After months of preparation the Prendiville Plunge has come and gone. I am certain the memories and effect of the event will be everlasting for our community. This event needed many things to be in place for it to happen.

Firstly, it needed three passionate, energetic, visionary ladies to drive the event. We had this in Mrs Joanne Lewis, Mrs Denny Piovesan and Mrs Samantha Lenaghan. The time, effort, commitment that this team put in over the last six months has been extraordinary. Thank you to Jo for your vision and drive. Thank you to Denny for your amazing support and diligence to whatever you do. Thank you to Sam for your inspiration and amazing generosity of time. These three amazing ladies and their commitment who inspire a very active P and F group to energise our community. Thank you to the three of you for believing in the possibilities within our College community.

Secondly, it needed an expert in risk and large scale risk management. We had this in Mr Scott Wakefield and Mrs Julie Foster who provided the necessary background and risk management expertise to ensure the event was safely run.

Thirdly, we needed a large number of parent volunteers to provide expertise, leadership and supervision of all the stations. Our parents came in droves to support the event. Devon Hollywood donated all the scaffolding and Andrew Davies donated many supplies. There were six teams that coordinated five stations each to bring the dream to reality.

Fourthly, we needed College support from our staff. I am always proud of our staff who enter into the spirit of such events with great enthusiasm. Many were helpers and many participated. I single out Mrs Pam Harvey who has worked above and beyond to help with the administration of the event and Mr Rand McCoy who inspired our staff.

Fifthly, we needed a compliant and enthusiastic student body that would participate and spectate such an event responsibly. There was no doubt our students would respond positively. They were magnificent in all respects. Thank you to all students, those who participated and those who were spectators.

With the right weather and attitude the Plunge was conducted in a joyous, supportive and engaging way for everyone, even if you were not an actual participant. It was an historic day for our community. A day that celebrated not only our 30 year anniversary but a positive future of parents, staff and students working together.

**aCROSS the World Project**

We certainly don’t do things by halves at PCC. This week also saw the launch of our aCROSS the World Project. Inspired by the amazing crosses created last year at the College, we have committed to placing one beautiful class cross in one Catholic School in every country in the world. Students and staff will work together to research schools in each country.

The crosses will be created and delivered with a special message that explains the crosses as a gift in our 30th year, which we celebrate in this Year of Mercy.

The project is now well under way and the prototype cross (left) has been made. Thank you to Mrs Lynn Vroombout, Mr Warwick Palmateer, Ms Karen Black and Mr Terry Raphael who will provide key leadership of the project which will come together as an exciting Cross Curricular Project.

**HOLY WEEK**

We began Holy week on Sunday. The aCROSS the world project also reminds us that Holy Week is a time of sorrow and optimism. The resurrected cross provides a sense of hope, faith and optimism for a magnificent future. I wish everyone a happy, holy, reflective and wonderful Easter period.

For your children

Mark Antulov
Prendiville Plunge
WINTER UNIFORM

Students and parents are reminded of the change to winter uniform for all students from the first day of Term 2. The College blazer is a compulsory item that must be worn to and from school until the end of PCG each morning. Dresses that require alteration must be ready for the first day of term to sit neatly at the top of the knee.

HAVE SUM FUN MATHEMATICS COMPETITION

On Friday 11th March, a team of students represented Prendiville Catholic College at the annual Have Sum Fun Mathematics Competition. The 25 teams from 18 schools north of the river took part in the competition, which was held at Hale School. The competition takes the form of a Quiz Night, where teams of students work together to solve four rounds of eight challenging problem solving questions.

The Year 11 and 12 team members for 2016 were:
Year 11 Brittany Fitzgerald, Cooper Francis, Madison Poole
Year 12 Elena Boothroyd, James Correia, Adam D’Ascenzo

The students worked well together as a team, and are to be congratulated for their performance and their fantastic efforts on the night. They were a credit to themselves and the College for participating fully in the competition and for achieving a very commendable 10th place.

It was a great experience had by all, best wishes to the Junior and Intermediate Have Sum Fun teams for their competitions this Friday.

Tam Nguyen
Mathematics teacher

One of the questions on the night…. (you are welcome to try solving this!):

At noon a train leaves Perth for Albany and at the same time a train leaves Albany for Perth. It takes one train eight hours and the other twenty-two hours to complete the trip.
If both trains maintain constant speeds, at what time do they pass each other?
This year over 440 students nominated to participate in the Swimming Carnival. Once again, greater depth of swimming prowess was revealed, with students given the opportunity to participate in unlimited events. Our experienced swimmers demonstrated maturity, taking their performance to the next level and the students who have been attending Swim Training consistently, also saw an improvement in their times. Congratulations to all students who had a go and participated for their House on the day.

Champion House for 2016 was Salvado, who boasted the highest number of participants and displayed consistently good results from the first race of the day. Individual Age Champions & Golden Bear will be formally announced at the next Whole School Assembly with the list of new records.

Lastly, a big thank you to the many staff, parents/guardians and Prendiville Alumni who assisted with various roles throughout the event - Leah Lloyd, Rosa Da Silva, Julie Pigdon, Rebecca Coyne, Damon Lusk, Laura Mahony, Harry Crosby, Stephanie Michielsen, Mark Keenan, Jackie Martin, Annette Rampant, Chelsea Wenz, Karen Holmes, Hilary Mann, Annica Odina, Sandra Vines, Samantha Lenaghan, U19 Champion Boy Tristan De Villiers (class of 2015) and Head Boy Robbie Colbourne (Class of 2015). In addition, previous Sports Achievement Award winner Tarnica Golisano (Class of 2013), assisted students with coaching and block starts.

It was proven once again that events such as the Interhouse Swimming Carnival would not happen or run the way it did without the support of the College community.

Thanks to everyone involved!

Marius Ndiaye
Acting Head of Health and Physical Education
SPORTS NOTICES

ACC Swimming
Thank you to all students and parents for your support throughout the 2016 Swimming season. The season will officially close following the ACC carnival next Tuesday 22nd March. Irrespective of our results this season has been a huge success. The number of attendees at training sessions since they commenced in week 2 this term and the number of competitors at the Interhouse Carnival earlier this week gives myself, our Swimming coaches and the PE staff great confidence that we will put forward our best possible performance.

For those students who have been named in the ACC Team to compete next week, all documentation including event allocations, program booklets and permission slip information is all available via the Schools SPORTAL page on SEQTA. Best of luck to all those swimmers.

CAS Sport
Well done to all teams on your performances following the Bye week against Lake Joondalup. We have 1 more round to play against Irene McCormack before our second bye over the Easter long weekend. Finals will take place in Week 10 for those teams who have finished in the top 2 in their respective competition.

Please check the SPORTAL page for all ladders, fixtures and results.

The Round 5 fixture against Irene McCormack will adopt a different format to the norm for our Senior Students. All senior teams will be playing at PCC on that day (Senior Boys/ Girls Basketball, Senior Boys/ Girls Volleyball and Senior Girls Touch Rugby. All girls’ fixtures will commence at 4pm and will wrap up by 4:45. Immediately following this the Boys teams will commence their games to be finished by 5:30. I encourage all members of the College community to come along and spectate at any of the games being played.

SPORTAL
For parents and students who have not visited the SPORTAL page on SEQTA yet I would strongly recommend doing so. All information relating to sporting opportunities at the College are posted and advertised on this page and is updated regularly.

Important information to view currently is our links to the School Sport WA Interstate teams. Many of these including Soccer, AFL and Basketball are approaching their close of nominations dates. All relevant information can be viewed at the SSWA website.

Sporting Excellence
Rachel McDonald (Year 11) has recently been named in the Western Australia Indoor Netball Team. She will be competing in Mackay later this year in the National Championships.
Alyssa Burgess (Year 8) has qualified for the National Swimming Age Championships and will be competing in Adelaide over the Easter weekend.
Congratulations to Sharne Wakefield (Year 9) on her recent selection to represent the Calisthenics Association of Western Australia’s Intermediate State Team 2016.

Jamie Birrell
Sports Coordinator
First Training Band Rehearsal for the Year
Last Friday morning saw the first rehearsal for the Training Band led by Miss Broderick. Students were selected from over 80 applicants to be a part of the Specialised Band Program, learning on String, Brass, Woodwind and Percussion instruments. Students in Training Band have only been learning their instruments for 4 weeks, but have made amazing progress by displaying the music program values of Focus, Attitude, Commitment and Excellence.

Concert Winds Sectional Rehearsal
Our dedicated musicians in Concert Winds had a special rehearsal last Saturday morning in the Performing Arts Centre to prepare for the Sydney Music Tour in July. The students split up into groups according to their instrument and rehearsed their parts with their instrumental tutor. This rehearsal was highly beneficial to the students and the Concert Winds as a whole in the lead up to the tour and other planned performances throughout the year.

Keep in Touch!
Keep updated with the upcoming events, rehearsals and concerts in Performing Arts by using our Team Up Calendar link: http://teamup.com/ks1e76112061c15a07/

CITY OF JOONDALUP DISABILITY AWARENESS WEEK ART COMPETITION

Congratulations to Elizabeth Vines (Year 7) who was awarded second prize in the Disability Awareness Week Art Competition 2015. Her artwork delivered the message of social inclusion within sport and recreation. She was presented with a certificate and her prize by Mr Antulov.
PRENDIVILLE DANCE COMPANY

On Wednesday 9th March over 50 students from Years 8-12 auditioned to be a part of the 2016 Prendiville Dance Company. The Dance Department would like to congratulate the 36 successful applicants who are now part of this elite team. Under the directorship of Mrs Johnson, the Dance Company have their eyes set on winning the Secondary Dance Shield for the third time at the Catholic Performing Arts Festival in late August, where they will compete against over 40 other Catholic schools across Western Australia. They will be rehearsing on Wednesday afternoons of Terms 1, 2 and 3 to create, learn and perfect their 6 minute performance piece consisting of dance styles such as Jazz, Hip-Hop, Contemporary and Lyrical. We wish them all the best for their upcoming rehearsals and performances.
AN EVENING ON THE GREEN

On behalf of the P and F I would like to thank staff, Year 7 students, student leaders, House councillors and parents for attending the Year 7 Night on the Green. A great time was had by all. We had 91 families and 320 people RSVP for their attendance.

One does not quite know where to begin – but a huge thank you to Tom Gunn, Marius Ndiaye and Neill Dale for their assistance with setting up the event – you are all awesome and it ran like clockwork.

To the staff members that attended – the P and F cannot thank you enough for your generosity of spirit and your time. We are aware of how hard you work and how much of your personal time you give the College. The students were thrilled to see you there participating in the event. We are deeply appreciative of your support – thank you so much for attending. To Jenneth Stibi – thank you for your support and we will have to go on to a lighting course. Chris – thanks for taking the photos we can’t wait to see them. To the 3 teachers (whom will remain unnamed) - that loved the blow up slide – yes, we saw you sneak on to it!!!

To the Matteo, Michaela, the Student leaders and House councillors. You are a credit to your College and live the spirit of being a “Prendivillian”. You have done us all proud. The Year 7 have got to know you better and we hope that your relationship with them in to the future will be a strong and positive. The standard you set for the rest of the College is superb and the student body has leadership to be proud of. Thank you for giving up your Friday night and for running the event. Here is to the Movie on the Green committee.

Rowan - from Ace Events- thank you for your professionalism, assistance with the event and for the great music.

To the Year 7 students – you seemed to have a great time- thank you for being so well behaved and for participating in all the games – I think the tug-of-war may have been rigged?

The Year 7 parents – this year’s cohort of parents are wonderful. Thank you for attending the event and for bringing your children so they and you can become part of the community at PCC. You braved the chilly wind and all seemed to have a good time.

Finally a big thank you to Jo Lewis, Sam Bresciani, Rachel Francis and Sam Lenaghan for all their hard work and support for getting this event up and running. The Year 7 Night on the Green team has been fantastic. Your time and commitment to PCC is breathtaking.

Warm regards and a sincere thank you to you all,

Denny Piovesan and the P and F Committee 2016
On a warm Friday lunchtime two weeks ago our students demonstrated what it takes to be compassionate and caring.

Laura Leitenbauer-Goldsmith (Lead Singer), Cameron Nielson (Band Member), Terrence Nielson (band Member), Lachlan Cooper (Band Member), Griffin Clayton (Band Member), Sienna Mackay (Solo Dance), Faith Ward (Solo Dance), Neve Cunningham (Solo Vocalist), Jess Mullen (Solo Vocalist) and Tim D’Ascenzo (Timo-Magic Show) made up the variety performance we advertised to the student body as “The Bushfire Appeal Concert”. This talented group of students entertained over 300 students in our gym over the lunchtime and were warmly received by all.

The Staff and Students raised over $1200 (gold coin entry donation) and those funds have been contributed to “The Lord Mayor's Public Appeal Fund” to assist the communities of Waroona and Yarloop, in our south-west, to assist in their recovery. The fires that devastated the region in early January affected many Western Australians so this concert was a wonderful mark of respect by our College community.

Thanks to all who made the effort, both staff and students but particularly big thanks again to the performers, the Arts Councillors and Miss Broderick; there would not have been a show without your combined contributions.

Chris Greenwood
Marketing
Welcome to Tech Spot for 2016! This section of our newsletter is for students and staff to share tips, tricks, ideas and apps to do with our all things technology at Prendiville. If you would like to contribute, please contact Mrs Marshall!

This week – have you visited our new space in the library? We would love to help solve your ICT issues here. We look forward to seeing you at the Helpdesk soon!

There are still quite a few students who have NOT enrolled their iPad – we are now in Week 7 and your access to SEQTA/Internet at school will be revoked if this is not done. Enrolment of a device is essential. This allows the College to push out automatic updates and school apps. It gives access to the app booklist and other important services, enabling the College to keep students safe online.

How to enrol your iPad

1. Ensure your iPad is connected to a wireless network. You will need your school USERNAME and PASSWORD (these are usually emailed to a parent email address early in January). If you do not have these details, please contact the school.


3. You will be asked to verify the server. Tap Continue.

   You will then see the following screen:

   ![Complete this process for secure access to our network](image)

   - Username
   - Password
   - Log In

4. Now enter your school username and password. Tap Login.

5. You will now be prompted to install a number of security certificates and profiles. Accept and install each one. The iPad will move from Safari to Settings, and back to Safari again.

If you have a passcode set for your device, you will need to enter this before installation of the profiles.

**NB. These profiles will change some of the settings. This is to allow access to school-distributed apps and so that the device can be safely monitored. If you wish to use the College network, you must install these profiles.**
6. You will receive a message stating ‘The enrollment process is complete’.

To check that you are enrolled correctly:

In **Settings > General > Profiles**, you will have TWO Profiles installed. They should have **Prendiville Catholic College** appearing underneath. These should have the names **MDM (Mobile Device Management) Certificate** and **CA (Configuration) Certificate**.

Some older iPads may have more than two profiles – this is still correct.

7. Once you have enrolled, you will start receiving new apps on your device. This process can take up to 24 hours and depends on your Internet connection.

Show your profiles to Miss Marshall at the iPad Helpdesk or to the Senior Tech X Perts coming around to PCGs this week so we can record you have indeed enrolled.

If you need help with iPads or just want to ask a question, feel free to drop into the iPad Helpdesk in P1 at lunchtimes – we will soon be moving to the Library! We will be happy to give you assistance.

*Mrs Melissa Marshall*
*eLearning Coordinator*
Invites you to their

Mini Career and Tertiary Expo
Tuesday 26th April, 2016
2.00pm – 5.00pm
Prendiville Catholic College

WA University and Training Provider Professionals will come together on this afternoon to help answer questions and hand out vital information to help put your young person’s career journey on track. Parents, this is the perfect opportunity to get some relevant and current career information for students in Years 10 to 12.

For more info contact: Jason Todd 9307 2000

“The only way to do great work is to love what you do. If you haven’t found it yet, keep looking.”

Steve Jobs

Confirmed Attendees 2016: Curtin University, Edith Cowan University, Murdoch Institute of Technology, Murdoch University, University of Notre Dame Australia, University of WA, West Coast Institute of Training, Central Institute of Training, Polytechnic West, Onsite, Australian Defence Force Recruitment, Hospitality Group Training

COAT HANGERS REQUIRED

The Drama Costume Department is in need of coat hangers. If you have any spare hangers you would like to donate please drop them off at the Music Office in the Performing Arts Centre, there will be a box outside the office entrance for this purpose. Any type from metal to plastic would be very much appreciated.
Thanks to the generous donations and the large participation, the 2016 Easter Raffle was a huge success and we raised in excess of $1300 for the benefit of all students! Many thanks also go to the parents and staff who helped with wrapping the prizes and other preparations.

THANK YOU!

Prendiville Catholic College P&F Association

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COMMUNITY NEWS

OCEAN REEF YOUTH GROUP
2ND, 4TH & 5TH SUNDAY
6-8PM
18-20 PRENDIVILLE AVENUE
FOOD, GAMES, ACTIVITIES, FAITH & FRIENDS
YEARS 7 -12
CONTACT
PAUL CROSSLEY: 0430 636 274
WWW.247YOUTHMINISTRY.ORG
COMING EVENTS:

Tuesday 22 March – ACC B Division Swimming Carnival

Wednesday 23 March – 8am Mass

Wednesday 23 March – P&F meeting 6.30pm

Thursday 24 March – Easter Liturgy 12.15pm

Friday 1 April – ESU Inclusive Sports Swimming

Friday 1 April – Chisholm/Romero House Mass 12.15pm

Wednesday 30 March – Pupil Free Day

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OUR SCHOOL PRAYER

We thank you for our school community inspired by the holy work of Redmond Prendiville who gave our college its name and sense of self. Help us to follow his example and live in the light of Christ.

We thank you for our teachers, friends and family. Help them to guide and support us in all our academic, sporting and community endeavours.

Our College crest speaks of how close we are to the eternal beauty of the ocean. It reminds us we are blessed to be young and free. Lord, never let us forget this symbol we so proudly wear for it represents our Catholic faith and your eternal love.

Help us, therefore, to respect the natural beauty of our school grounds and environment and to consider the classroom as a place of opportunity and learning. Grant us the strength of will and clarity of purpose to be the best that we can be.

In the name of the Father, and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

Amen

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