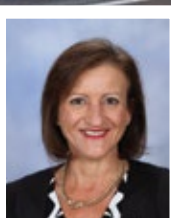


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From the Principal

Mrs Nicola Taylor, Principal

Last week, Mrs Rosemary Leitch, a very keen supporter of PLC Armidale sent me a letter and a copy of the memoirs of a former PLC Principal, Mr Roderick West, the last chapter of which was written posthumously by his wife Dr Janet West.

In a work spanning his entire life and very rich career in education, it is impressive that some 4 pages are given to his reflections of a six month 'tour of duty' at PLC Armidale in 2002.

Mr West describes his time at PLC Armidale as being " *a very happy six months where the strength of character of the girls and their parents more than made up for the vagaries of the climate and wool clip. We were greatly impressed by the mothers who would come to fundraising meetings at the school after a morning dipping sheep... Not to mention the heroism displayed in excellent HSC results, fine musical concerts and sporting triumphs*".

Over the past two weeks, interviews with prospective new students have provided a great opportunity to not only meet the girls and their families but

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calendar^{OF} events

31 MARCH TO 7 APRIL 2017

Year 12 Examinations	29/3 - 4/4/17
IPSHA Cross Country	1/4/17
Daylight Saving Ends	2/4/17
Years 7 to 10 Middleton Public Speaking	3/4/17
Australia's Biggest Afternoon Tea - Junior School	5/4/17
Years 6, 7 and 8 Tri Schools Debating - Round One	5/4/17
Junior School Easter Chapel Service	6/4/17
Whole School Cross Country	6/4/17
SRC Whole School BBQ Lunch	6/4/17
Last Day of Term 1	6/4/17
Boarders Depart - AM	7/4/17
Staff Day	7/4/17

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also to discuss what they would contribute to PLC Armidale and what anticipate a PLC education may provide for them.

Rod West wrote about his time at PLC Armidale, not just about his own contributions, or because of what the experience afforded him, but he wrote of the compelling sense of community which still characterizes the College today.

In this commemorative year there are a number of special events and activities planned designed to celebrate this strength of community. One such event is the P&F Trivia Night tonight which is bound to take the spirit of competition to new heights. Another will be the Celebration Ball in early Term Two. Later in Term 3 we

are delighted to be have Colin Buchanan, winner of 9 Golden Guitars along with numerous APRA and ARIA Awards presenting a concert for children as well as evening event for adults both of which we hope to share with the wider community.

As we celebrate 130 years of all-girls education we are also celebrating a unique community of which we all have a part to play in the present as well as shaping and influencing its future.

This edition highlights the accomplishments and achievements of many within our school, my warmest congratulations are extended to each individual.



Senior School Notes

Anna Caldwell, Head of Senior School

The end of term is in sight and everyone should be feeling proud of all they have achieved over the last 9 weeks. Now is a good time to revisit the goals we all set ourselves at the start of the year,

tick off those accomplished and reflect on those that we haven't yet reached.

One of the things that I love about PLC Armidale is our school spirit and this was most definitely on display in the Autumn Festival Parade. Thank you to everyone who marched despite the inclement weather and also to those who participated in the Campus to City fun. We had a very impressive team. The results can be found on the Armidale Express website and the Armidale Campus to City Facebook page. Congratulations to Sarah Tremont, PLC's fastest student runner on the day, who placed 68th in a time of 24.34 mins and to Mrs Anna Dellow, PLC's fastest parent runner, who placed 33rd in a time of 22.41 mins.

Excursion and Outdoor Ed Camp Week @PLC

This week saw our Year 7 & 8's head to Dubbo for a Science, History and Geography excursion, with visits to the Observatory, the Old Gaol, Western Plains Zoo and Wellington Caves. The excursion also included a bushwalk in the beautiful Warrumbungles National Park.

Our Year 9's have been adventurous and enjoyed their Outdoor Ed Camp with Barrington Outdoor Education. Their itinerary included bushwalking, abseiling and white water activities on the Barrington River.

Year 10 enjoyed their action packed week in Canberra and Year's 11 and 12 have been working hard on their assessments and exams.

I am looking forward to hearing all their stories!

Whole School Cross Country Carnival

Our Whole School Cross Country Carnival is on next week on Thursday 6 April.

The SRC will be cooking up a fundraising BBQ for our sponsor children around the world.

Term 2 Information

Monday 24 April Staff Day

Tuesday 25 April Anzac Day and boarders return pm.

We will be marching in the Armidale Anzac Day Parade prior to the Main Service. The parade will start at 10.30am and the Commemoration Service will commence at 11.00 AM and will be followed by a wreath laying service. We invite all staff and students to join us for the march and service. Please meet in Moore Street. Marshalls will be present well before 10.30am to direct participants to their various areas. Students are to be in full winter school uniform with their blazer and straw hat.

Should the weather be inclement the service will be conducted in the auditorium of the Armidale Ex-Services Memorial Club. Such changes will be announced over the local Radio Stations.

Wednesday 26 April All students return. Winter Uniform. The term will start with our Whole School Combined Assembly and Chapel.

We will be starting in **WEEK A** of the academic cycle.

Sports training will start on the first day back.

Term 2 is 9 weeks in length.

Whole School Athletics Carnival

Our Whole School Athletics Carnival is on in Week 2, Term 2, with pre events being run during lunch times in Week 1. Girls may travel to school in their Guild shirt and sports uniform on Friday 5/5/17. Please wear plenty of sunscreen, a hat / cap and bring enough food and water for the day.

Winter Uniform

Winter Uniform is worn during Terms 2 and 3. Blazers are required to be worn to and from school at all times. If the weather is warm, the girls are to remove their jumper and still wear their blazer. If at school, they may take both their jumper and blazer off, but must have the sleeves of their white shirt rolled down. Please ensure that your daughters wear an appropriate coloured bra that cannot be seen through the white shirt.



2017 Lions Youth of the Year District Final Win for Ragavi

Continuing on her winning way PLC Head Prefect Ragavi Jeyakumar has taken out the Overall Winner prize at the District Final of the 2017 Lions Youth of the Year contest.

Beating off a strong field of five other contestants in Coffs Harbour on Saturday night, Ragavi spoke with poise and gravitas in front of an audience of over 80.

Having already won the local Club Final, Regional Final and now the District Final, Ragavi will now move on to contest the NSW State Final in Forbes on Saturday 8 April.



Canberra Excursion

Kate Clynych, Head of Humanities

Students from PLC Armidale have recently undertaken an education tour of the national capital, Canberra. Students were given the opportunity to participate in a variety of educational programs with a focus on Australia's history, culture, heritage and democracy.

The Australian Government recognises the importance of all young Australians being able to visit the national capital as part of their Civics and Citizenship education. To assist families in meeting the cost of the excursion the Australian Government is contributing funding of \$30 per student under the Parliament and Civics Education Rebate program towards those costs. The rebate is paid directly to the school upon completion of the excursion.

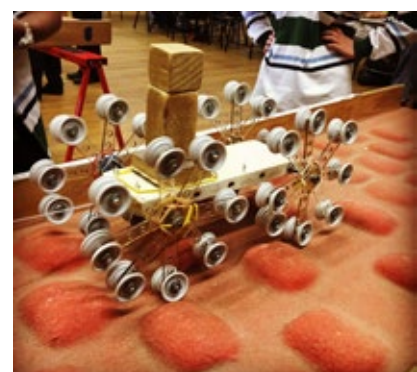
A full pictorial report on the excursion will be published in the next edition of the Lion's Roar.



UNE Science and Engineering Day

Aisha Kliendienst and Anya Zuber

On Wednesday 8 March a group of Year 9 and 10 girls attended the UNE Science and Engineering day. We were divided into eight groups that each participated in a different activity. Two hundred high school students from around the region also participated in the activities which included bridge building, catapults, helter shelter, flat pack, confounding communications, grasping at straws and mission to Mars. PLC Armidale came second out of all the schools, which is a great achievement, overall it was a great day and we enjoyed learning lots of new skills related to STEM.





SRC Representatives

Year 9 SRC Rep Chloe Vanderwolf and Year 8 SRC Rep Georgia Donoghue

Congratulations to our 2017 SRC Representatives!

Year 12:

Brianna Robertson
Gina Hebblewhite
Ali Chapman
Kate Biddle
Ragavi Jeyakumar

Year 11:

Amber Whibley
Mackenzie Wood

Year 10:

Larris Cleal
Mia Tindale
Lucy Martin

Year 9:

Josie Flint
Chloe Vanderwolf

Year 8:

Natalie Brennan
Georgia Donoghue

Year 7:

Cecilia Greig
Lucy Wright
Mia Brotherson-Moffitt



Zonta Young Women in Public Affairs Award

Congratulations to Jessica Chambers and Alison Chapman who received the Zonta Young Women in Public Affairs award. Jessica received 1st place in the Armidale District and Alison Chapman runner-up. The award was based on a combination of participation in Community Service, Youth Leadership and Advocacy for Women's Rights.

As a part of the application process, the girls were required to respond to questions about their leadership

experience, involvement in school, local and international communities, social service involvements, personal merits and their thoughts on women in the wider world. They were then both interviewed by members of Zonta.

Jessica and Alison were invited to attend a Zonta meeting where they were asked to deliver a short presentation on a topic of their choice inspired by their applications. Both girls spoke on equality topics that have personal meaning to them.

The start of this year has been very successful for this year's SRC reps for we have been able to start planning a very eventful year and develop some great proposals that will be very helpful to our College. We have also appointed our different SRC Reps for the major roles in our SRC committee.

Our newly appointed Officers are:

President - Ragavi Jeyakumar

Secretary - Kate Biddle

Treasurer - Gina Hebblewhite

Social Service and Citizenship Officer - Brianna Robertson

WHS Officer - Mackenzie Wood

Healthy Lifestyle Officer - Mia Tindale

Environment Officer - Mia Brotherson

Cultural Awareness Officer - Larris Cleal

Uniforms Officer - Lucy Martin

Congratulations to these girls and well done for taking up such important roles.

The SRC initiatives we have come up with for this year so far can include:

Road Rules Are Back!

Buckle your seatbelts everyone because road rules are back! Last year, Year 10 introduced the road rules initiative. Considering the success the SRC decided to bring it back. This has so far worked really well, causing no major 'car' accidents nor did we have to give out any 'speeding tickets'.

New Sanitary Boxes In The Bathrooms

This year, the SRC is also thinking of adding feminine sanitary items to the main bathrooms in the College. These boxes will be stocked with necessary items for those unexpected situations, which we are sure will be much appreciated by all students.

The SRC BBQ!

We are hosting a whole school BBQ on the last day of school this term, on Thursday 6 April, which is also cross country day! This barbecue will be run by the 2017 SRC reps. All funds raised will go to Siama, PLC Armidale's Sponsor child, so that she and others like her may be able to lead a better life with an education.

Health Promotion In the Senior School

The SRC are going to be working really hard to promote healthy lifestyle this year, starting with healthy eating. We will be adding some 'fun facts' to the Dining Room pinboard and the Boarders' menu every week and there will also be one in assemblies as well. Along with this, we will show some presentations that will inform the PLC community further with a collection of interesting bits and pieces that will promote keeping a balanced and healthy lifestyle.

This year is setting out to be very successful for the SRC and will, for sure, include a lot of fun events for our College community to participate in and support along the way.





Travelling Film Festival

Ms Erin Foster, Assistant Director

"It's funny how the colors of the real world only seem really real when you watch them on a screen." *Anthony Burgess*

In the year 2000, I completed my HSC and was encouraged to study at university something which I was passionate about. The problem of choice seemed insurmountable at the time but in the end I went to Sydney University to major in 'Film Studies'. I was one of handful of students to graduate with this brand new major in 2003 and it changed the way I saw and understood the world around me. I learned about the industry's humble beginnings and there are still people out there making films with humble means. All students study films in English at PLC Armidale as well as in other Humanities subjects that range from Japanese animation, German silent cinema to Hollywood blockbusters and Oscar award winning documentaries. Each year in June, Sydney plays host to a very prestigious film festival that over the years has become more accessible through its 'Travelling Festival'. For many, a trip to Sydney to see a film is simply a far too extravagant venture. However, this year, highlights of the festival comes to the Northern NSW and will be showing at Tamworth's Forum 6 cinemas.

The brochure is attached (on page 21) and is for Armidale's self-declared as well as burgeoning cinephiles and more information on the full-range of films showing can be found online: sff.org.au/tamworth.



Calling on Parents and Friends....

Would you like to be involved in this wonderful production?

Lisa Quast is looking for people who would like to be involved in costuming the cast for the upcoming production of *The Sound of Music*.

If you would like to contribute, please contact Lisa on 0428 592 122 or lquast16@gmail.com



Cattle Team Report

Judy Miller, Cattle Team Coordinator

With a show on almost every weekend since the beginning of the term, the team has had a very busy time indeed. As the majority of the shows have judging and paraders scheduled for each Friday in school time, during some of the competitions the girls have been restricted to leading in the stud class events on the Saturday. However, this has not dampened their spirits and they continue to achieve in the events that they have been entered in.

At Guyra Show, Laura Hayes received a trophy for winning the junior champion Herdsman competition. The following weekend at Inverell Show, Lucy Wright came 2nd in the Junior Judging competition and Molly Trindall 3rd in the intermediate Paraders. PLC steer Kevin, placed 4th in his class.

The team attended Armidale Show for the 2 days where the girls did very well.

This is the first year that any of our girls had placed in the Stock Horse Judging, with Emily Peet taking out 1st place. Lucy Wright took out 1st place in the Sheep Meat judging (juniors) and Laura Hayes placed 1st in the intermediate section.

The girls also entered the Fleece Judging and Paris Whibley received 3rd place and Laura Hayes 5th in the intermediate section. Molly Trindall reached the finals of the Paraders from what was a very large class. PLC Kevin was also awarded a blue ribbon for 1st place in the lightweight steers. The next show will be Wyalialda in early May.





Junior School News

Fiona Wake, Head of Junior School

Oh my! I cannot believe how quickly this term has gone and how much involvement the students have had in numerous activities across the past nine weeks. The term is not about to slow down just yet as we will finish with the same gusto we began with when we participate in our **Colour for a Cure** fundraiser to raise money for Camp Quality and the Cancer Council.



We are very appreciative of the support we are receiving for this wonderful cause.

I can't wait to display this colourful piece of artwork created out of love, thoughtfulness and compassion for others less fortunate than our selves.

WINTER Uniform

Please make sure that your daughter is wearing her winter uniform in Term 2 and 3 please.

PLC Armidale Uniform Policy

In the interests of presenting a smart and consistent public image and ensuring our students wear the PLC uniform with pride, there are school uniform rules which we need to ensure are enforced. Please work with us so that our students are well-presented in our local community.

Full school winter uniform is to be worn in Term 2 and 3.

Blazers must be worn when students are travelling to and from school. Blazers must also be worn when wearing the uniform in town. Students are not permitted to wear just a jumper with the uniform outside of the school grounds, they must wear a blazer as well.

The uniform should be in good repair. Trailing hems need to be stitched up, and missing buttons on shirts, dresses or Blazers replaced.

Hair reaching below the collar must be tied back with bottle green elastics and ribbon or scrunchies.

Small silver, gold or pearl studs are acceptable for pierced ears, with one pair only to be worn in the lobes.

The winter skirt should be mid-calf length.

The top button on the winter shirt needs to be buttoned up at all times and the tie done up correctly. The winter shirt must also be tucked in to the skirt at all times.

Girls are permitted to wear black leggings under their winter skirt if they are wearing bottle green "over-the-knee- socks" over the top.

Students should not wear black or coloured underwear under their white winter shirts.

There are to be no scarves or gloves worn in the classrooms. These items may be worn outside only, travelling to and from classes. The gloves and scarves must be PLC issue only – these are available from the Clothing Shop.

Clothing Shop Opening Hours:

Tuesday and Thursday 8:30 – 3:30 pm

Andrew Fuller

Last week the Years 3-6 girls and PLC staff participated in a workshop presented by Clinical Psychologist Andrew Fuller on 'Mental and Resilience Training'. The girls enjoyed becoming aware of our seven facial expressions that communicate our emotions non-verbally. Ask your child how to pull a face that shows, anger, fear, happiness, surprise, complacency, sadness and disbelief. Being aware of these expressions can help us communicate our feelings and interact with people in positive ways.



We congratulate the Donaldson family as they welcomed the much anticipated arrival of ...

Thomas Jock Donaldson [on Thursday 23 March, 2017]

Tommy and Lucy are doing well and Trent, Lily and Evie are enjoying time getting to know their new little son and brother.

Best Wishes from the PLC Junior School Community!

Autumn Festival

Thank you everyone for your effort under uncomfortable conditions. It was wonderful seeing your support despite the rain, which did little to dampen the girls' enthusiasm and college spirit. One word comes to mind when I reflect on this experience 'resilience'.

Our Character Strength this week is Judgement

A Character Strength on the Fence according to Randy McRoberts

The character strength of Open-mindedness or Judgement becomes a sticky one precisely because it straddles a boundary between character and questioning ethics. Open-mindedness seems to stem from compassion and a sense of tolerance and receptivity.

The following article written by Anna Partridge is something that I read and cannot stop reflecting upon as it cut to the very core of my desire to show compassion, empathy and understanding of others. It helped me to reflect upon my own parenting, the values I want to instill in my own children and what values and moral messages I would like to integrate within teaching practice. Whilst we focus so much on the academic performance of our children it is also very important to teach values and character strengths that will help to develop them emotionally and socially. The following is what Anna said about Judgement;

Hands up who has been judged for saying the 'wrong' thing, wearing the 'wrong' clothes, driving the 'wrong' car, being the 'wrong' weight, living in the 'wrong' house, eating the 'wrong' food, living the 'wrong' life?

Hands up who has judged someone for wearing the 'wrong' clothes, driving the 'wrong' car, being overweight, being the 'wrong' race, color or age or raising their kids the 'wrong' way?

The world can be a cruel place. It can lack compassion and kindness for people who are judged and for those who judge.

Why do people judge others? Judging others is a natural instinct because they look, sound or behave differently to us. It is a primal instinct to defend territory and we take a fight or flight response and this may have worked for cave men that needed to protect their own areas, however today it runs deeper.

The main reasons for judging others is a lack of understanding, perceived views from experience or upbringing or a lack of empathy and compassion.

Perceived views and lack of empathy and compassion are largely learnt and built on behaviours stemming right from our childhood and upbringing.

As parents, we have a responsibility to teach our children about differences, educate them about others so they have a genuine understanding and build on their empathy and compassion. We can teach our kids how to be non-judgemental.

Here are 5 ways to raise non-judgemental children:

1. Expose your children to people from different walks of life
2. Allow your children to experience many cultures
3. Educate your kids about differences and celebrate differences
4. Tell the truth, not opinion
5. Use non-judgemental language

Follow Anna Partridge on Twitter: [www.twitter.com/_positiveparent](https://twitter.com/_positiveparent)

AD ASTRA AWARDS: WEEK 7 AND 8



applied
persistence

Inquisitive

Kindness

times table work

organised

phoneme knowledge

creative writing

being a good friend





Coming Term 2
SIGN UP FOR THE
PLC CHESS CLUB TODAY

Where: Mrs Hey's Room

When: Lunchtime (on a day to be confirmed)

Enjoy the game played by millions
 around the world.

All Welcome ... Beginners to Expert.

Warning: Chess will drive you to THINK!

Go Ahead, Make Your Move

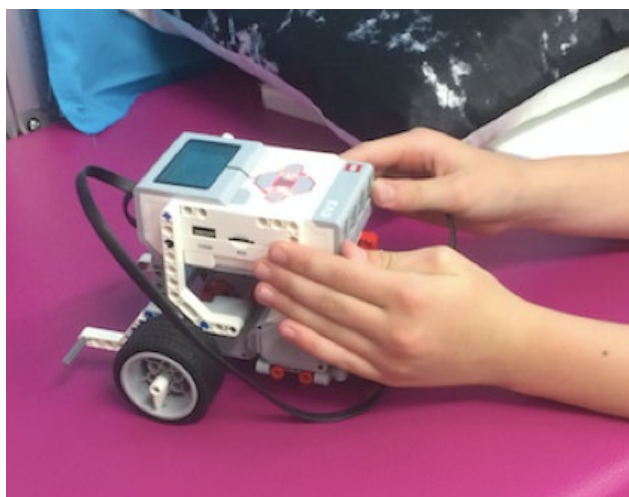
ROBOTICS

Teacher Jargon Deciphered

In Term 2, I will place some curriculum terminology in each edition of the Lion's Roar to help you understand the 'teacher language' that may be presented within report cards, newsletters or educational literature you may read.

For example, What is STEM? What does inferential comprehension mean? What is a phoneme or grapheme? What does a well-developed sight vocabulary mean?

I hope to achieve greater communication between teachers and parents by talking a common language.



LEARNING in the CLASSROOMS

Feature CHESS and ROBOTICS

CHESS at PLC – How does it link to the Curriculum and develop higher level thinking skills?

It's not about Kings, Queens, and Rooks, but rather, quadrants and coordinates, thinking strategically and foreseeing consequences. It's about lines and angles, weighing options and making decisions.

The Chess game as a tool, to increase higher level thinking skills, advance math and reading skills, and build self-confidence.

Chess develops thinking skills, and chess teaches higher level thinking skills such as the ability to visualize, analyze, and think critically.

It is a universal game, with worldwide rule consistency. Age, gender, ethnic background, religious affiliation, size, shape, color, and language don't matter when playing chess. Everyone is equal on the chessboard.

Chess is one big science experiment; every time you play a game you are testing hypotheses and learning by trial and error.



Junior School Sport

Rebecca Ward, Junior School Sports Coordinator

Indoor Hockey

Congratulations to the PLC Pups and PLC Ducklings teams who made it to the semi-finals.

The results of the Semi Finals were:

PLC Pups vs Ben Venue Turtles, with a score of 1-0 to Ben Venue.

PLC Ducklings vs TAS with the final score being 7-2, to TAS.

Unfortunately, they didn't make it to the finals, but they are to be commended for their team work and willingness to give things a go. A huge thank you goes to Charlotte Caldwell and Makenzie Constable for coaching these teams.

Congratulations also go to the PLC Joeys and PLC Puggles who have also played this year. Indoor Hockey will start up again in Term Four.

Netball

Netball is now underway, with the first round for PLC Red played on Saturday 25 March (the game due to be played on 18 March was cancelled, due to the weather). The other teams will start next term on 29 April.

Weekly draws will be put up on the sports notice board and emailed out to families. Please make sure that sufficient notice is given to either coaches, team managers or to Emma Young if your daughter is unable to make a game, so that replacements can be arranged.

Basketball

Basketball has started this term with a number of Year 3 to 6 girls turning up at the Den at Armidale High each Monday. Basketball will take a break before calling for players in Terms 2 and 3, starting approximately 8 May.

Wrapping Up TERM 1: WEEK 10

WEEK 10	EVENT	TIME
Monday 3.4.17		
Tuesday 4.4.17		
Wednesday 5.4.17	<input type="checkbox"/> Tri Schools Debating – Year 6 <input type="checkbox"/> Camp Quality – <i>Colour for a Cure</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Puppet Show ➤ Session 1: 9:00 – 9:20am ➤ Session 2: 9:30 – 10:15am <input type="checkbox"/> Creativity with Fruit - in class <input type="checkbox"/> Afternoon Tea ➤ 2:30pm – 3:30pm <i>Students are to wear their Guild Uniform on this day and they may accessorise with coloured socks and colourful ribbons in their hair.</i>	1:00 – 3:15pm
Thursday 6.4.17	<input type="checkbox"/> Easter Chapel Service <input type="checkbox"/> Whole School Cross Country ➤ 12:30pm – 3:30pm <i>Begin with BBQ Lunch at 12:30pm</i> <i>Students are to wear their Guild Sports Uniform, apply sunscreen, wear a hat and bring a water bottle to school on this day. If your child does not want to participate in the BBQ please ensure they bring a packed lunch to school as lunches are not able to be ordered on this day.</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Last day TERM 1	8:40am 12:30pm
Friday 7.4.17	STAFF DAY – no students	



Save the Date!

**PLC Armidale hosts Colin Buchanan
LIVE IN CONCERT
Friday August 11**

- FOR SCHOOLS [Invitations out soon!]

**Colin Buchanan Calvary Road Show
Saturday 12 August**

A ticketed concert for the New England community
[Details available soon!]



Five (and Six) Go to Myuna Bay

Rebecca Ward, Year 6 Teacher

On 12 March, 30 very excited (and a couple apprehensive) Year 5 and 6 girls, along with Mrs Robertson and Ms Ward, climbed on the bus to Myuna Bay. After the initial "Are we there yet?" and "How long until Myuna Bay?" comments, we stopped at Willow Tree for morning tea and a play. Then we settled back and enjoyed watching DVDs to help the long journey go quickly. After a couple more stops for lunch and to stretch our legs, we arrived at the Myuna Bay Sport and Recreation Centre. We were greeted by Shannon, who was our Program Officer while we were there. We carried our luggage to our lodge, where we unpacked before heading over to the Dining Hall for dinner.

After dinner, we made our way to the swimming pool, where Shannon put us through our paces to complete a swimming test. We then had the entire pool for ourselves until it was time for bed. The first night was restless with us all getting used to sleeping somewhere different, but we still rose bright eyed and smiling for breakfast the next day.

Our first full day was busy with kayaking, rock climbing and then Night Games. Kayaking was wonderful. We started in the lagoon, avoiding a water skiing group, before making our way under a low bridge out into Lake Macquarie. Here we kayaked close to shore, before beaching our kayaks and going sea turtle spotting. We managed to see a couple of heads pop out of the water before we made our way back to the kayaks and paddling back

to camp. After bringing the kayaks and paddles ashore, we had a quick shower before lunch and then prepared ourselves for Rock Climbing. Rock Climbing challenged us to scale to the top of the climbing wall, with many girls stepping out of their comfort zone. Our second day ended with a night of games, played with a visiting school. We all retired to our rooms, exhausted but happy.

Our second day saw us scaling new heights with the High Ropes Course as our challenge. While almost half of girls got through the course, thunder and lightning meant that we had to postpone taking the rest of the group through their paces. That afternoon, we went bike riding and took part in archery, with many of us aspiring to be the next Katniss Everdeen. We finished our final night with an amazing game which saw many of us become Secret Agents, while gathering items for our 'nest'. This game was also played against the other visiting school.

The last day saw the weather clear up enough for us to finish the High Ropes Course. What a relief to get everyone through this challenge! After we had packed up our cabins, scaled the High Ropes Course and bought some souvenirs, we loaded up the bus ready to head home. Heading home was a long journey, punctuated with a couple of movies to keep our minds off the journey. Eventually, we arrived at school to see many waiting parents and a few teachers!

Many thanks go to Myuna Bay Sport and Recreation Centre, particularly Shannon, who guided us during our stay. A number of the staff commented on the enthusiasm, respect and courtesy that the PLC Armidale girls demonstrated during their stay.





Around the Grounds Sports Report

Peter Le Surf, Director of Sport
Tildesley Tennis

On Tuesday 21st March a PLC representative tennis team travelled to Sydney to compete in the Tildesley Tennis Competition.

This competition is one of the longest running IGSSA competitions and would be one of the largest participation tournaments in Australia. The girls are not playing for prize money or national ranking points, they are just playing for school pride.

On Wednesday 22nd, Emma Ranck was the first of our players to take to the court. Emma was nervous at the start and so was her opponent. Emma played a great game, holding her nerve on the big points and sticking to a game plan that was working and eventually won the match. Getting us off to a great start.

Keira Shaw, who was lucky enough to draw a bye in the first round, was next on court. As you work through the rounds the matches get tougher. So, Keira knew that she was in for a tough time. Keira played some great tennis and impressed all the spectators with some lovely shot making. Keira won her match, after a bit of a struggle. Another great result!

Next Emma was due back on court for her 2nd round match. Again, the opposition was tougher. Emma displayed the same fighting quality that she displayed in her first match, however the opposition was just too good. A well fought match and a great show of sportsmanship.

Keira took to the court next for her 3rd round match. Now things were getting tough. To even get to the third round is a major achievement. Keira play some great tennis again and showed some great determination however the opponent was just more consistent on the big points. There was not a lot separating the standards of play between them, just one or two points going the other way and the result could have been different.

On Thursday was the doubles matches. Having watched the girls playing on the day before we knew we were going to have a tough day.

Tara Price and Charlotte Caldwell were the first up to play. They combined well and had a well thought out plan. For the first couple of games it was very even and they both managed to win their service games to keep the score at 2 all. At this point the opposition lifted and unfortunately Charlotte and Tara could not match the opposition for pace of shot. They eventually, after a long fight, went down.

Mackenzie Constable and Sarah Miron were our next doubles pair to take to the court. They had watched their team mates fight it out and they were determined to go one better. Both Mackenzie and Sarah were very nervous at the start of the match and were making a few errors. The opposition took full advantage and jumped out to a 6-1 lead. Mackenzie and Sarah, through

some better communication and fighting spirit, fought back to level the match at 6-6. The opposition, however managed to lift their game at just the right time and closed out the match 8-6. A tough break!

Overall, the girls were happy with the way they played, however a little disappointed in the results. They had been training hard and they showed great sportsmanship and fighting spirit against some very tough opposition.



Indoor Hockey Report- 2016/17

Indoor Hockey for PLC was once again a very popular Summer sport. PLC had 5 primary teams and 2 Senior School teams entered in the 2016/17 HNE Competition.

Those being PLC Joeys-Primary Div. 4, PLC Pups-Primary Div. 3, PLC Ducklings and PLC Puggles- Primary Div. 2 and PLC Cubs-Primary Div. 1 for Junior School. Teams for the Senior School entered were the PLC Flames- U13's and PLC Fire- U16's playing in the Competition.

PLC teams proved to be very successful for the season, with 5 teams of the 7 making semis in the final rounds. PLC Pups finished 1st in their Division, and played Ben Venue Turtles in the semi final. Pups played a fantastic game, very strong in attack and defence, they lost to Ben Venue 1-0, in what was a hard fought match between the two sides.

PLC Ducklings finished 3rd in their division and played against TAS 2 in the semi final game, TAS proving to be too strong for the girls on the day, with the final result being 7-2 to TAS.

PLC Cubs finished 2nd and played their semi against St Marys Barbarians. During the competition, the matches between these two teams were always close and tough games. These matches were exciting to watch, with results for the PLC Cubs winning 2 of these round games and drawing one of them. The semi final being just as entertaining and competitive, the PLC Cubs went down to the Barbarians 6-3, although the score did not reflect the game and how well these girls played.

PLC Flames U13's team finished 2nd overall in the HNE Competition, and played against Pavocota in the Semi. Pavocoto played well in the semi and defeated the Flames 3-1

PLC Lightning U16's were a strong team throughout the Competition and finished 3rd, giving them a spot in the semi against AHW who were a stand out team the whole competition and only improved as the season progressed. PLC Lightning was short players for their match, they tried as hard as they could considering their numbers, but lost the match.

I would like to take the opportunity to thank all of the Senior School students who took the time to coach the Junior School teams. The time and effort you put towards training these girls is greatly appreciated.

Also a special mention and thank you to Kim Taylor (PLC Parent), who was responsible for the running and supervision of the Primary Competition here at PLC Armidale.

PLC Cubs-Sarah Askey

PLC Puggles- Mackenzie Constable

PLC Ducklings- Dakotah Love

PLC Pups- Charlotte Caldwell

PLC Joeys- Chloe Stier & Julia Chambers

PLC Cubs-Primary Division 1-semi final



PLC Flames U13's



PLC Cubs-Primary Division 1-semi final

Interschool Chess Challenge

On Tuesday 28 March a PLC Armidale representative Chess team travelled to TAS to compete in the Interschool Chess Challenge. There were 193 students playing the tournament. Teams had travelled from Sawtell and beyond to compete.

Our team was made up of girls from Years 7 & 8 and they fought hard as there was no age limits in this tournament. First up clashes with a few year 12 boys proved costly, however Emma Dauparas and Bella Watts managed to win their first round matches.

Things started to get tougher as they progressed through the rounds. Each student had to play 7 matches in total and they were grouped in pools according to the number of matches won.

At the end of the day:

Bella Watts won 4 drew 1

Emma Dauparas won 4

Rachael Kenrick won 2 drew 1

Georgia Donoghue won 2

Sienna Catterall won 2

Emma Thompson won 1

Temicka Seagrave won 0 (a tough draw for Temicka)

The girls were happy with their results and have expressed an interest in attending more Chess tournaments.





Music Notes

Matthew Minter, Director of Music

Workshop with Tim Sexton

On Wednesday 22 March the PLC Senior Choir was incredibly fortunate to have the Musical Director of Adelaide Opera, Tim Sexton, come to PLC Armidale to run an afternoon workshop with the choir on our Eisteddfod pieces. Tim was visiting our region to conduct the Opera in the Paddock performances in Armidale and Inverell.

The workshop was very exciting. Tim Sexton is one of Australia's foremost choral and operatic conductors. He was impressed with the choir, particularly the vowel sounds and the blend. During the workshop he particularly focused on diction, consonants, musical line and accuracy of rhythm.

Well done to all the girls involved for their focused work throughout the afternoon and their receptive responses to the guidance that was given.

Hanna's Arcade Performance

On Saturday the 18 March the Senior Strings performed in the Annual Artivate Cultural Festival. The girls gave one of their best performances ever to a very appreciative audience. PLC Armidale was the only school group involved in the festivities.

PLC Performs Change of Date

The PLC Performs concert will be held on Friday 12 May, starting at 6pm, in the Astra Arts Centre. It will involve the students from Kindergarten to Year 8 in the choral program, as well as the Senior and Junior Strings, Senior Choir and the Chamber Music Ensembles. More details will be issued early next term.





Boarding House News

*Lucy McDonald Boarder
Captain and Isobel Moore
Deputy Boarder Captain*

As the Term is drawing to a close, the boarders have been involved in many activities representing PLC Armidale. Congratulations to Laura Hayes and Paris Whibley on their achievements at the Armidale and Guyra Shows over the past weekends. Also congratulations to Emma Barnier on her Gymnastics results. Emma has qualified for State at Level 8 and will compete again in Sydney in the coming weeks. Additionally, well done to Tara Price on her achievements at Tildesley Tennis. She represented PLC Armidale with enthusiasm and sportsmanship despite her tough competition.

On Saturday 18 March, the girls participated in the Campus to City Canter, and despite the unfortunate weather, the girls still had a great time. Following this, they participated in the Autumn Festival Parade, and were commended for their presentation and school spirit. Last weekend signalled the beginning of the netball season. Good luck to the girls playing netball and hockey this coming weekend.

Last Saturday night girls also went to see Beauty and the Beast at Armidale Cinema followed by Church on Sunday morning. As this weekend is the final one before the end of Term 1, girls will be busy packing for the holidays and recovering from their busy excursion weeks. Year 12 will be continuing to study for their half yearly exams, as they come to a close next Tuesday. We hope the girls enjoy their Easter break as they relax and prepare for Term 2.





Development and Enrolments

*Shona Eichorn, Director of Development
Sally McCook, Enrolments Manager*

Celebrating Our 130th Milestone – Saturday MAY 6.



Preparations are now in full swing for the PLC Armidale Celebration Ball on Saturday May 6. This will be a once in a lifetime opportunity so to avoid any disappointment, please purchase your tickets before the end of this term or asap.

Our theme is Diamonds, Pearls and Rubies ie. 60 + 40 + 30 = 130 years! Should you have any of the following items spare or that you no longer want, we would really appreciate any donations: empty glass jars, hessian, fairy lights, red or silver Christmas baubles, white paper lanterns.

Thank you in advance to our very creative and hard-working team of volunteers who have been meeting each fortnight to organise the Ball, and represent the various stakeholder groups in the College:

Sonia Broun, Deb Martin, Kathie Marquardt (Justina Catterall) and Jude Brownlee. Many thanks in advance team!

Congratulations Mrs Taylor on your Invitation to UNE

Unless you are, or know someone who is, graduating from UNE's School of Education faculty this weekend, you will not know that Mrs Taylor was invited to be the very special guest speaker! Tomorrow, Mrs Taylor will deliver the Occasional Address at the 2017 UNE Graduation Ceremony. We wish her all the best.

Reaching Out Family Homestay needed for international student.

As was mentioned at the first P&F Meeting this year, from time to time the PLC Pathways and International students may require accommodation during the shorter School Holiday breaks. We have one of the younger Pathways students needing accommodation during this April Vacation period and are reaching out to our generous PLC Armidale community to assist. Should you be able to take one of the Chinese girls for even just one of those weeks, please contact Sally McCook ASAP.

Your assistance will be much appreciated.



PLC Armidale Celebration Ball

Hosted by PLC Armidale,
together with the P&F, Foundation
and Old Girls' Union

Saturday 6 May 2017

6pm for a 6.30pm start

\$90 per ticket (includes complimentary champagne on arrival,
delectable three course meal and amazing entertainment)

VENUE DKC/Astra Arts Centre

TABLES OF 10, BYO

CHILDMINDING available \$5 (in the Senior library with
Pizza, drinks and movie included)

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Principal's Regional Tour – Terms 2 & 3 in 2017

The dates and locations are out! Principal Mrs Nicola Taylor and key staff will be travelling to a location near you in Terms 2 and 3. She is very keen to meet with both current and prospective families in their own community, so please get in contact with Enrolments Manager, Sally McCook or myself to arrange a time to meet. Naturally, should you have any family or friends in your area who may be interested, please pass on a flyer to them too!

Scholarships

Allocations for Academic, Visual Arts and Music Scholarships are currently pending. Families should receive notification by phone and letter before the end of the term. We are still accepting submissions, until close of business TODAY, from families for Round 1 (both current and prospective) for girls looking to apply for an All Rounder or Boarding Scholarship for 2018.

Commemorative Book

People are PLC Armidale. As a special memento of the 130 years of PLC Armidale, we are compiling information, stories, photos, recipes, as well as the history in a commemorative hard cover book, which will be available for purchase. If you have a special family recipe or PLC story to share we would love to hear from you **ASAP**. We will then organise a series of cooking days to prepare, cook and photograph your recipe. It will be no ordinary cookbook. It will be a hard back, coffee table style commemorative keepsake which tells a story of the College's history, through its gardens, food and families. We look forward to hearing from you ... or perhaps you may be able to nominate someone we can approach!

Principal's ²⁰¹⁷ Regional Tour

Principal, Mrs Nicola Taylor, welcomes the opportunity to meet with you to discuss the many opportunities for your daughter at PLC Armidale. She invites you to join her and key staff at the following locations:

TERM 2

NARRABRI / GUNNEDAH Thursday 11 May

DUBBO Friday 12 May

PORT MACQUARIE Wednesday 31 May

GRAFTON Thursday 1 June

COFFS HARBOUR Friday 2 June

GLEN INNES / INVERELL Thursday 15 June

MOREE / BINGARA Friday 16 June

TERM 3

SCONE / QUIRINDI Thursday 27 July

TAMWORTH Friday 28 July

WALCHA Friday 18 August

URALLA Tuesday 22 August



Please contact Enrolments Manager,
Mrs Sally McCook on 6770 1727 or
enrolments@plcarmidale.nsw.edu.au

We will also be exhibiting at the
Boarding Schools' Expos:
DUBBO 19 & 20 May
COFFS HARBOUR 2 June
TAMWORTH 28 & 29 July
AGQUIP @ Gunnedah 22-24 August

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Pastoral Care Conversation

Paula Goode, Pastoral Care Coordinator

Last Pastoral Care Conversations, I alluded to life being like a video game with obstacles being thrown at you every which way, and indicated how resilience and 'powering up' can help you to bend - not break.

So how do you build up your own resilience?

If you have all these **'power builders'**, that's great! But what if you don't? You can still build up your own resilience and create the kind of caring support that everyone needs by:

- **Getting connected.** Make friends, get to know people, join in with teams, clubs and organisations. Talk to and help people and allow them to help you.
- **Don't give up.** Everyone has to deal with a crisis from time to time. Just go into 'automatic mode' and work your way through it. Things will get better. It isn't easy, but you do get through eventually.
- **Change is here to stay – accept it!** Of course, it's unsettling when you feel comfortable with something, then it all changes. Try to see change as a chance to alter the future, not the end of the world as you know it!
- **Get good at making realistic goals.**
- Make long-term goals, then work out the steps you have to take to achieve them.
- Set these steps as your short-term goals, and work your way through all the short-term goals that will get you where you want to be.
- Remember that being realistic doesn't mean accepting second best. As you reach each goal, you can aim higher.
- **Face up to problems.** Think about how you can solve them instead of wishing that they would go away.
- **Learn from the bad times.** Often people find that they have developed better skills, made new friends and got to know themselves better after they have gone through some crisis.
- **Trust yourself.** Develop your skills [e.g. communication, problem solving, conflict resolving] and instincts, and then develop confidence in your ability to use them.
- **Don't turn every small setback into a '10 act drama!'** Unless of course you are practising to be a stand-up comedian!
- **Practise thinking positive thoughts.** Always be hopeful of your ability to get through, and that things will improve.
- **Look after yourself.** Exercise and eat well for a healthy body, and learn to relax.
- **Get to know yourself.** Some people do this by meditation or writing down their thoughts (journaling). It's helpful to know what your opinions are, and also to reflect on how you handle life, what works for you and what doesn't.
- **Learn, adapt and move on.** We need resilience to cope with the challenges life throws at us. Looking at how you have managed and survived past events can help you become more resilient at managing future events.




However you can destroy your resilience. All you need to do is to look at all the ways in which you can build your resilience then do the opposite!


- **Don't** connect with others, allow them to help you, care about yourself, develop skills, be positive, face up to problems or have confidence in yourself.
- **Do** put yourself down, give up, become a loner, neglect your body and mind, be miserable and unhappy.

Then, like the video game, you will be knocked out by every obstacle and without the 'power builders' you will be out of the game.


Being a resilient person means sometimes being active and sometimes being passive, knowing when to step forward and act, and knowing when to step back, relax and allow yourself and others to nurture your inner self. Every time you face a crisis, deal with a disappointment, lose someone or something you love, you use your resilience to help you recover and move on with your life. Having good relationships with adults and peers, knowing how to keep yourself safe, building stress-busters into your life and getting involved in good stuff makes your life meaningful. It also gives you the inner strength or resilience to cope with whatever life throws at you.


10 Tips to Boost Resilience

Communicate regularly and effectively. 


 **Maintain positive and personal connections.**

Avoid seeing a crisis as unconquerable. 


 **Be accepting of change.**

 **Move toward your goals.**

Take positive, decisive actions. 

 **Look for opportunities for self-discovery.**

Keep things in perspective. 

 **Nurture a positive view of yourself.**

Look to a hopeful future. 

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P&F Trivia Night

TONIGHT!

31st March 2017
6.30pm

\$15 per ticket Tables of 8, maximum 10
Babysitting available \$5 (in the library with Pizza, drinks and movie included)

Venue: PLC Armidale Dining Room

Theme: "Old School"
in honour of our 130th birthday celebrations this year.

BYO: food and drinks, glassware, crockery and cutlery
Silent auction and trivia prizes on the night

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using the code: <https://www.trybooking.com/OVFW>

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Notice of the Annual General Meeting of PLC Armidale Foundation

This is to advise that the AGM of the members of PLC Armidale Foundation will be held on:

Date: Wednesday 26 April 2017

Time: 5.30pm

Place: The Boardroom, PLC Armidale

All members of Foundation are welcome to attend.

Business to be transacted will include:

- Minutes of the 2016 AGM
- The Annual Report
- The Auditor's Report
- The Annual Financial Statements
- Appointment of the Foundation's auditor
- Election of Members and Officers of the Board of Management

For further information please contact the Chair, Deborah Martin, at deborah.n.martin@mac.com or on 0417 624 618.

Positions Available

Please see below advertisements which have been placed in the local press and on the College website this week. It is encouraging to be in a position to supplement the administrative staffing of the College in response to an increasing demand for services, especially through our Development and Enrolments Offices.

As is often the case, a word of mouth referral or personal recommendation about positions vacant can be more beneficial than external advertising, so please feel free to inform potential candidates that these positions have been advertised.

PRESBYTERIAN LADIES' COLLEGE ARMIDALE EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT

PLC Armidale is an independent Christian girls' school located in Armidale, New England.

We are seeking to appoint an experienced and highly skilled person to the role of Executive Assistant to the Principal with office management responsibilities. This senior administrative position will suit someone with highly developed inter-personal and organisational skills and experience in supporting Executive staff. Reporting directly to the Principal, this diverse and challenging role will require an ability to manage the complex and varied operational and organisational functions of the College. Assisting with planning and facilitating key College events will also be a feature of this role.

For more information, please go to:

<http://www.plcarmidale.nsw.edu.au/employment/positions-available>

Applications must be received by Friday 7 April 2017.

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We are seeking to appoint an experienced and skilled person to the role of Administration Officer. This position will suit someone with attention to detail skills and the ability to prioritise and complete multiple tasks with accuracy and efficiency. Working within the Enrolments and Accounts areas of the College, this role will require an ability to operate as a team player within a busy environment. The successful applicant will have excellent communication skills, computer literacy and be customer service focused.

For more information, please go to:

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GOLDHEIST

At The Armidale Golf Club
Concert and Dinner

The Flower and the Fiddle

with Special Guests
Jess Stocker (percussion) and Jess Wright (violin)



The Armidale Golf Club,
April 1 2017 at 6.30pm
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Rosemary Leitch AYO GARDEN PARTY

10:30am
Sunday 2 April 2017
Chevy Chase
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A morning of beautiful music from the
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Lunch and one free drink is provided.
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COME & TRY RUGBY & INFORMATION EVENING

Friday 24th March
4.30pm & SportUNE

- Meet our Rio 7s GOLD MEDALIST!
- Skills and drills
- Game time

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BBQ and information
session for the
inaugural Armidale
Junior Rugby
Competition




ARMIDALE JUNIOR RUGBY FRIDAY NIGHT COMP

Boys & Girls **#NEJRU**

The Armidale Junior Rugby
comp is finally here!!
Starting 5pm Friday April 28th
until Friday 18th August
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SHORT FILMS



SPICE SISTERS

Directed by Sheila Jayadev | Australia | In English
15 mins | UCC

A former Bollywood star is bored and restless with her life. When a popular reality cooking show announces a call for contestants, she decides it's now or never to make a change.



THE SPA

Directed by Will Goodfellow | Australia | In English
8 mins | UC15+

When retiree Don declares he no longer wants the new spa he's just ordered, Ivan the deliveryman suspects there's more to the story than Don is willing to admit.

SCHEDULE

FRIDAY 28 APRIL

7PM **THE EAGLE HUNTRESS** (G) screens with short **Spice Sisters**
9PM **COMPLIMENTARY OPENING NIGHT DRINKS**

SATURDAY 29 APRIL

12.30PM **SUZU AND THE SIMPLE MAN** (PG)
3.15PM **LAND OF MINE** (MA15+)
6.00PM **LIKE CRAZY** (M) screens with short **The Spa**
8.30PM **THE SALESMAN** (M)

SUNDAY 30 APRIL

11.15AM **AQUARIUS** (18+)
2.30PM **TONI ERDMANN** (M)
6.00PM **DAVID STRATTON: A CINEMATIC LIFE** (M)
8.00PM **FRANTZ** (PG)

OPENING NIGHT THE EAGLE HUNTRESS



FRIDAY 28 APRIL 7PM

Directed by Otto Bell | USA, Mongolia, UK | In Kazakh with English subtitles | 87 mins | G
NOMINATED: BEST DOCUMENTARY, BAFTAs and OSCARS SHORTLIST 2017

The Eagle Huntress is a profoundly inspiring story of a young girl's determination to follow in her father's footsteps, defying centuries old traditions to become a master eagle hunter.

Aisholpan lives in the remote mountains of western Mongolia, a region famous for its custom of training eagles to hunt foxes and hares for food and furs. Her father, a renowned huntsman, teaches her how to capture and train her own eagle chick. She's an enthusiastic pupil, but the art of falconry is a male-only tradition, so the community frowns upon the young female upstart. Aisholpan's will to succeed is infectious and everyone in the audience is sure to be on the side of the teenager as she puts her awesome golden eagle through its paces in this spellbinding and beautifully shot feature documentary.

"In form and content, this is a movie that expands your sense of what is possible. A girl can hunt with an eagle. A camera can fly." – THE NEW YORK TIMES

"There's a spirit that soars in this nature doc about a 13-year-old who becomes Mongolia's first female eagle hunter in 12 generations. You'll be hooked." – ROLLING STONE

Screens with short film **Spice Sisters**

Please join us after the screening for complimentary Opening Night drinks.

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Tamworth NSW 2340
Phone: (02) 6766 3707

Opening Night includes complimentary drinks.
Subscriptions are transferable but admit only one person per screening.
Concessions: unemployed, pensioners, seniors, members of Sydney Film Festival – upon presentation of ID.
All films start at the advertised time – we do not screen ads.
UC = Unclassified 15+.
All details correct at time of printing but subject to change without notice.

TRAVELLING FILM FESTIVAL VISITS...

NT Alice Springs, Darwin, Katherine OLD Bundaberg, Cairns, Mackay, Rockhampton, Toowoomba, Townsville NSW Huskisson, Nambucca Heads, Newcastle, Port Macquarie, Tamworth, Ulladulla, Wagga Wagga, Wollongong TFF AT SEA Sydney to Tasmania



Travelling Film Festival acknowledges the financial assistance of Screen Australia and the New South Wales Government through Screen NSW and is supported by media partner ABC New England North West.



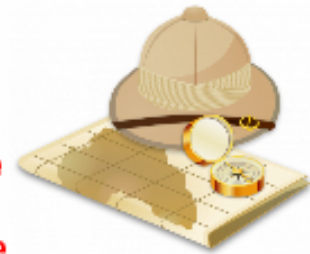
ARMIDALE YOUTH WEEK 2017!

What's On?

1

Photo Scavenger Hunt! - Week Long

Take photos on the letters of YOUTHWEEK17 make into a collage and upload to the Armidale YouthSpace Facebook page and hashtag #YWSCAV17 and you could win a GoPro or some movie tickets!



2

Wipeout and Bubble Soccer!

- Friday 7th April 3:30pm onwards



3

Outdoor movie! - Friday 7th April

Join us for an outdoor movie night in Curtis Park. This years movie is "Tomorrow When The War Began". Movie starts at sundown



4

Colour War - Sunday 9th April from 2:30pm onwards in Curtis Park

Join Youth Council in a colour war with capture the flag and other games



for up to date information go to Armidale Youth Space on Facebook or call 67703605

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