

Looking For What Is Good

Having an outlook in life that firsts asks the question of, 'What is good?', helps us to maintain a sense of abundance in our own lives and a healthy respect for the gifts that others possess. It helps to keep perspective around situations that become more challenging. In all of our relationships if we first start with what is good, we can build solid foundations on which to grow. By focusing on what is good, we create a climate of optimism, connection and build resilience. We then are equipped to bring our best selves into relationships and situations and enable others to do the same.

In our prayers, beginning with thanks for the many blessings we have before our requests for help, is a truly good way to start and end each day.

Principal's Log

This week our Year 12 students completed practice for the Queensland Core Skills Test (QCS). This test assesses the learning that students have had the opportunity to develop over their 13 years of schooling. Based on Year 10 content, it has a strong focus on higher order thinking including interpretation, analysis and synthesis and expects that students can apply their learnings in a sophisticated and well educated way. Students prepare for this test by strong engagement in their learning over their life at school. Reading widely, being thorough and engaging with challenging unfamiliar tasks to the best of student's ability helps to grow intellectual capacity. While the real preparation occurs throughout students' education, students through Year 12 work to develop test awareness around the QCS. We thank all teachers for their preparation over the years and Ms Arahill, Miss Ross and Mrs Hall for the specific preparation that occurs in Year 12 leading up to the test.

Staff, students and parents enjoyed the 3 on 3 basketball competition last Friday night organised by the Pacific Action Group - Sport in conjunction with the Cambodian team. Thank you to the Action Group and to Mr Hauser for his organisation of a healthy and highly successful community building event.

The U12 PLC rugby team won the southern division of the All Schools Rugby Competition in Caloundra this week. The team played three pool matches and then a final and were undefeated in all games and only had 3 tries scored against

them in 4 games. The boys played and represented themselves and the school very well. We wish them all the best as they now go on to play in the finals against the winning schools from the central and northern division early next term. Thank you to student Matthew O'Keefe and Mr Darren Hooper for their coaching of the team.

Middle and senior college students have completed major tests for this semester and will now commence new units. This is an important learning time for all students' right up until the end of term.

May we begin and end each day with prayers of thanks for the good things in our lives. May God equip us to see the good in even the most challenging of situations and people.

Dr Bronwyn Dolling, Principal

Daily Bread

Body Life

Glenn McGrath is honoured in Australian cricketing history as one of our greatest bowlers of all time. If you asked him about the turning point in his cricketing career, he would tell you about his mum, Beverly. Glenn is a boy from the bush in NSW. One day he was invited to go to Sydney for tryouts for the

State team and the rest is history. How did the teenage Glenn McGrath get to the tryouts? Beverly drove him. That single act of generosity by his mum has given us the champion we know today. Glenn has been honoured with an Order of Australia, NSW Man of the Year and he has been admitted to the Cricket and Sport Australia Halls of Fame.

We wonder how important or useful we are in the great scheme of things. There is a response to this in the Bible where we read about the image of the "body". St Paul tells us that each part of the body works with the other parts. Each is an important part of the whole, no matter how insignificant that part may appear. St Paul goes on to say, "On the contrary, the members of the body that seem to be weaker are indispensable, and those members of the body that we think less honourable we clothe with greater honour, and our less respectable members are treated with greater respect; whereas our more respectable members do not need this. But God has so arranged the body, giving the greater honour to the inferior member."

Let us celebrate all the people of our community great and small.

God grant us eyes to see how important we are to His "great scheme of things". Amen.

Pastor Paul Smith, College Pastor

From the Director of Students

Article 12 of the United Nations Convention on the Rights of the Child discusses the rights of children and young people to express an opinion and to have that opinion taken into account when decisions are being made that affects them. Recently, there has been some good discussion on educational blogs around Article 12 and empowering the student voice. According to OECD research, 20% of Australian students do not feel as if they belong at their school. One key way to involve and empower students is to encourage student ownership of the school. To do this, schools need to listen to student's views on a range of issues.

At Pacific, students are encouraged to express their opinions on school issues that concern or involve them. There are several ways that we do this:

- Through our recent Strategic Planning Day - students were able to work with staff and parents to express their opinions on developing teaching and learning into the future, how to

continue to integrate technology into the school and to discuss the core of our Pastoral Care.

- Through the recently completed Pacific as a Peace Place survey students were able to comment on how they find the college as an individual.
- Through our Restorative Processes that gives students the chance to discuss and own the process when relationships break down.
- Through the fact that relationships are valued and sit at the core of our Pastoral Care between staff and students.
- Through student leader meetings across levels and houses.
- Through the Pacific Action Groups.

Currently, the voice of the student is important at Pacific as we develop policies across the school. It is something that should hopefully continue to grow in the future as we work with our students and as young people become generally more empowered in society.

Mr Brendan Delaney, Director of Students

School Dance

School Dance

P-6



Theme: Thrift Shop (Op Shop)
When: Friday 20th June 2014
Time: 4.45pm - 6.30pm
Where: Pacific Lutheran College Gym
Cost: \$5 entry
Sausages and drinks available for purchase on the night.

"Nobody cares if you can't dance well.
Just get up and dance."
— Dave Barry



Years 7-12 Dance
Theme: Thrift Shop
Date: Friday 20th June 2014
Time: 7.00pm – 9.00pm
Entry: \$5
Where: Pacific Lutheran College Gym
Sausages and drinks available for purchase on the night.

Jason Wulff
Ruby King

Tegan Graves

You Can Do It Awards

This Week Monday, 16th June

Persistence: Cam Costa and Jaxon Perrin.

Organisation: Laayla McAuliffe, Charlie Whatham and Paige Carter.

Getting Along: Priya Miles and Macey Winter Oliver.

Other Awards

Mathletics

Congratulations to the following recipients:

- Bronze Mitchell Pyke and Jett Forman
- Gold Harrison Whitelaw, Carta Costa and Blaze Jamieson

Stockland Spirit Award

Congratulations to Jackson Bailey for winning this award for Judo.

Food for Thought

Effective Communication Skills

People communicate all the time but communicating well, especially with those we are close to, takes thoughtful and ongoing effort. In close relationships, it is important to be able to communicate effectively about feelings, needs and wants as well as about ideas and opinions. The most important part of effective communication is listening. Children, as well as adults, will talk more if they are confident they will be listened to.

<http://extension.missouri.edu/p/GH6123>

Mrs Annie Williams, School Counsellor

Students of the Week

Stars of the Week - This Week Monday, 16th June

Prep	Ned Brandenburg	Taj McCulloch
	Mia Roberts	Gemma McVean
Year 1	Tarryn Fawke	Jay Ricotta
	Jack Raymond	
Year 2	Marcus Phythian	Mia McEvoy
	Sarah Timperley	Riley Dixon
	Luke Harrys	Jack Young
	Archie Palmer	
Year 3	Georgia Rembacz	Mia Underhill
Year 4	Matthias Schlotterbach	Ruby Anderson
	Sophie Wilkinson	
Year 5	Saleen Grixti	Year 5S
	William Bell	Nicholas Copley
	Matthew Campbell	Indie-Mae Temenes
	Caitlyn Barry	Sebastian Sorrell

Library News

Readers' Cup

On Wednesday, 4th June our Year 6 Readers' Cup team competed in the Sunshine Coast regional competition, held at Immanuel Lutheran College. The team: Atlanta Hopewell, Caitlin Hoffman, Caitlin Hall, Tayla Gorham and Thomas McLaughlin-Phillips have been busying reading the five selected books over the last couple of months. They competed against teams from 23 other schools and had to know the books very well to answer the very detailed questions. The team did a great job and expanded their reading horizons. Congratulations to Chevallum State School who were the winners on the day.



Overdues and Holiday Borrowing

Please ensure that your child returns all their library books before the end of term. Your child will have received overdue notices in class or PCG this week. Students may borrow up to 10 items over the holidays once their current loans have been returned.

Ms Keen, Teacher Librarian

*Mrs Michiko Hauser and Ms Melissa Pietrala,
Year 5 Japanese teachers*

Year 5 Japanese

This term in Japanese, the Year 5 students have been learning about Japanese sport carnivals and recently performed a captain speech. Congratulations to the following students who were voted to be captains for their team by their classmates.

- 5A: Niels Whiteley, Cosette Winter Oliver, Tegan Graves, Kirra Langmead and Jason Wulff.
- 5S: Ella Hockam, Seana Garrett, Billy Hocken, Jarrod Goodwin and Imogen Layfield.
- 5C: Ella Wildman, Ellie Dixon, Jayda Lowe, Indie-Mae Temenes and Caitlyn Barry.

Friends of Pacific

Connecting College and Community

The next Friends of Pacific meeting will be held on Tuesday, 15th July at 7.00pm in the Library meeting room.

Thank you to those who attended the last meeting of Tuesday, 17th June.

Thank You

Friends of Pacific would like to thank all those involved with the Annual Golf Day on Sunday, 25th May and the Junior Athletics Carnival on Tuesday, 10th June.

Upcoming Events

Friends of Pacific will be providing a sausage sizzle and drinks at the **College Dance** this Friday, 20th June. All willing helpers are very welcome.

OCEANFest14 organising continues with sponsorship and prizes now being finalised and really exciting.

OCEANFest14 Platinum Sponsor

This week, Friends of Pacific is proud to introduce to you our Platinum Sponsor, Newwave Orthodontics of Caloundra.

Peter Miles from Newwave Orthodontist is very highly qualified and experienced, and combines scientific, cutting-edge, orthodontic technology with artistic approach to create excellent outcomes.

See more about Newwave Orthodontics at the end of this newsletter.

OCEANFest14 Pre-Raffle

Friends of Pacific will be conducting an exciting raffle in the lead-up to OCEANFest14. Ladies, win a styling session and a shopping spree! Tickets will be on sale at the College Dance on Friday night. See the attached flyer for details.

Business Directory

Friends of Pacific is working on the Business Directory for the college website and later for an electronic format.

Please email expressions of interest to fop@paciflutheran.qld.edu.au.

The primary focus of establishing the directory is so that the college community of families may more easily support other families through business.

The directory will be open to families of the college for a nominal annual charge that will assist Friends of Pacific fundraising.

Mrs Tracey Hindmarsh, Chairperson Friends of Pacific

Sports News

SECONDARY SPORT

3 on 3 Basketball

Last week was the first 3 on 3 Basketball tournament for the Year 8 - 12 students. It was a fantastic night for all with 18

teams competing for the championship title across three divisions. The winning teams on the night were Team Jez (Junior Division), Question Mark (Intermediate Division) and The Muppets (Senior Division). We also had many teams dress up in team 'uniforms' to add to the atmosphere of the night.

There was some great support from all students, parents, staff as well as the Cambodia team who provided a sausage sizzle and cold drinks on the night. Thank you to all who were a part of the night. Look out for the next one in Term 4!





Student Success

Congratulations to Natasha and Niels Whiteley who competed in the National Judo Championships last week. Both competed well and learned a great deal from the experience. Natasha did exceptionally well and ended up finishing 4th in the nation! This is a fantastic effort from both students and we wish them all the best for their future judo endeavours. Well done Natasha and Niels.



Mr Mark Hauser, Head of Sport

Pacific Soccer Update



Round 11 - 14th June

Following the break for the State Titles, regular games resumed last weekend and saw 16 Pacific



Soccer teams playing away games across the Coast. Our U14B Pacific Seahorses had a bye last weekend and are away on their Year 10 camp this week.

Thank you to our many families who have shared photos on our Facebook and have also supported the site, which has allowed the excitement and the enjoyment of the sport to be shared throughout our community.



Our U11A Pacific Sharks played third place Buderim Bandicoots. Although they were beaten on the day, their teamwork is continuing to improve throughout a difficult season

which is also helped by the ongoing support and encouragement provided by their many fans and spectators.

The U11B competition is hotting up and our Pacific Snappers moved into second place with their 3 - 0 win against Currimundi Piranhas on Saturday. However, with only three points between second place and sixth place, all the teams will have to be playing well to remain in the top four and earn the right to play in the finals series.

The Pacific Snappers played again on Tuesday night in their Round 21 game against Caloundra Black. The team managed to score against Caloundra but it was their impressive defensive effort and excellent goal keeping which allowed them to keep the 1 - 0 lead, and ultimately take the game.

Our U12B Pacific Hammerheads have the best defensive record in their age group, letting in only 6 goals in the first 11 rounds. Last weekend they played a close fought game against Caloundra White and, although Caloundra managed to score, the Hammerheads took the game with a 2 - 1 well-earned victory.

Our U14A Pacific Marlins played Bli Bli Braves in a closely fought game, which saw the teams nil all at half-time. With 15 minutes remaining, Bli Bli scored to take the lead but the Marlins equalised with a penalty shortly after. The final few minutes were hectic with opportunities on both sides, and Bli Bli finally found the back of the net with only two minutes remaining to record a 2 - 1 win.

Best and Fairest Award

At the start of the season we mentioned SCCSA have a Best and Fairest Award for U9 - U16 teams which is based on points given by the match referee for each game for Team Spirit, Coaching Spirit and Attitude to Referee. These points are accumulated throughout the season and are shown on the SCCSA website. The highest ranked team receives a special award at the end of the season to celebrate their achievement.

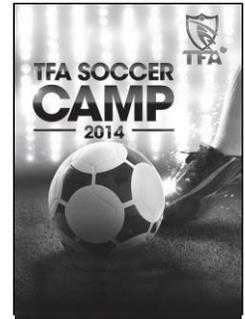
At this stage (updated 31st May), our U11B Pacific Snappers are in 6th place overall (out of 133 teams) which has been helped by their 4th place on the Team Spirit ranking and 7th place on their Attitude to the Referee. The U14B Pacific Seahorses also have an impressive 5th place on the Team Spirit ranking and are in 14th place overall.

At the end of this season, Pacific Soccer will be recognising the highest ranked Pacific team with our own award. Please remember, how you play the game is more important than the result and showing respect for the other players, their coach and the referees is important if you want your team to be respected within the competition.

Upcoming Holiday Soccer Camps

If you are looking for some extra training over the upcoming school holidays, we have a few options to tempt your eager players.

Caloundra City Soccer Club is hosting the TFC Soccer Camp for U6 - U16 players. The camp will run at the Caloundra fields from Monday, 30th June to Wednesday, 2nd July from 9.00am to 2.30pm. A flyer has been included with registration details.



Sunshine Coast FC are hosting a Fire World Cup Holiday Camp which is open to all players from U6 - U16 and will be divided into different groups, based on age and ability. The camp will be run from Monday, 30th June to Thursday, 3rd July at Stockland Park West from 9.00am to 12.00 noon. For more information and registration, please visit the SCFC web site at academy.sunshinecoastfc.com.au.



Friendly Games Between U13B / U14B Teams

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

U14B Pacific Seahorses will be playing as follows:

- Round 17 on Saturday, 9th August vs U13 Immanuel Vipers at 3.35pm at Pacific.

Make-up Games for U14B Pacific Seahorses

Due to school excursions, the Pacific Seahorses will be missing their games on 21st June (Round 12) and 28th June (Round 13). These games will be replayed as follows:

- Round 12 (vs Palmwoods Pirates) on Tuesday, 22nd July at 6.00pm at Palmwoods.
- Round 13 (vs Caloundra Black) on Tuesday, 29th July at 7.00pm at Mudjimba.

Sponsorship Opportunities

Pacific Soccer has always appreciated the generous support of our local and family businesses that sponsor the match jerseys which are worn by our teams. The jerseys are worn every week during our season and also appear in our team photos



and school newsletter and therefore continue the exposure which any jersey sponsorship will provide.



The jerseys are kept for around five seasons and, therefore, provide ongoing promotion for any business for many years. Sponsorship is available for several sets of jerseys at \$550 for smaller teams (U6-U8), and \$750 for U9+ teams.

We will also be including extra exposure through our Facebook page which will provide opportunities for our

sponsors and our families and will benefit our club and our players. If you would like to promote your business and sponsor a team, please contact us immediately.



Pacific Soccer Supporters Gear

Pacific Soccer has an extensive range of shirts, caps, beanies, jackets and bags at the canteen which are available for purchase at the canteen. The sale of the merchandise helps the club to provide equipment for our teams, so please show your support for the club.



Round 12 – 21st June

This weekend we are playing another home game at Pacific with games commencing at 8.30am and the U14A Pacific Marlins are playing the last game which kicks off at 2.20pm. Unfortunately our U12B Pacific Hammerheads are playing away at Fishermans Road and our U14B Pacific Seahorses are away on the Year 10 camp, so we will not be able to see either of these teams playing at home this weekend.

Each manager will have game times, or visit www.SCCSA.org.au or call us for more info.

Thank You from the Pacific Soccer Canteen



This weekend, U6 Jewelfish, U7 Stingrays, U8 Eels and U9 Cobras have been asked to run the canteen for the morning shift. The U11 Sharks, U11



Snappers and U14 Marlins will be taking over in the afternoon.

We would like to thank the many families from our teams who have previously helped out in the canteen this year and have helped to make our home games a success for our players, spectators, club and the school.

Following this weekend, Round 13 (28th June) will also be played at Pacific with our final home games for the regular season being played on 2nd August and 9th August. When your manager asks for volunteers for the canteen roster, please include your name on the roster and allow the work load to be shared and ease the burden on our regular hard-working volunteers in the canteen.

Pacific Soccer Contacts

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

Mr Ian Barnes, President

Uniform Shop

The Uniform Shop is open every:

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

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

Mrs Donna Hollindale, Uniform Shop Coordinator

Upcoming Dates

JUNE

16-27	Year 10 Camp	
20	College Dance	
	- Prep - Year 6	4.45pm - 6.30pm
	- Year 7 - 12	7.00pm - 9.00pm
26	K-12 Chapel	
26	Prep – Year 5 Reports	
26	Last Day Term 2	

- 27 Student Free Day
- 29,30 New Zealand Rugby and Netball Tour

JULY

- 1-5 New Zealand Rugby and Netball Tour
- 14 Student Free Day
- 15 Term 3 Commences
- 15 Friends of Pacific Meeting (7.00pm)
- 16 Author's Visit – Years 7-9
- 16 Year 11 Subject Selection Evening (7.00pm)
- 18 Year 8-12 House Athletics Day (University of Sunshine Coast)
- 19,20 Tertiary Studies Expo (Brisbane)

Did You Know?

A blind chameleon is still able to change the colour of its skin to match its environment.

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ST MARK'S LUTHERAN CHURCH

Invites You to
Sunday Services:

- 8.00am St Mark's Lutheran Church
16 Bombala Terrace, Caloundra
- 9.30am Pacific Lutheran College
Woodlands Boulevard, Meridan Plains
Worship in the Drama Room.

"Growing in Jesus Christ and Sharing His Love"

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

*All newsletters can be accessed in a printable
format via our website*

www.pacificlutheran.qld.edu.au, click on the
"News and Events" tab, then "Publications".



When: Monday, 14th July
2014 8.30am – 2.30pm
At: PLC
Cost: \$75

To secure your spot on the course (by Friday, 20th June) or if you would like any further information, see Miss Devitt.
cdevitt@pacluth.qld.edu.au

Name: _____ Class: _____

I am aware that this day is a student free day

Payment of course is to the cash office directly by cash or credit card. Do not give it to your teacher.

Signature: _____

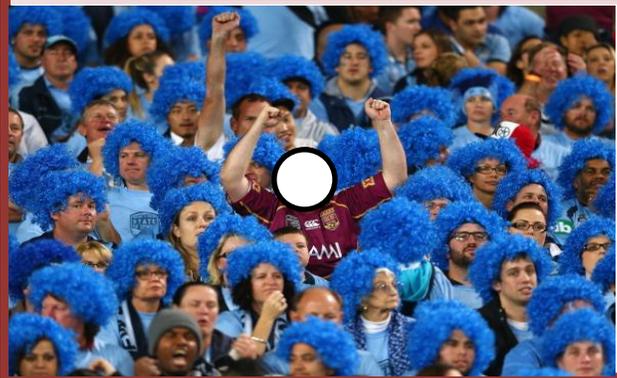


WIN 2 PASSES TO 2014

STATE OF ORIGIN Game 3 – 9th July, 2014

Is this you in a sea of blue?

Ticket details - \$20 each



Package includes - 2 box seats on the half-way line, drinks and snacks.
 Winner needs to find own transport and accommodation to/from the game.

See Student Teams (Year 7 -11) for tickets

- Year 11 Boys Bike Team
- Year 9 Solar Car Teams
- Year 10 Girls Bike Team
- Year 7 Solar Boat Teams



Proudly donated by ProRotor Australia to support the Pacific Lutheran 2014 Maryborough Technology Challenge Teams. Prize Drawn on Tuesday, 24th June.



Introducing our Platinum Sponsor for OCEANfest 2014 Newwave Orthodontics . . .

Newwave Orthodontics aspires to create beautiful smiles for their patients, in a warm, comfortable and friendly environment. Newwave Orthodontics is at the forefront of orthodontics, using scientific evidence and an artistic approach to create beautiful fully functioning smiles. Dr Peter Miles is a qualified specialist in orthodontics and renowned as a leader in his field.

Background . . .

Dr Peter Miles was born in Gympie and later moved to Caloundra where his father was the first principal of Caloundra State High School. He then attended Brisbane State High School and enrolled in the University of Queensland's Bachelor of Dental Science, before graduating with honours in 1985. To become a registered specialist orthodontist, Dr Miles then attended the orthodontic program at the University of Pittsburgh achieving his Certificate of Orthodontics and Masters of Dental Science in 1994, graduating first in his class.

Present . . .

Dr Miles is a member of the Australian Society of Orthodontics, the American Association of Orthodontics and is certified by the Australian Orthodontic Board. In addition to his full time orthodontic practice, Dr Miles teaches future orthodontists at the University of Queensland, the University of Sydney and Seton Hill University in the USA and is involved in orthodontic research. When not practicing orthodontics, Dr Miles enjoys spending time with his family, water skiing and keeping fit and healthy.

Dr Miles has published over 40 research papers and book chapters and has been invited to lecture around the world. He has also published an orthodontic textbook titled Evidence Based Clinical Orthodontics where Dr Miles worked on the book as an editor and an author of several chapters.

Technology . . .

In order to provide the best service possible for clients, high quality dental technology is utilised. By blending dental science with art, Newwave are able to continually update processes for streamlined treatments and optimal outcomes.

iTero Scanner and Invisalign . . .

Keeping up-to-date with dental technology allows Newwave to provide a better and more efficient experience. The Cadent iTero digital scanner system takes highly accurate virtual 3D impressions of your teeth which we then send over the internet to have your aligners manufactured using CAD/CAM technology. The technology used for Invisalign is revolutionary, and Newwave are proud to offer this treatment to patients from teens to adults!



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