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Prince Of Peace Communications Observations Reminders and News

From the Acting Heads of College



A Message to Mr Hunt

Words are inadequate to express our gratefulness and appreciation for dedicated service during your tenure as Head of College. The legacy you have created for our College is immense and your hand is evident in so many projects. You have been the driving force behind the immense building program and shaped the creation of the Senior Campus.

The students have spent some time in the last few weeks reflecting on how you have impacted on their education, sending you their best wishes. Staff have reflected on your compassion and your willingness to walk along side them.

Saying goodbye is never easy and it's even more difficult with a leader like you who has been such a vital part of our College and community. We look forward to celebrating with you on Friday. It will be a chance for us to acknowledge your service to our community. Be prepared for some tears and laughter as we reflect and thank you for your dedication to Prince of Peace Lutheran College. We wish you all the best as you enter into the next phase of your life.

God Bless from the Students and Staff of Prince of Peace.

Reminder: Celebration for Mr Hunt – Friday 6 March 3.30-5.30pm on the Senior Campus. RSVP to <u>Cmcdonald@princeofpeace.gld.edu.au</u>

Life-Long Learning

"Education is not preparation for life; education is life itself" John Dewey



At Prince of Peace we strive to develop all students holistically, through a commitment to know our students; their educational journey and potential for growth. We encourage students to take ownership of their learning, recognise strengths and weakness, different interests and ways of engagement to encourage lifelong learning.

2015 has seen many opportunities for our students and staff to demonstrate lifelong learning:

- The Dan Haesler presentation about Student Engagement and Wellbeing to all College staff was one example.
- Another example is the model being used in the Year 10 Mathematics program. The goal of the program is to engage and challenge all students fully with mathematics. We are doing this by creating a course which provides more opportunities for students to pursue their own interests, encourages independence with decision making and problem solving, uses collaboration and creativity in maths lessons.
- Rebecca Galbraith, Kristie Stedman, Rebekah Bruyn and Vicki Wiseman are participating in Teachers as Researchers: 21st Century Learning Project. It is hoped that this project will provide opportunities to explore the use of different technologies to bring about improved student outcomes with a focus on literacy.
- Our students are increasingly using a variety of web-based applications to assist in their learning beyond the school walls. You may have experienced Weeby, Edmodo and their value in increasing student engagement.

This week you should have received your Early Engagement Report (Prep – Year 6) or Preliminary Report (Year 7-12) in the mail. These reports are future focused, identifying areas for improvement or further learning. As students develop their capacity as lifelong learners, the ability to reflect and set goals will be imperative, as will their ability to recognise potential for growth. We look forward to partnering with you in modelling lifelong learning to your children, our students.

Michelle Nisbet and Katrina Valencia Co-Acting Heads of College



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nurturing God-given potential

JUNIOR CAMPUS Prep-Y6



How is your child travelling? Parent Teacher Interviews Week 10

Strong connections between home and school definitely contribute towards more powerful learning for your child. This week we posted you an 'Early Engagement Summary' which identified how your child is connecting in the classroom and demonstrating aspects of : Respect, Responsibility, Relationships and Restoration.

With the information teachers have gathered at this point in the year, they identified goals collaboratively with your child which would make a great start to learning in terms of Literacy, Numeracy and work habits.

In another four weeks we'd like to meet with you to discuss how they are travelling after Term 1. We'd be happy to share some of the professional diagnostic information we have collected and talk through ways we can improve learning and strengthen our partnership with you.

This year, all Junior Campus teachers will be available between 3:30pm and 8:00pm on Tuesday 31 March and Wednesday 1 April 2015. To coordinate the conferences we have employed an online booking system to assist parents in securing their preferred interview times. The procedure is as follows:

- If you wish to see any of your child/ren's teachers, you need to secure an appointment time using this system.
- The booking system is available from 6.00pm Monday 9 March and closes at 6:00pm Friday 27 March 2015. Please visit the College website <u>www.princeofpeace.qld.edu.au</u> and follow the link on the home page under the Quick Links section to make your booking/s. Please note that if you have used this system in the past it may show the year level your child was in when you last made a booking. Please select their current year level from the drop down list.

One of the distinctive differences at Prince of Peace is that we know the children we teach and powerful [artnerships are highly valued.

Vicki Wiseman Leader of Pedagogy and Innovation

Junior Campus Photos

It is time to get out the shoe polish and pop into the hairdresser again! On Wednesday 18 March the Junior Campus School photos will be held. Students must wear their formal school uniform on this day and should present in a neat and tidy manner. If your child is in need of a haircut we would encourage this to happen before this date.

Photo order envelopes will be sent home tomorrow. Families will again be able to select from a variety of photo packages and also request sibling photos as in the past. We thank you for your assistance in preparing for this milestone event.

Year 6 Shirt

It was with much pleasure that I announced to our Year 6 families last week, the return of our Year 6 Student Leader T-Shirt. This shirt will not only be a wonderful keepsake, but is also an opportunity for our student leaders to be easily identifiable within the student body. Our Year 6 students are already working tirelessly in the Parliamentary groups to bring about improved student and school outcomes in their designated portfolio areas. We look forward to hearing about some of their initiatives at our School Assemblies.

With Thanks and Gratitude to Annie Peck and Dan Hodgson

It is with gratitude that I write to thank Annie and Dan for their tireless work last week both filming and photographing our students, staff, grounds and parents for the development of some new marketing material for our College. The students excelled throughout the week in their presentation and behaviour and are to be commended for the sensible manner in which they handled having a 'film crew' in their midst. We look forward to reviewing the footage for our first public launch.

Important Reminder regarding student lunches

It has been brought to the College's attention that some of our students have been sharing their lunch with other students during the eating breaks. Staff will be speaking with all students about the importance of them not sharing their food with others due to the possibility of significant anaphylactic reactions and other allergies. We will also be asking staff to be very mindful of this when on playground duty.

Could I please ask all parents to remind their children that while the notion of sharing is admirable and to be encouraged in many areas, when it comes to food it can cause significant harm to others and is not to happen. We remind all families again that we are a nut free school and all nut products (whole nuts, peanut butter and the like) are not to be brought to school.

JUNIOR CAMPUS Prep-Y6

With our intentional drive over the past few years to strive for a culture where honouring relationships is at the forefront of everything we do at POP. It is exciting to share a snapshot of what our students have said about the culture they find themselves in at the College. Last year a section of the Year 4 and 6 student body participated in a survey 'The Australian Child Well-being Project' run by ACER

Here are some of the results:

- 100% of students considered 'Family' as being important for having a good life' over things like money and neighbourhood.
- The country's average for a student stating they were **not bullied** during Term 4 last year was 85%, for our students 95% said this had not happened for them either. 5% said it had happened once during that time.
- For the students' rating out of 11 for how positive they felt about their life 85% rated themselves at 8 or higher with no one below 7.

We will be running an 'Honouring Relationships - A Safe Place' survey based around the 4R's later this term across the College to allow students the opportunity to give feedback on what they feel is important to them, how they feel they are cared for and nurtured plus how they feel about their learning environment. We look forward to sharing that journey with you.

Loving Our Kids on Purpose This powerful Christian-based parenting program is jointly presented by both the Church and College for all College members and families to attend. This 6 week course will begin in Week 3 of Term 2. Please <u>see attached</u> for further details and contact either Chris Mills or Pastor David for any questions.

A great heart and a great effort! We are very proud to share Jack Christmas' recent venture in fundraising for the Leukaemia foundation. Jack (5F) has been raising money and planning on shaving his head for this very important cause in March. He has gone to great lengths to reach his target goal of \$2000 and has raised thus far over \$1600 and putting his own savings towards this.

I anyone would like to support Jack in this you can follow this link:<u>http://my.leukaemiafoundation</u>.org.au/jackchristmas. Well done Jack.



Chris Mills Head of Pastoral Care and Well Being Competition Years 1-6

There are two competitions online for all children in Years 1-6. You will need to complete two questions in each competition online to enter. The questions are super easy and your child has the chance to win one of two \$50 Bookclub gift vouchers.

Click on the links to enter. Only one entry per competition per student. Both competitions close on 9 March at 9:00 am with the winners announced at assembly on 11 March 2015.

BOOK SURVEY: <u>fill it out in Google Forms</u> Tell us which chapter books you like to read or have read to you. One winner will be selected randomly.

NAMING COMPETITION: <u>fill it out in Google Forms</u>. Create a name for the Reading Program. Think of an easy to say, 'cool' name you think students in Years 2-4 would like. You also have the opportunity to select a graphic from <u>http://www.bigstockphoto.com/</u> by telling us the identification number. One winner will be selected based on the success criteria.

The library will have a laptop set to accept entries in the lunch breaks as well.



For those parents who could not attend last week's Peter Janetski workshop, here is a link with further information. <u>http://www.peterj.com.au/wp-content/uploads/2014/03/Parenting-Strong-Willed-Children-Feb-2015.pdf</u>

Volunteer Opportunity: The Junior Campus Learning Enrichment Team are seeking volunteers to assist with our **Reading Tutor Program**. Sessions with a student run for 30 minutes on a weekly basis and you may choose to work with one or more students depending on your availability. We do our best to work in with times that suit our volunteers and teachers. If interested, please email: Suellen – <u>SSwift@princeofpeace.gld.edu.au</u>.

Suellen Swift Learning Enrichment Teacher

The Prince Of Peace Computer Science Group, from Year 6 Parliament, invite you to come to our website and give us some ideas so we can improve our committee and make the school better in the field of technology. If you would like to help with suggestions, press onto this link: http://d37395099498611370.weebly.com/

Thank you, from the Computer Science Committee

JUNIOR CAMPUS

SENIOR CAMPUS Y7-12

On Monday we installed our newly appointed Middle School Leaders, the Year 9 cohort for 2015. The College is very deliberate in saying that the all Year 9 students are the leaders of the Middle School as we believe each student has leadership capability, which we want them to foster and grow and honour their God-given potential. It is our hope and prayer that as a group and as individuals they are encouraged to lead meaningful lives by becoming more actively engaged in their communities and by being responsible citizens who will not just accept the world as it is, but will find a voice. As the Year 9 start their leadership journey they are encouraged to use their gifts to develop a community characterized by respect, responsibility, relationships, and restoration.

We congratulate those students who were appointed to specific positions for 2015:

Aayush Singh

MIDDLE SCHOOL CAPTAINS

| Maisie Taylor | Scott Whelan |
|---------------------|------------------|
| BRADMAN | |
| Brooke Lynch | Isaac Cooper |
| FRASER | |
| Stephanie Bleckwehl | Lachlan Cordiner |

JACKSON

Joanne McNish

Joanne Mc

Ella McLean Thomas Rowland



An important part of our leadership process is our mentoring, where a staff member walks alongside the students on their leadership journey. We thank the staff for their willingness to take on this very important role.

We also acknowledge our outgoing Middle School Captains for 2014. We thank them most sincerely for their dedication to the service of this community.

Next Step

The Queensland Government is conducting its annual state wide survey of all students who completed Year 12 in 2014. The *Next Step* survey is a brief, confidential survey that gains a comprehensive picture of the employment, study and life choices made by Queensland school completers in the year after they finish Year 12.

Between March and June, all our students who completed Year 12 last year can expect to receive instructions to complete a web-based survey or a telephone call from the Queensland Government Statistician's Office to complete the survey. They are encouraged to take part, as this information provides insight into life after school. Further information on *Next Step* is available online at <u>www.education.qld.gov.au/nextstep/</u> or on toll free telephone 1800 068 587.

Michelle Nisbet Head of Campus 7-12



Year 12 are holding a Sausage Sizzle **this Friday** – second break \$2 for sausage and \$2 for soft drinks.

Cardio Tennis

From Week 3-6, the class of 10.1 have participated in the new fitness craze of cardio tennis during our HPE lessons. Cardio tennis is a high energy fitness activity that combines features of tennis with cardiovascular exercise. This fun, active and engaging activity has given our HPE class an opportunity to experience a different but enjoyable twist on an old sport like tennis. The Ferny Hills tennis instructor showed us techniques and many fun activities using a racquet, mini nets, bio mechanically produced balls and music. During each lesson we used pedometer that counted the number of steps we took throughout the lesson and all of our activities were focused on increasing our fitness by playing modified tennis to music. We had the extrinsic motivation to increase our fitness by competing for the prize of having the most steps recorded over the 3 week period. This opportunity has given us something to aim for and really brought out the competitive streak in most of us.

The most enjoyable aspect of cardio tennis for me and for most of the people in the class, was the game killer doubles. This doubles activity allowed us to get a partner and work together to stay in the game as long as possible, by winning the point. Overall cardio tennis has been a great experience for every individual student, teaching us the skills while having fun as a class.





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Caylm Hodges 10.1

MUSIC NOTES

JUNIOR CAMPUS

Classroom Music:

Year 5 have been studying Pentatonic Music and were shown a video demonstration by Bobby McFerrin (of "Don't Worry Be Happy fame). Check out the video here <u>https://www.youtube.com/</u><u>watch?v=ne6tB2KiZuk</u>

Choir

Students are invited to bring a USB so songs can be recorded on and rehearsed at home. Some provision is being made on the Year 3 Portal for choir songs to be put on there as well. I will keep you posted about this.

Congratulations to Grace Olsen and Cara Fraser on their appointment as Music Captain and Vice-Captain.

Instrumental lessons

A reminder that it is your responsibility to contact your child's tutor via text or phone call should your child be away from school. If you have any queries about lessons or fees, please contact your tutor directly.

Sherree Cudney Junior Campus Music

SENIOR CAMPUS

If you have not received a copy of the 2015 Co-Curricular Music handbook, one can be found by clicking <u>here</u>.

Cassandra Croucher Senior Campus Music

UNIFORM SHOP

The Uniform Shop is open Tuesdays and Thursdays 8.00am – 10.00am, 2.00pm to 4.00pm, and Wednesdays 8.00am – 10.00am.

Junior: Hats Size S – due end March, available from Lowes Chermside in the interim.

Senior: Unisex Blazers are now available – these are required to be worn for Photo Day 17 March.

Senior Boys: Found 1 Senior Boys Hat & 1 Navy Day Hat at Deakin Street, Everton Park – please contact me.

Second Hand Uniforms: Thanks to the generous families who have donated more second hand uniforms in the past couple of weeks. Second Hand stock is displayed on the rear wall of the shop and is approximately 1/3 new price. Blog sellers please continue to advise me of any items sold to avoid unnecessary interruptions to yourself and inconvenience to customers. Thank you.

Wendy McMahon Uniform Shop Convenor

Position Vacant

Casual Bus Driver Required

Expressions of interest are invited for the role of casual bus driver. This may involve driving before and after school runs as well as occasional driving throughout the day for excursions, camps etc. Heavy vehicle or commercial driving experience preferred. Please contact Tim Grandy, Business Manager tgrandy@princeofpeace.qld.edu.au if you are interested in this role.





ov.au/TFNapply

Schools can no longer issue Tax File Numbers for students starting work.

How can students apply for a TFN?

Applying online and presenting POI documents at a participating Australia Post Office is the fastest and most convenient way for students to get a TFN. More information on applying online can be found at **ato.gov.au** by searching for 'QC27248'



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UNIFORM

SPORT SCORE

Swimming

Last week our district representatives, Kaitlyn Vidler and Lara Wadham (and their families) braved the wilds of Lawnton for the Regional Swimming Championships. Both girls swam fantastically amongst intense competition and acquitted themselves very well. Final results are yet to be posted, however both girls receive our congratulations for a marvellous effort in making it so far.

Our final swimming event of the summer is the Inter Lutheran Carnival, to be held on Friday at Caboolture. Our team consists of Scarlet Webster, Kai Scott Thompson, Indiana Brown, Ben Vidler, Eden Price, Jack Tully, Sienna Hicks, Brody Pink, Lara Wadham, Liam Jamison, Yubo Hahn, Sam Peterson, Heidi Noon, Riley Peterson, Maya Pingel, Will Peterson, Claudia Tully, Isaac Kyle-Little, Ellie Hastings, Mattias Forbes-Schutz, Charlie Howard-van Beek, Oliver King, Madeline Finney, Ethan Hicks, Kaitlyn Vidler, Gerald Freislich, Anya Wadham, Sasha Mee, Tyla Proctor, Jordan Edwards, Holly Tanner and Oscar Bojcic. Congratulations to all swimmers, we pray for a wonderful day of action and competition.



HPE Week

This week is HPE Week across Queensland. To celebrate we are participating in the Daily Activities Challenge which pits schools from right across the state against each other in a series of interesting, though sometimes obscure, sporting activities. We threw frisbee's on Monday, went all out for 'wall sitting' on Tuesday and played the Grand Final of our 20/20 cricket challenge today (Wednesday). Tomorrow (Thursday) we will be attempting some circle catching and then bustin' out a few soccer/disco moves on Friday. Stay tuned for updates and outcomes.

District Basketball

Cooper Bailey and Harrison Jones are the latest POPstars to display their great talents to the world. Following the trial last week, both boys were selected to represent North District in the upcoming Regional Basketball Championships to be held in a couple of weeks at Boondall. Congratulations boys, we wish you both a wonderful experience and a very successful campaign.

District Trials

The next district teams to be selected are in the sports of Australian football (AFL) and netball. Both trials are held today (Wednesday 4 March) and tomorrow (Thursday 5 March). Boys and girls hockey follows next week – Tuesday 10 March. Full details available from Mr Wooding or via the Met North website - <u>http://www.metnorthsport.qld.edu.au/</u> (then go to the bottom of the page and click on District Sport; then find North in the Primary Districts list or North West in the Secondary Districts list).

Please note the **major** change to the process of registering for the trials. There is now an on-line registration and payment (where applicable) process that **must be** completed prior to attending any district trial. Please follow the prompts from <u>https://schoolshoponline.net.au/northdistrictsports/index.aspx</u>, or see Mr Wooding to get more details. Please also note that some trials occur during school hours and involve a fee. Parents are responsible for registering and paying any appropriate fee through the online process (as above) prior to the trial date and then for organising transport to and from the trial venue for their child/ren.

Interhouse Cricket

The Grand Final of our cricket challenge is to be played today between Jackson and Fraser. On Monday, Bradman and Laver battled it out in the Plate Final, with Bradman emerging victorious by a narrow margin. It has been a wonderful challenge with record scores, record numbers of players and even teachers becoming involved for the first time. Huge congratulations must go to the House Captains and Vice Captains for all their hard work and effort in selecting and encouraging their teams.

Brad Wooding Junior Campus HPE Teacher

CONGRATULATIONS: Sam Luff (7.2) had a fantastic Queensland Junior Athletics Championships last weekend winning Silver in the Hammer Throw; Bronze in the Javelin; and bronze in the Shot Put. Sam is 11 and competed in the Under 14 age group with boys who are already 13. Sam will now represent Queensland at the Australian Junior Athletics Championships in Sydney in 2 weeks. This is Sam's second Nationals as he represented Queensland at the National School Track and Field championships in Tasmania in December 2014.





Like us and join the Conversation! Like our Facebook page, <u>Prince of Peace Lutheran</u> <u>College Everton Hills</u> and keep up to date with news and events around the College.

COMMUNITY NEWS

During the hot weather **Iceblocks** will be available to Y1-6 students on Thursdays! Iceblocks will be available for purchase for **\$1** each for either milk chocolate or tropical fruit juice. Each child is only allowed to purchase one iceblock for themselves.



MSCHOLASTIC

open a world of possible

We still need some **Volunteers** for the 30 minutes of iceblock sales each week. If you would like to go on the roster please contact Jenny at <u>jlynchm@gmail.com</u>.

BOOK CLUB IS BACK FOR 2015!

Book Club offers a convenient way to purchase affordable, age appropriate books to bridge the class-to-home reading connection and keep our children excited about reading.

Your children should have come home with Term 1 catalogues earlier this week (spare copies available from Reception). Orders are due back by Monday March 16.

Our school earns 20% in Scholastic Rewards on all Book Club orders. Last year, this helped us obtain over **\$1800 worth of books and learning resources** for our library, classrooms and kindy.

For more information please contact Book Club coordinator, Carla Griffin. **Phone** 0438 669 957 • **Email** carla@phasetechelectrical.com.au

Special Lunch

Senior Campus Thursday 19 March / Junior Campus Friday 20 March



COMMUNITY

\$6 SUBWAY 6" sub and drink

Ham & Salad or Pizza

\$6 Two SUSHI rolls and drink

Chicken Teryaki, Vegetarian,

\$6 Mini roll Mixed Sushi 8 piece pack and drink

Please leave Order Forms at reception by 9am Thursday 12 March.

If you are able to help with serving, please contact: Junior Campus - Jude <u>judeandcam@hotmail.com</u> and Senior Campus - Lisa <u>nili.m@bigpond.com</u> .



Raise funds for Prince of Peace as you shop at the Great Western Super Centre or with Aussie Farmers



USSIEFARMERSFUNDRAISING.COM.AU

Calling all bakers - The Auxiliary Easter Bake Sale will be held on Wednesday 1 April.

Assistance is required to prepare baked goods for the sale, from any and all PoP families and friends to ensure a successful event. If you are able to help baking or selling on the day, please contact Annette Burns on 0417 404 490 or email <u>sburns@tpg.com.au</u>.

MEALS 4 YOU

Meals 4 You will gratefully receive the following grocery donations for their next cooking day:

UHT milk, tinned tomatoes, breadcrumbs, cornflour, lasagne sheets, tomato soup, jasmine rice, french onion soup mix (powder), Devondale Long life cream, coco, coconut, icing sugar. All donations to be dropped of at either the Junior Campus or Senior Campus. Thank you very much for your on-going support.

If you know of anyone in need please contact Christine at <u>meals4you@princeofpeace.qld.edu.au</u>.

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WEEKLY DEVOTION

Lesson from the surfboard.

Last week, the students across the campus considered a surfboard as an object to reflect about who God is, and who we are... These are some of their thoughts...

- God carries us like a surfboard carries someone on a wave
- Never give up. Things like surfing take practice
- God will help you ride the waves of life
- Like having to wait for a wave, sometimes we have to wait for God
- Just like the fins on the surfboard, God guides us through the paths in life
- Surfboard needs to move forward
- As the surfer can stand on the board, so God holds us up
- We all come in different shapes and sizes
- The waves crashing over us represent our sins being washed away
- Waves can be like life... sometimes calm, sometimes rough. But God is always holding us up

Which of these ideas best appeals to you?

The Bible says...

Have you never heard? Have you never understood? The Lord is the everlasting God, the Creator of all the earth. He never grows weak or weary. No one can measure the depths of his understanding. He gives power to the weak and strength to the powerless. Even youths will become weak and tired, and young men will fall in exhaustion. But those who trust in the Lord will find new strength. They will soar high on wings like eagles. They will run and not grow weary.

They will walk and not faint.

Isaiah 40:28-31New Living Translation (NLT)

I like the reference to 'soaring high on wings like eagles'. Sometimes, things happen in life that make us feel as though we are being smashed by waves. It's during those times, that it is good to remember, God promises to carry us, to help us return once more to flying high.

Fly high. Fly free. Fly far.

Pastor David

CHURCH NEWS

THOUGHT OF THE WEEK

"At the basis of cooperation is the firm conviction that nobody can get there unless we all get there." (Virginia Burden)

PRINCE PEACE UTHERAN CHURCH

WORSHIP THIS SUNDAY 08 MARCH LENT

9am, 6pm Remix

Message: 3. "We need others in order to grow."

CHURCH NOTICES:

- 8 MARCH 11am **YE OLDE SUNDAY SCHOOL PICNIC.** Sylvia Gibbs Park, Nyora St, Everton Park. Ice Cream and Games. BYO chairs, rugs and picnic lunch. Fun for the whole family!
- LCAQD LENTEN MISSION APPEAL The Lenten Mission Appeal is supporting the important work of young adult ministry in 2015. Our goal is that through your support we will develop an intensive program that will not only create leaders for our churches, but will also create leaders that will influence the culture around them with the values of the Kingdom of God.
- WORLD DAY OF PRAYER Christians from the Bahamas will lead this year's Prayer service on Friday 6 March 9:30am at All Saints Anglican Church, 86 Cobbity Crescent, Arana Hills. For more information on the World Day of Prayer use the <u>World Day of Prayer</u>

HOLY WEEK AND EASTER WORSHIP

Maundy Thursday 7:30pm Good Friday 9am Easter Sunday 6am and 9pm (No Remix service)



CHURCH

YEAR 5 and 10 BUDDIES

Engineering Challenge A fantastic time was had by all as the Year 5 and 10 students finished off their amazing marble runs. It was beautiful to see the collaboration, creativity and teamwork as everyone worked hard to make the best marble run they could. What a challenge? How long can you make the marble stay on the run? Congratulations to the team that managed a 16.2 second run, not an easy feat. We can't wait to meet again and enjoy other fantastic opportunities with each other.

Anne-Marie Schmidt Year 5 Teacher

What's Coming Up at Prince of Peace

Further information on any of the activities listed below can be found on the College website Calendar of Events.

| 5 March | Senior | Y11/12 Music excursion | QPAC |
|-------------|---------|---|-----------------------|
| 9 March | Senior | Y7 SOSE excursion | Abbey Museum |
| 12 March | Senior | Y11/12 Drama incursion - Zen Zen Zo | |
| 12 March | Senior | Y9 Mt Binga Information evening 7pm | R4/5/6 |
| 17 March | Senior | Y7-12 Senior Campus Formal Photos | |
| 17 March | Junior | Y5 Gold Rush excursion | |
| 18 March | | Auxiliary meeting 8.45am | Junior Campus Kitchen |
| 18 March | Junior | P-Y6 Junior Campus Formal Photos | |
| 19 March | | Junior Campus Tours | Ctc Donna Cook |
| 19 March | Senior | Y7-12 Special Lunch day | |
| 20 March | Junior | Y1-6 Special Lunch day | |
| 25 March | | P&F Association meeting 7pm | Junior Campus Library |
| 26 March | Senior | Y8 Medieval Day | |
| 27 March | Senior | Y10 Legal excursion | District Courts |
| 31 March | Jnr/Snr | Y3-12 Cross Country Carnival | |
| 31 Mar-1Apr | Junior | Parent/ Teacher conferences | |
| 1 April | Senior | Y8 Immunisations | |
| 2 April | Junior | Closing chapel/Easter Worship 8.30am | Junior Campus Chapel |
| 3 April | | Good Friday | |
| 20 April | | Term 2 commences | |
| 20-24 April | Junior | Y6 Canberra Trip | |

PRINCE PEACE UTHERAN COLLEGE Prince of Peace Lutheran College school@princeofpeace.qld.edu.au www.princeofpeace.qld.edu.au

Junior School (P-6) P: 07 3872 5700

Middle & Senior School P: 07 3872 5600 Student absences: absences@princeofpeace.qld.edu.au Junior Campus: 07 3872 5700 Senior Campus: 07 3872 5656

Prince of Peace Lutheran Church P: 07 3872 5757 (Tues-Fri) evertonhills.qld@lca.org.au www.princeofpeace.org.au



CALENDAR





Term 1 Week 6

Extra Curricular Activities



Australian Government Department of Defence



Calling Defence families with young kids...

KidSMART Deployment is a program for primary aged kids to help them manage deployment and parental absence.

KidSMART mascot, Tyler Turtle, will help kids learn how to manage change and how to stay connected with their absent parent.

The workshop will cover other things, like helping children to cope when feeling stressed or anxious. Tyler Turtle will provide some great tips and hints for handling emotions, and kids can learn some great relaxation techniques, too. The children get to meet others in the source interpreter the source of the same circumstance.

Sessions are once a week for 1 to 1.5 hours per session and all children receive a copy of the Tyler Turtle story book to take home

| WHERE | Gallipoli Barracks Community Centre | | |
|-------|---|--|--|
| WHEN | Thursday 19 and 26 March 2015 3.30pm – 5pm | | |
| | To register your child or for more information marg.crowley@defence.gov.au or 07 3354 0500 | | |

LIKE Defence Community Organisation on Facebook to receive updates and event info in your newsfeed nterests

Mountain Bike Orienteering Event.

FREE: "Come and Try It" day.

Saturday Sat. 14th March, 2014.

Searching for targets in the forest on your bike.





Please donate if you can, and let's once again shine the light of God's love into a situation where it is desperately needed. Your donation will assist congregations in cyclone-affected areas to care in the name of Christ.

TO DONATE:

JUNIOR CAMPUS

By Cheque LCAQD Disaster & Relief Fund PO Box 1535 Milton Qld 4064 Donations are tax-deductible

By Electronic Funds Transfer LCAQD Disaster & Relief Fund BSB 704942 Acct No 122304

By Credit Card w.gld.lca.org.au/disaster-assistance



Click LINK for further information

Children's Safety Australia Inc. presents

International Women's Day Children's Safety Luncheon



In recognition of the strong connection

between women's and children's rights, Children's Safety Australia Inc. is hosting an International Women's Day Luncheon with a focus on practical strategies to promote children's safety. Speakers include internationally renowned children's rights campaigner Professor Freda Briggs and

accomplished author Tess Rowley.

VENUE: Pullman Brisbane King George Square

DATE: Monday, 9 March 2015

TIME: 9.30am (for a 10.00am start) -



Kids Self Esteem



Kids Self Esteem is for children aged 6-12 years old. Children will participate in weekly workshops to explore and build self esteem



- What is self esteem? High and low self esteem
- How to enhance your self esteem
- Feelings and emotions
- Resiliency and children Bullying
- What are friends
- Recognising strengths This course is full of fun, interactive and practical activities.

| WHERE: | Pine Rivers Neighbourhood Centre 865 Gympie Road Lawnton |
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| WHEN: | 30th April—28th May 2015 (Thursday afternoons) |
| TIME: | 3.30pm - 5.00pm (afternoon tea is provided) |
| COST: | \$30 for entire course |

For more information please contact Encircle on 3889 0063 or email christinek@prnc.org.au