23rd October, 2015
Principal’s Message

Dear families and friends,

Mr Shane Taylor and I had the opportunity to travel to India in the school holidays and spent a week with the Presentation Sisters in Tamil Nadu. It was an extraordinary experience and one I will be forever grateful for. I was not expecting it to ‘capture’ me quite as it did but I was dazzled by the places and most especially by the Sisters and their work from the moment we arrived. We visited five convents, three schools, three hospitals, an AIDS hospice, a community centre, natural healing centre and an addiction support service in Chennai, Theni and Colachel. Each time we were welcomed and embraced as family. It was very moving. We met with the Province leader, Sr Rose, and spoke with her about our plans to extend our India program for senior students to include a longer stay in one place where students could work with and learn from the Sisters and their staff. We also met with Sisters Anastasia and Amali and many others in Theni as well as old friends Sr Stella and Sr Grazia in Colachel.

I found the time we spent with the Sisters genuinely inspiring in a way I have rarely experienced. They are seriously entrepreneurial as well as serene in the face of great difficulty and suffering. They talk of Nano’s work a lot and the truth of this is palpable. It would be a wonderful thing for our young Presentation women to learn from them and witness their work. Mr Taylor will begin the preparation for a visit to Tamil Nadu in November 2016 before the end of this month by inviting expressions of interest from students currently in Years 10 and 11. We will also commence a fundraising program to contribute to the Theni and Colachel communities each year.

The Presentation Sisters and the Board are delighted with the appointment of Ms Filina Virgato as the new College Principal from 2016. Filina will visit the College on November 4 to meet with the Leadership Team, staff and students. She will also attend the Orientation Day morning tea with the new Year 7 parents. We are looking forward to welcoming Filina to the PCW Melbourne community.

Term 4 moves at a very fast pace. On Tuesday we farewelled our Year 12s. It was a happy and memorable day and evening for the students and their families. I have included an extract from my valedictory address at the graduation ceremony later in the Lantern. Many Year 11s also have Unit 3/4 exams and there Unit 1/2 exams will begin on November 16. Before we know it, it will be Christmas. I wish you all a happy term.

Good wishes

Leonie Keaney
Principal
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Prayer: Prayer for our Year 12s

God of love, wisdom and blessing, we offer in prayer our Graduating class of 2015. Guide them on their journey throughout their lives,
Give them wisdom in their decisions, delight in their successes
give them courage and compassion in the face of adversity
give them hearts to love with openness and truth
and gratitude for their blessings
and a zeal for Nano’s work, in the years ahead.
We make our prayer through Jesus Christ, our Lord.
Amen
Upcoming Events

Week 4:
Tuesday 27th October  Year 7 Orienteering
Wednesday 28th October  Assembly
Thursday 29th October  Year 8 Languages Festival

Week 5:
Monday 2nd November  Mid Term Break
Tuesday 3rd November  Melbourne Cup Holiday
Wednesday 4th November  Year 9 Exams
Thursday 5th November  Year 10 Music Solo Night
  Year 11 End of Year Liturgy
  Year 7 Health Day
Friday 6th November  Year 7 Retreat

Canteen Specials

Week Commencing Monday, October 26
MUZZIN:  Raspberry White Chocolate
MEAL:  Potato Salad

Students can place LUNCH ORDERS before school and at recess. They can pick up their orders at the back door and avoid lining up with the crowds at lunchtime.

Breakfast
The Canteen is open for breakfast every morning from 7.45 am until 8.20 am

The following is available for $1.00:
2 x slices of toast—butter, jams, vegemite and juice
Cereal & Juice or Yoghurt & Juice
Ham Cheese Croissants $3.00
Plain Croissants $2.00
Enrolments

PCWM Parents, Families & Friends
Do you have a daughter in Primary School looking to enrol?
APPLY NOW

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TO SECURE YOUR PLACE IN 2017

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An app that manages your daughter’s medical information, permissions and emergency contact details from your smartphone, iPad or computer anywhere, anytime. Download the app for free today!

To eliminate the need to continually complete medical details at the start of each year, and to avoid some of the difficulties experienced at the start of this year, the College has engaged the services of CareMonkey.

It provides parents the opportunity to update medical information promptly and accurately while providing the College with instant access to the emergency information provided by you. Similarly, excursion letters and permission forms will be sent using CareMonkey to your email address from the start of 2016.

Parents with students currently enrolled in Year 7 – 11 will be sent a letter during the holidays. In the meantime, please visit www.caremonkey.com.au for more information, privacy and security details and instructions on downloading the free iPad or mobile phone app.

Antonella Rosati
Deputy Principal, Students
Excerpts from the 2015 Valedictory Address

The Presentation Day theme is often an insight into the personality of the year level and how they see the world. This year’s class chose as their theme My Favourite Things – a lovely choice which invited much singing of the famous song and discussion among students and staff about their favourite things and what they would wear on the day. The results were delightful and surprising in some ways... there were story book characters, national costumes, m and ms, jelly babies and jelly beans, ... The school captains came as Harry Potter, Hermione and Ron Weasley and I joined them as Minerva McGonagle – definitely my favourite character from Happy Potter. But the most common costume of all? – pyjamas! No Prada bags or tiffany jewellery, or overseas destinations or even mobile phones. The favourite things were all about comfort, memories, childhood and home.

The Dalai Lama recently had this to say:

The planet does not need more successful people. The planet needs more peacemakers, healers, restorers, storytellers and lovers of all kinds.

He'd probably agree that the planet also needs more people whose favourite things are pyjamas and jelly babies! Now I hesitate to challenge the Dalai Lama but I have a slightly different take on his idea of success and being successful. A current school motto is Experience Success, and it is quite intentional and deadly serious. Our sense of success is important for all of us and especially for young people growing up. But success doesn’t have to be wealth and fame or being the best at everything – which I think is the success the Dalai Lama is talking about. Success for us is about finding what you are good at and doing it really well. You can be successful as cooks, accountants, teachers, nurses, singers, travel agents, train drivers, doctors, artists, Builders... You can be successful as peacemakers, storytellers, healers. It is my hope and the hope of your teachers that you have found things that you are successful at here in your days at PCW and that your experience will assist you to continue to know and understand what you are good at. That, after all, will be your gift to the world which you are entering as young adults.

Change can occur quickly and often does when you least expect it. Pope Francis has brought huge change to the Church in just a bit over two years. He distinguished himself again this year as a big and challenging thinker with his encyclical on the environment and the impact of humans In “LAUDATO SI’ he invokes the spirit of his namesake, St Francis of Assisi and urges all people to take responsibility for the planet and its stewardship. Francis’ vision for change is comprehensive. He addresses the challenges of food production due to uncontrolled fishing and over cropping. He reminds us that people are forced to flee poverty induced by environmental degradation but are not recognized internationally as refugees. In the name of future generations - that is, you - he challenges climate change sceptics and those who support polluting industries.

Human ingenuity could surely solve these and many problems if the startling achievement of the New Horizons project is anything to go by. In July this year, the project’s Spacecraft reached Pluto capturing images of the dark and frozen planet, or whatever it is called now, and sending them back to Earth – 7.5 billion kilometers away. What a marvel. What a tribute to the wonder of science and scope of human imagination, the stretching of our minds to seek the edges of creation and the seemingly limitless universe.
Excerpts from the 2015 Valedictory Address

Without doubt, the greatest moral and social challenge of this year and this decade is the international refugee crisis, the greatest movement of people worldwide since the end of WW 11. Conflict and upheaval, especially in the middle east sees more than 60 million registered by the UNHCR as refugees. That is nearly three times Australia’s population, the entire population of the UK, more than that of France, more than many countries - displaced, homeless, stateless people. The crisis came to head in August when millions poured into Europe from war torn Syria but really it is every present. What do we do about this? It is so vast and overwhelming. It’s complex and confusing. How to respond? An answer, I think, comes in the form of a question asked in parable of the Good Samaritan in Luke’s gospel: Who is my neighbor? asks the lawyer of Jesus – and Jesus replies with the story of the man who fell among thieves and was left ‘half dead’ in a ditch. A priest and a Levite saw him but passed him by but a Samaritan - a despised outsider was moved with compassion and cared for him and took him to safety. Jesus then asks? Who was the neighbor for this man? It was the Samaritan of course. And I would then ask, Has Australia been the Good Samaritan or the priest and the levite?

The questions raised by the events this year are big ones that are important for you to consider - about the society you want to live in, the values that will form your life and your choices. The people you make your life with, the things that you will give your energy to. As young people you often get bad press. Apparently, you are afraid of commitment, will only do things for a short time, you are mostly self absorbed, can only communicate on line and don’t appreciate what the world has offered you. The simple things in life don’t matter to you. – sound familiar? Of course it’s not true – Presentation Day this year showed that and I see it very differently. I think the globalised world that you have grown up in has given you an awareness of life beyond your selves that my generation certainly did not have. I see that you care about this fragile planet and want to protect it. I know that you are more aware of the injustices of poverty and oppression than many older than you and I believe that, above all, this generation of young people wants to make a difference. Your education at PCW has I hope sharpened that desire and given you the confidence and skills to do your best and to reach out in hope and generosity – like the Good Samaritan - for a better world.

You are the twelfth group of graduates I have farewelled from PCW and the last. I am graduating with you so, in some ways I can say, I know how you feel. That mixture of excitement, anticipation and anxiety. Sadness and joy. I am immensely proud of you and grateful to have known you. As we leave our school we are not so much leaving things behind but taking great gifts with us. That is how I feel and I hope you do too. Friendships, knowledge, memories, a strong sense of identity as Lantern bearers that will endure always. Above all, my hope for you is that you take the confidence and compassion of Nano Nagle, of the Sisters who founded our school, of the Sisters in India and of the Presentation people of PCW Melbourne with you in your heart and in your kitbag.

Leonie Keaney
Principal
Year 12 Graduation: Awards

At Graduation each year one student from each subject is given an award for Academic Excellence and Commitment to their work. Below is a list of the recipients of these awards. Some special awards are given and these are also detailed below.

Congratulations to all these girls—a wonderful achievement for their hard work.

Art
Biology
Business Management
Chemistry
Chinese
English
French
Global Politics
Health & Human Development
History (Revolutions)
Japanese
Legal Studies
Maths: Further Mathematics
Maths: Mathematical Methods
Maths: Specialist Mathematics
Music Performance
Physical Education
Product Design & Technology
Psychology
Studio Arts
VCAL
VET: Business Admin
VET: IDM

Camille Thomas
Konstandina Pandelidis
Sarah Khoury
Matilda Boseley
Yurou (Selina) Zhang
Alicia Gadd-Carolan
Stephanie Perrott
Lea Maria Russ
Stephanie McKinnon
Alicia Gadd-Carolan
Christine Chow
Stephanie Guzziardi
Anan Lu
Sharon Zou
Alex Thorbjornsen (CBC)
Jamie Long
Stephanie Perrott
Pepa Doolan
Lilith Rowles
Indigo Tait-Atkin
Eloise Alway
Natasha Watts
Christine Chow
Year 12 Graduation: Awards

Higgins Medal
Jane Murphy Memorial Writing Award
The Past Pupils’ Social Justice & Community Service Award
PCW and Caltex All-Rounder Award
Sister Concepta Leonard Music Award
Sister Nola Vanderfeen Sport Award
Sister Raymonde Taylor Art Award
Australian Defence Force Award

Rachelle Gorbachinska
Cleo Guy
Stephanie Perrott
Alicia Gadd-Carolan
Jamie Long
Emma Thomas
Pam Jarmcharoen
Carly Hausler

Year 12 Graduation: College Captains

At this evening the work of our College Captains, International Student Leader, College Music and Sport Captain are also acknowledged.
Invitation: PCW Melbourne Alumnae Group “Women of Windsor”

The Alumnae group are hosting an event “Women of Windsor” on Sunday November 22. All the details are below. It would be appreciated if you could pass this on to any past students you may know. Further details can be obtained by contacting Trish Chester on alumnae@pcw.vic.edu.au or 8517.2704

Women of Windsor

At our inaugural event our alumnae panel will consider ‘what it means to be a Woman of Windsor’.

Panel Facilitator

Anna Burke MHR (Class of 1983)
Anna is currently the Federal Member for Chisholm and in 2012 and 2013 was the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Panel Members

Sister Mary Kavanagh (Class of 1939)
Sister Mary is an icon of the College and has been connected to PCW Melbourne as a student, sister, teacher, principal and boarding house head since 1951.

Judge Katherine Bourke (Class of 1978) and Judge Claire Quin (Class of 1983)
Katherine and Claire are both judges of the County Court and are the first sisters to have been appointed judges in Australia.

Erin O’Brien and Vy Nguyen (Class of 2016)
Erin and Vy have recently been elected as leaders of the College in 2016 and will provide a contemporary take on what it means to be a Woman of Windsor.

Whether you are a regular visitor to the school or returning for the first time since graduation to see what has changed, we are very excited to welcome you to the College for this event.

Please pass this invitation on to other PCW Alumnae who may be interested in attending.

Sunday 22
November, 2015
2.00 pm - 5.00 pm
At
PCW Melbourne

Panel discussion followed by afternoon tea and tours
Cost: $30 per head
Booking Form

RSVP
Trish Chester
alumnae@pcw.vic.edu.au
or
(03) 8517.2704
by: Friday 13 November, 2015
2016 Leaders’ Induction Ceremony

On Thursday, 8 October we gathered to induct the leaders of our College community for 2016 to their special responsibilities. Each new leader was presented with a PCW Melbourne badge by their 2015 predecessor. The badge they receive is the outward sign of their role and responsibility as a member of the student leadership team. They are all young women of exceptional gifts, and this has been recognised by their peers. Below are the 2016 Leaders.

Captain: Stephanie Guzzardi
Vice Captains: Erin O’Brien & Vy Nguyen
International Student Leader: Yurou (Selina) Zhang
School Music Captain: Bianca Coppa
School Sport Captain: Stephanie McKinnon

**Kostka**
- Art Captain: Indigo Tait-Atkin
- Sport: Adele Agius / Jacqueline Monaghan
- Music: Madeleine Edwards / Zoe Ford
- Liturgy: Jessica Lawson
- Social Justice: Stephanie Gogos
- Environment: Jessica Lawson
- SRC: Estelle Titus
- House: Larise Jones

**Loyola**
- Art: Cara Fisher
- Sport: Stephanie McKinnon / Cara Fisher
- Music: Imara Waldhart / Bianca Coppa
- Liturgy: Cara Fisher
- Social Justice: Phillipa Bandis
- Environment: Phillipa Bandis
- SRC: Riley Sherry
- House: Lily Polak

**Nagle**
- Art: Eleanor Carrucan
- Sport: Laura Thomas / Charlotte Boboli
- Music: Kaija Melkis / Leah Sdrojek-Heenan
- Liturgy: Emmanuelle Brizuela
- Social Justice: River Sietsma
- Environment: Hannah Richards
- SRC: Isabelle Gartside
- House: Kirra King

**Xavier**
- Art: Michelle McMillan
- Sport: Cassandra Kalafatakis / Elena Ryan
- Music: Grace Thornbrough / Stephanie Guzzardi
- Liturgy: Ails O’Gara
- Social Justice: Chloe Hales
- Environment: Erin Damen
- SRC: Papisa Buathed
- House: Vy Nguyen
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2. Find PCW library and log in
   - Username= ID number
   - Password = Pres2015

3. Browse and borrow an eBook to read on your device

The beautiful PCW ART SHOW Calendar and Card Sets are still available for purchase. Each are priced at $10 and are available from Trish Chester on office@pcw.vic.edu.au

Limited stock!
Year 11 Biology Excursion

The Unit 2 Biology students spent the day at Werribee Zoo on Friday 16th of October. They went on safari, checked out the eastern barred bandicoot and completed their grassland ecosystem study. All students tried a piece of Lomandra grass used by indigenous Australians for a variety of purposes including teeth cleaning and making rope. It tasted a bit like raw snow peas.

Megan Larritt
VCE Biology Teacher
Year 7 Bush Dance Experience

On Friday 16th October the Year 7 students welcomed 110 Year 8 De La Salle boys to PCW Melbourne for the annual Bush Dance experience.

The day began with the Year 7 students sitting in their Period 1 and 2 classes, full of excitement. Recess was early (11am) and the boys began to arrive at 11.30 am. The De La Salle boys and PCW Melbourne girls enjoyed the Bush Dance from 11.30-12.50pm. After this, the girls provided some snacks (chips, biscuits, lollies and fruit) for them to enjoy, together. After lunch, the Year 7 students continued with their normal period 4 classes.

It was a fantastic day. It began with nerves and laughter but ended with excitement and lots of chatter. Maybe even the odd number being exchanged between the students. The girls described the day as being ‘one of the best days they have had in Year 7 yet’.

A very big thank you to Brenda Upjohn (Dance Instructor) for changing her international flights to come and run the session at PCW Melbourne. It is greatly appreciated and was thoroughly enjoyed by all.

Natalie Tommasini
Year 7 Coordinator
Year 8 Report

Oriana Hasker and Amy Wang supported our art students by playing at the Year 12 Art Show at MUMA last week. Amy and Oriana are in demand to play at school events as they play so beautifully and are dedicated musicians.

Last Friday the Year 8 students from De La Salle College arrived at PCW Melbourne to join our girls for the eagerly awaited annual Bush Dance. Our girls counted down the days to the dance and outfits were carefully planned.

Brenda Upjohn, an experienced dance teacher, guided almost two hundred students through a range of dances from the Barn Dance to the jive. The students finished the afternoon by socialising over an afternoon tea supplied by the girls. Judging by the enthusiasm displayed during the afternoon the girls enjoyed a wonderful experience. The Bush Dance has certainly been the highlight of our term to date.

Jude Wright
Year 8 Coordinator
Year 8 Report (cont.)
Sportswoman’s Night

The annual PCW Sports Woman Awards Night took place on Monday 12 October, celebrating the sporting success and achievements of our students over the year. The College is extremely proud of our students’ achievements, particularly their ability to display admirable sportsmanship, enthusiasm and passion towards their chosen sports.

2015 has been a memorable year for Sport at PCW. The Sport Program continued to offer extensive opportunities for students to participate and fulfil personal ambition. The Sport Calendar has been jam-packed with House Carnivals, SCSA Competitions, Trials and Trainings and Lunchtime Activities.

PCW Melbourne celebrated an exceptional eight SCSA Championships: Senior Tennis, Junior Basketball, Junior Hockey, Junior Indoor Cricket, Intermediate Indoor Cricket, Junior A Netball, Intermediate B Netball, and Senior A Netball. Congratulations to the 200 girls who competed in an SCSA team this year.

This year we were fortunate enough to have two Guest Speakers: Lacrosse Champion, Sarah Mollison and Elite Water Polo Player, Katie Blunt. Katie, only 19 years of age, has achieved remarkable and inspiring successes, both academically and in her sport of Water Polo. Only 12 months ago, Katie completed her VCE studies, was School Captain and achieved Dux of her school. During that year she also won the Premier’s Award in Literature— all whilst following her dreams representing the Victorian Seals Team (where she also won the MVP Award).

Katie has always played Water Polo for her club, Melbourne Collegians, she has been a member of the Australian Junior Woman’s Team from 2013–2015, goalkeeper of the 20 and under Nationals Team in 2014, scholarship holder at the Victorian Institute of Sport from 2011 and has played National League since 2012.
Sportswoman’s Night

Most of us would be familiar with Lacrosse from the movie *Wild Child*. But you haven’t seen anything until you see Sarah Mollison in action, inspirational Lacrosse Champion! Sarah received the opportunity most Lacrosse Players dream of: a Student-Athlete Scholarship at an American University. Sarah spoke about her time at Maryland University: how she completed a full course load each semester whilst balancing 20+ hours of practice each week; was three-times ACC Champion; participated in three final four appearances; was NCAA Women’s Lacrosse Champion; was Team Captain and undertook the position of Team Leadership Council Member. Since returning to Australia, Sarah has continued to follow her dreams representing Australia and Victorian Senior Lacrosse Teams and coaching the U19 Australian Squad. Sarah’s warm and bubbly personality empowered the staff, students and parents with a strong message of self-confidence—dream big and set your goals!

On behalf of the Sport Department I would like to thank all the businesses that donated in the form of goods, vouchers or services. Thank you to all the families and staff members who purchased a raffle ticket—through your generosity we raised a record-breaking $1,736 which will be donated to the Sport Department for new uniforms and equipment in 2016. Thank you to all the coaches who made a significant contribution to the Sport Program—Ms Sally Borrman, Mr Scott Brennan, Mrs Caitlin Brierty, Ms Teresa Ciorciari, Mr Tony Daws, Ms Lori Galli, Ms Fiona Hall, Ms Wendy Johnstone, Mr Pat Kaufman (CBC), Ms Natalie Lane, Ms Madison McQuiggan, Ms Rachael Maddox, Mr Gerard Morais, Ms Emily Patterson, Mr Travis Pearson, Mr Chris Pearson and Ms Natalie Tommasini. The College also welcomed back six very talented and experienced past students—Ms Tilly Arthur, Ms Jessie Rake-Bolt, Ms Alex Grills, Ms Jessica Kaufman, Ms Kristina Oates and Ms Iliana Zafiriou.

The College Sport Captains have played an extensive role of the success of the sports program organising House Carnivals, running lunchtime activities and providing role models for younger students. They were lead remarkably by their School Sports Captain, Emma Thomas.

This has been fantastic year of Sport, and I look forward to another in 2016!

**Rachel Ball**  
Sport Coordinator
Sportswoman’s Night: Our Sponsors

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SCSA Lacrosse

On Wednesday October 7, two senior teams full of girls from all year levels arrived at Pasley Park for PCW Melbourne’s first SCSA Lacrosse competition. The Senior A team had a great day winning all of their games up to the Grand final. The Grand final had everyone biting their nails. With seconds to go, the scores were level with the last shot taken by PCW. Unfortunately it was 1 second after the siren which led to time on. The girls did not take out the win but they should be very proud of how they played against a very strong team.

Senior B team had many girls who had never played or even heard of lacrosse before. They all gave it their best shot and as the day went on, they all improved on their stick skills a lot. I would like to congratulate Eliza Petherick and Mathilda Campbell (Year 7) and Pia Fullaondo (Year 8) on stepping up and playing in a senior team. Good job everyone on such a great day! I’d like to thank all our coaches that came with us, Ms Ball, Ms Maddox and Ms Patterson.

Ella Holden
Senior B

Thank you to the girls that brought along their own personal equipment or equipment from their sporting clubs each week for training. I would also like to say a big thank you to Sarah Smith for not only promoting the sport around the College but assisting in the coaching and selection process. Both teams should be incredibly proud of themselves and I look forward to Lacrosse in 2016.

Rachael Maddox
Lacrosse Coach
SCSA Netball

On Wednesday 16th September, 6 PCW Melbourne Netball Teams travelled to Waverly Netball Centre to compete in the SCSA Netball Tournament. All teams had been training and preparing for the competition most lunchtime’s which allowed them to work on their skills and team work. The girls were extremely eager especially the Year 7’s who were competing in the Tournament for the first time and the Year 12’s competing in there last.

The juniors were fantastic and played extremely well. All teams made it to the Semi-Finals with Junior A and C landing a spot in the Grand Final both against Santa Maria and Junior B finishing 3rd.

“There were 3 Junior Teams- Junior A, B and C. I was in the A Team with Ms Tommasini. All girls played exceptionally well only losing one game which resulted in gaining a spot in the semi-final and progressing to the Grand Final. We were up against Santa Maria who we lost against in the first game. PCW were in front by a lot in the first half however Santa Maria fought back and the scores were level but when the final siren went PCW Melbourne had won by 2 goals. The support and encouragement within the girls was astounding. I was fortune enough to receive the MVP by the umpires which I was lucky to receive considering the talent of the team”.

Tully Watson
8 Green

Many girls in the Intermediate A and B were netball players out of school and the quality of the team’s really showed through the day when both teams made it into the Grand Final. Both finals were intense and all the girls played right until the final siren with Intermediate B awarded Champions and Intermediate A unfortunately falling short by only a couple of goals. Congratulations to Olivia Seward who received MVP in the Grand Final.

With only entering a Senior A team meant we had 12 committed and talented players. Following the success from the tournament seniors pushed to play their best netball and they certainly displayed this game after game. Senior A were also crowned Champions with a tough Grand Final. Well done to Sarah Smith who received a well deserving MVP.

“Training sessions leading up to the competition were always enjoyable learning new skills and drills. Well done to all the PCW Melbourne teams and to the girls who received MVP’s in the Grand Finals”.

Amelia Sim
7 Gold

Congratulations to all the girls who participated and displayed fantastic sportsmanship, teamwork and enthusiasm all day. Thank you to the amazing coaches for all their efforts on the day - Natalie Tommasini, Caitlin Brierty, Emily Patterson, Rachael Maddox, Madison McQuiggen and Teresa Ciorciari.

Rachel Ball
Sport Coordinator
Thea Davis: Gymnastics Representative

I represented PCW Melbourne at the Victorian Schools Gymnastics competition on Thursday 10th September. The event was hosted by the Eastern Gymnastics club in Box Hill. It was an early start getting there at 7.30am but it was a great day. I was lucky to be able to compete with gymnasts from my club in the Footscray City College team in WAGC levels 4-9. I competed on floor, beam, bars and vault. Overall our team came 5th in the competition and we were pleased with our result. Thanks to Miss Ball for assisting me to participate.

Thea Davies
9 Red
Uniform Shop (Trading Hours 2015 / 2016)

PRESENTATION COLLEGE
MELBOURNE UNIFORM SHOP

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Extended Trading Hours

FRIDAY 20/11/15 8.00AM – 3.30PM ORIENTATION DAY
TUESDAY 1/12/15 8.00AM – 1.00PM
WEDNESDAY 2/12/15 8.00AM – 1.00PM
THURSDAY 3/12/15 1.00PM – 4.00PM LAST TRADING DAY

JANUARY 2016

MONDAY 18/1/16 2.00PM – 6.00PM BOOK COLLECTION
TUESDAY 19/1/16 10.00AM – 3.00PM
WEDNESDAY 20/1/16 10.00AM – 3.00PM
THURSDAY 21/1/16 10.00AM – 3.00PM
FRIDAY 22/1/16 10.00AM – 3.00PM

MONDAY 25/1/16 CLOSED
TUESDAY 26/1/16 AUSTRALIA DAY HOLIDAY - CLOSED
WEDNESDAY 27/1/16 10.00AM – 3.00PM
THURSDAY 28/1/16 10.00AM – 3.00PM
FRIDAY 29/1/16 8.00AM – 11.00AM

MONDAY 1/2/16 8.00AM – 12.00PM
TUESDAY 2/2/16 8.00AM – 11.00AM

As of Tuesday 2/2/2016 the School Shop hours will resume as normal.

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