to see Year 11 students engage in some external modes of study, and special mention goes to Alex Lownie for pursuing her love of History through studying Ancient History at BSDE, and also to Trent Mendham for achieving a place as a College representative for the UQ Young Scholars program.

Our Year 10s completed their first year of senior school and interacted for the first time with elements of the new senior system being introduced into Queensland in 2019. This involved finding out about the new and redeveloped subjects, the new qualifications with which students will graduate from Queensland schools, and how they can tailor their subject selection to best suit their post-school plans. Students engaged in a career preparation program with Mr Handreck and also completed Senior Education Training (SET) Plan interviews in Term Four to ensure that they have made the most informed decisions possible prior to starting their seniors years. We are excited about the opportunities for students with the new Queensland Certificate of Education (QCE) and it is promising to see how students engaged in the preparation for this important step in their schooling.

This year we have been excited to acknowledge the achievements of students in a range of academic competitions. Of particular mention is the National Geography Competition, and we commend Cole Suter in Year 10 for winning first place in Queensland for this competition, and we also acknowledge Millie Robson and Amelia Cettou in Year 12 for their highly commended results. We were also excited to hear of the achievements of students that took part in advanced tertiary studies through programs such as Headstart through USQ and Start Unit Now (SUN) through CQU. Special mention goes to Jasper Patella for his completion of courses in digital animation through CQU, and Victoria Barnes for her completion of introductory accounting through USC. These students will be able to use the credit that they gained from their school-based studies towards the courses at their respective institutions should they elect to pursue further study.

Well done to all senior students for their efforts in 2018 and we look forward to an exciting and rewarding year of learning in 2019.

Mr Matt Armstrong

Head of Senior Years Studies



Victoria Barnes



Amelia Cettou



Alex Lownie



Trent Mendham



Jasper Patella



Millie Robson



Cole Suter

Year 10



Harry Alexander



Lauren Bain



Harrison Baker



Hugo Banks



Maximilliano Barany



Dougal Barrett



Ariel Batista



Macklin Beasley



Sienna Belgrove-Lay



Eva Bennett



Carla Bourne



Jesse Boyce



Luka Burgess



Cole Campbell



Hayden Carney



Zoe Clare



Samantha Cogan



Emily Connell



Mattia Couper



Tahia Davis



Nicholas Demaio



Nicholas Dewar



Gabriel Doe



James Donald



Jamie Earl



Jacob Eastaughffe



Rani Fairfax



Jake Falzon



Pearl Fitzgerald



Mikayla Fletcher



Lachlan Flett



Jack Ford



Jackson Francis



Max Gagetti



Jordan Gatrell



Grete Gawthorn



Terence Gawthorn



Tilly Giblett



George Gleeson



Noah Grehan



Phoebe Groom



Lachlan Hare



Maggie Harmer



Charlie Hart



Riley Hobbs



Thea Holmes



Isabella Hooper



Jessica Huxley



Javier Iriondo



Unity Jackson-Muir



Ethan Jordan



Harrison Lamarca



Luke Lambert



Jeremy Leonard



Bryn Mailer



Noah McCudden



Finnegan McIntyre



Imogen McMullen



Thomas McNamara



Jay Medhurst



Jacob Meyer



Lonni Miller-Metzner



Patrick Moffat



Stage Moore



Emily Morriss



Georgia Mossop



Lilly Nekuda



Michaela Nightingale



Tia Norris-Tanner



Livia Oesterheld



Eun Oh



Lilly Omelaniuk

Year 10



Harvey Pearce



Chantelle Phillips



Maddison Prenzier



Taylor Ritossa



Thomas Robinson



C Jai Rosencranz



Benjamin Rostron



Hannah Rowan



Finn Sampson



Asha Scholes



Alaina Simpson



Rylie Sinclair



Flynn Sperlich



Liana Strohhecker



Cole Suter



Joshua Svensson



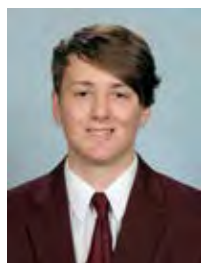
Ashton Symmonds



Ky Thorson



Emma Valotta



Luca Vowles



Maya Walsh



Callum West



Casey West



Baxter Wilson



Harriet Wilson



Zoe Wing



Alexander Winn



Shannon Wright



Brianna Wuiske

During the Term 2 holidays, Googa was a dreaded theme throughout all group one students. When we met at the bus, about to go to Googa, everyone was very emotional and did not know what to expect going to live in the bush for a month. When we arrived, everyone seemed a lot calmer. This was the point when the fear of the unknown turned into excitement. After partaking in Googa, I can express that everyone who gave it their best grew as a person, having faced fears and completed challenges. For me, Googa was an eye opening experience in how rewarding life can be if you give everything your best shot. Googa taught me that you do not have to be afraid of doing new things. Just try it and you might surprise yourself.

Finn Sampson Dragon Dorm G1

Before going to Googa, I was extremely apprehensive as to what the month would hold. Little did I know that I was about to experience the best four weeks of my life. Although there were certainly tough times throughout the four weeks, such as homesickness, there is not one moment I would take back. The challenging activities and encouraging staff are greatly responsible for the immense amount of fun had. I have gained closer relationships with so many people in my grade and Googa truly was an experience I will cherish forever.

Phoebe Groom Firetail Dorm G1

Googa, the big four week camp out in the bush! It is not as scary as it seems, it is really just an "extended holiday". Googa, which stands for Grace, Optimism, Order, Generosity, Authenticity, is one of the most incredible opportunities a student will ever experience! I have seen myself and many others grow mentally throughout an amazing month, to levels where we were overcoming challenges and achieving things we could not even imagine. Over the time at Googa we stayed away from home and family for four whole weeks, we ran almost every morning, we hiked almost 100km, we looked after animals, we picked avocados, and we lived in the same room with three other people, and cooked dinner, lunch and breakfast for ourselves! Although some of these seemed like challenges at the time, they really just helped us build the support for a stronger future.

George Gleeson Muroon Dorm G1

In the week leading up to Googa, I was terrified. There is no other word for it. I was about to go to a strange, new place, in the middle of nowhere, for a month, without any of the regular comforts of home. No family, no technology, no nothing. I prepared myself for an awful month. However, Googa was nothing like I expected. Though it was completely different to anything I had ever experienced before, I loved it, and fit into the routine straight away. Through this once-in-a-lifetime journey, I developed somewhat of a 'family away from home', and learnt how to step outside of my everyday routine and take a break from the busy life at home. Googa was, by far, one of the best months in my life, and will be a cherished memory in years to come.

Zoe Wing Firetail Dorm G1



Group One

Year 10 Googa

It seems like only yesterday I was eagerly counting down the days until Googa, my mind running wild, imagining just what Group 1 were up to. I never really felt apprehension at the thought of leaving my family for a month; if anything, I was pumped. Having an older brother and learning through him not only the things to look forward to, but also seeing for myself on 'Family Day', really hyped up the anticipation. And now? I can honestly say that Googa has exceeded my expectations, becoming the home to many unforgettable memories. We tackled challenge after challenge, from tree climb, to 3-day hike, to the 24-solo, being pushed to what we thought were our limits, both mentally and physically. Families were created in each of the dorms (s/o Firetail), where we bonded through mealtimes and simple moments of laughter and intense card games. We were exposed to new sides of people we never thought we would see; friendships were strengthened and many new ones were formed. I developed a newfound appreciation for all I had previously taken for granted. Of course, it was not without its difficulties, and I quickly learnt to value personal space and flushing toilets. Time flew by, and before I knew it, my time there was up. Googa is a once in a lifetime experience, one I will certainly treasure and never forget.

Sami Cogan Firetail Dorm G2

Before Googa, I initially thought that the experience would be great. There would be lots of hard work, tons of fun and many memories to cherish. However, once I got there, I quickly realised that Googa was much better than I had ever imagined. From day one, the instructors were amazing (even though their jokes were terrible!) and they truly cared about all of us. I thoroughly enjoyed every aspect of Googa, the jobs, the activities and the experiences I shared with my year group. Having finished Googa, I am more responsible, hardworking and organised. I can whole-heartedly and honestly say that Googa has been the best four weeks of my life (sorry mum and dad!) and has given me memories to last a lifetime. If I could relive it all, I would in a heartbeat.

Cole Suter Muroon Dorm G1

Googa seemed like such a daunting thing for my family and myself, I think Mum was more scared than I was. She made sure I had everything I needed and more, it made me worry about how hard it could be. However, upon arrival my views quickly changed, I relaxed very quickly and started to fit into my new home. I had an amazing experience and I am sure many others and I will cherish Googa for many years.

Riley Hobbs Dragon Dorm G2





Skye Akerman



Francesca Auckland



Beau Barnes



Noah Benjamin



Olivia Boardman



Isabella Bouchier



Cydelle Brady



Jakob Bray



William Brown



Jade Campbell



Ryan Closter



Sarah Cole



Bailey Collins



Jaime Cooke



Molly Cooper



Cian Corcoran



Oliver Cubis



Bradley Donlan



Roisin Dow



Riley Drent



Lily Drew



Fiona Echague Browne



Riley Francis



George Giblett



Evie Goodswen



Lauren Hancock



Emma Hansen



Maya Harvey



Sakara Hauser



Jack Herriman



Nicholas Hill



Jett Hilliard



Adelle Houte



Chloe Houte



Zoe Igoo-Josephs



Max Jenner



Christopher Korving



Zachariah Lammens



Alexa Leary



Alexandra Lownie



Pierce Ludvigsen



Luke McDonald



Tamzen McKelvie



Cailean McNab-Simkin



Chelsea Meadows



Trent Mendham



Louise Mikkelsen



Sunny Modric



Timothy Moody



Jimmy Morlak



Benson Mozes-Pettit



Connor Mulville



Emmeline Murray



Mia Noar



Jacques Olopai



Shania Oreb



Callum Penfold



Pascoe Pollard



Harrison Potter



Bailee Reed-Sgro



Grace Risby-Jones



Sarah Risby-Jones



Samuel Schedler



Kate Schluter



Charli Seels



Kirra Shelton



Louis Shenfield



Jordon Siemonek-Hadley



Luke Smalley



Angus Smyth



Jessica Telleman



Bailey Tobin



Kaine Tucker



Wallace Turner



Jez Underwood



Maisie-Jane Waghorn



Max Webster



Tessa West



Sebastian Whitehill



Beau Williams



Liam Wright-Donaldson

Absent: Kallisty Allen

Year 11 Formal

On Saturday night 25 August, the HPE Centre was transformed into a grand ballroom, and our Year 11 students looked magnificent as they stepped onto the red carpet upon their arrival at the long-awaited formal. The night flowed smoothly thanks to the many Year 11 students who shared the MC duties, while Bailey Tobin, Chelsea Meadows and Lily Drew delivered the formal speech on behalf of the Year 11 cohort. This, and the delightful multimedia presentation which was put together by the Year 11 Formal Media Committee, gave us a trip down memory lane. All students put on a fine display of their ballroom dancing skills, and perhaps one of the most awaited moments was when parents got to do the Tango with their son or daughter.

Many thanks to the hard working Formal Committee for their efforts in planning the décor, to Mrs Sally Carey and Mrs Nicola Heppell for their assistance with the decorations. Much appreciation goes to Mrs King for all her hard work with helping to organise the event. Thank you also to the Maintenance Staff, Mr Josephs, Mr Stock, Mrs O'Donnell and the Year 12 students who helped in any way during the evening, as well as to any other staff and students who assisted in making the night the success it was.

Mrs Karen Lunn

Head of Senior Years Students



Year 11 Formal



Our Year 12s were asked the following three questions.

1. What is your most memorable Good Shepherd moment or event? 2. What will you miss most at Good Shepherd? 3. What is No.1 on your bucket list?



Charlotte Adamson



1. Googa and classes with Mrs Harris
2. Drama excursions with Mrs Donovan
3. Live in Paris



Noah Albertson



1. Playing Div. D basketball
2. My friends
3. Find a job that I like



Angus Alexander



1. Rock of Ages musical
2. Lunchtime shenanigans with my friend
3. Win an Oscar for Best Actor



Victor Alexander



1. Googa
2. Modern History with Mr Osborne
3. Travel to Europe



Daniel Alkin



1. Pulling out a flyscreen at Googa.
2. Sleeping in break
3. Building a nuclear reactor at home



Jackson Allan



1. Discovering Otzi <3
2. Sitting on the basketball court with the boys
3. To draw in Central Park during Autumn



Scott Bailey



1. Googa Group 1
2. Technology
3. Travel the world and build a mint 4X4



Larry Bain



1. My Year 9 Humanities voice crack
2. Division D basketball
3. Meeting another person named Larry



Nikolai Barber



1. Lunchtimes on the oval
2. Moosies
3. Get air in the Inxy



Victoria Barnes



1. Getting lost in the middle of a cow paddock on the Googa hike
2. Chem cake and making ethanol fire birthday messages
3. Travel to a Greek Island and watch Mamma Mia under the stars

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Johanna Beasley



1. Formal, Googa and Year 12 lock-in
2. My friends and the black button outside SC
3. Travelling around America next year



Flynn Beckton



1. Japan ski trip
2. The friends I've made
3. To leave school



Mia Bickley



1. Anything Hayley has ever said
2. Mrs Lunn's scones and a classic choccy milk from Tucky
3. To represent Australia in FEI show jumping or dressage



Mathew Bird



1. When I graduate
2. The fun excursions
3. Film a show for Steve Aoki



Andreas Brachold



1. Murphy's Law
2. Yesterday
3. Almost cut my hair



Katelin Bronkhorst



1. Fitting in to a friendship group so easily
2. Seeing my friends every day
3. To make an album



Adam Brooks



1. The Year 12 lock-in
2. Some teachers and definitely friends
3. Travel to Scotland and hike through the West Highlands



Kane Brown



1. Making 2 litres of OJ at Googa
2. The fried rice from Tuckshop
3. Become Goal Keeper for South Korea



Jemma Cawood



1. Discovering Otzi <3
2. Satin Gals
3. Learn how to cook



Amelia Cetton



1. Googa
2. Tuckshop nachos
3. Going Zorbing in Barcelona, Spain

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Ayush Chamoli

1. When Mr Purcell called me Ashush
2. Break time basketball with the Betas
3. To be 6 foot



Haydn Clark

1. Googa
2. Loving community and awesome teachers
3. Direct a feature length film



Chaise Collins

1. Discovering Otzi <3
2. Satin Gals
3. Meet the Kardashians



Imogen Cooney

1. Fitness with Mr Hayes
2. Satin gals
3. Become the youngest self-made billionaire – step aside Kylie



Ben Cuthbert O'Meara

1. Being at Googa
2. My friends and the basketball squad
3. Travel to France



Dino Degotardi

1. Googa
2. Break times
3. Skiing in Europe



James Dewar

1. Googa
2. The people
3. Travel



Eleni Diacos

1. Googa and the Japan ski trip
2. Funny moments with my friends and teachers
3. To live authentically



Lilly-Belle Ellaway

1. Googa
2. Reuben
3. Travel



Amelia Ellims

1. Being able to spend formal with friends and family
2. Mr Osborne's History classes and Mrs Jansen's Home Ec lessons that were always entertaining
3. Working abroad as an event manager



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Virna Oktapiani Favaro



1. Formal
2. My music class
3. Travel the world



Hayley Favelle



1. German exchange
2. Krazy Lemon and orchestra family
3. Go on *The Bachelor*



Zachary Fletcher



1. 1st Physics exam
2. Physics with Mr Telleman
3. Going to Finland



Sienna Gelavis



1. Playing ponies in Prep with Olivia Hansen
2. Mrs Lunn's scones
3. Getting paid to dance overseas



Reuben Gemmell



1. Green Zoopers
2. Zoopers
3. Travel overseas



Jack Gray



1. Googa
2. Seeing my friends every day
3. To get my masters boat license



Indya Green



1. Kicking hacky sacks with Pastor Simon at break
2. Inside jokes with Mr Purcell and Mr Osborne
3. Moving to Canada



Christian Gurney



1. Formal
2. Mrs Drew
3. Meet Danny Duncan



Samuel Harris



1. Graphics conspiracies
2. Toasted fresh focaccias
3. To run south on Lake Shore Drive



Macey Hartshorn



1. Mooting and debating
2. Seeing my little brother around school
3. Becoming Australia's Judge Judy

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Jadyn Hebin-Botha



1. Discover Richard Dawkins and Christopher Hitchens
2. The open-minded teachers – Mrs Lunn, Mr Hansen and many more
3. To captain my soul. To master my fate



Olivia Henson



1. Japanese with Mr Hansen
2. Satin Gals
3. Do a retreat in a Buddhist monastery



Ebony Holstein



1. English with Rosie
2. Krazy Lemon sorbets
3. Watch the bucket list



Sasha Horan



1. Googa
2. All the opportunities
3. Explore the outside world



Jay Jenkins



1. 1st exam for physics
2. Chemistry with Mr Polkinghorne
3. Uni



Lilli Jennings



1. Work experience and Googa
2. Mrs Lunn's cones
3. Have a pet snake



Connor Johanson



1. Googa solo with the boys
2. Just being around the "Betas" and break time basketball
3. To travel the world



Mitchell Lavender



1. Three-day hike at Googa
2. Div. D Basketball
3. Travelling around the world



Patrick Le Moy



1. The Dream World trip
2. Having to back away from every bubbler before using it
3. Getting my manual licence



Kobi Lua



1. Getting a half mark better than Larry in English and going to Logan CBSQ
2. Mr Purcell
3. Make my whole family proud

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1. What is your most memorable Good Shepherd moment or event? 2. What will you miss most at Good Shepherd? 3. What is No.1 on your bucket list?



Hayden Lumsden

1. Three-day hike
2. Sport group
3. Travel



Katie McFadden

1. Doing Kokoda and going on the German exchange
2. PC with Ms Donovan
3. See the Northern Lights



Beniah Medhurst

1. Googa
2. The people
3. Travel the world



Mia Morriss

1. Graduation
2. ITS class banter with Mr Sinclair
3. Own a hairless cat



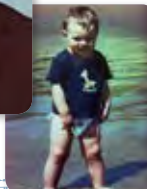
Nicholas Newton

1. Peter Vardy
2. Fitness with Mr Hayes
3. Jembei with Pastor Simon



Tylor Odgers

1. Googa/Formal
2. Mr Bindley and English Communication classes
3. Enjoy every moment of life!



Shane Onis

1. Annual GSLC Book Week
2. Exams/assignments
3. Climb Mt Coolum



Lucy Orr

1. Formal
2. Mrs Lunn's scones
3. Travel Europe



Rosie Orr

1. Discovering Otzi <3
2. 7.45 German lessons
3. Become a billionaire



Jasper Patella

1. Physics Dreamworld Trip
2. The break times with friends
3. Travel the world



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Tahlia Prenzler



1. Googa
2. Chemistry cake and Mrs Lunn's scones
3. Win a gold medal at both the Summer and Winter Olympics for swimming and curling respectively



Katrina Rickeard



1. Googa
2. Satin gals
3. Travel the world



Kyle Ritossa



1. Googa
2. Div. D basketball
3. Live in England



Millie Robson



1. Discovering Otzi <3
2. Tuckshop milks
3. Take every opportunity to travel



Marat Roche



1. Japanese with Mr Hansen
2. Zoopers
3. Dunno



Zachary Roche



1. Green Zoopers
2. Pastor Simon
3. Meet Jesus



Liam Roche



1. Three-day hike at Googa
2. Playing basketball at break with the "Betas"
3. To be able to dunk



Eliza Rowan



1. Hayley accidentally setting the bin alight in Chemistry
2. Telleman Tales
3. Join PAIN at UQ



Gemma Sampson



1. The Chemistry bin fire
2. The scones, the TOM fam, conversations with Mr Hansen and the people
3. Conquer the world



Noah Smith



1. Shepherd's Fair
2. English Communication classes
3. Go to the moon

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Ally Sparks



1. Googa, it changed my perspective on a lot of things, positively
2. "Cool Moon" practice and the Chapel Band with Pastor Simon
3. To release an album by 19 years of age and collab with Ariana Grande



Lachlan Stock



1. Open Mic jams
2. Teachers
3. Study



Abbey Svensson



1. Formal
2. Boating in Marine
3. Going to Iceland



Harrison Taylor



1. English class
2. Open layups
3. See Updog live



Joshua Thomas



1. Work experience
2. Physics with Mr Telleman
3. Join the Defence Force



Joel Tobin



1. Year 11 Formal and winning the Primary School Travel Smart Calendar Artwork competition 3 times
2. The people, the place and Friday lunch break Smokey's from the Tuckshop
3. Travel to Canada to see a Moose in the wild



Mikayla van den Brenk



1. Going to States for TOM as a facilitator
2. Crying with laughter with friends at break
3. Pat as many dogs in the world as possible



Abbey Whittaker



1. Cave kayaking in New Zealand
2. My friends
3. Fund my travel through travelling



Dylan Williams



1. The 2017/2018 Germany trip
2. Scones with Mrs Lunn in English
3. Travel the world and experience different cultures



Bailey Wilson



1. Lunchtime with the boys
2. Sue from the Tuckshop hooking the boys up with green Zoopies
3. Drive from Noosa to New Zealand



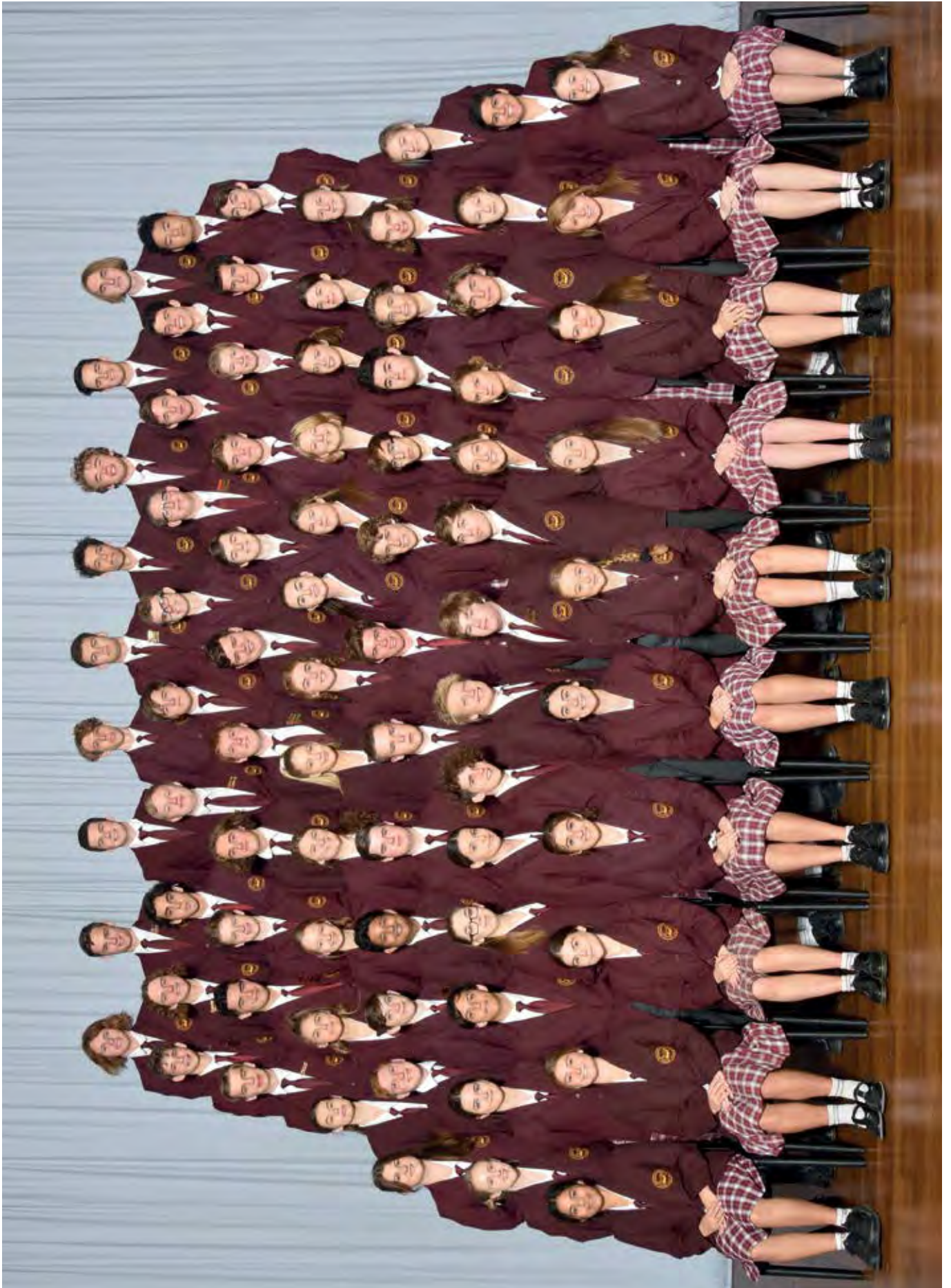
Caleb Wright-Donaldson



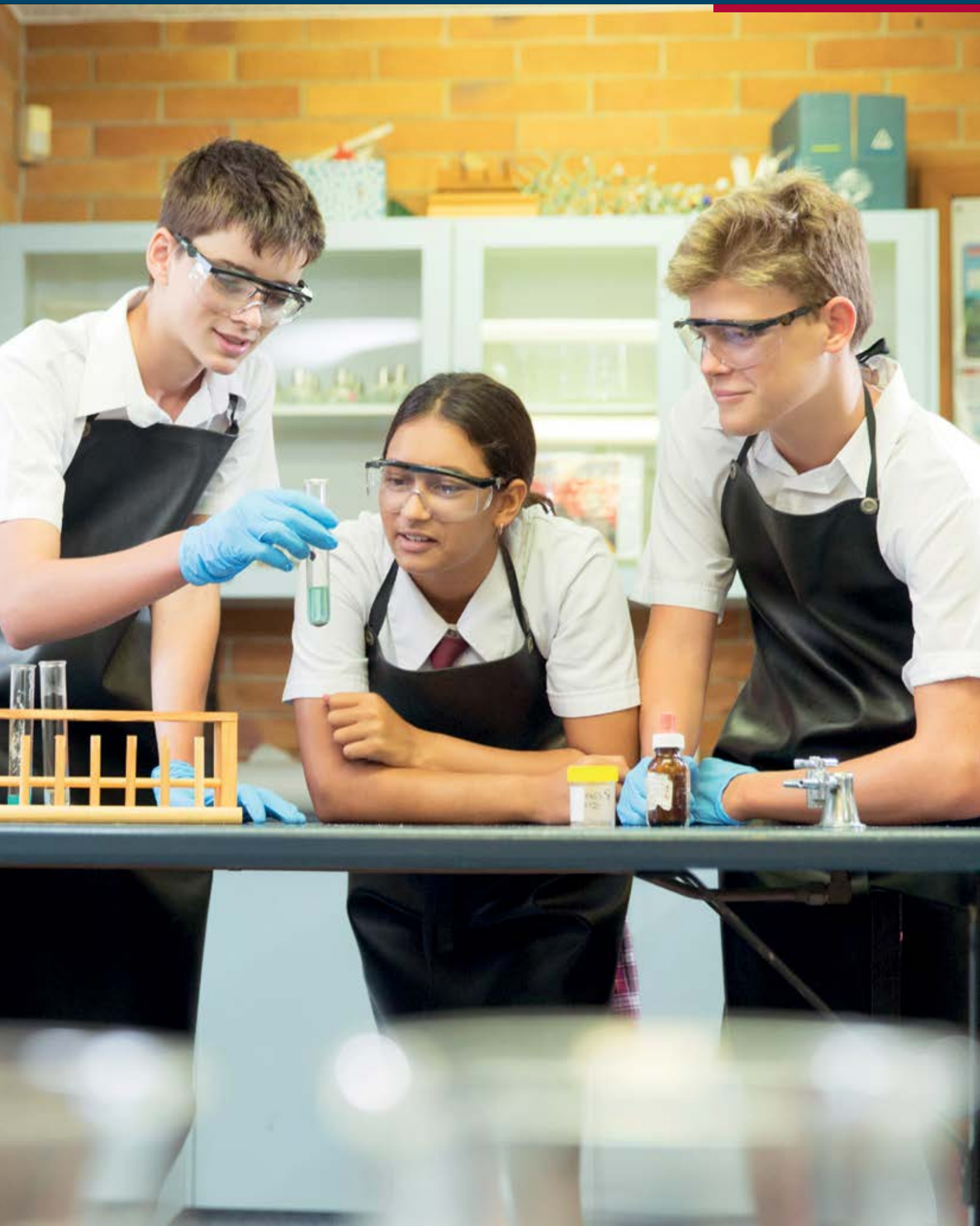
1. Getting a better mark than Larry in Chemistry
2. Mitchell Time
3. Buy mum her dream house

Year 12 Graduation





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Award Recipients

Best All Rounder



Nicholas Newton

Citizenship Award



Victoria Barnes and Jack Allan

Christian Life Award



Johanna Beasley

Year 6-9 Music Award



Eline van Bruggen

Year 10-12 Music Award



Kobi Lua

Trainee of the Year



Mitchell Lavender

Sportsman of the Year 6-9



Douglas Gemmell

Sportswoman of the Year 6-9



Bella Smith

Sportsman of the Year 10-12



Nicholas Newton

Sportswoman of the Year 10-12



Maggie Harmer

Year 6 Dux



Luke Stevens and Olivia Ashley

Year 7 Dux



Ashley Sinclair and Amie Kerz

Year 8 Dux



Milla Uechtritz

Year 9 Dux



Katelyn Dyer

Year 10 Dux



Cole Suter

Year 11 Dux



Chelsea Meadows

Year 12 Dux



Victoria Barnes

Christian Studies started 2018 with an eager and exemplary contingent of Year 8 students and Year 12 Captains attending the Sunshine Coast Independent Schools Ecumenical Service. Our Year 6s attended the Australian Lutheran World Service Awareness (ALWS) event where they learnt about the plight of refugees, and the Year 7s visited our Preps for a reading session about "What grace is" – it was very sweet to watch! Our Year 8s learnt about the life and times of Jesus and Moses – two incredible men – while the Year 9s made their annual visit to Carramar for fellowship and share the spirit of Christmas with the elderly residents. The new 'Spirituality' unit continues to enlighten our Year 10s which really helps them to explore their faith and place in this world. Finally, our senior students have benefitted from presentations and workshops from Jim Schirmer on service, Scott Darlow on reconciliation, Tim Jarick with the labyrinth and Dr Peter Vardy on ethics and philosophy.

Mr Mark Bindley

Head of Christian Studies



The English Department was as busy as ever in 2018, with the staff certainly kept on its toes all year long. Our staff included a couple of new faces this year, in Mr Russell Oakley (Year 6) and Mrs Wendy Cooper (Years 7-10), whose contributions to the subject have all been hugely valued. They were joined by continuing staff Mrs Karen Lunn, Ms Hannah Doyle, Mrs Nicole Drew, Ms Penny Roberts, Mr Matt Qualischefski, Mr Murdoch Jennings, Mrs Wendy George, Mrs Johanna Foley, Mr Ben Hayes, Mrs Sue O'Brien, Ms Meagan Oakley, Mr Innes Harriman, Mr Bo Blanch, Mrs Janna Walter and Ms Sandy Page in rounding out the department. All of these hard-working teachers are to be congratulated for their tireless efforts in giving their students the best possible chance of success in English. The Learning Enrichment teachers and aides are also to be thanked and commended for all of their hard work and support under the watchful eye of Mrs Nicole Drew.

Our older students were thrilled to witness a number of performances by the travelling Shake & Stir theatre troupe throughout the year. Our Year 10 and Year 12 students were treated to condensed versions of the Shakespearean plays they studied in Semester One, namely "Romeo and Juliet" and "Macbeth" respectively. Meanwhile, our Year 9s, who spent Term One studying various issues surrounding the impact of social media on the lives of teenagers, and our Year 11s, who spent the same term looking at the way the media and popular culture texts construct adolescent issues, were each treated to different, age-appropriate versions of the show "Unfiltered".

The annual Voices on the Coast excursion also took place at the start of Term Three, with eager groups of students from across the College being escorted to the University of the Sunshine Coast to meet and listen to presentations from various authors, poets and illustrators. Many thanks in particular go to Ms Madison Dearnaley for her hours of work in organising another very successful day that was thoroughly enjoyed by the dozens of students who went along. The ongoing popularity of school-based events like Book Week (especially with the culminating dress-up day!), and attendance of student Book Clubs, particularly within the middle years, shows that a love of literature remains alive and well at Good Shepherd.

Finally, it goes without saying that our students deserve congratulating for the impressive English work they produced in 2018, especially our graduating Year 12 class, whom have our very best wishes for the bright futures that lie ahead of them. Whether these futures involve taking "the road less travelled", or more conventional paths, we can only hope that they, like Robert Frost, may one day sigh, knowing that their choices have made "all the difference" in their lives.

Mr Tony Purcell

Curriculum Leader, Year 6-12 English



German Exchange

German Exchange Student Visit

Waiting at Good Shepherd with baited breath as the bus slowed to a stop in front of us, the Year 11 German students were certainly eager to meet their respective German Exchange students from our sister school in Frankfurt, the Schillerschule. The idea of hosting a person from another country for a whole month was beyond exciting. Finally the doors opened and, one by one, the students stepped off the bus and were swept up in a flurry of hugs and excited questions. From the word go, we all befriended our exchange students and found out more about their culture, as they discovered more about ours.

During their stay the group took part in many activities including trips to Australia Zoo, Fraser Island, Brisbane city, and Noosa Main Beach. The trip to Fraser Island is always a favourite, with a swim in one of Fraser's beautiful lakes and a delicious Australian barbecue lunch.

Although the constant rainy weather had students questioning why it was called the Sunshine Coast, it did not put a dampner on the mood and the group enjoyed every minute of their exchange. However, all good things must come to an end, and after four weeks we bade our new friends farewell. The Year 11 German students have gained friends for life and are thoroughly looking forward to their return exchange in Germany.

Many thanks to Frau Mayer, Mr Qualischefski, Mr Stock and Ms Morrison for making this trip possible.

Shania Oreb

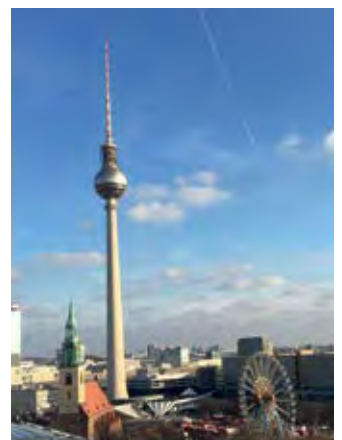
Year 11 Student

Good Shepherd German Exchange

The 2017 German exchange to Frankfurt was an exceptional experience that myself and a mix of other Year 11 and 12 student undertook. The trip was an opportunity to become immersed in another culture and develop skills in speaking a foreign language. Throughout the course of the seven week exchange our group was also lucky enough to attend classes at Good Shepherd's sister school, the Schillerschule, as well as travel to Prague, Berlin and Munich. This allowed us to see famous sights such as the grand classical archway, known as the Brandenburg Gate, and many paintings on the Berlin Wall. Some of my favourite memories are walking the Christmas markets in Frankfurt with a Brezel (pretzel) and taking in the smell of roasting nuts and fairy floss. I would encourage anyone who wishes to develop their German speaking skills, or explore new cities and cultures, to sign up for the exchange as it is a trip that will stay lodged in my mind for years to come.

Katie McFadden

Year 12 Student



Humanities



Good Shepherd Humanities students have had another successful year! This year, the Humanities faculty taught Modern and Ancient History, Geography, Business Studies, Civics and Citizenship and Legal Studies. Students from every year level were given the opportunity to gain a deeper understanding of the world in which we live through varying learning experiences. These include: the Year 6 Sydney and Canberra Trip; the Year 7 Roman Feast; the presentation on Medieval Life and the Black Death for Year 8s; the business ventures of our Year 10s; the Year 11/12 Legal Studies excursion to Brisbane; and the Senior Ancient History classes who explored the secrets of Ancient Egypt at the Queensland Museum. Thank you to the dedicated staff from the faculty for their time and expertise and to Humanities students who bring energy and enthusiasm into their lessons.

Mr Ben Osborne

Acting Senior Curriculum Leader

Mr Innes Harriman

Middle Years Curriculum Leader



Information Communication Technology

Junior Years

This year has continued to see digital technologies flourish in the Junior Years. Every Prep to Year 5 class has enjoyed weekly, focus lessons ranging from exploring robotics, digital design and programming through to understanding digital systems and unpacking data. All ages embrace time to work collaboratively in order to solve problems and explore their ever-evolving world.

Mrs Nicola Cumner

Junior Years ICT Curriculum

Middle and Senior Years

The curriculum for Years 6-12 continues to be widely studied, focusing on programming and digital design, as well as the creative use of software. Students have been exposed to new technologies such as Robotics, 3D Printing, Electronics, Microcontrollers, 3D Modelling/Animation, Game Design, Computer Programming, Virtual Reality, App Design, VFX and Laser Cutting/Engraving. The students at Good Shepherd continue to show a keen interest in utilising technology in a wide variety of ways as demonstrated in the images or their final products.

Information Technology is the future and this is strongly demonstrated by the endeavours of our students throughout our College's STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics) programs.

Mr Ricky Sinclair

Head of IT and Innovation



Japanese Exchange

It has been a successful year for Japanese in the Languages Department as we prepare for our exchange visits in 2019. The annual visit from Tokyo's Aoyama Gakuin in August, allowed 16 primary students and one very lively teacher, Mr Mitsuru Yumura, to experience the hospitality and explore the sights of Noosa. Good Shepherd students enjoyed the opportunity to engage in cultural activities with the students such as origami, calligraphy, putting on a yukata and learning how to do a Japanese festival dance. Communication with our sister school "Hoodatsu Shimizu Junior High School" continues to grow with students exchanging letters with pen friends. This has allowed students to build friendships and practise their language skills in preparation for next year's exchange program.

Students have continued to demonstrate their language skills and receive recognition for their efforts. Special mention must be made of Caitlin Corbett in Year 5 who won a gold medal in the Modern Language Teachers' Association of Queensland (MLTAQ) Speech Contest at the University of the Sunshine Coast. At the contest, Caitlin was congratulated by the judges for her excellent ability. Well Done Caitlin! In the Language Perfect World Championship, our students have continued to proudly represent the College with many students achieving Emerald, Gold, Silver and Bronze. Congratulations to Kiandra Smith who achieved an Elite Award. Kiandra is the first Good Shepherd student to achieve an Elite Award, Well Done!

Mr Nick Hansen
Japanese Curriculum Leader



This year, Maths @ GSLC has involved students across all year levels engaging in the coursework and enjoying the personal academic challenges of studying a broad range of curriculum based concepts. The team of dedicated teachers within the Maths Department continue to guide and support our College's students on their Mathematics journeys. In addition to these classroom based challenges, many students from Good Shepherd enjoyed the opportunity to represent the College at various Maths based competitions. Good Shepherd students competed in the Queensland Association of Maths Teachers (QAMT) Year 7/8 Maths Competition; as well as the Sunshine Coast Maths Competition-involving teams from each year level from Years 6-12. The students relished in the opportunity to take part in these events, and represented their College proudly, with teams achieving honours across all divisions and categories.

The 2018 TOM competition also proved a very busy and rewarding campaign. Two very competitive teams entered the Secondary STEM division, taking first and second at the Regional level, with the team placing first going onto win State Championships. Representing Queensland at the TOM International Titles held in Darwin, their hard work and dedication to TOM over many years, yielded them the title of 2018 TOM International Finals STEM Champions.

The supportive networks within our College community between students, parents, and teachers enables students to continue to develop their potential in Mathematics, involving a broad range of experiences within, and beyond, the classroom. We look forward to the opportunities of 2019!

Mr Stephen Miller-Metzner
Mathematics Curriculum Leader



Science

Science is the key to understanding the world around us and generating informed decision makers for the future. The Science curriculum at Good Shepherd incorporates real-life inquiry based units that enhance and support student learning styles.

This year began with two of our talented Year 12 students, Hayden Lumsden and Hayley Favelle, attending the prestigious 12-day residential National Youth Science Forum in Canberra. The National Youth Science Forum (NYSF) program is designed to give students a broader understanding of the diverse study and career options available in science, technology, engineering and mathematics (STEM) and to encourage them to continue their studies in these fields. The focus was on developing well-rounded individuals who have the skills and confidence to determine their futures. They visited science and technology related labs and facilities, took part in workshops, participated in group activities that improved communication and presentation skills, attended sessions on entrepreneurship and more! The CREST (Creativity in Science and Technology) Projects in Year 8 are further examples of where students engage with real life scenarios. Examples this year included: Skye Butcher – How price impacts upon the amount of bacteria that soap removes; Annabelle Gabriel and Ella Waye – Controlling the height of the geyser produced when mentos is added to various coke products; Zara Nimac – Which Thermos flask is the most efficient – and why; and Eve Petrides – the effect of temperature on the rate of diffusion.

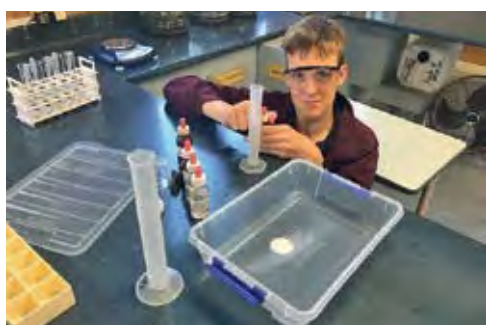
During Term 3, Year 10 students were introduced to Extended Student Experiments. Investigations relating to science scenarios such as the design and production of a chemical clock and solar cookers for the Third World were conducted. Particular commendations should go to George Gleeson, Finn Sampson, Flynn Sperlich, Jordan Gartrell, Zoe Wing and Emily Connell.

Finally, the ICAS (International Competition and Assessment for Schools), is sat by millions of students across 20 countries. The questions are designed by UNSW Global. The 2018 report shows that Good Shepherd students are thriving with students realising High Distinctions (top 1%) Distinctions (next 10%), Credits and Merits across the board from Year 3 to Year 10. Special mention should go to Jack Miller (Year 2), Aiden Perquin and Lily Cracknell (Year 3) and Max Diamond (Year 9) who all achieved High Distinctions.

Next year promises to be another engaging year with the introduction of the RAMS (Real Applications in Maths and Science) elective in Year 9. In this course, students will utilise a problem-based or inquiry approach in order to complete a range of projects relating to real life situations. Students will be required to work collaboratively and produce projects to showcase their work. Watch this space.

Mr Martin Polkinghorne

Head of Science Department



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Careers and Traineeships



Mr Graeme Handreck
Career Guidance Counsellor and
VET Coordinator

Roadcraft Defensive Driver Course

Along with 24 other Year 11 and 12 students I was lucky enough to have the opportunity to participate in a driver awareness course. We went to Gympie's Roadcraft Driving Centre for two days to learn skills to be a safer driver. During the course we participated in both classroom and in car training. Each day we trialled our new knowledge on the tracks and applied it to real life situations. It was a beneficial experience and I would highly recommend the course to anyone looking for some useful skills. I would like to thank the organisation, and specifically Peter, Tony, Warren and Tom for teaching us. I would also like to thank Mr Handreck for giving up his time to drive us back and forth, and giving us this wonderful opportunity. We will remember the skills and tips for many years to come and our passengers and others on the road will be thankful for our participation.

Tessa West
Year 11



Year 10 USC Day

During the month of May, 42 Year 10 students were privileged enough to be selected to attend the 2018 University of the Sunshine Coast (USC) day. These students were able to select from a wide variety of educational courses offered at the university, ranging from psychology and biomedical science, to early childhood preparation and urban development. We listened to professors and participated in interactive and educational workshops relevant to our selected courses. Many of these courses were hands on learning experiences, which relied heavily on teamwork and ingenuity. When the day ended we all left with a newfound sense of achievement and appreciation for what the University of the Sunshine Coast has to offer. We would like to thank Mr Handreck and the university staff for this enlightening opportunity and we would sincerely recommend this to future students.

Casey West and Alaina Simpson
Year 10



Careers and Traineeships



Year 12 Tertiary Showcase 2018



Year 10 School Based Apprenticeships -
Ariel Batista, Carpenter



Year 10 School Based Apprenticeships -
Jake Meyer, Carpenter



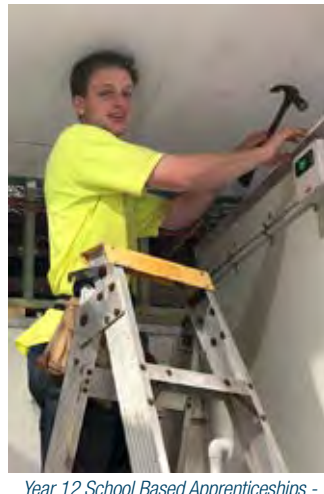
Year 11 School Based Apprenticeships -
Jamie Cooke - Gymnastics Coach



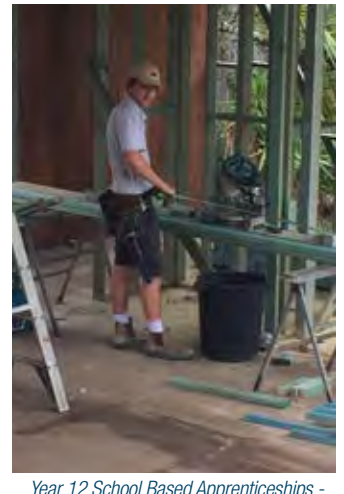
Year 12 School Based Apprenticeships -
Nik Barber, Carpenter



Year 12 Tertiary Showcase 2018



Year 12 School Based Apprenticeships -
Mitchell Lavender, Carpenter



Year 12 School Based Apprenticeships -
Noah Smith, Carpenter



Year 12 Tertiary Showcase 2018



Year 12 Shane Onis attains his Private Pilot's Licence
from the Recreational Flying Company.



Year 12 School Based Apprenticeships - Tylor Odgers, Chef

Debating

This year, students from Good Shepherd participated in the Queensland Debating Union competition for the Sunshine Coast region. We entered two year 7/8 teams, two year 9/10 teams and one senior team. The format of the competition saw students engage in prepared and impromptu topic debates in which they each took separate roles to argue a consistent case line with relevant examples and rebuttals. Good Shepherd was also the host school for the 9/10 competition, and we enjoyed providing the venue for the four debate nights over the first semester. This is a robust and challenging competition, and each of our teams did a fantastic job in representing the College with pride. Special mention goes to the two Year 9/10 teams who won three out of their four debates and made it through to the finals, which were held in Brisbane. We would also like to acknowledge the efforts of our fantastic coaches, Mr Hansen, Mr Polkinghorne and Ms Paterson, for their time and efforts in preparing the teams for their debates. Good Shepherd will participate in the USC Debating competition in 2019 and we encourage everyone to get involved and join a team!

Mr Matt Armstrong

Debating Coordinator



Years 7 and 8 Debating Team 2: Ruby Hutchinson, Daisy Hillen, Sophie Manley, Skye Butcher



Year 10 Debating Team: Harrison Lamarca, Emily Connell, Livia Oesterheld, Luka Burgess **Facilitator:** Rachel Paterson



Years 7 and 8 Debating Team 1: Jemima Harman, Amie Kerz, Millie Toy, Summer Baxter



Years 9 and 10 Debating Team: Katelyn Dyer, Cole Suter, Ben Rostron, Jeremy Leonard, Casey West **Facilitator:** Rachel Paterson



Year 12 Debating Team: Jackson Allan, Macey Hartshorn, Riley Drent **Facilitator:** Mr Martin Polkinghorne

Prep-Year 5 Learning Enrichment

What do you like best about your job? Here's what we like best about our jobs in Learning Enrichment!

"I really enjoy being part of a very supportive and FUN team. Watching our students' progress gives me great job satisfaction as well as making my role interesting and challenging" - **Lauri Ludvigsen**

"Watching the students making progress and developing their love of learning. Fostering caring relationships with students. Coming to work each day with a wonderful, caring team of staff and students." - **Jacqui Lewis**

"I love supporting the students and watching them grow and gain confidence in whatever they do." - **Jenny Hill**

"I love watching them grow and learning new skills that they have been finding difficult, when all their hard work pays off." - **Tracey Pringle**

"Watching the students' pride and enjoyment when they achieve their reading goals and understand difficult tasks." - **Sonia Roche**

"The most rewarding aspect of this role is being the 'Coach and Cheerleader of Tries and Improvement' to see a student win personal achievements. I love that students teach and challenge me to think of different ways to learn and have fun in the process. It's a win win!" - **Leigh Abrahams**

"I love seeing the look on a student's face when the penny suddenly drops, and they realise they can do something they have been struggling with. You can see the boost it gives their self-esteem." - **Rachael Willis**

"I love seeing students grow in confidence and self-esteem as they make connections, build skills, and achieve pleasing progress with their learning. I value very much, working in collaborative and productive partnerships with teachers, students and their parents as well as working with my wonderful and talented Learning Enrichment colleagues." - **Jenny Reeve**

Mrs Jenny Reeve

Prep-Year 5 Learning Enrichment Coordinator



Year 6-12 Learning Enrichment

The Year 6-12 Learning Enrichment team, consisting of Mrs Sharon Schluter, Mrs Alison Osmond, Mrs Sue Hughes, Mrs Tracey Durham, Mrs Jill Sutton and Ms Debra Fern, has banded together again this year to support the various learning needs of students in our Good Shepherd community.

We know that all students have their own unique strengths and challenges and students with learning difficulties are no different. Whilst we take every opportunity to celebrate and draw on our strengths, our individual challenges need not impact our chances of success. Take for example, Keira Knightley, Daniel Radcliffe, Michael Phelps and Jamie Oliver, who all have a specific learning challenge that affects the way they learn. Yet, they have excelled in their respective areas. It is often suggested that, for these inspirational



people, their learning difficulties have been instrumental in shaping their perspectives and helping them find the willpower to achieve their goals. They were able to focus on their strengths and, with perseverance and commitment, achieve success.

The Year 6-12 Learning Enrichment department provides a dynamic learning environment where we recognise individual strengths and work on elements that challenge students by encouraging them to be active, alert, focussed and enthusiastic learners. We are continually inspired by our students and their achievements and love working with them.

We thank each and every student who has worked with the Learning Enrichment team this year for their individual effort, perseverance and commitment. We look forward to working with them, and other students, in 2019.

Mrs Nicole Drew

Year 6-12 Learning Enrichment Coordinator



Robotics

Robotics - Junior, Middle and Senior

Robotics continues to ignite a passion for technology and engineering as a number of students engaged in a variety of competitions this year. The College's Sunshine Coast Robotics Competition saw teams from Years 5 to 9 compete in Sumo and Rescue challenges with two teams moving on to the Queensland Robocup Competition held at the University of Queensland. The College also hosted the annual FIRST Lego League Regional Competition as well the FIRST Lego League Junior Showcase. For the first time, our Year 3 students also joined the Robotics Club, completing an integrated robotics unit on Moon Base Technology and participating in the regional expo to share their newfound ideas.

Congratulations to all robotics students across Years 3 to 10 for their engagement and dedication to deep learning and problem solving. Thank you to parents and staff for their support over the many events this year.

Mrs Nicola Cumner

Junior and Middle Years Robotics Coach



This year saw the introduction of GS Tech Girls, with three adventurous teams taking on the challenge of a 6-month long journey to design and create their own digital solution. Working alongside coaches and mentors the girls laughed, researched, debated, questioned, and designed their way to a solution in the form of an app. Monday afternoons and Friday mornings became a regular gathering filled with snacks, video conferences, debates and programming.

All teams reached a number of goals along the way. Special congratulations to the Galaxy Girls for their achievement of the Tech Girls Australian United Nations Sustainable Development Goal Award. Amelia, Jemima and Isabelle received recognition for their R³ app, which assists schools to educate students on the hot topic of recycling.

Mrs Nicola Cumner

Tech Girls Coach

Tech Storm: Olivia Thompson, Allie Littman, Scarlett Clarke, Merrin Bartholomaeus

Tech Attack: Ella Tudor, Zanzi Andrews, Jorja Quinn

Galaxy Girls: Amelia Ellis, Jemima Harman, Isabelle Hammond

Coaches: Mrs Nicola Cumner, Ms Trina Law, Ms Jo Waites



Tournament of Minds

CREATIVITY, INITIATIVE and LEADERSHIP - inspires young minds!

Amongst the broad range of exciting extra-curricular opportunities, Tournament of Minds, or TOM, provides our students with a uniquely challenging, and rewarding experience. To succeed in the six week timeframe leading up to the Regional Finals, the mixed teams comprising students from Years 7 through to Year 10, really need to develop on so many levels. Formulating a competitive, creative solution to a complex problem is just one part of it. Collaborating as a team, managing the mix of personalities, dedicating many, many hours within the school day, evenings and weekends – all of this requires persistence and maturity that you just have to admire. The management of their time and commitment is predominantly in their own hands. The students' satisfaction undoubtedly comes from realising that "nothing will work if we don't". When they flourish in this environment, it lures them back year-after-year. It's not unusual for a Good Shepherd TOM student to begin their TOM journey as a Year 4 student in the Primary Competition, learning the ropes over many years, to be still competing, 5 or 6 years later, at the highest level at the Secondary Competition. It's just so inspiring to see dedicated teenagers going above and beyond – teams comprising of boys and girls from four different year levels; combining forces creatively.

This year was another great Regional Tournament Competition, hosted by University of the Sunshine Coast (USC), for our eight Secondary and Primary teams. Competing across all four Secondary Divisions, Good Shepherd teams took out three First Place awards, and also Runners Up in two divisions. While in the Primary Competition, Good Shepherd won the STEM division.

Following the Regional Tournament success, our six teams headed down to Bond University on the Gold Coast for the State Finals, representing the Sunshine Coast. Taking their team work and enthusiasm to the next level, they were in lock down for three hours

in a tutorial room, responding to an unseen problem. They emerged to perform and entertain in a lecture theatre – revealing scripts, songs, rhyming verse, dances, engineered devices and props, which just a few hours earlier, didn't exist – creative in a very real way. Up against some equally dedicated and TOM focussed schools, the competition at State Championships is always formidable – which makes for heightened anticipation at the results ceremony. After an exhilarating 10 hour day, three hundred students, supported by parents and teachers, awaited for the announcements with great suspense. For them to hear their team be announced as a medal winner is priceless – jumping out of their seats, as a united team, to receive their medals. Students from three of our Secondary Teams enjoyed that moment, achieving Honours in the Language Literature, and Social Science Division, while in the STEM division, Good Shepherd claimed first place, and earned an invitation to the International Finals, as part of the Queensland Team contingent - their campaign continued to Charles Darwin University. The students can be very proud of this exceptional achievement. Good Shepherd teams have consistently represented Queensland in TOM for over two decades. Competing at the highest level is always an honour, and a great learning experience – against the other champion teams from the Australian States and Territories, and the National Champions from New Zealand, Hong Kong and Thailand. But winning at the International Level, that was something else! Good Shepherd last achieved this accolade almost a decade ago. These students, after many years of engaging with the TOM program within our P-12 College, aspired to repeat that 2010 feat. Their broad skill set, positive approach to collaboration, and highly developed creative thinking enabled them to be awarded the TOM International Secondary STEM Champions.

All 50 Good Shepherd students involved this year, came away from their competition experience in high spirits, with a great sense of pride and achievement from their involvement in the unique arena – already talking about how they'll tackle the challenges next year!



Tournament of Minds

A healthy imagination is key – and TOM fosters, and celebrates, students' ability to come up with the unexpected. As children, imagination is endless, and TOM is the perfect vehicle for teenage students to hold onto their natural ability to think outside the square.

Managing the nine teams is also a team effort, comprising of the following teachers who volunteered their time and effort: Mrs Sharon Schluter, Mrs Sandy Page, Ms Carla Lee, Ms Rachel Paterson, Mrs Janna Walter and Mrs Verena Miller-Metzner. The overnight excursion to attend the State Championship was further assisted by Mrs Tana

Oreb, Mr Ivan Oreb, Mr Jason Green and students Mikayla van den Brenk, Alex Lownie, Bailey Tobin and Shania Oerb. While our Deputy Principal, Mr Michael Stock, committed countless hours behind the scenes, as Sunshine Coast Regional TOM Director.

Clearly TOM @ GSLC is another example of the community supporting an invaluable opportunity, enriching the school experience enjoyed by our students!

Mr Stephen Miller-Metzner
TOM Coordinator

Secondary STEM 2 Lincoln Favelle, Rhys Bailey, Olivia Hoger, Isabelle Hammond, Jemima Harman, Eddie Revell Regional Finals - Honours Competed at State Finals	Secondary STEM - STOM Cole Suter, Benjamin Rostron, Lonni Miller-Metzner, Max Diamond, Millie Ellis, Ashley Sinclair, Florence Miller-Metzner Regional Finals - First State Finals - First International Finals - First
Secondary Language Literature 1 Keeley Rowse, Katelyn Dyer, Daisy Hillen, Skye Butcher, Zara Nimac, Mira Love, Ariel Yehoshua Regional Finals - First State Finals - Honours	Secondary Language Literature 2 Abbey Meyer, Olivia Emery, Logan Connors, Sofie Orstadius, Grace Giblett, Millie Toy, Ella Holland Competed strongly at Regional Finals
Secondary Social Science 1 Nicola Lafferty, Shea Rocke, Caitlin Moore, Summer Baxter, Isla Echague-Brown, Regional Finals - Honours State Finals - Honours	Secondary Social Science 2 Liam Newton, Tilly Wood, Liam Walsh, Ella Reddaway, Regan McDermott, Katerina Christofis Competed strongly at Regional Finals
Secondary - The Arts Ashleigh Allan, Annika van den Brenk, Evie Beckton, Sophia Ryan, Jolie May, Ruby Hutchinson, Laura Beasley Regional Finals - First Competed at State Finals	Primary STEM - Stem Troopers Shelby Suter, Mijili Pearson, Kelsey Loader, Allie Littman, James Allan, Sydney Suter Regional Finals - First Competed at State Finals

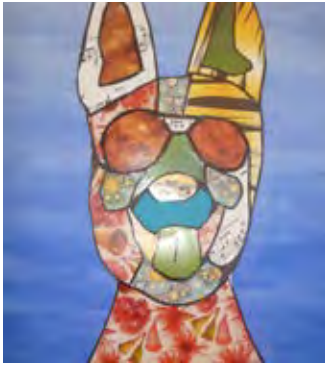


Academic Enrichment



ARTS AND TECHNOLOGY





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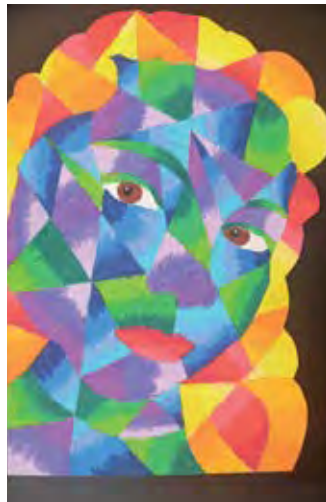
Year 6 Environmental Recycle Hats



Year 7 Ceramics



Year 8 Oil Pastel



Year 8 Drawing



Art Attack



Year 7 Art Line Drawing



Year 6 Recycled Art Piece



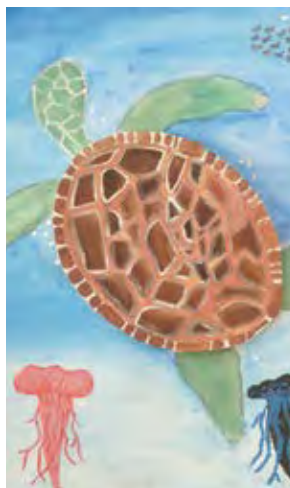
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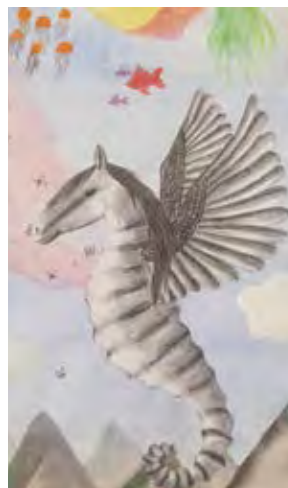
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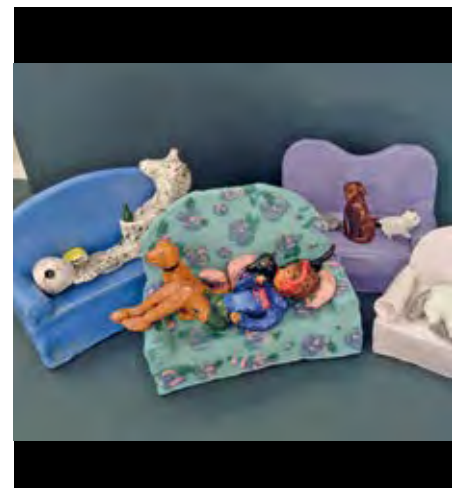
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Year 9 Painting



Year 10 Drawing



Year 9 Ceramics



Year 8 Ceramics



Year 8 Painting



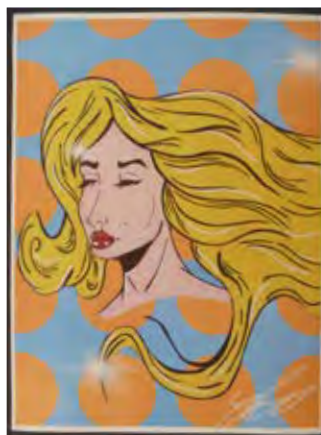
Year 9 Gouache Painting



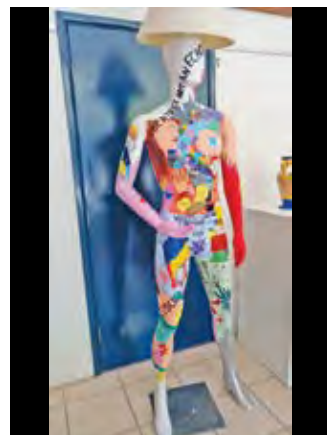
Year 11 Painting



Year 11 Ceramics



Year 12 Art



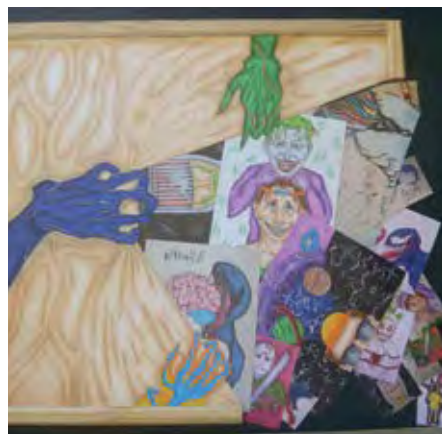
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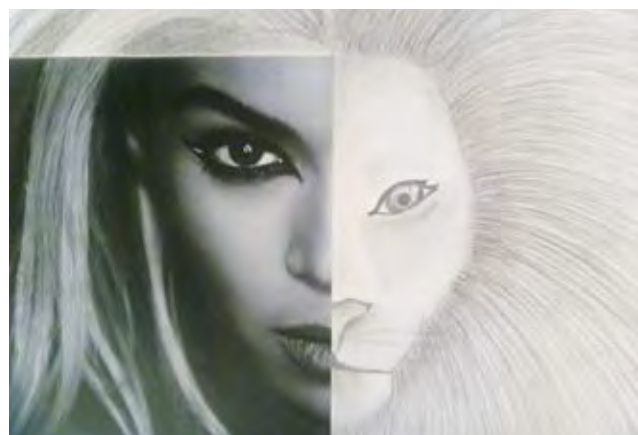
Year 10 Ancient Greek Pots



Year 11 Art



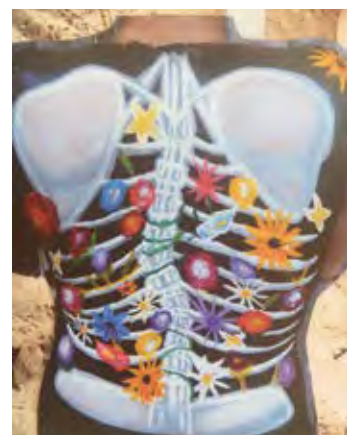
Year 12 Art



Year 8 Drawing Collage



Year 12 Art



Year 12 Art

Design Technology and Graphics

This year our students in Design and Manufacturing, Graphics, Industrial Technology Skills and Technology Studies have produced a variety of work.

Our Design and Manufacturing students designed and produced vacuum formed number plates, ball bearing mazes, pencil boxes, mechanisms, tea light candleholders, photo and mirror frames and CO² dragsters.

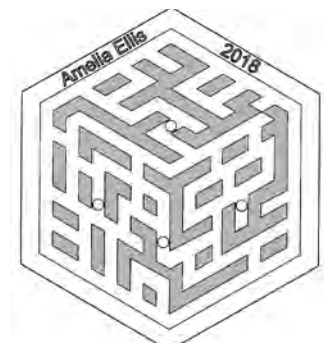
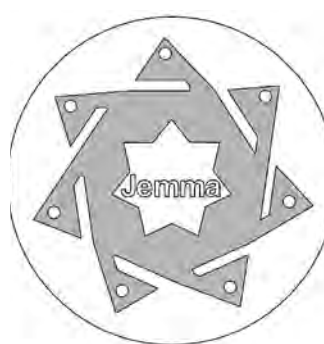
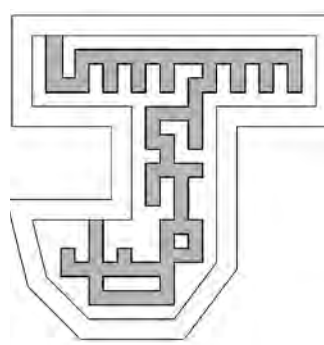
Our Graphics students have designed logos, Lego models, company vehicle signage, restaurants and residential houses.

Our Industrial Technology Skills students in Year 11 and 12 have made mosaic coffee tables, sawhorses, sand anchors, hollow timber body boards, EPS foam core surfboard and shaping stands for these boards.

Our Technology Studies students have designed and produced a variety of projects depending on how they interpreted the design problem, including the new favourite playground item in Prep – the Good Shepherd ute.

The following photos are just a snippet of the projects created.

*Mr Waites, Mr Davies, Mr Hann,
Mr Blanch and Mr Green*





Year 7 Drama dialogues



Year 12 post-modern performance



Zac, Sienna and Jemma



'Desiree Din and The Red Forest'



Artist in Residence, Jo Wallace



Year 9 Drama antics



Year 11 Drama



Theatre sports with Year 6s at lunch



Drama students entertaining the crowds at Shepherd's Fair



One Act Plays



Year 12 Drama performs



Fun times in the classroom



Absurd Theatre

Film, TV and New Media

It has been another exciting year in the FTVNM department. Not only have we seen some more fantastic films produced this year, but we have also renovated and refurbished our classrooms to reflect a creative and inspiring filmmaking hub. We have a massive chroma green wall for students to experiment with video editing, and some wonderful breakout rooms for students to use as they design, edit and record sound.

2018 Workshops

Activate Entertainment hosted two workshops with our seniors this year. Their Special Effects Make Up workshop provided Year 12 students with the opportunity to use a combination of makeup and costumes to conduct a variety of special effect applications to create authentic, convincing characters for a themed narrative.

Our Year 11 students enjoyed a workshop that focused on transmedia storytelling, learning how a narrative can be told across multiple media platforms, such as blogs, novels, films and video games, to create a whole, cohesive story. Their workshop was related to their unit study about journalism ethics.

In addition to these exciting opportunities, Academy Award winning Cinematographer, Greg Huglin, shared his 45 years of career knowledge and documentary filmmaking expertise with our Year 11 and 12 FTVNM students during an after-school hours workshop. He delivered an insightful lecture into how his documentaries and profiles were produced, shot, edited and distributed.

Senior Media Group

In addition to their fabulous work in class, many of our FTVNM students were part of the Senior Leader Media Group, chaired by Haydn Clark and Flynn Beckton. This year, the group worked hard producing weekly assembly powerpoints, character strength videos, and facilitated the Race Around Shepherd's Fair and the Photography Competitions, both of which were popular with students!

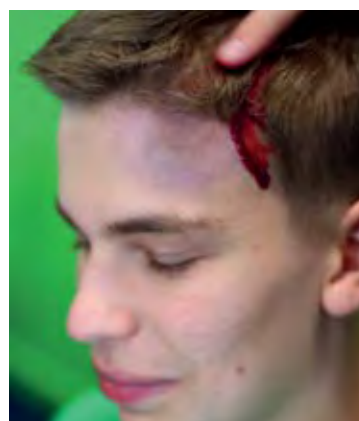
2019 and Beyond

We are very excited to announce that next year we will introduce Media Arts to our Middle Years program, along with Senior Media Arts in Practice, both of which will encourage students to engage with media and create a wide range of productions. We are currently busy designing and implementing these programs and can't wait to see what our students produce in 2019 and beyond.

We wish our graduating Year 12 filmmakers all the best, and hope that they continue their filmmaking into the future!

Mrs Johanna Foley

Film, Television, New Media Curriculum Leader



Food and Textiles Technology

This year has been another memorable year for the Food and Textiles Technology Department. The aromas emanating from the kitchen continue to tantalise the taste buds of staff and students in nearby classrooms, while textiles products are taken home and used with pride.

We welcomed a new teacher to our department this year. Mr Paul Stacey has been teaching Year 7 Food and Textiles. He has inspired his classes as much as they have inspired him. Mr Stacey is sewing again!

One of the highlights of 2018 was the introduction of Boomerang Bags to Year 8 Textiles Technology classes. Students are proud to see people using bags they have sewn. Over 300 bags are now in circulation. Boomerang Bags will continue to be produced in 2019.

Every day is a joy when you get to work with happy and enthusiastic students.

Mrs Sue Jansen

Food and Textiles Technology and Hospitality Curriculum Leader



Classroom Music

This year has seen the classroom Music program continue extending students' musical abilities. The Year 12 Music class has done an exceptional job of leading the way for success in this subject, performing in front of teachers and peers as well as working extremely hard on compositions and analysis tasks. For the first time in Music Extension we had Kobi Lua study the Musicology specialisation, examining music issues from traditional Indian music's influence on jazz to hip hop in Australian youth culture. The Year 7 and 8 classes continue to learn the foundations of the subject through music theory, musicianship as well as keyboard and guitar skills. We have been blown away by the talent in the Year 9 class, who have demonstrated outstanding abilities in all areas of music, with a particular penchant for stage musicals. This was most evident in their entertaining musical performances - Ashton Bellette's smashing rendition of "Grease Lightening" accompanied by Josh Kacperski, Michael Christofis and Danielle Dawson; as well as "I Speak Six Languages" sung by Eline van Bruggen and accompanied by Ella Berridge, Katelyn Dyer, Bela Topovsek and Emma Lumsden. The Year 10 class has also packed a

punch! With a fairly small class of eight students, they came together to form an entire class band, to arrange and perform "Redbone" in a very successful lunchtime concert. Never to be outdone, the Year 11 class has started the Senior Music journey with aplomb. They enjoyed the opportunities the first half of the year offered, with some excellent, contemporary song arranging from Louis Shenfield, Lauren Hancock, Adelle Houte, Franky Auckland and Grace Risby-Jones and superior performances from Jacques Olopai, Jez Underwood and Bailey Tobin. The second half of the year provided some more challenging learning opportunities as they studied music through the Baroque and Classical periods. Throughout the year, the classroom learning was extended to include three excursions – a memorable evening at QPAC to see *Aladdin The Musical* and two education concerts with the Queensland Symphony Orchestra. In the Music classroom, students of all abilities and skills have continued with their opportunities to perform as well as develop their composing and analysis skills.

Ms Aimee Goodwin
Head of Music



Virna Favaro - Year12 performance



Jessica Butt and Katelyn Dyer - Year 9 composing



Ben Cuthbert O'Meara - Year12 composing



Year 8 musicianship



Year 7A Boomwhacker fun



Year 7A Boomwhacker and bucket drumming



Louis Shenfield, Sunny Modric, Lauren Hancock and Jacques Olopai - Year 11 Performance



Juliette Painter and Alexandra Watts - Year 8 guitar skills



Year 10 class lunchtime concert



Bela Topovsek - Year 9 composing

Instrumental Lessons and Ensembles

This year saw the Instrumental Music Program at Good Shepherd grow and mature. The GSLC Orchestra, under the baton of the distinguished Mr Antoni Bonetti, now counts over 40 members and has been wowing audiences at all their performances. Mr OJ Newcomb has taken over the directorship of the Jazz Band and has led the group through a stellar year with a big focus on improvisation and reaching professional performance standards. The group enjoyed an excursion down to the Conservatorium of Music in Brisbane and played with professional big band Swing Central at the amazing Jazz Under the Stars evening.

We welcomed some new tutors and ensembles this year. Mr Gavin Hamburger is teaching saxophone and leads the Years 5 and 6, Gold and Movie Music ensembles. Mr Andrew Veivers has joined us teaching flamenco and classical guitar and also leads our new guitar orchestra. Miss Courtney Underhill has joined the team, tutoring in all aspects of musical theatre and dance. Mrs Naomi Craddock is on board teaching cello and piano. Mrs Kathy Dyer is leading our new flute ensemble and is teaching most of our flute students. The Aurora Choir also started this year. Led by Ms Aimee Goodwin, entry to this choir was by audition and provided an opportunity for students to take on high level choral repertoire.

We enjoyed a very successful music camp in May this year, with students from Years 4 to 12 attending. The students had the opportunity for extended ensemble rehearsal mixed in with beach trips and fun challenges like the flying fox at Luther Heights in Coolool.

Our Masterclass series continued in 2018. Mr Andrew Veivers ran a wonderful flamenco guitar session in February. Mrs Nicole Van Bruggen led an excellent class for our reed players and acclaimed acapella group The Idea Of North came and ran a workshop for our vocal students.

Good Shepherd music students represented the College at a huge variety of events in 2018. Over 150 students participated in the Sunshine Coast Eisteddfod, winning a swag of awards and adding to their performance experience. Year 11 student Shania Oreb performed *The Last Post* at the Tewartin ANZAC dawn service and the Middle School Choir sang hymns. Over 70 Instrumental music students from Years 4-12 were selected to participate in Griffith Conservatorium's SHEP program and had an amazing few days. Strings students provided musical accompaniment for the Salvation Army breakfast and the Summit Charity Ball.

We are looking forward to another amazing year in 2019!

Mr Jim Tomkins

Director of Instrumental Music



Year 4 Saxophones



Year 6 String Quartet



Flute Ensemble



Jazz Band



Hayley Favelle - AHEP



Senior Dance Troupe - Breakthru



Maroon and Year 5-6 Band



Music Camp



QSO Workshop, September 2018



Junior Strings



Jessica Butt, Emma Lumsden, Shea Rocke and Katelyn Dyer - QSO Excursion



Aladdin excursion to QPAC



Bailey Tobin, Jez Underwood and Adelle Houte - Year 11



Grace Burroughs and Madeleine Suttie



Shania Oreb - Anzac Day



Katelyn Dyer



Jazz Under the Stars



Clarinova



Shea Rocke and Bela Topovsek



Jazz Under the Stars



Vocal Groups - Anzac Day



SHEP 2018

USA Cultural Tour

Ever since the idea of the USA Cultural Tour was raised with the students, there was a palpable excitement that never seemed to settle. In the weeks leading up to the trip, it was all that anyone could talk about; a topic of conversation that never tired. When the day to leave finally arrived, none of us could believe it. Even after touching down on American soil, it hadn't really hit any of us that we were halfway around the world, about to embark on a two-week journey filled with solid action and education. Every single minute of this trip, from the terrors of Knott's Scary Farm to the wonders of the Metropolitan Museum of Art, and the brilliance of Broadway, formed new memories for all of us that we will never forget. The workshops inspired many of us to chase down a career in performing arts or music, and the marvels of the art museums sparked a certain creativity in us that couldn't be found anywhere else. The street

atmosphere that was new to so many of us, confirmed that we would all return one day. Arriving home after those incredible two weeks, it was difficult to adjust back to our usual way of life, but as we gradually faded back into the routine of our everyday lives, we were able to relive our memories as we reminisced on everything we experienced on this trip. It helped us realise that there is so much we can do with our lives, and so many different cultural paths that we can pursue. Overall, the USA Cultural Tour exceeded everyone's expectations, and should be something that everyone gets a chance to experience.

Fiona Echague Browne and Alexandra Lownie
Year 11 Students



Arts and Technology



SPORTS



Junior Years Sport



Mrs Yolanda Brady

Head of Junior Sport

Carnivals

Swimming

Winning House: Weyba

Age Champions:

Age	Boys	Girls
9	Josh Kelly	Charu Croker
10	Ernest Gawthorn	Erin McGarry
11	Liam Cuthbertson	Merrin Bartholomaeus
12	Harry Wright and Jackson Westphal	Emily Rowse

District results: GSLC finished 4th overall.

Liam Cuthbertson and Emily Rowse were our age champions for the day. Congratulations to Liam for breaking the district 50m back stroke record for the 11 year old boys.

Lutheran results: GSLC finished 2nd once again.

Age champions for the Lutheran carnival were Emily Rowse, Liam Cuthbertson and Ernest Gawthorn.

Cross Country

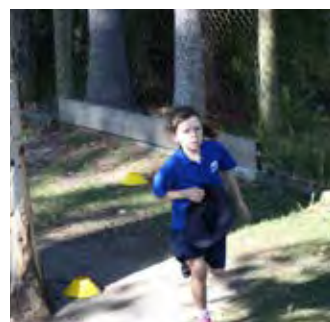
Winning House: Laguna

Age Champions:

Age	Boys	Girls
9	Hayden Danswan	Sienna Howard
10	Charlie Connolly	Ruby Kennedy-Grant
11	Finn Donovan	Skye Harman
12	Cooper Delaney	Audrey Kennedy-Grant

District carnival: GSLC came 4th at this carnival.

Erin McGarry and Sienna Howard came second in their age division.



Athletics

Winning House: Laguna

Age Champions:

Age	Boys	Girls
9	Rory Habermann	Sienna Howard
10	Charlie Connolly	Erin McGarry
11	Finn Donovan	Macie Bullman
12	Cooper Delaney	Ellie Brice

District Carnival: GSLC came 3rd at this carnival, our best result so far!

Erin McGarry and Finn Donovan receiving age champions for this carnival.

Lutheran Carnival: Due to our impressive musical held this year, we did not compete in this carnival.

SCISSA Gala Day

Term 1 was washed out for both the Gala Day and the backup day so unfortunately this gala event did not go ahead, however our other remaining three Gala Day events were amazing and loads of fun! Congratulations to all teams on fantastic results all round and proving the training sessions and friendly games provide us with great practice for the main event.



Dance Club

Wow! What a privilege it has been to work with this dedicated and passionate group of dancers. Thank you all for making Tuesday afternoons so much fun.

This year the dance group learnt two different styles of dance-lyrical and hip hop. We were blessed with the addition of professionally made costumes which made the lyrical piece come alive and look and feel like an 'Oceans' dance. The hip hop routine to 'Trolls' was truly hilarious and so much fun to learn. The group performed their routines to their parent and friend groups and were also invited to attend and perform at the final year Spring Spectacular Concert.

Thank you to the following students –

Ava Hadrill, Tilly Girt, Yolande Bourne, Charlie Brailsford, Ties Van Velzen, Kaitlin Perquin, Maya Sperlich, Rosie Wright, Poppy Wright, Danielle Igoe-Josephs, Elise Mason, Shelby Suter, Kiandra Smith, Chloe Bairstow, Jorja Quinn, Sydney Suter, Lucy Broadfoot, Daisy Rapacioli.

I can't wait to see you all again next year.



Running, Athletics and Triathlon Club

A big thanks to our Athletics Coach Bec Brice for training our cross country runners this year. Our College continues to make improvements in this area and once again we had our best result finishing 4th.

We had a blast at athletics training each Thursday afternoon, with our largest training group yet, and having our older students there really helped provide a positive influence on our younger athletes. This strong team was the reason our school team were able to raise the bar at the District carnival. This year saw Good Shepherd deliver a strong and determined team of athletes, with 5 students going on to further their skills at Regional and State championships.

Again the triathlon season evoked much interest, and with so many super eager little triathletes in our school, our preparation time, though short and sweet, was packed with energy and interest.

1/2/3 Sport or better known as Wednesday afternoon fun in the sun:

This year we opened up the program to include our Year 1 classes. Once again the Wednesday sport program brought about lots of fun and specific skills to be learnt in soccer, tennis, cricket, rugby, basketball and gymnastics. Thank you to our coaches and the Noosa Gymnastics Club for their vested interest in supporting our younger students in developing much needed skills and fitness in preparation for the coming years.



Middle and Senior Years Sport



Mr Steve Carey

Head of Sport – Secondary

Doonella dominated all carnivals to be overall champion house. Lead by a strong senior age group and determined House Leader, Doonella were too strong for the other houses this year.

2018 Age Champions

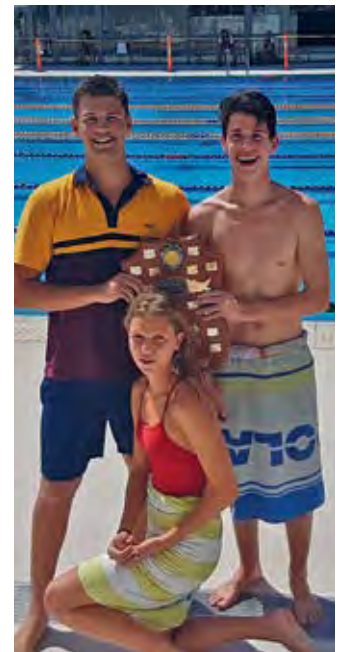
	SWIMMING	CROSS COUNTRY	ATHLETICS
13 YR			
Girls	Amali Scott	Mia Jeffries	Stella Dye
Boys	Jude Youens	Sam Lambert	Joe Wikaira
14 YR			
Girls	Abigail Kerz	Zoe Longhurst	Isabelle Hammond
Boys	Charlie Archer	Josh Kacperski	Levi Herriman
15YR			
Girls	Grete Gawthorn	Bella Smith	Maggie Harmer
Boys	Patrick Elliott	Brodie Roche	Brodie Roche
16YR			
Girls	Chelsea Meadows	Chelsea Meadows	Chelsea Meadows
Boys	Zach Lammens	Ariel Batista	Ariel Batista
17YR			
Girls	Alexa Leary	Lilly Belle Ellaway	Alexa Leary
Boys	Pierce Ludvigsen Nicholas Newton	Marat Roche	Angus Smyth

Champion House - DOONELLA

	Swimming	Cross Country	Athletics
1st	Doonella	Doonella	Doonella
2nd	Weyba	Laguna	Weyba
3rd	Munna	Weyba	Laguna
4th	Laguna	Munna	Munna



Middle and Senior Years Sport



Sport Results

School Sport Results

Representing District level for various team sports:

Name	Sport
Jed Bullman	Rugby League
Jackson Westphal	Rugby Union + Swimming
Joseph Wikaira	Rugby Union + Athletics
Sam Lambert	Rugby Union + XC
Kian Hebin Botha	Touch
Liam Switzer	Basketball
Ellie Brice	Netball + Athletics
Grace Evans	Netball
Hayden Fortington	Netball
Emily Rowse	Swimming
Liam Cuthbertson	Swimming
Elke Conolly	Swimming + Athletics
Angelique Painter	Swimming
Merrin Bartholomaeus	Swimming
Hamish Chart	Swimming
Jude Youens	Swimming
Audrey Kennedy Grant	XC
Elle Hamilton	Athletics
Finn Donovan	Athletics
Stella Dye	Athletics
Oscar Robinson	Athletics
Beau Inglis	Athletics



Representing Sunshine Coast Region at State level sport:

Name	Sport
Liam Cuthberston	Swimming
Hamish Chart	Swimming
Angelique Painter	Swimming
Merrin Bartholomaeus	Swimming
Jude Youens	Swimming
Hayden Fortington	Netball
Jackson Westphal	Swimming + Rugby Union
Joseph Wikaira	Rugby Union + Athletics
Sam Lambert	Rugby Union
Liam Cuthbertson	Swimming
Hamish Chart	Swimming
Angelique Painter	Swimming
Merrin Bartholomaeus	Swimming

Representing QLD state at National level sport:

Name	Sport
Jada Delaney	Netball
Liam Cuthbertson	Swimming
Harry Wright	Swimming
Joseph Wikaira	Athletics



Good Shepherd students welcomed back another exciting year of Australian Football with three teams competing in this year's AFL School Cup. Hundreds of schools from across Queensland take part in the much loved competition, which is designed to get student's enjoying and learning the skills of the game.

The Junior Boys and Girls AFL Team travelled to Maroochydore on Tuesday 6 March to take on a variety of teams from the Sunshine Coast in the Regional Pool Final.

Our Junior Female Team, consisting of Year 7, 8 and 9 girls, played a fantastic round of footy. They won all of their matches leading up to the final, only to be beaten by a kick in the dying seconds of the game. Congratulations to all of the girls who represented Good Shepherd in our second year of the competition. Best on ground performances came from: Emma Benjamin, Summer Ryan, Bella Smith, Shailey Miller, Ella Reddaway and Millie Adamson.

The Junior Male Team played their hearts out all day with some impressive skills on display. They had strong wins over St Andrews and Immanuel Lutheran College only to be beaten by a more worthy opponent leading up to the final. Thanks to all the Year 9s for displaying great leadership, and ensuring the game was played in the right spirit. Best on ground performances came from: Max Leary, Conner Gipters, Douglas Gemmell, Max Cooper, Jed Bullman, Jack Saunders, Lachlan Tupper, Zac Korybutiak and Levi Herriman.

The Primary Boys AFL Team had another great carnival finishing in the Top 3. On the day the team competed hard against quality opposition. The boys ran tirelessly throughout the day with a never-give-up attitude. This will certainly hold them in good stead as they continue their competitive football. Best on ground performances came from: Ben Allan, Codi Melville, Sam Topovsek, Charlie Connolly and Jack Lafferty.

A big thank you to Damian Smith for coaching this year.

Mr Russell Oakley
AFL Coordinator

Year 9 – Star in the making!

Bella Smith

Captain of Qld AFL State Team
Runner up MVP at the National level
All Australian Team
U17s Brisbane Girls League Medal for the Best and Fairest Player



Year 10 – Spectacular Talent!

Maggie Harmer

MVP School State Carnival
Best player for Qld at the National level



Basketball

Boys Basketball

Good Shepherd's boys basketball blossomed in 2018 to include five teams in the Semester 1 Noosa Basketball Competition, and then seven teams in the Semester 2 Sunshine Coast Secondary Schools Competition. Good Shepherd also sent a team of Year 9 boys to play in Division 1 of the July Gold Coast Invitational, as well as a team of Year 7 and Year 8 boys to compete in Division 2 of the same tournament. In September, Good Shepherd's best players entered into the Champion Basketball School of Queensland Division 3 and went 6-1 to place 5th overall. Special thanks to coaches Shawn Sykes, Sam Webster, Peter Allman, Grantley Switzer, Brett Piercy, Andrew Quinn and special bench coach Max Webster, as well as many team parents and volunteer scorekeepers.

Mr Mike Mooney

Senior Boys Basketball Coordinator



GSJC U16s competing at the Gold Coast Invitational in July



Junior A Boys after a big win in the Sunshine Coast Secondary School competition in September



Girls Junior B - Miah Vass, Jemima Harman, Sophie Keys, Tahlia LeNoury, Truly Holmes, Poppy Atkins, Bailey MacLean, Zoe Longhurst.

Girls Basketball

Three teams competed in the schools competition on Friday nights in Term 3. The Year 10 girls managed to balance Googa and basketball to have a successful season. The Year 9 team finished equal 4th in their division and just missed out on playing in the semi-final. The Junior Girls finished the season on top of the ladder but then had a narrow loss in the semi-final.

Thank you to Miss Paterson, Amy Benjamin and Kyah Piggott for coaching the teams throughout the season.

Mr Steve Carey

Girls Basketball Coordinator



GSJC rep team winning 5th place at the Div 3 Queensland State Championships



Year 9 Boys at the Gold Coast Invitational in July



Year 9 Girls - Front: Izzy Deimel, Sophie Davenport, Ashleigh Allan Back: Kyah Piggott, Hayley Beardmore, Eliza Luckman, Ella Marshall, Veslemoy Berge- Venter, Frankie Low

In 2018 the Good Shepherd Equestrian team grew in numbers, with members attending various equestrian events throughout the year representing the College.

Training days were held with Jim James in April, and with Madison Hose in July. These were important days for our riders to receive valuable coaching as well as build team spirit.

In May, Good Shepherd had the largest number of riders of all schools represented at the St Andrews Open Show Jumping Day held at Equathon in Verriedale. All our riders did very well, especially Kaydi Connolly, finishing Champion Secondary Rider, while only in Year 7.

The biggest event for the year was held in August, the three day Fraser Coast Interschool Equestrian Competition at Maryborough. Good Shepherd had 12 riders competing in a variety of disciplines such as dressage, show jumping, stockman's challenge, hacking and sporting.

Team Captain was Mia Bickley (was attending for her 9th consecutive year) while the team also consisted of first-time competitors who

also thoroughly enjoyed what is the biggest event in our school equestrian calendar. Congratulations to Alex Lucht who achieved Champion Rider (Year 9) and Angelique Painter who was Reserve Champion (Year 5). The Good Shepherd team also won Reserve Champion School for the highest points – an exciting achievement.

Other Interschool events during the year included Tilly Wood competing in the Interschool Grace Lutheran Showjumping Competition in October and Mia Bickley achieving Reserve Champion at the Interschool Combined Training Regional Championships in March.

Parents play a huge roll in making our school Equestrian so successful; students and staff thank all active parents for their constant support.

As an equestrian team, we look forward to another great year in 2019!

Mrs Jane Tickner

Equestrian Coordinator



Human Powered Vehicle

The Human Powered Vehicle (HPV) team has attended four races this year:

- Willowbank Raceway 8 hour
- Bundaberg 8 hour
- Gladstone Benaraby Raceway 8 hour
- Maryborough 24 hour

Our senior trike *Good Thing* with the addition of our Junior trike *Follow Me* had some excellent results across all of these races.

The pinnacle of the race year was the RACQ Maryborough Technology Challenge 24 hour race held throughout the streets of Maryborough. This race hosts 150 teams with bikes reaching speeds of well over 70kmh.

Follow Me completed 416 laps, 624kms in 24hrs and finished 3rd in the Junior Boys division.

Good Thing completed 397 laps, 596kms in 24 hrs and finished 14th in the Open Boys division.

Many of the boys were new to the teams and Maryborough was their first race. These races are a true example of mateship, teamwork, perseverance and physical courage. Every lad on the team gave their best and raced when the call came throughout the 24hr period. The competition was better than ever this year with 145 trikes in attendance.

Thank you to Mr Josephs and Mr Osborne for supporting and supervising the race.

The Good Shepherd HPV team will be back better and stronger than ever in 2019. This team has trained hard all year and the College is proud to support such an enthusiastic group of young people.

Mr Ricky Sinclair

Head of IT and Innovation



This year Good Shepherd participated in the following netball competitions and training opportunities:

- Tewanin Saturday Competition
- Secondary Schools Monday night competition
- Coolum Competition
- QISSN (Queensland Independent Secondary Schools Netball)
- Vicki Wilson
- Shield Cup
- Primary Cup
- Noosa Carnival
- Durham Netball Club - visiting English school
- Future Stars clinic
- Coach Development sessions
- Umpire clinics
- Coaching clinics
- Monday Night Netball

Sunshine Coast Secondary Schools Netball Competition - Maroochydore

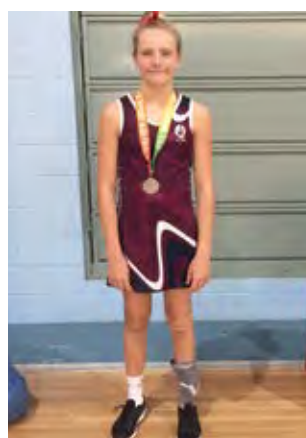
2018 GSLC Year 7/8 Teams			
GSLC BLUE	GSLC GOLD	GSLC MAROON	GSLC WHITE
	PREMIERS	PREMIERS	
2018 GSLC Intermediate and Senior Teams			
GSLC Intermediate RUNNER UP		GSLC Senior RUNNER UP	
Coaches: Jacqui Delaney, Mrs O'Donnell, Michelle Biggs, Louise Mikkelsen, Lily Drew and Lily Carey			
Netball Coordinator: Mrs Tickner			



Saturday Primary Netball

2018 has been another stellar season for GSLC seeing over 100 girls sign up for the Noosa District Netball Association competition. With the participation of 11 teams, Good Shepherd certainly had an enormous presence at the Tewanin courts every Saturday morning. All teams displayed team spirit, terrific talent and superb sportsmanship. Of course the success of the season wouldn't have been possible without the ongoing commitment from our volunteer coaches, managers, umpires and supporting families.

At the end of the season, Good Shepherd was represented in nine semi finals, six preliminary finals and four grand finals with one team, the 'Doves', winning their grand final. Congratulations to all of our GSLC Netballers on such a wonderful and successful season. Go Good Shepherd!



Jada Delaney, Represented QLD in U14 Netball.



Saturday Netball Awards 2018

TEAM	MOST IMPROVED	BEST AND FAIREST	TEAM SPIRIT	COACH	MANAGER
Doves	Gemma Giblett	Daisy Dark and Ella Mitchell	Scout Plummer	Paula Reid	Mandy Tupper
Pelicans	Lucie Goodswen	Lucy Adamson	Mijili Pearson	Jo Berridge	Jo Berridge
Falcons	Cayley Berridge	Milla Uechtritz	Jasmin Maddill	Denise Becton	Fiona Greig
Emus	Alice Brachold	Mischa Norgrove	Amelia Wruck	Kath Wruck	Lysette Fazakerly
Kingfishers	Georgia MacLean	Sydney Suter	Amber Carroll	Jess & Milly	Rachel Maclean
Magpies	Bailey MacLean	Ellie Brice	Makayla Butt	Jamie & Lauren	Rachael Willis
Eagles	Grace Giblett	Jessica Butt	Zoe Longhurst	Donna Burdon	Bernadette Manley
Peacocks	Skye Butcher	Isla Hunter	Grace Stewart	Donna Burdon	Adele Horn
Kookaburras	Sophia Ryan	Lexie Pringle	Olivia Hoger	Sandy Page	Tracey Pringle
Lorikeets	China Moore	Danielle Igoe-Josephs	Elise Morris	Matt Russell	Eleanor Burns
Willie Wagtails	Georgia Batty	Not applicable	Indi Korybutiak	Malita Bourne	Andrea Donavan

QLD Primary Cup

The 2018 Good Shepherd Primary Cup team represented the College at this year's QLD Primary Cup in Bundaberg from 14-16 September 2018. The team included: Daisy Dark (Year 5), Erin McGarry (Year 5), Scout Plummer (Year 6), Kiandra Smith (Year 6), Dakota Gilbert (Year 6), Emma Horn (Year 6), Isla Russell (Year 6), Sofia Sanders (Year 6), Indy Tupper (Year 6), Isabelle Wruck (Year 6) **Manager:** Trina O'Donnell **Coach:** Michelle Biggs.

The team had a wonderful opportunity to be a part of, and to play against, some incredible primary school talent from across Queensland. The girls made the most of it with a heap of fun both on and off the court. The team had a focus during the tournament of empowering each other, and in turn themselves, through delivering the best netball they could with sportsmanship, passion and fun. The team embodied the spirit of the game of netball.

Thank you to parents for all their support!

Congratulations to all the students on a great QLD Primary Cup performance and thank you for all the organisers and support team that made it all happen.



Queensland Independent Secondary Schools Netball Championships

The 2018 Queensland Independent Secondary Schools Netball (QISSN) Championships were held in Townsville and hosted by Ryan Catholic College. The Good Shepherd team flew up to Townsville and stayed in a beautiful beachfront house at Bushlands Beach for five nights. The team was made up of nine girls from Years 10 and 11, along with our Co-Captains Louise Mikkelsen and Molly Cooper, and Vice Captain Lily Drew leading the team. Fundraising efforts by the girls (and parents) meant we were able to eat very well and also look good in our team jerseys. Competition wise, this was one of our best efforts on court. The girls were graded in Pool E and started the carnival with three games on the first day resulting in three wins (28-12 v Rockhampton Girls Grammar / 23-13 v Gilroy Santa Maria / 16-15 v Ryan Catholic College). A close game to finish the day against the host school was a great confidence booster. The girls were playing some of their best netball for the year. Day two saw us win both games (25-3 v Mount St Bernard College / 23-12 v St Augustines), Mount St Bernard College is a boarding school for remote indigenous girls, some of them coming from as far



away as Papua New Guinea. The Good Shepherd girls were applauded for their sportsmanship and forged a great relationship with the girls, so much so that after the tournament we donated our carnival balls to the girls who were extremely appreciative considering they don't even have a netball court to train on! In a further twist, their team manager used to manage Googa. Day three was the final rounds for our pool and decided which division we would qualify for. We finished the day with a win and a draw (23-12 v St Josephs College / 18-18 v Marist College) meaning we were the top seed in our pool! With seven games down and no losses the girls were on a high. Day four was the first round of cross over finals. We had secured a top eight finish in our division and now finals games decided the rankings; by winning every game we gained a place in our division Grand Final. (Qualifying Final 22-6 v Mt Maria College / Semi Final 16-5 v St Thomas More College). The last night before our Grand Final was our night out for dinner and we enjoyed an Italian feast followed by a walk along the Townsville Strand and some gelato. Spirits were high. The last morning was a spectacular clean up effort by the girls to make sure our accommodation was left spotless and we were off to the courts to play Holy Spirit Mackay. At the start of the game the girls' nerves were evident but they settled to have a good solid first quarter, however the opposition rallied and put together a dominant second quarter and we just couldn't catch them from there. The final result was our only loss for the tournament at 13-15. After the game we had our team presentations with Lily Drew voted as player's player and there was an emotional acceptance speech. At the closing ceremony, Maggie Harmer was selected as our Best and Fairest for the tournament (voted by the opposition of each game) which was a fantastic achievement. Overall it was a highly successful carnival for Good Shepherd both on and off the court and I am sure the girls will have many great memories!

Ms Jacqui Delaney

Netball Coach

Coolum Netball

This year saw Good Shepherd's youngest team of girls (Years 1 – 3) enter the Tuesday afternoon Coolum Netball Association competition for the first time. This was a wonderful opportunity for the girls to learn the skills and rules of netball while playing in an actual game (with modified rules). Along with our lower primary girls, we also have two Good Shepherd teams playing in the Coolum Thursday night junior competition. These teams have continued to grow and strengthen, with both teams going through to the finals for the first time. Congratulations to all who have participated and continued to enjoy everything GSLC netball offers.

Good Shepherd this year competed in numerous Rugby competitions starting with the Fraser Coast 7's in March. Our U13 and U15 and open teams travelled up and had an enjoyable day of rugby. The highlight was watching the U15 boys take out the competition.

Also, the SCISSA rugby competition ran throughout Term 2. Our U13 boys worked tirelessly throughout the season and there was a clear improvement in their play as combinations grew. They came up against a very good James Nash side in the semi-final and narrowly went down. The boys will look forward to next season, as a number of the team will still be U13. A highlight for the school was seeing Smith Connors, Jackson Westphal, Tom Harmer, Fletcher Fairbanks and Jason Jordan all be selected in the U12 Sunshine Coast team, along with Jack Paenga who was selected in an invitational team. This team travelled to Cairns to take part in the State carnival. The tackling machine, 'Sam Lambert' and paceman 'Joe Wikaria', were also selected in the U13 Sunshine Coast team, with Joe also being selected in the Queensland Country side.

The U15 side began extremely well with victory in the 7's, competition however, as the season went on, they were decimated by injuries, which meant they struggled to get a full contingent out on the field. There were a number of fantastic individual performances and with greater numbers, this team will continue to grow. Sunshine Coast selections included Jonah Couper, Levi Herriman, Charlie Archer and Doug Gemmel, with Doug and Levi also being selected for the Queensland Country team while Doug was named in the Queensland Junior Gold Cup U15 side.

The College was also able to enter a 1st XV into the local Sunshine Coast Schools Rugby Union competition for the first time in a number of years. Having deliberated long and hard, the decision was made to enter them into Division 1, the Premier level of the competition. The boys put a lot of effort into their pre-season campaign and this allowed them to remain competitive throughout the season up to the final whistle of each game.

Given the boys were up against the best on the Coast, they equipped themselves well and performed admirably, showing great determination whenever they played. A number of coaches from their various opponents commented on their 'never give up' attitude. The highlight round was the game against St Teresa's, the only other school at this end of the Coast also in the Premier competition. The Good Shepherd boys ran hard, tackled ferociously and played to their strengths, which resulted in them walking away with victory and the knowledge that they are currently the best 1st XV at the Northern end of the Sunshine Coast!

The season concluded with the Queensland Schools 7s satellite carnival held at the Caloundra Rugby Club. The College entered teams in the U13 Boys and U13 Girls and U15 Boys. All teams had a great day out, with the U13 Boys narrowly losing to Grammar in the Grand Final. However, the highlight of the carnival was watching the U13 Girls use their skills in their first ever game of 7s. The smiles and screams of joy were something to behold!

Talking of 7s, the College also entered an U17 Girls squad into the SCISSA competition run during Term 2. A committed group of girls trained on a weekly basis throughout the term and played two games on a weekly basis for the majority of the competition. The improvements made by the girls were exceptional, moving from complete novices to a team that won their Grand Final at the end of the term. Given that the majority of the squad were a year under the age group, they should be a force to be reckoned with if they play again next year.

Overall, this year has seen the most students playing rugby for Good Shepherd in the history of the College. Huge thanks must go to the Coaches, especially Mr George, Mr Stacey, Rick Archer, Shannon Whitehill and Fabio Westphal.

Mr David Palmer

Rugby Union Coordinator



U17 Girls SCISSA 7's Grand Final Squad



U17 Girls SCISSA 7's Grand Final Winners



Fraser Coast 7's U13's, 15's and Seniors, March 2018



U15 Boys Q'7's Squad 1



U13 Girls 7's at the Q 7's

Sailing + Surfing

GSLC Inter-School Regatta

The Inter-School Sailing Regatta was a great experience and opportunity for all of the sailors that participated from Good Shepherd Lutheran College.

The Regatta was held on Saturday 19 and Sunday 20 May 2018 at the Noosa Yacht and Rowing Club.

The weather turned out to be super light winds with a tricky tide making it a challenge to sail the course.

Students who participated were satisfied with their efforts as many teams worked together and placed well as a result of the support from each other and facilitators.

In the primary division, Tiernan O'Rourke, Zak Plant and Will McGarry placed 4th and Lachie Sinclair, Zach May and Harrison Cumner placed 2nd.

"It was not very windy so it wasn't the best conditions for sailing, although overall it was very enjoyable and all the other students and supervisors were very good. The boats were well prepared and sailed well in the weather we had on the day," said Zak Plant.

Jake Bray and Rylie Sinclair came 3rd in the senior division While Liam Asher, and Harry Ellaway improved greatly throughout the Regatta.

Overall the Regatta was very successful and everyone had a good time.

Lachie Sinclair and Zach May



On 19 and 20 May, Noosa Yacht and Rowing Club hosted the annual Inter-School Sailing Regatta. With very light and shifty conditions both days, we had 6 races for both Primary and Secondary divisions. Although everyone endured many hours of waiting for the wind to kick in, it was a great weekend and some outstanding results for Good Shepherd. Lachlan Sinclair, Zach May, and Harry Cumner came 2nd in the Primary division, sailing against a tight fleet including Teirnan O'Rourke, Zac Plant and Will McGarry. In the Secondary division, there were two Good Shepherd boats - Harry Ellaway and Liam Asher, as well as Jake Bray and myself who placed 3rd. A huge thankyou to Mr Blanch for giving up his weekend and to Mrs Tickner for helping organise.

Rylie Sinclair

Year 10

Primary Teams

Team 1: Lachlan Sinclair, Zach May and Harrison Cumner taking out 2nd place. This was the first time these three students have sailed together and they sailed very well all weekend.

Team 2: Tieran O'Rourke, Zak Plant and Will McGarry sailed consistently and at one point were the "masters of light sailing" but the race was abandoned.

Secondary Teams

Team 1: Liam Asher and Harry Ellaway, sailed brilliantly on the first day but were unable to match it on the second day, however they had the Instructors commenting how much they have improved.

Team 2: Rylie Sinclair's and Jake Bray's sailing was fantastic and consistent. They came home with a win and a second on the final light wind day to claim 3rd outright. It was a pleasure to see their skills in attacking the leading boats downwind.

Surfing

2018 saw Good Shepherd surfing expand and flourish. This year we added a Junior Program on Friday mornings for students in Years 3-6 coordinated by Mr James Bourne. The Juniors surfed Noosa and the open beaches on smaller wave days. There was a great atmosphere around junior surfing with lots of laughter and merriment. The students all charged hard and really improved their skill level over the course of the year.

Senior surfing added new students and teachers and enjoyed some great days. A 2019 surf trip to Sumatra is on the horizon with a number of our students already locked in and getting excited.

Follow the action at GSLC Surf on facebook.

Mr Tomkins, Mr Hann and Mr Bourne
Surf Coordinators





Term 4 was a short but enjoyable soccer season for our Junior and Intermediate Girls. The Junior Girls showed some great structure but struggled to find the net. Both teams played with great enthusiasm and will be remembered by every bus driver for their ability to sing long and loud!

Mr Steve Carey
Soccer Coordinator

Touch

Touch continues to be a popular extra-curricular option for Good Shepherd students. This year five teams competed in the Junior Competition at Tewantin on Wednesday afternoons from U10s to U16s. Good Shepherd's senior teams are also regulars in the Monday night mixed adult competition at Tewantin, and have become one of the top teams in the competition.

In Term 3 the focus was on the SCISSA competition. Good Shepherd teams performed well as usual, with the Open Boys winning the competition for the second year in a row. The Intermediate Boys were runners up. The young Junior Girls A and B teams both had excellent seasons and are a team to watch out for next year.

The highlight of the year is always the Queensland All Schools, which is the biggest schools touch tournament in the world and running over five days. After two days of competition the Open Mixed and 15 Boys hadn't lost a game and were looking to make the finals, but unfortunately torrential rain put a halt to play and the tournament was abandoned.

Thank you to Head Coach Jimmy Cochrane and all coaches for your hard work this year.

Mr Steve Carey
Touch Coordinator



Volleyball

It was an exciting year for volleyball at Good Shepherd. Even lunchtimes in the gym were taken over by students wanting to play extra volleyball.

In Terms 1 and 2, 10 teams competed in the Wednesday SCISSA competition. The Intermediate and Junior Boys both finished runners up in the A division. In the Junior Girls and Open Boys A division both teams went one step further and finished as Premiers.

The Junior Girls also played in the senior competition for extra practice and were very competitive.

This was the first time for many years that teams went away to compete in State level tournaments. Both teams competed in Division 2, the Year 8 girls finished 4th overall and the Year 11 boys placed 3rd – a great performance from both teams.

Thank you to all the coaches involved with various teams, especially Mr Telleman, Mr Moore and Miss Oakley for their support at the State championships.

Next year is shaping up to be an even bigger and better year for volleyball at Good Shepherd.

Mr Steve Carey
Volleyball Coordinator



Sport



COMMUNITY



ALWS Awareness Day

Year 6 ALWS Awareness Day

"God does not need your good works, but your neighbour does."
Martin Luther

In Term 1, the Year 6 students joined with their peers from two other Lutheran schools on the Sunshine Coast to learn about global social justice and development issues. The day was run by a staff member from the Australian Lutheran World Service (ALWS). Under the theme of 'Survive or Thrive', our students heard real life stories from people in countries like Nepal and Cambodia where life is hard due to poverty, deprivation of human rights or natural disaster. In the whole group and

small group sessions, students were both challenged and encouraged to see the programs in these communities and how they are addressing such issues with long term and sustainable outcomes.

ALWS is the service arm of the Lutheran Church and has a variety of resources for schools on their website. The Awareness Day is a fabulous way our children can learn about life and issues in the developing world and encourage our College community to follow Jesus in helping our world's most needy – to love as we have been loved.

Pastor Simon Cooper



The College commemorated ANZAC Day this year with a whole College service to honour those men and women who have served and sacrificed their lives to protect our country and the way of life we enjoy today. The moving service involved the laying of a number of wreaths by representatives from our College leadership teams, as well as our College Principal, Mr Anthony Dyer. In addition, a number of students and staff attended local ANZAC Day services in Tewantin, Cooroy, Eumundi and Verrierdale laying wreaths on behalf of the College community. Shania Oreb, Year 11, played a special role at the Tewantin Dawn Service as she moved the crowd playing *The Last Post* on her violin.



Lions Youth of the Year

This year we had two Year 12 students enter the Tewantin-Noosa branch of the Lions Youth of the Year competition. This is an annual competition that is designed to provide an opportunity for young people who are engaged in their local community, and who have demonstrated exceptional leadership and community spirit, to articulate their vision for their community, and to be recognised for their leadership. Gemma Sampson and Nicholas Newton, our two College Captains, were our representatives for 2018. For this competition, Gemma and Nick needed to attend a panel interview to discuss their community involvement, advocate for their leadership, and discuss news and current affairs so that the panel could evaluate their contributions to the community. They were then required to compete in a public speaking event against other schools in the region, for which they were required to speak on impromptu topics, and also to speak about a topic of their choice that was important to them. Gemma spoke about the rise of Artificial Intelligence and the implications of this technology for our society, and Nick spoke about leadership in sport and what this means for us as a nation. Gemma won the overall Club Champion on

the night, and she went on to win the district competition, and then the regional competition as well. This is a phenomenal achievement, and Gemma is warmly congratulated for her wonderful efforts. Both students represented the College with pride, and we look forward to future involvement with this exciting competition.

*Mr Matt
Armstrong*
Head of Senior Years
Studies



GSLC in the News



Noosa News, 13 March 2018



Noosa News, 29 March 2018



Noosa News,
9 November 2018

Noosa News,
20 June 2018



Noosa News, 25 May 2018



Sunshine Coast Daily, 12 September 2018

Kokoda Challenge

This was Good Shepherd's second year entering the Kokoda Challenge with students from Years 6-12 entering the event. On Saturday 2 June, after months of solid training and hundreds of kilometres under foot, 80 students, teachers and parents from the Good Shepherd community tackled the various distances of the Kokoda Challenge. The event distances are tough but the hilly terrain of D'Aguilar National Park, (north-west of Brisbane) makes it even tougher. It's a difficult event but great for students as it embodies the Kokoda Spirit – courage, endurance, mateship and sacrifice.

Thank you to the families who supported Good Shepherd's participation in this year's event by fundraising through the bake sale and second-hand uniform sale; providing transport to and from Brisbane, as well as the emotional support and assistance as support crews on the day. Thank you and congratulations to all involved in what was an inspirational 2018 Kokoda Challenge.

Mr Jason Green

Kokoda Challenge Coordinator

'My Kokoda' by Mia Jefferies, Year 7

Being new to this school I had never done Kokoda before, but my friends said it was really good fun. So, last Saturday it was an early start at 4am in the morning. It got down to a chilly 10 degrees that morning. We drove to Brookfield in Brisbane to start our exciting 30km walk. There were quite a number of Good Shepherd teams doing either 15, 30 or 48km. Once the event started, every 7.5km there was a checkpoint for us to stop and have a well-earned break. We climbed lots of steep hills and clambered over stepping-stones to

cross a freshwater stream. Seven hours later we finished our 30km walk, with no injuries or tears. I had a lot of fun doing Kokoda this year with Sofie, Zaria, Grace and Miss Lee, our team leader. I'd like to take on the challenge again; it's fun and challenging and something that everyone should take on at least once!

Reflection by Katie McFadden, Year 12

On 2 June, myself, Jack Allan, Abbey Whittaker, Victoria Barnes and our leader Ms. Patterson undertook the 48km Brisbane Kokoda Challenge. After months of training we were finally ready to face the unknown trail ahead. With a 7am start, we were up in the dark and assembling all of the energy gels and snacks into our hydration packs that we would need for the long day ahead of us. As the journey began, our team found a steady pace and maintained a positive mindset as the kilometres already completed started to add up. There was no doubt, at times, some of us wanted to back out of the trail, especially when faced with the huge inclines. This is what the Kokoda Challenge is known for. However, the feeling of finally crossing the finish line hours later made the hardship and effort all worthwhile. Especially, with the knowledge that all the funds raised by the College for the Kokoda Youth Foundation (KYF) would enable them to continue their work with Australian youth. The work of the KYF changes the communities in which we live by breaking down the barriers young people face, breaking cycles of dependence and welfare, addressing mental health issues and suicide prevention. I would encourage anyone interested to sign up next year for an experience of a lifetime.



Parents and Friends Association

As another busy College year comes to a close, the P&F would like to thank the volunteers who worked tirelessly to represent the parents of the College at numerous events in 2018. The annual Mother's Day stall saw students again able to select from a plethora of beautiful items. The excitement on the children's faces as they put their little gift packs together was beautiful. Dads weren't forgotten either with a great day at the Noosa North Shore Tavern which included an energetic game of Laser Tag and Mini Golf before relaxing while the kids enjoyed the numerous other activities on offer. It was a great success with thanks going to the College for providing a College bus to get the busy group to and from the venue safely.

Other popular P&F events included the P-5 Disco and the inaugural P-5 Fun Run with a Dash of Colour, which raised over \$6,600 for the

Salvation Army. To top it all off the P&F also made sure refreshments were chilled at the Spring Spectacular and Christmas Concert.

The P&F is a friendly team who meets monthly on the second Wednesday of the month at 6.30pm in the Library. With the P&F growing in numbers, meetings are productive, energetic and a good platform for discussion. One of the highlights for the team is the task of allocating the considerable funds raised each year using the College Wish List which is added to twice a year.

If you would like to be part of the College P&F please feel free to email pf.president@gsic.qld.edu.au

Mrs Karen von Homeyer



Salvation Army Christmas Appeal

Good Shepherd's Year 6-12 Pastoral Care groups went above and beyond again in 2018, providing much-needed Christmas cheer to some of the less fortunate members of our local Noosa community through our College's continued involvement in the annual Salvation Army Christmas Appeal.

This is an initiative that has been active at Good Shepherd for the past decade and sees every PC group across all four houses, along with each Year 6 and Year 7 class, "adopt" a member of a local family that may be "doing it tough" this Christmas. These classes do this by having their students contribute to the purchase of specifically tailored gifts for their allocated individual. This year, our PC classes were therefore able to cater for 32 people across seven different families, from toddlers, through to teenagers to their parents.

As usual, our College community rose to the challenge of looking after the people they were responsible for very generously, with thousands

of dollars' worth of presents being donated. Representatives of the Noosa Corps of the Salvation Army were on hand at a specially convened assembly to receive these gifts and express their thanks and admiration for the ongoing support of Good Shepherd in making Christmas a little more special for the intended recipients of these gifts.

All of the students who contributed to this wonderful cause, along with all 32 of their PC teachers who supported their efforts, and the Community Senior Leader Group who ran the assemblies in conjunction with the project, are thanked sincerely for allowing this great expression of love, compassion and service to carry on enriching the lives of those who need it the most.

Mr Tony Purcell and Mrs Nicole Drew
Community Senior Leader Group Facilitators



World's Greatest Shave

The Good Shepherd community really went all out this year to continue the tradition of supporting the *Leukaemia Foundation's World's Greatest Shave*. A brave group of students managed a fantastic feat of raising funds amongst the busyness of Term 1.

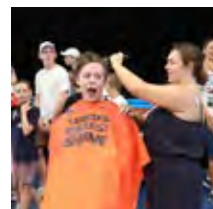
Students from Years 6 through to Year 12 worked tirelessly to support the amazing work of the Leukaemia Foundation through their fundraising efforts including: a free dress day; multiple bake sales; collection buckets; online donations and other special events.

Well done to Phoebe Anderson, William Batty, Eleni Diacos, Jack Lafferty, Amelia Ellis, Coby Govoni, Tobi Korybutiak, Henry Adams, Michael Christofis, Cole Suter, Tia Norris-Tanner, Smith Connors, Jeremy Leonard, Thomas Edwards, Caleb Cook and Angus Alexander for your bravery and hard work.

Through the combined community effort, Good Shepherd was able to collectively raise over \$17,000 to assist with the ongoing support, care and research for those with blood cancers. As a community we were also honoured to receive the *World's Greatest Shave QLD School Challenge High Achievers Award*. Well done Good Shepherd!

Mr Matthew Qualischefski

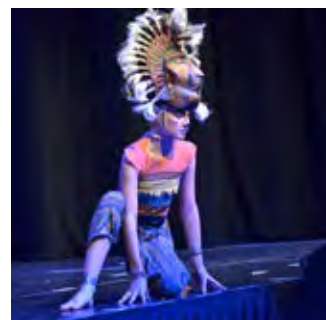
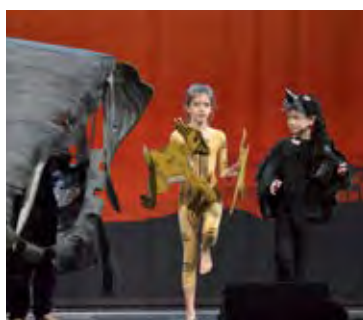
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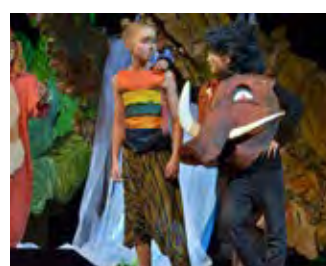


EVENTS



Musical





Shepherd's Fair



Book Week



Grandparents Day



Jazz Under the Stars



Spring Spectacular



Year 12 Walk of Honour



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