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## Principal

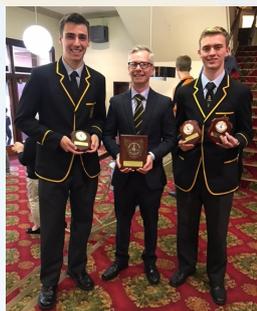
*Two are better than one . . . for if they fall, one will lift up the other.*  
(Ecclesiastes 4:9-10)

Dear Parents, Students, Staff and Friends of St Patrick's College,

**Risen Christ, we turn to you with full reliance on your resurrected presence with us here and now. We renew our trust in your grace to restore our joy when it lies hidden in our entombed self. Turn us again and again toward hope. Open our hearts to recognise you in the garden of our everyday lives. Amen. (Joyce Rupp).**

Welcome back to everyone to Term Two. This is a short term, but one that to me always signals the term where the hard work of learning really takes place. As an Easter People, we rejoice in the resurrection of Jesus the Christ and look with hope to our future. We welcome back Michael Pilkington after a term's leave and we also welcome Harley Keller in the Science faculty and Isabella Pacia who is replacing Karly Lazarou in the English faculty. We wish Karly all the best as she takes her leave at the end of this week in preparation for the birth of her baby.

Our College provides so many opportunities for boys both in the classroom and in terms of co-curricular offerings. There really cannot be any excuses for not being involved in the life of this place in some way. Indeed, there is something for everyone I believe. We all have different skills and gifts and we are encouraged to share those with others in joining various co-curricular activities. These activities take place during the weekends, in the evenings and also during the school holiday breaks. During this school holidays alone I have lost count of the number of additional classes that have been offered to boys in the Senior school in English, Visual Arts, TAS and other areas just to name a few. There are also opportunities in Rugby, Football and in camps that have been taken up by the boys. I was fortunate to travel to Tasmania (Launceston) with the College Band to attend the National Band Championships over the Easter Weekend. After a somewhat messy day on the Friday with cancelled flights from Melbourne to Launceston, the entire group was eventually reunited by 7.00pm for dinner. This meant that the planned afternoon rehearsal was not able to proceed with all the band members, but the boys rallied after dinner for a quick run-through. We came away from the Championships with an overall 2<sup>nd</sup> place in the Open D Grade section and 2<sup>nd</sup> place in each of the four categories. It was the first time the College has also competed in the Parade Street March section – which requires the competitors to march and play at the same time, in a strict formation. We won our section of this competition and Andrew Clark also won the Drum Major Championship prize. Congratulations to all of the boys and their families on these wins, but more importantly, on their demeanour and their willingness to be involved. It was a hectic three days, but the concert in City Park on Sunday afternoon was well attended and appreciated by many of the locals.



All schools have an underlying culture and tone to them. School culture is a complex beast that is difficult to pinpoint. It is often more obvious when it is missing. There are lots of good schools, but some schools are special. They are only special because of the *people* that inhabit them. I may be biased but a school that

has a vibrant musical life not only has a good culture but it also has a soul. Music gives a school its soul. When a school appreciates its artistic and musical endeavours it actually breathes life into this soul. Our school is alive with what our boys contribute musically and artistically. Sadly, the creative

and performing arts have been sidelined in many schools; at the expense of rigid adherence to timetables that are dominated by literacy and numeracy only. The casualty in such schools has often been those subjects that now sit on the periphery of the educational experience. This is such a short-sighted view of education and one that paradoxically limits students' opportunities to excel in their literacy and numeracy learning. We know that engaging in music making for example creates more brain connections than almost any other human activity and thus assists with the acquisition of literacy and numeracy skills. Like sport, music also develops a real sense of self-discipline, determination and tenacity. We must rehearse in order to get better. Practice needs to be consistent, plentiful and regular, otherwise raw talent alone has nothing to build upon. At our College, we foster in the boys a balanced approach to the curriculum; where literacy and numeracy are rightly deemed to be very important, but so too is learning in practical areas, in the liberal and fine arts and of course in religion.

If your child is not engaged in some form of musical, dramatic or artistic (or arts-based) pursuit, then perhaps he is simply missing out on an opportunity to develop skills, improve his learning in other academic areas and also to learn how to express himself. More than ever, we need to find outlets for our boys in particular to find ways to demonstrate their "inner" self to a wider world; to find ways to allow emotions to be shared in ways that are meaningful and also aesthetic.

I offer my grateful thanks to Derek Rose for his tireless efforts with the band and for all the mums and dads who came along to Tasmania. Many thanks also to the boys for their musicianship, self-discipline and hard work.

### Staff Development Day

On Monday of this week our staff returned to a professional learning day on Assessment. Assessing learning is not limited to end of semester exams or assessment blocks. Assessment is a complex activity that is taking place constantly in every classroom. The feedback that students are provided (and that they provide teachers) is necessary to plan the next steps in learning and to bridge the gap between what is already known, and what needs to be learned next. During the day, staff worked in large groups, small teams and individually on how assessment looks in their learning area, what the possibilities are for using assessment as a learning tool, not just to generate marks and grades, but to inform the learning process. We also examined various feedback mechanisms in order to promote student learning. I thank Denise Lombardo and the team involved in the preparation and delivery of the day.

### Baby news

Congratulations to Basil and Therese Capizzi on the birth of their third child Kate Elizabeth who was born during the holidays on Sunday 16 April. Mum and Kate are both doing well.

### Condolences

We offer our prayers and condolences to the Sleiman family on the recent death of Tony Sleiman, husband to Eva and father of Simon (Class of 2015), Christian (Year 11) and Alexander (Year 8). Tony was a great supporter of St Patrick's and very much involved in the life of the College. Eternal rest grant unto him O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon him. May he rest in peace.

We also extend our condolences and prayers to the Nassif family on the recent death of Pierre Nouh, grandfather of Benjamin Nassif (9 Crichton 2) and father to Nelly Nassif. Pierre died on 26 March and was 72 years old. Eternal rest grant unto him O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon him. May he rest in peace.

*Live Jesus in our Hearts, Forever.*

Craig Wattam  
Principal



This term is shaping up to be a very full and busy one. There are quite a few important calendar events coming up for the Junior School, including the NAPLAN tests on May 9, 10 and 11 and our Year 6 Dads' Breakfast on May 25. As well as these, there are whole College events coming up this term such as the Mothers' Day Masses on May 12 and of course, Founder's Day celebrated this year on June 9. Our Winter Sport season commences on Saturday, 29 April and we wish all our teams the best of luck for the season.

Our Dads' Breakfast morning is a highlight of the Junior School year. On this morning we welcome the fathers or male caregivers of our Year 6 boys to join their sons here at school for an informal breakfast in the College Gymnasium followed by activities in the classroom. The event aims to bring the significant males in our boys' lives into our daily work environment to increase awareness of the important role we play in their development. To be active in the lives of boys is to help develop their learning and, more importantly, to guide them towards becoming fine young gentlemen. It is also a great opportunity to get to know other dads, boys and the teachers and simply to have an enjoyable time. A letter will be sent home early in the term giving you more information about the Dads' Breakfast. We hope to see as many of you there as possible.

We are looking forward to what will clearly be a busy, productive term.

**Jim Walters—Director of Junior School**

## Junior School Sport

Welcome back to another exciting term. I hope that all families had a safe and enjoyable Easter break. At the start of the holidays, we took 38 boys to Armidale on a Rugby tour.

Forty five schools and clubs from all over the East coast participated in the TASRC. I would like to acknowledge Gerard Stephens "Moose" and his lovely wife who looked after the boys and parents with a great BBQ on their beautiful property just outside Armidale. He has been doing so for over 10 years and it is a real highlight of the tour. The St Patrick's Black team was placed in the top pool and knew that the competition was going to be tough. In saying that, the boys played brilliantly and only narrowly lost their first game by two points and then only by a try to the Scots 1<sup>st</sup> XV. We then played Maroochydore Swans and came away with an impressive victory. They lost their last pool match to a representative club side from the Sunshine coast. On the Sunday we played a full match and finished on a high winning 27 – 12. The St Patrick's Gold team also played extremely well winning three of their five matches including the Sunday game. I would like to thank Mr Leary, Mr Clarke and Mr Hilgendorf for giving up their time during the holidays to take the boys away and to all the parents for your support whilst up there. The boys were a real credit to the school and their families.

A reminder that the Old Boys have booked the Strathfield Golf Club for Friday night, 5 May for the presentation of the Junior and Senior 1<sup>st</sup> XV jerseys. Boys will find out the Prep 1<sup>st</sup> XV team this week. Matt Williams has been confirmed as our speaker and he is an Old Boy from '77 who has coached Scotland, Waratahs & West Harbour and is currently coaching at Knox Grammar. He is also a commentator for the Six Nations games. The parents will be able to book tickets for the presentation night on the following link.

<http://oldboys.spc.nsw.edu.au/ocd.aspx?action=showReunion&reunionName=PresentationofJerseysfromOBsrugbyClubto1stXVPrepAs>

Good luck to all boys this weekend in the first round of the winter IPSHA competition. Training will resume as normal starting on Monday, 1 May.

**Grant Andrews—Junior School Sportsmaster**

## Year 11 Geography Excursion to the Kosciuszko Alpine Region

On Sunday 26 March, the Year 11 Geography class embarked on the five hour drive to Australia's Snowy Mountains region to undertake an in-depth fieldwork study in the functioning of the four spheres of the biophysical environment and the impact of the Snowy Mountain Hydro Electric Scheme on the environment. The nature of studying Geography calls for conducting fieldwork in the places studied in the classroom.

On the Monday morning, the class met our guide at the Kosciuszko Education Centre and learnt what makes the alpine ecosystem so important and special in Australia. From the Centre, we gradually moved up the mountain stopping at various points to use geographic tools, play 'plant bingo' to find the endemic flora in the area and evaluate various management strategies



to cope with the human impacts on the ecosystem. Students were able to see the ski fields at Smiggin Holes, Perisher and Charlotte Pass in the summer, which are very different places when compared to the thousands of people who flock to the region during winter.

The following day, we made our way back to Sydney, stopping at the Snowy Hydro Discovery Centre where students watched a short documentary about how the scheme was constructed, how the sustainable electricity is generated and the management of the scheme going into the future.

Overall, the students enjoyed a rich learning experience where they were able to apply their knowledge and skills in the field. I would like to thank Mr Herro who gave his time to drive the bus and also to Mr Reynolds who assisted me in organising the excursion itself.

**Greg Sciortino—HSIE Teacher**

## Friday Masses

As always, all members of the St Patrick's College wider community are invited to and welcome at every Friday morning Mass – a great chance for some quiet, for building community and, above all, for praising God. They take place at 8.15am in the Chapel. This term all Masses with the exception of one, will be led by House Groups. Masses will be led by boys from the following Houses/Years:

**28 April** – Berg

**5 May** – Rice (Feast Day of Blessed Edmund Rice)

**12 May** – NO Morning Mass due to Mothers' Day Masses

**19 May** – Hickey

**26 May** – Coghlan

**2 June** – Hanrahan

**9 June** – NO Morning Mass due to Founder's Day

**16 June** – Crichton

**23 June** – Year 5



### Year 11 Assessment Block

As indicated in the College Diary and referred to in the most recent Especean, Year 11 will begin an Assessment Block next week. Students should know their NESAs Student Numbers which are used on examination scripts. The boys must also be thoroughly familiar with the College's *Year 11 Assessment Handbook* and *Examination Rules for Senior Students*. These were emailed to students at the beginning of the year and are located on *SOLE*, *My SPC*, then *Assessment Information and Timetables*.

Finally, in the event of absenteeism due to illness or misadventure during the Assessment Block, parents and boys are reminded that a telephone call to the Year Coordinator, Mr Newman, must be made prior to 9.00am on the day of the examination.

### The National Assessment Program – Literacy and Numeracy (NAPLAN)

During Week 3, all students in Years 3, 5, 7 and 9 from schools across Australia will sit the national tests in Literacy and Numeracy. The tests will ensure national consistency in benchmarking Literacy and Numeracy standards across all Australian educational jurisdictions.

The NAPLAN tests will be carried out for all four year groups on the following days:

- **Tuesday 9 May:** Language Conventions; Writing
- **Wednesday 10 May:** Reading
- **Thursday 11 May:** Numeracy

Parents and students of Years 5, 7 and 9 are reminded and encouraged to use the *EXCEL Testzone* online site as a means of preparation. Students received passwords and usernames at the end of last term, however, Year 5 class teachers and both Year 7 and 9 English/Maths teacher have these codes if required. Students can also visit the NAPLAN site at: <http://www.naplan.edu.au/>. Sample test items and marking guides are available as are tests from previous years.

*Andrew Brennan—Acting Director of Curriculum*



## Old Boy's Social Justice Group

Our first event will be held in the McGlade Library at the College on Thursday, 27 April starting at 7.30pm. Our intention is for this night to be a relaxed and friendly one, and we aim to look at a variety of social justice issues in our community today. Our Master of Ceremonies for the night will be Old Boy, Lance Brooks ('79) and 2016 Luceat award winner. He will be joined by a panel of three St Patrick's students: young and "old".

- John Brogden, ('86), who is currently Chairman of Lifeline
- Eoin O'Sullivan ('17), who is currently SJAG President at St Patrick's College
- Dominic Ofner ('08), who is currently working with Edmund Rice Australia

We would love you to join us for the night which is bound to be very interesting. Some light refreshments and a casual supper will be provided. Should you wish to come along, could you please click on the link [http://oldboys.spc.nsw.edu.au/ocd.aspx?action=showReunion&category=&category%2B\(optional\)=&privacy=&](http://oldboys.spc.nsw.edu.au/ocd.aspx?action=showReunion&category=&category%2B(optional)=&privacy=&) which will take you to our events page. The night is a free event but we appreciate your assistance by booking to help with the catering.

Many Thanks

*Greg Dening—Old Boys Liaison Officer*

## SENIOR SCHOOL SUMMER SPORTS PRESENTATION EVENINGS

Parents and boys are reminded that the Senior School Summer Sports Presentation Evenings are scheduled to take place at the following venues and times:

**Secondary Swimming Presentation Evening - 7.15pm – Robson Auditorium - Wednesday 26 April**

**Secondary Cricket Presentation Evening - 7.15pm – Gymnasium – Wednesday 26 April**

**Secondary Baseball Presentation Evening - 7.15pm – Robson Auditorium - Thursday 27 April**

**Secondary Basketball Presentation Evening - 7.15pm – Gymnasium - Thursday 27 April**

Full attendance by students involved with these activities in their full **College Winter Uniform** is the clear expectation.

The College requests that no car park in Hydebrae Street (which runs at ninety degrees from Francis Street and the Senior Library) at any time. Its narrowness makes resident parking difficult and non-resident parking can present a safety risk by preventing the access of emergency vehicles. **The College tennis courts will be available for some on-site parking on a 'first come, first served' basis. Entrance to the tennis courts is from the driveway in Fraser Street and motorists are asked to park their vehicle next to another vehicle in a close fashion so that we can make available the greatest possible number of parking spaces.**

## SUPPORTERS' DUTY

A reminder that **Years 5 and 6** have been designated Supporters' duty on **Saturday, 6 May**. All boys are to report to the Powell Pavilion between 1.00pm and 1.15pm to have their names marked. Once this has been completed, boys will move to SPC No. 3 to support the College 1<sup>st</sup> XI and await further instructions. Boys will be dismissed at the conclusion of the 1<sup>st</sup> XV game, approximate time is 4.50pm.

## INJURIES AND COLLEGE UNIFORM REQUIREMENTS

As we enter the winter co-curricular season, unfortunately but inevitably there is an increase in the number of students who may be injured playing sport for the College. May I please impress upon all parents that students being out of normal full College uniform when injured should very much be the exception. Students are required to be in their full College uniform even if injured.

There are two exceptions to this. Firstly if the student is physically unable to put their uniform on. Students in "moonboots" or with casts or in slings should still be in uniform unless this is physically impossible. Secondly, if wearing the uniform presents a real risk of harm for the student.

Students who are unable to wear a shoe due to a sprain etc. and are on crutches should be in full College uniform with a black sock rather than their school shoe on the injured foot. In the rare situation that a student needs to be out of uniform, please be aware that students must wear their FULL College tracksuit, (crested) black shorts, Supporter's shirt, white socks and clean sandals. The SPC "tour" gear is not to be worn. Any student who arrives out of uniform needs to present to their Year Coordinator with a note from their parents explaining the need to be out of uniform. As indicated previously this should be the rare exception to the rule.

*Steve Fochesato—Director of Co-curricular*

# Sports Draw - SATURDAY 29 APRIL 2017

RUGBY				
1st XV	v	Trinity	3.15	TGS No. 1
2nd XV	v	Trinity	2.00	TGS No. 1
3rd XV	v	Trinity	1.00	TGS No. 1
4th XV	v	Trinity	12.00	TGS No. 1
16A	v	Trinity	11.00	TGS No. 1
16B	v	Trinity	10.00	TGS No. 1
15A	v	Trinity	1.00	SPC 2
15B	v	Trinity	12.00	SPC 2
15C	v	Trinity	11.00	SPC 2
14A	v	Trinity	12.00	Breen Oval
14B	v	Trinity	11.00	Breen Oval
14C	v	Trinity	10.00	Breen Oval
13A	v	Trinity	11.00	TGS No. 3
13B	v	Trinity	10.00	TGS No. 3
13C	v	Trinity	9.00	TGS No. 3
13D	v	Trinity	8.00	TGS No. 3

TENNIS				
Div 1	v	Oakhill	8.00	Strathfield Sports Club
Div 2	v	Central Coast	8.30	Gosford Tennis Academy
Div 3	v	St Paul's	8.00	Strathfield Sports Club
Div 4	v	Central Coast	8.30	Gosford Tennis Academy
Div 5	v	Barker	8.00	Strathfield Sports Club
Div 6	v	Central Coast	8.30	Gosford Tennis Academy
Div 7	v	Barker	8.00	Strathfield Sports Club
Div 8	v	Central Coast	8.30	Gosford Tennis Academy
Div 9	v	St Paul's	8.00	Strathfield Sports Club
Div 10	v	Oakhill	8.00	Oakhill Courts

FOOTBALL				
1st XI	v	St Andrew's	11.15	Wentworth Park
2nd XI	v	St Andrew's	10.00	Wentworth Park
3rd XI	v	St Andrew's	9.00	Wentworth Park
4th XI	v	Oakhill C	9.00	Lawrence Oval
5th XI	v	Barker	1.00	Phipps Field
6th XI	v	Barker 8th	2.00	Rosewood A
7th XI	v	Barker 9th	8.00	Rosewood A
8th XI	v	Barker 10th	3.00	Rosewood A
16A	v	St Andrew's	8.00	Wentworth Park
16B	v	St Andrew's	12.50	Wentworth Park
16C	v	St Pius X B	11.00	Mason Park 2
16D	v	Barker E	12.00	Phipps Field
16E	v	Knox F	1.00	Curagul 2
15A	v	St Andrew's	9.00	Mason Park 2
15B	v	SPC 15C	10.00	Mason Park 2
15C	v	SPC 15B	10.00	Mason Park 2
15D	v	Barker F	1.00	Rosewood A
15E	v	Knox F	2.00	SPC 3
15F	v	Knox G	1.00	SPC 3
14A	v	St Andrew's	1.00	Mason Park 2
14B	v	St Andrew's	12.00	Mason Park 2
14C	v	SPC 14D	12.00	SPC 3
14D	v	SPC 14C	12.00	SPC 3
14E	v	Knox E	11.00	SPC 3
14F	v	Knox F	10.00	SPC 3
14G	v	Barker G	9.00	Rosewood A
13A	v	St Andrew's	10.00	The Domain Pitches
13B	v	St Andrew's	9.00	The Domain Pitches
13C	v	Redlands	8.30	University Oval 1
13D	v	Oakhill C	9.00	BC Oval
13E	v	Knox F	11.00	Samuel King Field
13F	v	Knox G	10.00	Samuel King Field
13G	v	Knox H	9.00	Samuel King Field
13H	v	Knox I	8.00	Samuel King Field

JUNIOR SCHOOL SPORT WEEKLY DRAW ROUND ONE 29/04/17			
Rugby Union			
TEAM	OPPOSITION	VENUE	TIME
PREP 1 <sup>ST</sup> XV	Shore	Breen Oval	8.45am
PREP 2 <sup>ND</sup> XV	Shore	Breen Oval	8.00am
PREP BLACK 7's	St Andrews	Koola Park 4	10.20am
	Trinity White	Koola Park 6	10.40am
PREP GOLD 7's	New Lindfield	Koola Park 1	10.40am
	Mosman	Koola Park 1	11.00am
11A	Waverley	SPC NO 2	9.30am
11B	Waverley	SPC NO 2	8.45am
11C	Waverley	SPC NO 2	8.00am

Football (Soccer)			
TEAM	OPPOSITION	VENUE	TIME
PREP A	Cranbrook	Bark Huts 1	8.00am
PREP B	Cranbrook	Bark Huts 1	8.45am
PREP C	Cranbrook	Bark Huts 1	9.30am
PREP D	SPC Prep E	Bark Huts 1	10.15am
PREP E	SPC Prep D	Bark Huts 1	10.15am
11 A1	Kings	Price 3	10.15am
11 B1	Kings	Price 3	9.30am
11 C1	Kings	Price 3	8.45am
11 D1	Kings	Price 3	8.00am
11 A2	Scots	David Phillips 2	7.45am
11 B2	Scots	David Phillips 2	8.30am
11 C2	Scots	David Phillips 2	9.15am
11 D2	Scots	David Phillips 2	10.00am
10A	Cranbrook	SPC No 3	8.45am
10B	Cranbrook	SPC No 3	8.45am
10C1	Cranbrook	SPC No 3	8.00am
10C2	Cranbrook	SPC No 3	8.00am

AFL			
TEAM	OPPOSITION	VENUE	TIME
A	Redlands	Bat and Ball	8.00am

**Venues**  
 Breen Oval/SPC No 2 – Edgar St, Strathfield (inside school grounds)  
 Bark Huts – Elliott St, Belfield  
 Price 3 – Pennant Hills Rd, Parramatta – inside the Kings School.  
 Bat and Ball – Bat and Ball Field (so named in reference to the pub across the road) is located on the western edge of Moore Park, adjacent to the Moore Park Golf course.  
 David Phillips 2 – UNSW - Daceyville  
 Koola Park- Koola Ave, East Killara

**Football Coaches Needed**

Expressions of interest are sought from suitably qualified and experienced **Football** Coaches in both the Junior and Senior School for the coming winter season. Successful applicants will have a proven track record of reliability, punctuality, experience in their chosen sport and ideally a minimum Level I Coaching accreditation. Persons interested are asked to contact the Director of Co-curricular, on 8705 9244 from 8.00am – 5.00pm Monday to Friday or via email at [steven.fochesato@spc.nsw.edu.au](mailto:steven.fochesato@spc.nsw.edu.au)



Welcome back to Term Two where the winter sport season gets into full swing. With the start of the season being largely rain interrupted, let's hope we have some fine weather from here on in.

The ISA season for Football and Tennis commences this weekend, while the Rugby ISA season plays its first round next Saturday, 6 May.

**Black and Green Shield**  
 This coming weekend all Rugby teams play Trinity Grammar in the traditional local derby where they will compete for the Black and Green Aggregate Shield. Unfortunately, due to scheduling constraints, we will not be able to contest the shield in its full capacity i.e., we will not play Trinity in Football this year. The premise behind the shield was that all teams playing in evenly graded fixtures had the opportunity to contribute towards the shield, meaning that on the day, the 13F Football had just as much importance as the 1<sup>st</sup> XV Rugby in terms of aggregate points. St Patrick's are the current holders of the shield so I'm sure all boys will be keen to put forward some strong performances in an effort to retain the shield and see it housed in the College vestibule for another year. You must train hard and play as a team. Focus on the little things, have faith in your team mates and battle away till the final whistle.

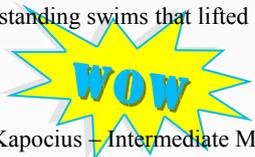
**ISA Swimming Championships**  
 The ISA Swimming Championships were held at the end of last term at Sydney Olympic Park Aquatic Centre. The squad again performed admirably with a number of personal best times being recorded on the day, finishing 3<sup>rd</sup> overall at the end of the carnival.

A number of records were broken at the meet, all outstanding swimmers that lifted the SPC supporters out of their seats:

- Finn O'Connor – 16yrs 50m Breaststroke – 31.28
- Se-Bom Lee – 16yrs 50m Backstroke – 28.48
- Se-Bom Lee, Finn O'Connor, Joshua Kite & Tomas Kapocius – Intermediate Medley Relay – 1:53.36

Well done to all swimmers!

**Mitchell Kearsley—Head of Secondary Sport**



## Founder's Day 2017

### Founder's Day Barbecue Parent Helpers:

Founder's Day celebrations to be held at the College on **Friday, 9 June** will include a barbecue lunch for all students. Parents who are available between 11.00am and 1.30pm on this day to assist with the organisation and preparation of the barbecue are asked to contact the College Reception by phone or email by **Thursday, 1 June**. They can contact [ingrid.viney@spc.nsw.edu.au](mailto:ingrid.viney@spc.nsw.edu.au) and leave their name, telephone number, email address, son's name and son's House.

I will then be in contact in advance of the day with further details. Any assistance is greatly appreciated. The school requires 10 parents per House.

### Dietary Requirements:

If your son requires a gluten free sausage for the Founder's Day BBQ, can you please ask him to see Mr Simpson or email [robert.simpson@spc.nsw.edu.au](mailto:robert.simpson@spc.nsw.edu.au) by **Thursday, 1 June**.

**Robert Simpson—Director of Pastoral Care**