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EDITORIAL

As I reflect on my time at PLC I am beginning to realise exactly how much I have gained in the short six years I have spent at the School. I started out as a small girl in Year Seven, who had a battle with her tie every morning and now in what seems just a blink of an eye it is time to say farewell.

One of my earliest impressions of PLC was standing on the library balcony as a scared Year Eight student, looking across the quad which seemed to be a sea of Panama hats and tartan skirts.

Later on as a 'worldly and sophisticated' Year Ten, I saw the School as restricting and resented the seemingly pointless rules I had to follow. But now that I am (I hope) a more mature Year Twelve I can appreciate and be thankful for those same restrictions and am grateful for the guidance and support the School has shown me.

It is only now, at the end of my final year, that I can fully realise the importance of the values and beliefs that I have been introduced to at PLC. But perhaps the most important and valuable gift that the School has given me is that of independent thought. The ability to think and reason for oneself is surely the greatest asset a person can have, and at PLC the Staff encourage this independent thought, while at the same time demonstrating the wisdom of listening to others.

While I am more that a little terrified at leaving the familiar and secure environment of school, I know that the knowledge I have gained from my time at PLC will stand me in good stead.

Now, as the School is preparing for what will be my last Speech Night, it is hard to believe that my final year has actually come to an end. There will be no more assemblies or Chapel services, black stockings or blue scrunchies.

However, in place of these things a whole new world with countless opportunities is opening up, waiting for us to make the most of them. It is time for the Year Twelves of 1993, like so many other girls before them, to hang up their berets and step out into the world. We will take with us the friendships we have made and the memories of the time we have shared.

I wish each and every member of my Year the very best of luck and happiness. I ask you to remember that life is something to be lived. If you want to achieve anything you must first participate. Plunge into life head first and make the most of it. If you do, your rewards will be great.

Finally it is time to say thank you to all those people who have given up so much of their time for *Kookaburra*. To Mrs McMahon, Mrs McArthur and Mrs Lynch go our sincere thanks.

Without you it is doubtful that the *Kookaburra* would have ever been finished.

The Year Eleven and Twelve members of the *Kookaburra* committee must also be thanked for all their efforts, especially the Year Elevens who took over the reins so admirably when the Year Twelves left.

Thank you to all those people who supplied the photos and articles. For a while you will be free to walk across the quad without fear of being attacked by a crazed editor demanding a report!

To next year's editors, Rosie and Georgie, we wish you the best of luck and hope that you get as much out of *Kookaburra* as Tracey and I have. Once again, thank you to everyone for your contributions.

Good luck to the girls who are leaving and to the rest of the School community for 1994 and beyond.

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PRINCIPAL'S SPEECH NIGHT REPORT

I have much pleasure in presenting the 79th report of Presbyterian Ladies' College. I welcome the Moderator of the Uniting Church in WA, Mrs Lilian Hadley. PLC values being part of the Uniting Church and we are pleased to have the Moderator with us to deliver the message of the Church. We extend a special welcome to our guest speaker for tonight, our retiring Deputy Principal and Director of Pastoral Care, Mrs Gwen Bull. After 22 years of untiring service to the School, it is fitting that she has consented to address us and present the prizes tonight.

AIMS AND EDUCATIONAL PHILOSOPHY

In last year's report, I quoted the general aim from PLC's educational philosophy. This year I should like to continue by quoting further.

"More specifically, PLC aims to:

- Stimulate an awareness and an understanding of our spiritual nature and heritage and encourage the promotion of Christian values.
- Develop the ability to think clearly, logically, creatively - to foster the skills necessary for continued learning and decision-making throughout life.
- Prepare its girls for further education.
- Foster physical and emotional development.

In order to achieve these aims we:

- Encourage both an understanding of, and commitment to a coherent personal philosophy of life through Christian worship, education and activities within the School.
- Provide a comprehensive curriculum of studies and assist students through counselling to select suitable subject choices to maximise their potential. Teach them to organise their time, set their own priorities, self-evaluate and take responsibility for their own learning.
- Provide care, stability and support in the school environment through our pastoral care programme, and develop an ability to solve problems while respecting the rights of others.
- Enable students to listen and communicate clearly and effectively; assist them to use available technology well and give them the capacity to use other available resources.
- Prepare students to recognise that learning is a life-long process.
- Encourage students to work co-operatively for the good of themselves, their fellow students, the school and wider community, as well as providing opportunities for leadership.
- Assist students to value the skills they possess and to recognise those of others.
- Offer a programme of physical fitness and skill development and promote understanding of healthy lifestyles.
- Develop creativity, self expression and individual excellence and achievement through all aspects of the curriculum and through



participation in artistic, musical and recreational pursuits.

- Encourage an interest in the environment.
- Offer a forum for discussion of issues related to justice, society and the implications for others of one's own actions.
- Foster a sense of pride in appearance and encourage respect for their own and others' property."

Everything we do at PLC is an attempt to fulfil these aims.

CURRICULUM SUPPORT

After the decision to remain on our present site was made in 1992, this year was to see the beginning of the upgrading of our facilities as we started our building programme to support the existing curriculum and to provide for the needs of the children of the future. In order to cater for the curriculum of the future we had to concentrate on the perceived needs of the learner as they developed the capacity to undertake life-long learning.

First, we needed to provide appropriate technology in areas of information gathering, communication and applied computing to support individualised learning, our Powerbook programme, varied teaching and learning strategies and peer assistance.

(The importance of students learning from each other in the technology field cannot be over-estimated). The Learning Enrichment Centre was to be the focus and the Technology Extension to the Library was to provide the much-needed support for these learning strategies.

I am pleased to report that these areas are now completed and are already being used extensively in the ways that were planned.

I know that 1994 will see them fully used and I thank Barbara Mills, co-ordinator of the Learning Enrichment Centre, Bruce Jenkins, Head of Technology and Judy Nicholls, Librarian for all their work directing these activities.

Next was to be the provision of our Drama facilities, in the form of a Performing Arts Centre where our three drama and oral communications teachers could work in appropriate areas providing much needed facilities for our students to develop not only specific dramatic and oral skills but also generic key competencies and workplace know-how such as the ability to work in teams, to communicate clearly and effectively, develop creativity, accept responsibility, apply appropriate technology. Being part of a major production allows students to experience a heightened or intensive educational experience that will stay with them for many years to come.

Our planned Indoor Physical Education Centre would have enabled us to conduct all our physical education lessons appropriately rather than have to rely on the vagaries of the weather. The provision of these facilities has been delayed because our present development plan has not been approved by the Peppermint Grove Shire Council. The need for these facilities is acute. I hope that there can be some resolution of this matter in the near future.

I thank Peter Alp and Patricia Temby for their assistance with the planning, development and care of our physical resources.

STUDENTS

Enrolments continue to remain steady with almost 900 students and a full Boarding House of 180 girls. Our Kindergarten and Junior School continue to provide a sound educational base for these vital early years and I thank Joy Evans and her staff for their untiring efforts.

In the Senior School, academic results continue to be good with all Year 12 students successfully graduating last year. Tertiary Entrance results were similar to previous years, with Meagan Johnson receiving the subject exhibition in Japanese, 12 Certificates of Distinction, 5 Certificates of Excellence and 24 girls receiving aggregates of more than 400.

However it is becoming increasingly hard to gain places in quota courses at University as the percentage of school leavers receiving places at University is reduced.

The Dux of the School this year is Kate Sounness and prizes for academic excellence in Year 12 have gone to Anna Bishop, Tanya Dolinschek, Michelle Duckworth, Elizabeth Jay, Gina Micke, Jane Moir, Katherine Svalbe and Nicola Telfer.

Kate Sounness will be in South America next year on an Exchange scholarship. Indeed many of our girls will travel in 1994 on Overseas scholarships.



Nicola Telfer, our Head Prefect, will be in Japan next year as she is the only Western Australian to receive an Institute of International Understanding Scholarship to study in Japan for a year. Rosalind Dixon of Year 9 has received the WA Australian-Japan Society scholarship for 1994 and will attend school in Takayama.

Music Honours have been awarded to Caitlin Mildern, and Sports Honours to Jane McGillvray, Emma Prowse and Lainie Gara.

Participation is actively encouraged at PLC because we believe that the more a student participates in the life of her school the more she benefits in becoming the well-rounded PLC girl, able to handle life after PLC in all its facets, successfully. It is for this reason that our sports programme supports our overall Physical Education programme. We want our girls to be involved in many activities, - recreational, inter-House and inter-School; we enjoy their successes but we enjoy their involvement and their persistence as they attempt to do their best, even more. It is for this reason that the increase in the number of girls doing Outdoor Education and associated activities is most pleasing and I thank Ray Pedretti for his efforts in this field.

Strong encouragement is given for girls to become involved in the Performing Arts and many opportunities to perform have been provided for our students during this year. Music students will entertain you tonight, but there have been many occasions in drama, public speaking, debating and dance for girls to achieve their personal best while growing in confidence through participating in such delightful pursuits. I thank Scotch College, Trinity College and Christ Church Grammar School for the opportunities they have given our girls to participate in joint productions.

One of my catchcries is "Do what you do do, well!" There has been ample evidence of our students doing this in 1993. As I was preparing this report I read through all the Take-Home newsletters this year. The list of activities undertaken by girls is enormous. I never cease to be amazed just how much is done by some girls and staff at PLC. The congratulations are too numerous to mention in this Speech Night Report but many, many girls are taking advantage of the opportunities given to them at school.

Our School has been enriched by our Overseas Students' Programme this year, and we were pleased to be named as a finalist in the Export-Industry Awards for this programme that has added another dimension to our School. There has been much crossing of the cultures to the advantage of all in this programme and in our Exchange Students' Programme.

Our Boarding House is thriving and for the first time for a few years we have a waiting list for the Boarding House for 1994. The girls and staff have enjoyed the renovations that have made the facilities more welcoming but it is a tribute to Mrs Bull and her staff that the Boarders are so well cared for at PLC.

CURRICULUM

The curriculum initiatives for 1993 foreshadowed in last year's report are now coming to fruition. The Powerbook Computer Programme began in earnest this year, with the introduction of Apple Powerbooks to our Year 7's and later to our Year 8's. In 1994, Year 7, 8 and 9 students will have them. We have been thrilled with the results so far. Evaluation of this initiative is being undertaken by Paul Newhouse, Faculty of Education, Edith Cowan University and monitoring will continue as the programme advances through the School.

The Design and Technology course has moved successfully into Year 9 and will move into Year 10 next year. It is an across-the-curriculum course and the skills the girls are acquiring are carrying over into other areas. Jan McMahon has done an excellent job in leading this fledgling department. Her ability, competency and professionalism is acknowledged by her peers in this State where she is often called upon to demonstrate her expertise.

Heads of Departments are continually monitoring and evaluating the courses that students take at this College. The pattern of teaching and learning is changing and staff and students are learning to cope with change and indeed use it to their advantage.

Andrew Tibbitt, Director of Studies, is to be congratulated on his efforts to modernize the curriculum, and to keep up-to-date with the latest developments in this field.

STAFF

Staff development in the use of technology has continued and next year Jennifer Worner will assist the Head of Technology, Bruce Jenkins, as a trainer of staff as well as having a teaching load. I have been pleased with the way the staff have embraced the use of their notebook computers and while we freely admit that many of our students are more proficient than we are with these tools, we have found them enormously useful to us at PLC.

Professional development of Staff is vitally important in this day and age. I am most thankful to the College Council for encouraging my staff and me so enthusiastically in this area. As we grow, so our students benefit. It has been good for our students to see us as role models, becoming active learners too. It has been good for students and staff to learn together in some areas. It has been good for staff to have so many opportunities to learn from and with their peers.

This year eleven members of staff have attended nine inter-state or National Conferences, twenty-two have attended eleven Conferences in Western Australia and most other departments have been represented at other Professional Development activities.

Thank you to Jenny Rankin, Head of Staff, especially for her effort in the field of Professional Development.

One of the highlights of the year for me personally has been my time at Harvard University when I participated in an institute at the Principals' Centre in July. The institute was designed to examine three basic questions:

- How can practitioners share in building the knowledge base on leadership?
- How does the school leader promote coalition building and shared leadership to improve the school community?
- What are the components of a healthy school culture and what is the leader's role in supporting such a culture?

During this course we really learnt to value diversity and to understand that a sense of belonging is so important in an environment conducive to learning - two of the real themes of the institute.

RETIREMENT OF STAFF

The six staff members that are leaving us this year have, between them, given 77 years of service to the School and I thank them for their untiring efforts. They will be missed but we wish them well in their many and varied plans for the future. Alan Mulford retires from the position of School Accountant, a position he filled most admirably keeping the School's finances in excellent shape. Colyn Prater retires from the position of Property Officer. Colyn has worked hard to keep the physical resources of the School in good order. He has been a good friend to us all. Margaret Zayan, our Chaplain who has been with us for ten years, leaves us as her settlement at PLC comes to an end. She has been vitally interested in the girls and parents of this School, giving much of her time to their spiritual and emotional well-being. Diana McArthur has taught English Literature at PLC so admirably for 17 years. She leaves us for a life in Queensland where her husband has accepted a position at the University of Southern Queensland. Patricia Temby, who has filled many roles at PLC, all exceptionally well, is leaving for a new life in Greece. Pattie has been Maths teacher, House Adviser, acting Senior Mistress, Acting Director of Studies, Director of the Junior School and Assistant to the Principal (New Buildings). Gwen Bull who has worked for the School for 22 years, has been Home Economics teacher, House Adviser, Head of Department, Senior Mistress, Boarding House Supervisor, Deputy Principal in charge of Pastoral Care and Acting Principal when I have been away from the School. She has had a powerful effect on all of us at PLC. I shall miss her attention to detail, her maintaining of standards, her professionalism, her support, her friendship but above all her loyalty. I am pleased that although she is retiring from her position in the School she has agreed to continue on as Boarding House Supervisor in a part-time capacity in 1994. She and her husband Ian have our very best wishes for a really happy and more restful future.

MRS BULL'S FAREWELL SPEECH

Moderator of the Uniting Church - Mrs Hadley. Chairman of the School Council - Mrs Craig. Principal - Mrs Day. Members of Council, colleagues, parents and friends, and girls.

We've listened to a variety of speakers at our annual Speech Nights. There have been well-known public figures such as Sir Ronald Wilson and the late Professor Gordon Reid.

Doctor Bob Vickery inspired one group of graduating students with his message of hope for the future. On another occasion, a gentleman spoke for at least twenty minutes but said so little that was relevant that even the staff became restless.

More recently Dixie Marshall, a former student of the School, entertained us by tracing the career path that led her into the male dominated field of sports journalism. And last year Sara Macliver, another Old Collegian, entranced us by singing a beautiful song at the end of her speech.

I had never imagined that I would one day join this group. I may well have listened more closely if I had..... I certainly can't sing!

However I am honoured to have been invited to be Guest Speaker at this my last Speech Night as a member of the staff of the Senior School.

I started at PLC in 1972 so a quick calculation will tell you that I came before any of the students here tonight were born and have spent more than a third of my life at PLC.

Many will wonder why I've stayed so long and what changes there have been. There have certainly been changes to the physical structure of the School but the things that PLC stands for, have remained constant. Our traditions, the pursuit of excellence, the emphasis on an all round education, the many extra-curricular activities available, the encouragement of Christian values have all been important to me and have changed little.

The friendship and support I've always had from my colleagues have been a constant source of comfort. And I've been lucky to have been offered new challenges and to have gained immense satisfaction from my various roles in the School.

A belief in what one does, support from one's colleagues and job satisfaction - a good basis for a long and rewarding career.

There have been many highlights and memories throughout the years.

I started by teaching dressmaking in a very old building about where Room B110 now stands, and where the rusted louvres wouldn't close, at least a million pins slipped through the gaps in the floor boards, and the catch cry was 'Mrs Bull I've made a mistake; can you unpick it please?'

Then we moved to the present Home Economics centre where the open plan meant a great deal of happy interaction between the Food and Nutrition and Clothing and Fabrics students - the White twins took this so literally that they swapped between classes according to their mood, and we didn't know until long afterwards.

This too was where I began to lose the battle of the waistline because of the regular tasty samples sent in by Mrs Jarvis from the kitchen.

Who could forget?

The joy of listening to outstanding musicians, actors and public speakers, many of whom have gone on to greater things, but who at the time performed for pleasure and as a contribution to their House or the School.

Or - everyone's pride and excitement when we unexpectedly won the 1991 Inter-School Swimming Carnival through an outstanding team effort.

Or - the day the Principal borrowed a watch from Lost Property and after Assembly, a brave Year Ten approached her and said 'Excuse me, Mrs Day, I think that's my watch you're wearing!'

The satisfaction of reading TEE results and noting that those students who had worked well had been rewarded with success.

Or - the two recent comments from students that I enjoyed: The first in a note from a Year Eight student after I'd expressed satisfaction that a group of girls had had the '**intestinal fortitude**' to admit their involvement in a misdemeanour. The final sentence of her note said that she would present it personally so that I could see that all of **her** intestines were intact!

And the other - when a teacher remarked that **nothing and no-one** could make her hurry that morning - a passing student replied '...but you haven't got Mrs Bull for a Year meeting in a few minutes time!'

Or - the goose bumps of pride when our Pipe Band swings onto the track at Perry Lakes at the end of the Inter-School Athletics.

The delightfully eccentric music teacher whom I drove to School for four years. And every morning for four years we held up the traffic in Vincent Street North Perth, because she insisted on telling me her news before getting into the car; and who, as we came around Devil's Elbow, would almost invariably say 'That view is such a tonic!' And indeed it was!

The day our small group of Army Cadets gave a display of marching at Assembly. They looked splendid in their uniforms and marched with precision across the Gym heading straight for the side wall. We all held our breath until, centimetres from the wall, the Corporal gave the order to 'About turn.'

Or - The Annual Year Twelve Dance when the students emerge from their pony tailed, uniformed appearance to become lovely, confident young women and when the staff recall them as diffident, uncertain Year 8s and wonder where the years have gone.

Or - The eerie feeling I developed when, for three weeks towards the end of one year, I became overly conscious of a Year Twelve student's presence around the School. I discovered the reason for her shadowing when, at the final Year Twelve Assembly, she gave an outstanding performance as Mrs Bull, complete with a purple look-alike dress, quotes and mannerisms.

And for Wildcats fans and with Mrs Knight's permission - The day James Crawford was expected at the School to address our basketballers. Mrs Knight, who doesn't follow the Wildcats, greeted the tall young visitor by name and was puzzled by the quizzical smile that accompanied his response 'James couldn't come I'm Trevor Torrance.'

And finally who could forget - the students, past and present - black watch tartan - Carmichael the **best** House - the ingenuity of the Year Twelves when they write their excuses on the dreaded yellow slips for missing P.E. - Lost Property, name badges and scrunchies - boarders' socials - the outstanding dancers, singers and actors at the Staff Review last term - Jubilee Twist at morning tea with the Office Staff (Another example of my pre-occupation with food!) - singing my favourite hymns - the contribution the overseas students have made to the School - the thrill of seeing our own Olympic gymnast perform the list could be endless!

My involvement in the Boarding House has certainly been a highlight of my time at PLC.



Providing a home during term for more than 180 students is a challenge which the staff accept readily because in return we see a side of the girls not often evident at school - we see them at their very best and occasionally at their worst. And they often see a different Mrs Bull. It's difficult to maintain the slightly aloof dignity perhaps expected of a Deputy Principal, when rushing through the dormitories after a fire alarm at two o'clock in the morning wearing an elderly dressing gown.

Year Twelves - may you enjoy your future as much as I've enjoyed my past!

You've set a fine example as leaders - and your contribution to the arts, on the sporting field, and in the many other facets of our School life has been significant. Many of you will miss the security and all that the School offers, but you **are** ready to move on. And we believe that we've prepared you well for the demands of a rapidly changing future.

You have acquired a breadth of knowledge and developed the confidence to express your opinions, to take on leadership roles and to make decisions. You are comfortable and proficient in the use of technology - and who knows what marvels technology will produce in the twenty first century? You are certainly better prepared in life skills than my generation was.

Hold on to the training you've received. Aim to become committed to a life time of learning, and be willing to articulate your beliefs undeterred by male dominated situations in which you may find yourself.

Continue to be involved in the pursuit of excellence and seize opportunities as they present themselves. You may well be surprised at your own capabilities.

When Miss Barr first offered me the position of Senior Mistress, my immediate response was that I wouldn't have the confidence to stand up in front of Assembly and keep order. And now here I am speaking at Speech Night!

PLC has been an important part of your lives. I hope that you'll remember it with loyalty, pride and affection. You've made some special lifelong friends and, as well, you have a network of 149 contemporaries to give a helping hand if it's needed.

We, in turn, can be confident that the future of our society is in safe hands. You have been encouraged to develop integrity, tolerance, honesty and respect. Many of you are concerned about the environment, the ethical and moral questions facing us, and the future of Australia as a truly independent nation. You are destined to become the leaders, the trend setters and from your privileged position, to help others who are less fortunate.

There is good reason for optimism!
The very best wishes of us all go with you as you begin the next phase of your lives.

We wish you happiness, and every success and fulfilment in your careers.

Aim to be worthy members of society. Keep your idealism, your faith in the future and your generosity of spirit.

And to the other students - Remember the last two lines of our traditional end-of-term Hymn: 'Those returning, those returning, Make more faithful than before.'

I hope that you **will** be faithful - faithful to your own values and beliefs, faithful to your family and friends, and faithful to PLC. It's a fine school - make the most of your time there.

In conclusion I'd like to read a verse. It's not from a great literary work but it **has** become a small tradition in the Boarding House as I read it to the boarders at the end of each term and they know it well.

May the road rise up to meet you
May the wind be always at your back
May the sun shine warm upon your face
And the rain fall soft upon your fields
And until we meet again
May God hold you in the palm of his hand.

*Gwen Bull
Speech Night
December, 1993*



At the end of 1993, we farewell four of our long-serving Staff members :
Front : Deputy Principal, Gwen Bull. Back Row (L to R) : Rev. Margaret Zayan,
Diana McArthur and Patricia Temby.

HEAD PREFECT'S REPORT

As we sat in the gym, all girls nervously awaiting the announcement of the School Officials for 1994, I was saddened by the thought that my year as Head Prefect was coming to an end. For me, 1993 has proved to be an eventful and successful year, filled with excitement and many new challenges.

A challenge for all of us was to adjust to the commencement of building operations. However, through the co-operation of Staff, students and construction workers, adjustments were made to maintain a safe and workable School environment. All girls wait with anticipation for the completion of these additions and changes which will certainly benefit life at PLC. I look forward to returning to School, especially to see the landscaping and development of the small section of land adjacent to the future Chapel, presented to the School by the 1993 Year Twelve students. I am sure this is a feeling shared by us all.

The PLC Fair was definitely an important event on this year's calendar, with the whole School community uniting to prepare for the day. The Year Eight House Tutor Groups undertook a car washing scheme and various stalls were held throughout the year. And we must not forget the Staff Revue, 14 *McNeil Street*, where many extraordinary talents were revealed.

The Student Council has again made a valuable contribution to the School this year, with meetings held fortnightly to discuss the students' opinions and ideas about running the School.

The Student Council is also given the opportunity to exchange visits with the Officials of other schools, which definitely proved to be worthwhile.

PLC provides a wealth of unlimited opportunities in academic, artistic, musical and sporting fields. The School continues to have a friendly and supportive atmosphere, always encouraging girls to participate according to their strengths and abilities. The opportunities given to me have been most valuable and will provide me with great memories of my time here.

During the year I have also had the chance to view the School from the administrative side, which has been a tremendous learning experience, as I have come to realise how much time, effort and hard work are involved to keep things running smoothly.

My sincere thanks to all the Staff at PLC, especially to Mrs Day and Mrs Bull for their support, advice and encouragement throughout the year.

Best wishes to Kelly Moss, Head Prefect for 1994, and to the other School Officials, Tiffany Fisher, Emma Prowse and Claire Murray.

Although you may be uncertain of the duties ahead of you, an optimistic approach will ensure that your final year at PLC is a successful and, equally importantly, an enjoyable one.

To Anna, Caroline, Sophie and all the Year Twelves, thank you for your friendship and support throughout the year. We have definitely proved to be, not a team of champions but a Champion Team, able to work together in leading the School in 1993.

Nicki Telfer



HEAD PREFECT
Nicola Telfer



STUDENT COUNCIL REPORT

Throughout the year, a group of dedicated Year Twelves has met every second Wednesday to discuss issues which will aid the School community. These have ranged from the Dance to the environment, including almost anything and everything.

The beginning of the year saw the Dance high on every agenda, with the band, photographer and type of dinner being decided after much discussion amongst ourselves and the rest of the Year Twelves. (We learned that we would never come to a decision that would please *everyone* when the Leavers' jumper was organized!)

One of our most interesting activities as Student Council representatives is to visit other schools (upon invitation) to see how they organize things. This year we went to MLC and St Hilda's, both of which are very different from PLC. We then of course invited other schools to visit PLC and this year Scotch, MLC, St Hilda's and JTC were invited for Assembly, followed by a delicious lunch in the Home Economics room.

As usual, issues cropped up that seem to appear each year. One of these was the environmental issue which included a roster being worked out by Steph Price for the emptying of the recycling bins.

We also held discussions about the polystyrene cups used in the canteen, which were found to be CFC free. A poster competition was organised to try to curb the graffiti problem on desks and in the toilets and we also collected Coles' dockets for Yerecoin School, a country school with very few students. This venture was very successful.

At the beginning of the year the Student Council was very honoured to be invited to dinner with the School Council in the Boarding House. It was a chance for us to meet the planners and decision makers of our School and proved a very enjoyable evening for all.

It didn't seem long before the end of the year was drawing near and we found ourselves discussing end-of-year functions and the Year Twelve present for the School. This year it was decided that we wouldn't have a Graduation Dinner but instead a breakfast held on the last day of School. This was because we felt there were too many end-of-year functions.

Then there was the matter of the Year Twelve present, and many suggestions were made before we finally decided to give trees to the school. Where to plant them was the next question.

Mrs Day told us about the landscaping of the amphitheatre next to Carmichael Hall and we soon agreed that they should be put there with a plaque to remember our Year group.

As usual the end of the year has come too quickly so that many issues have been left unresolved, but what challenge would there be for next year's Council if this were not the case?

It is time to thank Mrs Day and Mrs Bull and, of course, Nicki Telfer, our Head Prefect, who competently chaired all our meetings and is now renowned for her punctuality.

I would also like to wish the Student Council for 1994 the best of luck and hope they find the year just as rewarding as we have.

*Anna Bishop
Year 12*

*Back (L - R) : K Sounness,
C Shepherdson, R Harridge, K Toovey,
A Robson, E Paterson, C-L Davies,
S Price. Front (L - R) : N Pericles,
M Gardiner, A Walden, S Gargett,
N Telfer, C Seubert, A Bishop.*



SERVICE REPORT

1993 was a very challenging and exciting year for all those people involved with the many fund-raising events and Service Fund activities, although there were some problems as we had to be careful not to overlap with fund-raising for the Fair. After a change last year in the system of fund-raising from Houses to Year groups, this year we once again reverted to fund-raising within each House. This was very successful, with most people giving their House Captains and House Advisers full support.

Special thanks to Mrs Zayan for her never-ending assistance and enthusiasm. I would also like to thank all the House Advisers, not only for the support of their House Captains but also for their continual interest and support of the various fund-raising activities throughout the year.

Term One began well with a very successful hot cross bun drive organized by Summers House. The girls ordered the buns and they were distributed on the last day of term, which enabled the boarders to participate and take buns home to their parents.

Term Two was a productive term, with fund-raising events held by Stewart, Ferguson and Carmichael. Stewart held two popcorn-selling days on which they sold homemade popcorn in cups. The hard work put in by Mrs Robinson, Mrs Knoch and the Stewart Year Twelves ensured the success of this venture.

Ferguson had a lamington and fruit pie drive. This was also a very effective method of fund-raising and the pies especially were delicious.

Carmichael chose to raise their share of money by selling M & M's. This brought in the most money to the Service Fund as PLC girls appear to have an addiction to these sweets. All the girls in the House showed terrific support, with all selling at least one box, but special mention should be given to Vanessa Tough from Year Ten who sold *ninety-two* boxes. (Well done Vanessa).

In addition to these events we held our ever-popular Casual Day and on the first Wednesday of each month we sold drinks and chocolates to add to our bank balance so that we hope by the end of the year to be able to help many people less fortunate than ourselves.

In Term Three we decided to have another Quiz Night. After a lot of worry by the organizers, it was a very successful fund-raising event. Thank you very much to all the parents and teachers who donated great prizes. Also I must take this opportunity to thank Mr Saunders and Mrs Smith who helped me and Mrs Zayan very much, not only on the night but with the preparations as well.

The annual School Service was held in Term Three, on the 15th August. The attendance was good and I am sure that everyone enjoyed the occasion. This year the Service involved a lot of student input, which made it interesting for all.

On Arts Day on 6th September, McNeil House made their big fund-raising effort. This was to sell hamburgers. With a lot of publicity before and on the day, all hamburgers were sold.

Baird House decided to make their contribution to the Service Fund through the selling of (yes, more food) hot dogs. Despite the worries of the Baird Year Twelves, the day (September 20th) was a success, with all hot dogs being sold.

This year we have continued our link with the Kwinana Parish of Life by purchasing a dryer for their Drop-in Centre. PLC also continued to sponsor two children through the Service Fund, Asim Khan from Pakistan and Sibongile Ten Gentile from Swaziland. We receive regular news on their progress.

I would like to thank Mrs Day, Mrs Bull, Nicki Telfer and all the Student Council for their never-ending support and ever-helpful advice.



SERVICE CO-ORDINATOR
Marie Gardiner

Over the year, I have found my position as Service Co-Ordinator to be a challenge but also very rewarding. It made me realise just how much work people in a position of leadership do. I also learned that by giving a little you can receive a lot. I hope that the School continues to help less-fortunate people, both in our community and around the world.

Finally, I would like to wish next year's Service Co-Ordinator, Sarah Maddox, the best of luck and I hope that she learns as much as I have. I would also like to wish Mrs Zayan the best of luck next year, as she is leaving the School.

Marie Gardiner

Service Donations 1993

Friends of Vellore	\$400.00
Force 10	\$400.00
Royal Flying Doctor Service	\$400.00
Isolated Children's Parents' Assoc.	\$400.00
Cancer Foundation	\$200.00
Perth Inner City Youth Services	\$400.00
Wesley Care	\$400.00
Goodwill Children's Village	\$200.00
Care Australia	\$400.00
Community Aid Abroad	\$200.00
Salvation Army Christmas Appeal	\$200.00
Sudden Infant Death Syndrome (SIDS)	\$200.00
Life Education Centre	\$300.00
Palmerston House	\$200.00
Holyoake Adolescent Programme	\$300.00



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THANKS TO ALL STAFF

A School is only as good as its staff. We value our excellent teachers at PLC. They are a dedicated band of people committed to providing the best service to their charges, the students of PLC. There are 125 people on staff, - maintenance, ancillary, administration, clerical, boarding house, support, academic - all committed to assisting the pupils of this school. They are to be congratulated on their efforts. I thank each one of them personally for their loyalty and contributions to our School. Best wishes go to Mrs Rushworth (Boarding House) and Ms Farnay (Learning Enrichment Centre) as they leave us this year. Special thanks must also go to Kim Knight, Head of Physical Education, who has been a senior resident in the Boarding House for four years. Kim will leave the Boarding House at the end of this year.

COUNCIL

The College Council has worked tirelessly during 1993. Council members have been tremendously supportive and have enabled many projects to be completed for the benefit of the students and staff. I thank June Craig, our excellent Chairman and the councillors for their work and support. Thank you also to John Farrell who completes his term as a Member of Council this year. His expertise has been valued by the School and I have been grateful for his friendly assistance. Reverend Bruce May also leaves us after a short time on Council. We wish him well in his country parish.

Special mention should also be made of the outstanding contribution of our latest member of Council, Rick Brine, who joined us just twelve months ago, becoming Chairman of the Building Sub-committee.

It is with regret that we note the deaths of Jean Randall and Bill Lapsley, two former members of the College Council. Their contributions to the School over a number of years were highly valued.

SCHOOL SUPPORT GROUPS

1993 has been a year when the Parents' Association, the Mothers' Auxiliary, the Old Collegians' Association, the Music Parents' Group, the Rowing Club, the Boarding House Committee, Club 13, the PLCOCA Network and the PLC Foundation have supported the School to the utmost in so many ways but the greatest way of all was in the support of the PLC FAIR. This was an extraordinary effort by so many members of the school community.

I am pleased to report of the huge success of the PLC Fair and I thank all of the members of the PLC Community for their support. The raising of \$120 000 has swelled our Chapel Fund to the level when we can plan to develop the Heather Barr Memorial Chapel inside the Carmichael Hall building and I hope that this can be completed during 1994.

FAREWELL TO YEAR 12 STUDENTS

A school exists for its students. Students in the future will need at the very least to be lifelong learners, enterprising people, with a good knowledge base, be comfortable with new technology, have good general skills, and understand that quality is important. More than this, students of the future will need to have a strong system of beliefs and values, the courage to hold on to these beliefs, to realize that their destiny is in their hands. It is my fervent hope that our Year 12's as they leave PLC this year have these skills and will enjoy their life after PLC while they contribute to the community in the way many Old Collegians of the past have done.

1993 has seen one of our largest Year 12 groups ever and yet they have been a very cohesive group of girls, very supportive of each other and the School. The student leaders have worked together well under the guidance of Nicola Telfer and I would like to thank her specially for being a lovely Head Prefect.

Nicky has been outstanding in her equanimity, her mature approach to any difficulties that appeared in her path, her eager assistance at all times, her complete reliability and sense of responsibility. She is a very special girl.

And I should like to finish this Report with a prayer written by a Year 12 PLC student, Sue Leeming, in 1977.

Hazel Day

A Prayer for People

God, we don't understand you because our lives are so hurried that we don't have time to stop and think.

But please -

be the invisible face that guides our lives,

teach us to love each other

and to generate the warmth of feelings inside us

and make other people feel good.

Show us how to express our feelings in any mood

- sad or happy,

so that in our grief - others may help us

and in our joy - we can pass on happiness to our friends.

God please help us to make the most of our best qualities,

develop and strengthen them - so that we can make the most of our lives

and also encourage the best features in each of our friends,

that we may all become beautiful people -

In a beautiful world - given to us by you.

Thank you God.

Amen

SENIOR BOARDER'S REPORT

The day I arrived at the PLC Boarding House I could sense an air of excitement, new opportunities and many new friendships awaiting to be discovered. Five years later, TEE looming, and my school-days coming to an end, I begin to reminisce on the time that has passed. I fondly remember my first few days of Year Eight and the assurance of comforting Year Twelves of how fast time goes: 'Before long you'll be in Year Twelve'. They were right.

I cannot begin to describe how much I have enjoyed my time at PLC and nothing will be more vivid in my memory than this special year of 1993. A year of proudly representing the Boarders has been an eventful experience as well as an honour.

Thanks to the Staff, the Boarding House continues to offer many worthwhile weekend activities throughout the year. The annual outing to Rottnest, at the beginning of every year, temporarily cures the newcomers' 'homesick fever' and this natural feeling subsides when School work starts to mount and activities seem endless. Horse-riding, ice-skating, numerous social invitations, frequent trips to the markets and the usual beach walks have kept all busy this year.

As part of the plan for building extensions at School, the Boarding House has been fortunate to receive a newly-decorated sitting room and an updated Junior bathroom. On our return from the Summer holidays we were all delighted with the colour scheme that replaced the previous brown. Efforts to make our existence as boarders more 'home-like' are always appreciated.

Our thanks go to four imaginative kitchen staff who once again provided overseas students with a taste of home on International Nights. Board games and library books have also been generously donated to add interest to the boarders' leisure and study time. A warm thank you to the Mothers' Auxiliary for these contributions.

During the year many junior 'hockey lovers' took part in a Year Ten competition, playing on Saturday mornings. This Boarding House team was coached by me and my assistant, Jody Greenup. Some weeks it was a case of finding anyone who could hold a hockey stick to make up a team. It is typical of boarders that many had the courage to go out and play, not knowing which side of the stick was legal to use!

Other weeks the team was strong and talented and we actually made it through to the semi-finals.

Regular (??) Forum meetings were conducted, attended by the three Boarding House Prefects and two representatives from each year. These informal meetings are intended to give us the opportunity to make positive changes in the Boarding House. However, as the Boarding House is well run and organized, we had no need to come up with any Grand Plan for change.

It seemed the Year Twelves were the under-privileged part way through the year when Year Elevens were presented with a new washing machine and a brand-new television. They would answer the jealous looks of the Year Twelves with assurances that they were absolute necessities. Then they asked if it were possible for them to have a microwave oven as well, a privilege reserved for Year Twelves only. I thought twice about passing this request on to Mrs Bull!

Our annual social in August was yet another success and an enlightening experience. The polite refusal of our invitation by the Aquinas boys left us to plead at the last minute with Hale and Wesley to come and make up numbers. Guildford, also invited, highlighted our evening with their presence. Their endless number of boys was ready, waiting, *and* half an hour early!

A Senior Boarder's report would not be complete without thanking our Principal, Mrs Day, and giving special thanks to Mrs Bull for making my year so enjoyable. Conversing with Mrs Bull has been an experience I will always value. The numerous discussions of our 'lovely girls' and the search for solutions to the problem of keeping one hundred and eighty teenagers under control were met with concern, experience and expertise on her part. Thank you Mrs Bull for your continual support throughout the year. It has been an honour to have had such close contact with such a highly-regarded member of the School.

Finally, to the Year Twelves, especially Clare, Chelsey and Jane: Without your loyal friendship and constant support, my year as Senior Boarder would not have been the same.



SENIOR BOARDER
Anna Walden

The time has come to hand my position over to the capable hands of Tiffany Fisher before we go our separate ways. As we look towards an uncertain future we can be content in the knowledge that we will always have happy memories of our time here.

Good luck and wear your boarders' T-shirts with pride.

Anna Walden



BOARDING HOUSE PREFECTS
(L - R) : C Harvey, A Walden,
J Paganoni, C Fisher.



ARTS REPORT

If 1993 has been any indication of the talent and dynamism of PLC students (and Staff) in the Arts arena, then we have a huge future ahead of us in the new Performing Arts Centre! A special mention must go to the House Arts Captains without whose efficiency, patience and extraordinary imagination throughout the whole year, PLC could not have exhibited and maintained such an exceptional standard in the Arts. Congratulations to Julianna, Alana, Anna, Fleur, Fiona and Lainie. However, the Arts activities are only as good as their co-ordinator and Mrs Heptinstall contributed tirelessly, astounding all the Arts Captains with her organizational skills. (A huge thank you, Mrs Heptinstall.) The Staff were also a fantastic support. Never before have I, nor, I suspect, any other students, seen such whole-hearted participation displayed by any professional body.

The format for Arts activities differed slightly this year from that of previous years and we began First Term with an argument or two as Inter-House debating was pursued by the students with exuberance! Even the most difficult topics were tackled with great success and it was clear that we had some prospective barristers in our midst. Overall, Carmichael proved to be the 'firm' with a flare for discussion!

While lively arguments were being presented, House Play rehearsals were in full swing and developing into masterpieces ... or just falling to pieces according to the House Arts Captains! But the sleepless nights and promised detentions ceased to be when the School saw some wonderfully entertaining performances early in April. The saying, 'It'll be all right on the night' turned out to be a welcome truth! The best three plays varied in genre which made them all the more exciting to watch. Ferguson House emerged victorious with their startling performance of *A Memory of Lizzie*. Directed by Anna Greer, the play showed an amazing insight into the mind of a disturbed young girl and was both staged and acted very powerfully and sensitively. The second and third plays were, respectively, Carmichael's melodrama, *Temptation Sordid or Virtue Rewarded* and Baird's absurdist drama, *Ernie's Incredible Illucinations*.

Early in Term Two, the Year Twelve Theatre Arts classes performed their production of *The Women*, directed by Trudy Dunn.

The audience's general consensus was that this was a very professional and entertaining production and the girls were proud to present it. Made up entirely of female characters, it just goes to prove that some things (even most things) are all the more brilliant without male influence!

The next event on the agenda was the Arts afternoon held in August. This occasion saw two of PLC's best speakers from each Year address the School with fantastic speeches which would challenge (and run rings around) those of most politicians. Speakers from both Carmichael and Stewart managed to convince the adjudicator that they were forces to be reckoned with. The other aspect of the afternoon - the House Choir Competition - provided the students with an opportunity to harmonize the School Hymn like seraphim. However, when it came to the song chosen by the House Arts Captains, or at least by McNeil House (the winning House) angelic is not really an appropriate description for their singing. Their conductor, Fleur Tribe, swung into the sixties with *Joy to The World*, with a jumping, green Year Eight frog to enhance the performance.

Talking of music, PLC's Stage, Concert and Pipe Bands, as well as the Choir and Chorale have been no less than superb again this year. Following performances outside the School, the feedback from audiences about PLC's musical talent has been very encouraging and inspiring. Music Camp for '93 was a successful weekend and of great benefit to all students involved.

Performing and Creative Arts Day offered a chance for visitors to be dazzled by the spirit, participation and talent of the students and for the students to present both creative and practical masterpieces, ranging from monologues to decorative cakes. The section which everyone waits for with anticipation was no disappointment this year - but we decided that it might be safer to adopt a *Red Faces* style 'gonging' system for such a general section as Variety. We had impersonations of celebrities from Whoopi Goldberg to Mr Beckwith, all equally amusing!

Out of all the performances this year I have not seen anything as 'enlightening' as the PLC Staff's *14 McNeil Street*, which featured (amongst other wonders), our Deputy Principal as a Student Prefect, our maintenance man as Jimmy Barnes, three



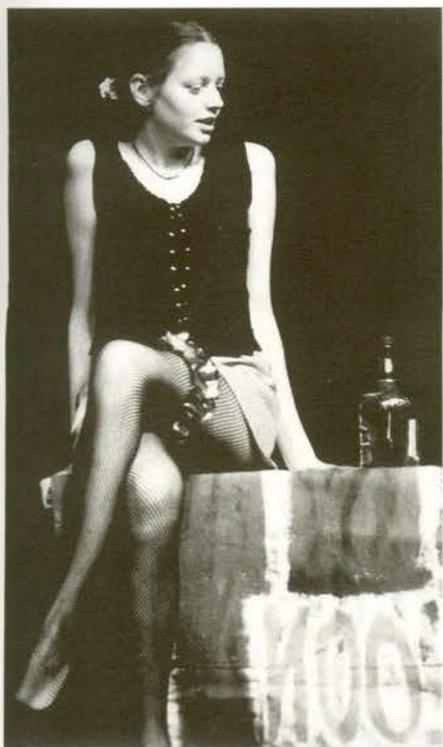
SCHOOL ARTS CAPTAIN
Sophie Gargett

of our male teachers as ballerinas and an amazing number of others tap-dancing! Well, it was all in the name of a good cause, our new Chapel, although I dare say the teachers will be reminded of their performances long after the Chapel has been built.

In concluding I would like to thank the Year Twelves who have been particularly instrumental in setting such an exemplary standard in the Arts. Congratulations to PLC's Arts Captain for 1994, Claire Murray, who has my whole-hearted support. To be a leader in Arts activities has been one of my life's most special and rewarding experiences and I hope that more and more students come to appreciate and immerse themselves in the joys of 'the Arts'.

As Oscar Wilde once said: 'Art is the most intense mode of individualism the world has known'.

Sophie Gargett





Concert Band

Back (L - R) : K Hofmann, S Stewart, M Kopcheff, C Stratford, Z Stewart, C Mildern, S Pickard, L Wright, G Calnan, R Hart, M Kopke, C Mackie, P Atahan, M Moir, S Harridge, L Suzuki, J Moir, S Huggins, K Moss, J Adams, J Taylor, Y L Ong, M Piowczyk-Kruk, L Garrity, A Joll, N Pearse, J Johnson. Centre (L - R) : J Morrell, T Laurie, L Bath, C Oosterhuis, L Crossing, K Toovey, A Robson, J Golding, P Thunder, M Wandel, K Young, J Paganoni, F Bush, L Whitaker, A Smith. Front (L - R) : E-J Bovell, G Bolden, G Knowles, P Brodie, A Dahl, K Farrell, P Ritchie, R Huggins, A Price, M West, G Micke, R Amey, J Bunning, E Gee, K Stower, L Gara, L Paganoni.

As usual, the departure of the previous Year Twelves caused much anxiety and apprehension for those Band members remaining. With so many talented players leaving, many younger faces could be seen staring in abject terror at the prospect of following in their footsteps. However, due to the superb effort and infinite patience of our conductor, Mr Underwood, the Band has rallied magnificently to present some very fine performances.

Our first public appearance was at the annual concert presented by the Music Department and held at the Cottesloe Civic Centre. This proved to be a most entertaining and enjoyable afternoon. Music Camp was brought forward this year, to the beginning of July. With it came the week-end of concentrated rehearsals, as a whole unit and in sections. All the hard work paid off when the Band presented its second performance at Fairbridge, marking the end of camp. We entertained our parents and other guests with pieces including highlights from *Chess* and *Instant Concert*.

The following Monday the Band again combined with other ensembles to present two concerts in the PLC Gymnasium. The morning's audience comprised parents, teachers and members of the public, while the afternoon crowd was made up from PLC Junior School students and other local primary schools. The day was a huge success and we enjoyed ourselves as much as the audience did.

The fourth performance given by the Concert Band this year was an entry in the School Bands' Festival. We played exceedingly well, despite minor technical details with some electrical equipment. (Congratulations must go to Christine Oosterhuis for keeping her cool in such circumstances.) Upon presentation of our certificate we were highly praised for our discipline, appearance and overall performance.

Term Four brought Open Day, when the Concert Band provided part of the afternoon's entertainment, and we also performed at the PLC Fair.

We will, as usual, perform on Speech Night, completing another successful year for the Concert Band. On behalf of all the members of the Band I would like to thank Mr Underwood for all his time and hard work.

I hope the Band continues to bring pleasure, not only to its audiences but to the players themselves. Music holds many pleasant memories for me and on this personal note I would like to thank all those who have made my job easier this year. Congratulations and good luck to next year's Band Captain, Michelle Wandel.

*Caitlin Mildern
Band Captain*



Stage Band

1993 has turned out to be yet another successful year for the PLC Stage Band despite losing many of our established members at the end of last year. With many new and eager members to fill in the gaps and an increase in our repertoire of music, the Band improved on each of its performances throughout the year.

The beginning of the year saw the School's vocal talent emerge, when auditions were held for the band vocalist. As a result, Fiona Hitchcock joined Alana Smith for a most successful year of performances.

The year's performances began with a combined concert at Perth Modern School with the City Of Perth Band and The Barber Shop Choir. Despite the nerves that accompany a first performance, it was a firm indication that the Stage Band was back on track for another successful year.

The traditional concerts such as those at the Cottesloe Civic Centre, the one on Open Day and at Music Camp were all well received and the Band gained confidence with each performance.

The highlight for all members was the annual trip to York for the York Jazz Festival, which gave everyone an opportunity to perform for the general public and to hear other professional and school bands. It also gave Fiona, our vocalist, a chance to perform to a large audience.

The trip was made all that much more enjoyable as a result of the wonderful hospitality we received from the Munckton family. Once again we would sincerely like to thank them.

Our last performance for the year will be at Speech Night. I would like to thank all the members of the Stage Band for their time and effort and also our conductor, Mr Underwood. Best of luck to the Band captain for next year, Michelle Moir, and to the whole band for an enjoyable and successful 1994.

*Gina Micke
Year 12*

*Back (L - R) : K Toovey, J Bunning, A Robson, J Golding, M Wandel, A Smith.
Centre (L - R) : J Y Lee, D Yap, F Hitchcock, C Mackie, M Moir, P Thunder, L Suzuki, J Paganoni. Front (L - R) : K Farrell, R Huggins, P Brodie, A Price, M West, G Micke, R Amey, A Dahl.*



MUSIC CAPTAINS

*Back (L - R) :
N Pericles, G Micke, J Manton, C Mildern*

*Front (L - R) :
C Seubert, A Jorgensen.*

Choir



Back (L - R) : N Campbell, S Bennet, J Wells, J Kuan, K Sounness, D Fouracre, J John, C Williams, L Munro, E-J Bovell, C Murray, J Wheatley, R Dixon, R Twaddle, J Faul, S Hellings, K McCormack, M Evans. Row 6 (L - R) : B Leith, C Ladyman, C Stratford, M Wandel, S Manning, M Hill, F Newbold, L Murray, M Sounness, C Mackie, R Huggins, A Jorgensen, M West, S Knox, Z Stewart, C Campbell. Row 5 (L - R) : C Mildern, A Johnson, C Raines, S Huggins, F Warren, C Anderson, S Day, S Nicoll, H Fitzpatrick, F Wilkinson, R Hamilton. Row 4 (L - R) : K Fitzpatrick, J Leow, L Ee, N Sanbrook, M Cushion, B Chu, D Yap, S Stewart, R Attwood, A Joll, C Mather. Row 3 (L - R) : T Dolinschek, J Howard, R Hart, D England, S Dawkins, K Martin, O Gorman, P Brodie, E Mildern, C Oosterhuis, K Riley. Row 2 (L - R) : K Wilson, L Comb, E Martin, S Prickett, B Mizen, M Fordham, J Adams, R Winata, M Pow, J Moir, K Halford, Y L Ong, T Yuen, N Pearse, E Noll, C Sampson. Front (L - R) : L Bath, K Evershed, M Kopke, B Pearce, P Atahan, J Johnson, J Leys, N Lewis, F O'Connell, A Alvarez, R Vaughan, D Jayaraman, E Atkins, M Sulcs, A James, J-Y Lee, S Hansen-Knarhoi, S Quinn.

The Choir started the year with the School Easter Service at which we sang the Twenty-third Psalm. Our performance was enhanced by the accompaniment from the String Ensemble, whom we thank sincerely.

Music Camp was then suddenly upon us, an event on the School music calendar which everybody looks forward to and, as the Choir has grown to over one hundred girls, rehearsals were always interesting.

With a lot of hard work at the Camp, we polished our performances for both the Music Camp Concert and the School Service. We all enjoyed the time at Fairbridge Farm, Pinjarra, although it was a lot of work with rehearsals until late at

night. We ended the camp with a concert for family and friends, which everybody enjoyed, and the next day we had a follow-up performance at PLC for local primary school children and elderly citizens. The programme included the beautiful *Love Changes Everything* by Andrew Lloyd Webber.

After the concert we got busy rehearsing for the annual School Service held at St Andrew's Church. At this we sang *Jubilate*, which added greatly to the atmosphere of the service. Our final performance for the year will be at Speech Night.

Thanks to all the people who have helped and supported the Choir throughout this year : Mrs Kan, our accompanist, for her

dedication and never-ending patience, Mr McNess for his continual guidance and hard work and our audience for listening to us! Last but not least, thanks to all the Choir members for their commitment and I strongly encourage all new students to join the Choir; it's a lot of fun and you gain memories you will never forget!

Best of luck to next year's Choral Captain, Sarah Prickett. I wish the Choir continued success and I hope that members will enjoy themselves as much as I have done.

*Alice Jorgensen
Choral Captain*



Chorale



Back (L - R) : F Tribe, S Rees, S Manning, J Wheatley, J Howard, G Rosendorff, N Allan, R Twaddle, D Aynsley, C Stratford, J John, A Greer, H Tabert, E-J Bovell. Centre (L - R) : A Dahl, A Ee, E Martin, J Leys, A Poynton, J Edwards, L Munro, B Pearce, J Taylor, J Golding, G Bolden, M Kopke. Front (L - R) : K Sheehan, S Prickett, J Johnson, S Hansen-Knarhoi, A Smith, T Sweet, N Lewis, Y Mastan, P Brodie, E Mildern. Absent: A Jorgensen, N Petrelis, J Breen, C Murray, M Robinson, A Devitt.

It has been an exciting year for the Chorale with the highlight being asked to sing with the Perth Oratorio Choir in its performance of *Elijah* by Mendelssohn. This was a wonderful experience for all Chorale members. Singing to an audience at Winthrop Hall is an occasion which I am sure none of us will forget. Our thanks go to Mr Brahms, the conductor of the Perth Oratorio Choir, for giving us this wonderful opportunity.

Other performances throughout the year included a combined performance with Trinity College Choir in which we sang *Gloria* by John Rutter. We performed this on two occasions : at our annual Chorale concert at St Andrew's Church and at the Trinity College Chapel.

We also sang at our annual School Service and at the Police Service which was also held at St Andrew's.

As you can see, the Chorale was kept busy all year. This hard work was continued at Music Camp which was demanding but thoroughly enjoyable yet again. Carols by Candlelight and Speech Night are our last performances for the year.

I would like to extend our thanks to Mrs Williamson for her dedication and support throughout the year, and to congratulate Sarah Prickett on her appointment as Choral Captain for 1994. Best wishes to the Chorale for next year and the future.

*Alice Jorgensen
Choral Captain*

Pipe Band



Back (L - R) : J Edwards, K Wilkinson, A Jasper, J Marquis, L Goff, L Gara, A Poynton, V Tough, B Paganoni, T Nicholls, M Riggall, S Tribe. Centre (L - R) : S Reynolds, N Zayan, T Laurie, B Leaman, G Falconer, H Fitzpatrick, C Campbell, L Barnes. Front (L - R) : P/S A Walden, B Pearce, L Howells, D O'Driscoll, P/M J Manton, D/M C Seubert, J Ledger, J Leys, L Erskine, E Prowse, L/S L Munro.

1993 has been an extremely successful year for the PLC Pipe Band. An increase in our repertoire and an improvement in the Band's general musicianship has meant that we have been able to increase the number and length of our performances.

For years, the Pipe Band has been renowned for their immaculate dress and appearance. This year has been no exception, with many complimentary comments made over numerous turn-outs. The functions have been frequent and proved that dedication to the Pipe Band is essential. The highlight of all our performances was at the Anzac Day Parade through the City Square to the Esplanade. Such a performance is challenging for anyone of any standard, to march such a long distance and play so well in front of a seemingly endless audience.

Our next performance was at the annual concert given by PLC music ensembles at the Cottesloe Civic Centre - an occasion which was very much enjoyed by all - then, in June, even though the date fell in the middle of the holidays, we fulfilled a commitment to play at the annual Normandy Veterans' March into St Columba's Church.

Music Camp in July proved highly productive, as plans for the exciting Speech Night performance eventuated here and the camp also provided a chance for Band members to improve their performance and confidence. People whose mouth muscles were exhausted from blowing into bagpipes and whose legs were sore from the weight of drums were rewarded by the enthusiastic reception given to our performance in front of the senior citizens and primary school students from our local area.

Highlights of the year were playing at several sporting functions, including a highly prestigious cricket game at Lilac Hill Park. This was again an honour, and it was most exciting to see the great game of cricket up close.

The finish of an eventful Third Term saw a surprise visit to the Corrigin Fair which proved to be an exciting and memorable trip for the Band. We also took part in the traditional 'Kirkling o' The Tartan' along with Scotch College, marching proudly down the streets of Perth. The same day, the members of the Band were privileged to participate in a march to the memorial in King's Park for the service to commemorate the Battle of Britain.

Congratulations to all the members of the Band who showed such dedication throughout the year, not only giving up time before or during School and at lunchtimes, but also on week-ends. Without this commitment the Band could never be successful. A great big thank you to Mr & Mrs Jones and Mrs Millar, whose time and patience has been highly appreciated by everyone. The year has been busy and without their support our achievements would not have been possible.

Best wishes to next year's officials, Susan Tribe (Drum Major), Emma Prowse (Pipe Major) and Tiffany Laurie (Lead Stroke). We're sure they will be fantastic and the standard of playing will continue to be outstanding.

*Caroline Seubert (Drum Major)
Julie Manton (Pipe Major)*



String Ensemble



Back (L - R) : N Pericles, H Tabert, R Blackmore, A Bishop, D Jayaraman.
Front (L - R) : A Cameron, G Bolden, P Atahan, R Iles, R Attwood, E Pickard, D Fouracre. Absent: C Murray.

'Improvement' must have been the most frequently-heard work around the String Ensemble this year. Many listeners' compliments were much appreciated by the ensemble members and it made us more determined to please our audience as well as proud of what we have achieved.

Mrs Kan, the string teacher at PLC, conducted the ensemble for her second year and proved she had a great deal to do with the ensemble's success. We thank her.

Early rehearsals on Monday mornings were really challenging during the winter but even when the fight for the heater ended with the losers' feet out in the cold, they still managed to get lost in the music and dream of Nigel Kennedy!

The most memorable performance this year was the combined Chorale concert with Trinity at St Andrew's Church.

The invitation not only to play some of our own repertoire but also to accompany Mrs Williamson's Chorale for *Panis Anjelicus* was graciously accepted and we sounded almost professional with the beautiful sounds of the Chorale and Trinity Choir. (We have a recording as proof.)

Although we lost three members through the year, we fortunately gained three who will, no doubt, keep up the ever-improving high standards.

The String Ensemble, like all other music groups at PLC, provides a fantastic opportunity for experiencing and learning music through group rehearsals and performances, and most of all it is great fun. I have learned a great deal throughout my five years in the String Ensemble (which was an 'orchestra' when I was in Year Eight) and I have enjoyed being a part of it.

I will miss it when I leave and I strongly encourage any girl who plays a string instrument to join.

Best of luck to the String Ensemble for next year and to the new leader, Angie Cameron, and thank you, Mrs Kan, for your direction.

Nia Pericles
Year 12

Drama Report



DRAMA CAPTAIN
Lenore Munro

It has been a very productive and exciting year at PLC in the Drama Department. The year began with girls involved in Shakespeare's *A Midsummer Night's Dream* at His Majesty's Theatre. The production was very successful and the girls, who did a brilliant job, had a wonderful time.

The House plays were of extremely high standard as usual and were very entertaining. The Arts Captains put a lot of effort into making their plays a success and their efforts paid off with a night showing a wide variety of talent. As soon as the House Plays were over, the Year Twelve Theatre Arts students began working on their production of *The Women*. A lot of time was put into the production by Mrs Dunn, the actresses and those involved backstage. The production enjoyed a great success.

Camelot was also in production at this time. A few PLC girls were involved and had a marvellous experience acting at the Octagon Theatre. The whole School was lucky enough to have a 'sneak preview' of some songs sung by the Scotch boys at assembly!

During the year, the Juniors had a lot of fun participating in Theatre Sports. It was a riotous night and certainly showed the talent of our younger girls.

The last production PLC students were involved in was *Andora*. This was produced and performed at Christ Church Grammar School and was well received by the audience.

I have had a great year as Drama Captain and wish the same for next year's Captain, Samantha Dawkins. Thank you to Mrs Dunn and Mrs Katz for making my life so interesting!

I hope PLC's drama continues to be as successful in the future. I'm sure the Performing Arts Centre will be an extra incentive, but all those who love performing know that 'All the World's a Stage'!

Lenore Munro
Year 12



Scenes from the
Year Twelve Production





Rock Eisteddfod

Once again PLC was involved in the 1993 Medibank Private - Triple M, Rock 'n' Roll Eisteddfod. Enthusiastic students from Years Eight to Twelve began tryouts with Mrs Dunn and the five committee members, Adrienne Ford, Jemma Thomas, Fleur Tribe, Amanda Taseff and Deena Rosen.

From the very start, rehearsals took place twice a week as the dance had to be perfected by August.

PLC was the first in Heat Two to perform on August 5th at 8.00 p.m.

The dance, *Victims of Change*, was a story about a group of people forced to survive underground in a world where no-one seems to care, controlled by two main authority figures. The people struggle, hope and eventually win!

A big thank you to all the dancers, the backstage crew, painters and set designers who worked very hard to make this year's Rock Eisteddfod happen. We hope you thoroughly enjoyed yourselves and that it was a great experience for you all.

A very special thanks to Mrs Dunn for organizing the Rock Eisteddfod, for her continuous support and for giving up her valuable time. Without her help and patience we wouldn't have accomplished such a successful performance.

PLC did exceptionally well and we were in the finals up until the last night, eventually finishing eleventh out of forty-one participating schools.

Thanks once again to the cast and crew and we wish you the best of luck with the 1994 Rock Eisteddfod.

Deena Rosen & Amanda Taseff
Year 12



Debating



Back (L - R) : J Kiernan, C Murray, P Evans, M Kelly, R Dixon, J Kenyon, E-J Bovell, J Golding. Row 3 (L - R) : L Bath, A Alvarez, N Pearse, C Mather, J Leys, L Paganoni, K Smith, E Mildern, E Martin. Row 2 (L - R) : E Atkins, L Kennaugh, K Trudgian, J Taylor, B Moffitt, J Johnson, S Schenberg. Front (L - R) : L Cann, S Hansen-Knarhoi, C Crage, L Whitaker, K Willcox, R Prince, S Caporn, S Maguire, R Vaughan.

The PLC debating team did extremely well in 1993. Coached by Mr Saunders, Mrs Hetherington and Mrs Saffen, we competed in two competitions, the WADL for Years Nine, Ten, Eleven and Twelve and the AHISSA for all years.

The AHISSA competition saw PLC winning in the Year Eleven and Twelve division while all other years had several substantial wins, most notably the Year Nines. In all, PLC was extremely successful and all debaters should be congratulated for their hard work and the time they put in.

Thanks to Mr Saunders, Mrs Hetherington and Mrs Saffen for giving up their lunchtimes and Wednesday evenings to coach and support us. Best of luck for next year's debaters!

*Sam Rees
Year 12*



Year 12 Debating Champions

(L - R) : S Knox, L Murray, S Rees (Debating Captain)



House Plays

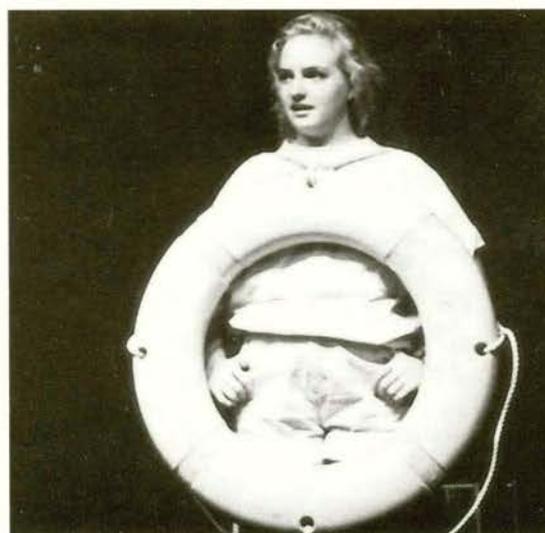
Between 31st March and 2nd April one of the greatest highlights of the Senior School calendar took place - the performance of the House plays!

The plays this year were all entertaining and of an incredibly high standard. (They say that every year, but this time it's really true!) All productions involved weeks of hard work for the cast, crew and above all, the Arts Captains who endured many a sleepless night.

This year Ferguson's play, *A Memory of Lizzie*, directed by Anna Greer, took first place, and second was Baird's *Ernie's Incredible Illucinations*, directed by Julianna Edwards. Carmichael was third with *Temptation Sordid or Virtue Rewarded*, directed by Alana Smith.

Those named as Best Actresses were: Katie Svalbe, Jen Leys, Michelle Roberts, Sally Fleming, Nancy Lewis and Chantelle Orr. All girls are to be congratulated for their efforts and special thanks go to Trudy Dunn for all her help.

Stephanie Price
Year 12



Mock Trials

IMAGINE IT : Perth Central Law Courts. Sweaty palms. Witnesses mumbling lines to themselves. PLC barristers refusing to enter court because the Christ Church Grammar School barristers were physically twice their size.... THEN IT HAPPENED.....

"All stand, this Mock Court is now in session."

This was the beginning of two nerve-racking Mock Trials that the two PLC teams were involved in. After a month (or a lot less) of preparation, the members of Team One were giggly but quite confident of beating Christ Church Grammar School and members of Team Two were elated with the prospect of beating MLC.

In 1993 a surprisingly large number of LA Law wannabee-lawyers from PLC joined the Mock Trials programme, organised by the WA Law society and co-ordinated at PLC by Mrs Frichot, to engage in thought-provoking, intellectual and often amusing discussions with each other and Mrs Durack (our coach) in preparation for the big nights held at the Central Law Courts.

Although we were eliminated fairly early in the season, 1993 Mock Trial members will keep with them memories of wombats crossing highways after midnight, grass that grows one and a half metres in a day and the funny dialogues that ensue during cross examination.

We would like to thank Mrs Frichot and Mrs Durack for organizing us and never giving up on us... and most importantly, good luck to the future PLC lawyers and Mock Trials teams.

Fiona Lee
Year 12

SPORTS REPORT

'All the miles of a hard road will lead to a moment of true happiness'. It is only over the past year that I have been able to realise how relevant this quotation is to sporting activities at PLC. Success is achieved by participation, dedication and enthusiasm, not necessarily winning. Whether in physical education, inter-House or inter-School activities, these values have been an asset to all girls and their attitude and achievements have made my term as Sports Captain rewarding, sometimes even overwhelming.

The opportunities provided here to play different kinds of sport are virtually unlimited but, more importantly, girls learn the value of sportsmanship, self discipline and combining talents in an effort to achieve maximum capabilities, following the principle that it is better to be a champion team than a team of champions. This encourages a special relationship between the girls which can be seen as an important factor in both the high level of performance and the excellent School spirit throughout 1993.

The talent of PLC students is reflected in the number of girls selected to compete for WA in their chosen sports. These girls have provided example and inspiration to others who also aspire to State selection or just want to improve their skills and capabilities. Congratulations must go to the girls participating in such a high level of competition and best wishes for the future. These talented girls include Caitlin Mildern, Elwyn Campbell and Rosalind Dixon, who were recently chosen for the Under-Eighteen cricket team; Briohny Pearce and Christina Treloar (cross country), Jenny Keen (netball), Elizabeth Shave (diving) and Emma Prowse (volleyball). Emma is also part of the Australian Squad, hoping to compete in the next World Series. We wish her all the best.

Highlights of the eventful year of sport in 1993 have included the tremendous success in diving and gymnastics. The participants in these events achieved fantastic results, winning the IGSSA Diving Trophy and the State School-girls' Diving Competition, the State School-girls' gymnastics trophy and coming second in the IGSSA Gymnastics Competition. The high level of dedication to training, enthusiasm and performance is reflected in the achievements of these girls.

For those of more average talents, simply participating brings rewards. The dedication of our students is accentuated by their regular attendance at training and their immaculate dress. On cold, misty mornings when most are tucked away in bed, girls are running around tracks and swimming laps of pools only to improve skills and results. Training is long and hard for participants in the inter-School swimming and athletics but the day brings excitement and fulfilment with the charged-up atmosphere and the knowledge that the whole School is there urging on the team.

A special visit from the Mary Erskine School of Scotland showed the enjoyment sport can bring, as PLC families became hosts for the visiting girls. Tennis and hockey teams competed in a number of games organized by the PLC Physical Education Staff. Those billeted thought it a tremendous event which allowed them to form special bonds with girls of similar age from the other side of the world. During their stay they visited Scotch College, St Hilda's and St Mary's and performed a traditional Scottish Dance at our assembly, which was followed by a performance by our own Pipe Band. I have learned from experience that if ever given the chance to stay with another family or look after another student, no-one should hesitate because the experience is most enjoyable and thoroughly rewarding.

The extent of PLC participation and enthusiasm of students is reflected in inter-House competitions involving sports as varied as swimming, diving, hockey, gymnastics, tennis, volleyball, basketball, netball, cross country running, badminton and softball. These competitions see not only the talented students competing, but also girls who have never participated before but try their very best for their House. This is what sport is all about. These competitions have always been successful whatever the time of year as girls are eager for their Houses to do well and to enjoy themselves on a less competitive level.

I must extend my thanks to all the students of the School for their contribution and enthusiasm. A special thanks also to all the Year Twelves who have supported me and made my year as Sports Captain unforgettable.

Awards throughout the year have included numerous Participation pockets and a Sports Honours pocket to Lainie Gara, who deserves special mention for her achievements.

My busy year was made easier by the fantastic Physical Education Staff, whose support I have greatly appreciated. Mrs Knight, Mrs Whipp, Mrs Simpson, Mrs Flecker, Mrs Shaw and Mrs Maclean, I sincerely thank you for all your assistance and encouragement.

I would like to acknowledge the help of the well-organised House Sports Captains who have been great to work with: Caitlin Mildern, Michelle Worland, Michelle Duckworth, Meisha Stirling, Lisa Julian and Helen Fitzpatrick.

Congratulations to Emma Prowse, the 1994 School Sports Captain and to next year's House Sports Officials. I am sure they will do a wonderful job leading the School in another year of sporting achievements.

Caroline Seubert



SCHOOL SPORTS CAPTAIN
Caroline Seubert



Swimming



YEAR 12 SWIMMING

Back (L - R): L Goff, M Duckworth, J Keen, A Mutch. *Centre (L - R):* M West, H Fitzpatrick, C Jenour, A Walden, J Wheatley, L Brennan. *Front (L - R):* J Marquis, S Tate, M Stirling, C Petersen, M Worland.



Year 11 SWIMMING

Back (L - R): A Whitehead, T Green, J McGillvray, T Smith. *Centre (L - R):* C Murray, R Nicholson, E Shave, G Walsh, T Camac, E Prowse. *Front (L - R):* P Bennett, J Chew, P Thunder, B Scott, C Wright, J Thorley.



YEAR 10 SWIMMING

Back (L - R): B Pearce, C Campbell, T Maskell, E Zuvela. *Centre (L - R):* C Mather, N Katz, M Pennock, J McKenzie, S Barker. *Front (L - R):* K Fitzpatrick, L Garrity, J Thomas, P Kilburn, M Brand.

The date of the IGSSA Swimming was put forward this year, but did not prove to be a problem for the team. Early morning training camps at PLC while afternoon sessions and practices were held at Scotch.

During the build up, PLC participated in swim meets against Scotch and other schools. These meets enabled us to gain practice and a chance to test our skills in opposition.

On Friday, March 15th, after a long day (and extremely loud) 'send off' the rest of the PLC girls, the swimming team was anxiously awaiting the night of the carnival. The carnival was not a number of 'nail-biting' races. Twelve, Division Two freestyle swimmers (L Goff, Camilla Petersen, Lisa Brennan, Jackie Wheatley) were victorious in winning their event but smashed our previous record! Other girls who swam extremely well included Anna (Year Twelve), Jane McGillvray (Year Eleven) and Briohny Pearce (Year Ten) of course there were numerous seconds and thirds. Although we failed to improve on last year's performance PLC once again finished in sixth place.

Well done to all girls in the swimming team who put in a fantastic effort for PLC School for their spirited encouragement.

Many thanks to Mrs Knight and Mrs Simpson, who put a tremendous amount of training the team and gave us their support.

Good luck to next year's team!

*Me
Swimm*



Diving

The year started off with many a *splat* and a chorus of, 'You're not going to make me get up there again!' but with people turning up with great enthusiasm to the Superdrome at 6.45 a.m. the *splats* started to decrease in number. After hard training from all the team, everything started to come together.

On 6th February the State Schoolgirls' Diving Competition commenced. On the Saturday, Year Twelves, Year Eights and Year Tens competed. On the Sunday, the Year Nine Open Three Metre and Year Ten and Open Platform events were held.

All divers competed at a very high standard, resulting in PLC coming first overall.

On 12th February we competed in the Inter-School Diving Competition. It was a very close and nerve-wracking competition, but finally we won the Year Nine, Ten and Eleven pennants and came First overall (by four points) for the first time ever! The whole team did extremely well but special mention should go to Liz Shave, Jane McGillvray and Georgina Walsh of Year Eleven, Simone Barker of Year Ten and Shannon McGillvray of Year Nine for winning their events.

Thanks to our coaches and to Mrs Whipp for their encouragement. Well done to the PLC Diving Team and good luck for next year!

*Ali Mutch
Year 12*



YEAR 9 SWIMMING

Back (L - R) : K Knights, J Ledger, S McGillvray, C Harris, J Mullineux. Centre (L - R) : L West, L Wright, C Fadjar, J Maguire. Front (L - R) : G Nicholas, A Paini, L Suzuki, S Muntz, M Sulcs.



YEAR 8 SWIMMING

Back (L - R) : C Clarke, S Curnow, J Lutz, J Craig. Centre (L - R) : K Smith, M Barker, T Grey, E Thom, C Sampson. Front (L - R) : A Franetovich, J Kiernan, P Bennett, N Campbell, Y Y Chang, K Black.



DIVING

Back (L - R) : S Barker, P Thunder, G Walsh, J McGillvray, N Williams, T Dolinschek, J Lutz. Centre (L - R) : E Shave, P Kilburn, N Telfer, E Pickard, C Sampson, S Miles, L Brennan. Front (L - R) : J Taylor, S Mouritz, B Caldwell, B House, K Willcox, M Jaggard, A Mutch.

Tennis



SENIOR TENNIS

Back (L - R) : L Gara, C Mackie, K Toovey, C Fisher, S Gladman, K Wicks, L Hutton. Centre (L - R) : J Hart, S Nicoll, G Farrell, J Egan, E Paterson, A Robson, K Gillam. Front (L - R) : T Fisher, C Leavy, C-L Davies, D O'Driscoll, S Maddox, S Colombera, B Chu.



JUNIOR TENNIS

Back (L - R) : B Leith, K Manning, M Pennock, P Brodie, B Money, N Duckworth, S Manning. Centre (L - R) : N Katz, R Dixon, C Campbell, G Falconer, G Hutchinson, C Koenig, J Chazen, J McKenzie, L Suzuki. Front (L - R) : C Timms, S Stewart, R Yench, H Cant, N Pearse, A Painsi.



YEAR 8 TENNIS

Back (L - R) : R Andrich, C Ladyman, E Atkins, J Lilleyman, C Baker. Centre (L - R) : A Franetovich, A Norwood, K Smith, L Cann. Front (L - R) : P Muller, L Bath, C Pope, P Bennett, A Alvarez.

Congratulations must be given to all members of the tennis teams who participated in the 1993 IGSSA competition. Once again PLC shone with their high standards of performance, participation and admirable sportsmanship. We proved to be a team of champions throughout the season.

Thanks must go to all Captains for their organization and leadership but special appreciation is owed to Mrs Flecker and Mr Lankester for their strong support and dedication.

The overall results for the season were :

Senior A (2nd)	Senior B (4th)
Senior C (8th)	Senior D (4th)
Junior A (1st)	Junior B (6th)
Junior C (6th)	Junior D (6th)
Year 8A (7th)	Year 8B (5th)
Overall : 5th	

I wish the future PLC tennis teams the best of luck and I hope the spirit of enjoyment and sportsmanship will remain for many years to come. Remember that's what sport is all about!

*Cindy-Lee Davies
Year 12*



Volleyball

1993 was again another successful year for PLC volleyballers. The improvement throughout the season was tremendous and all girls in all teams showed great enthusiasm and enjoyment from the first match to the last.

Heartfelt thanks to Mrs Shaw, Mrs Eddington and Yuri, for their dedication, valuable advice and coaching.

The overall results for the season were:

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| Senior A (2nd) | Senior B (5th) |
| Senior C (8th) | Senior D (4th) |
| Junior A (1st) | Junior B (6th) |
| Junior C (6th) | Junior D (6th) |
| Year 8A (7th) | Year 8B (6th) |
| Overall : 5th | |

Congratulations to everyone involved and best of luck to the volleyballers of 1994!

*Michelle Duckworth
Year 12*



SENIOR VOLLEYBALL

Back (L - R) : K White, L Murray, R Lannin, A Moir, S Prickett, J Taylor, K Gillam, M Hill. Centre (L - R) : L Erskine, K Toovey, C Treloar, E Prowse, M Sounness, J Keen, M Duckworth, K Moss, J Sorensen, L Julian. Front (L - R) : R Willmott, C Shepherdson, L Ee, M Worland, C Seubert, B Scott, J Greenup, J Chia.



JUNIOR VOLLEYBALL

Back (L - R) : A Price, M Tan, W Lee, J Morrell, R Huggins, T Laurie, L Ferguson. Row 4 (L - R) : T Edwards, J Perry, T Watts, B Leith, J McKenzie, S Barker, B Leaman, B Money. Row 3 (L - R) : M Tilbrook, S Reynolds, J Mullineux, L Wright, B Paganoni, T Chou, G Hutchison, S Katz, H Young. Row 2 (L - R) : N Burch, N Duckworth, L Bastian, Y Larsen, J Leys, A Paini, M Stewart, B Moffitt, L Paganoni, E Grzyb. Front (L - R) : K Farrell, S Hewitt, L Whitaker, C Fadjar, M Brand, G Falconer, I Oosterhuis, K McCormack, S Harrower, R Attwood.



YEAR 8 VOLLEYBALL

Back (L - R) : C Ladyman, J Lutz, D Jayaraman, A Franetovich, J Ventouras, R Cross, K Menzel, S Smyth, J Murray. Row 3 (L - R) : C Baker, A Norwood, R Vaughan, L Riley, J Craig, C Pope, F O'Connell. Row 2 (L - R) : L Talbot, C Allan, M Barker, N Kiernan, R Ward, R Shields, J Lewis, K Sanders, L De Grussa, C Fisher. Front (L - R) : L Cann, J Wells, K Watts, N Campbell, S Quinn, S Moore, C Moffitt, C Lang, J Lilleyman.

Basketball

This year's basketball season in Term Two went quite well, despite our lack of great success overall. Everyone performed to the best of her abilities and put in a great effort, as well as having a lot of fun. However, the two Year Eight teams did very well, with the Year 8A team coming third and the Year 8B team winning their division.

The overall results for the season were :

Senior A	8th
Senior B	5th
Senior C	4th
Junior A	5th
Junior B	6th
Junior C	4th
Year 8A	3rd
Year 8B	1st
Overall :	5th

Many thanks must go to our coaches Mr McTavish and Tracey Ritche. They did a great job in trying to transform us into something slightly resembling basketball players! Best of luck to next year's players.

*Jody Greenup
Year 11*



SENIOR BASKETBALL

*Back (L - R) : C House, K Toovey, G Knowles, L Erskine, P Bennett, K Wicks, M Hill.
Front (L - R) : T Yuen, J Adams, M Branson, C Mildern, J Greenup, R Harridge, S Davies.
Absent : N Parkinson, S Gladman.*



JUNIOR BASKETBALL

*Back (L - R) : S Barker, J Overheu, N Duckworth, M Brand, K Eyres, V Tough, K Fitzpatrick.
Centre (L - R) : K Duckham, L West, R Dixon, T Maskell, S Muntz, C Mouritz, T Laurie.
Front (L - R) : E Zuvela, G Nicholas, E Iida, L Wright, T Calnan. Absent : P Kilburn, S Gooch.*



YEAR 8 BASKETBALL

*Back (L - R) : J Lutz, C Pope, A Alvarez, R Ward, J Lilleyman, R Andrich. Front (L - R) :
C Baker, L Back, S Clohessy, L Cann, P Bennett, S Caporn, P Muller.*



Netball

All of PLC's netball teams showed a very high standard of sportsmanship and dedication this year. The girls thoroughly enjoyed competing against other schools and (to a lesser extent) training. All the teams finished well this season and are to be commended for their efforts.

Thanks to the PE Staff, outside coaches and umpires for their contribution. The best of luck to all 1994 and future netball teams.

*Michelle Worland
Year 12*



SENIOR NETBALL

Back (L - R) : M Sounness, C Seubert, E Prowse, J McGillivray, K Wicks, K Gillam. Row 3 (L - R) : C Fisher, J Manton, S Day, G Walsh, T Fisher, A Stringfellow. Row 2 (L - R) : M Hofmann, H Fitzpatrick, E Coyle, S Colombera, J Hayter, M Hill. Front (L - R) : M Branson, C Orr, L Julian, T Camac, S Maddox, M Worland, C Leavy, F Bodycoat.



JUNIOR NETBALL

Back (L - R) : T Shapter, A Mackie, R Yench, G Falconer, S Barker, B Trowell, K Fitzpatrick, M Tilbrook, J Morrell, K Thomson. Row 4 (L - R) : A McDonald, C Harris, B Pearce, P Elphick, R Twaddle, N Allan, M Kelly, H Cant, D Aynsley. Row 3 (L - R) : M Brand, N Atkinson, A Pains, J Perry, S Miles, J Leys, S Katz, N Pearce, S Lillis. Row 2 (L - R) : T Caldwell, K Hofmann, M Tan, C Timms, W Tate, E Pickard, J Chazen, G Hutchison. Front (L - R) : C McCormack, M Bailey, K Stower, Y Mastan, C Mouritz, L Bastian, S Stewart, R Attwood, Y Larsen, C Durkin.

YEAR 8 NETBALL (pictured right)

Back (L - R) : B Marshall, S Smyth, C Sampson, J Lutz, M Jaggard, D Jayaraman, C Ladyman, S Curnow, J Hall. Row 3 (L - R) : R Cross, D Tredgett, P Muller, C Allan, A Norwood, K Watts, J Moir, R Gianotti, S Schenberg. Row 2 (L - R) : J Guthrie, N Talalla, S Snowball, L Talbot, J Craig, C Pope, S Grant, S Caporn, C Clarke, L De Grussa. Front (L - R) : M Mumme, S Bennet, K Sanders, P Bennett, B Caldwell, N Campbell, L Cann, S Clohessy, Y Y Chang, J Wells. Absent: E Atkins, A Alvarez, A Franetovich.



Hockey



SENIOR HOCKEY

Back (L - R): N Katz, C Treloar, R Lannin, A Walden, M Gardiner, T Cook, E Campbell, M Evans. *Centre (L - R):* F Wilkinson, J Paganoni, C Galnan, C Harmse, E Raffan, L Gara, D Watson. *Front (L - R):* S Nicoll, G Micke, P Thunder, R Willmott, J Greenup, T Watts, S Bowey, S Cussons. Absent : T Smith, A Hardwick.

The 1993 hockey season began in Term Two, with many enthusiastic players looking to uphold the tradition set by previous players and teams. The first game was against Perth College with different teams playing at different times and locations.

Alison Thunder coached the Year Eight team whose scores improved throughout the season. Mrs Knight and Mrs Shaw coached the two Junior teams whose results were complemented by their energy and spirit. Mrs Knight and Mr Tibbitt coached the Senior teams whose membership was increased by the inclusion of several Year Ten girls whose efforts were much appreciated.



JUNIOR HOCKEY

Back (L - R): N Burch, P Walsh, K Manning, J Howard, S Manning, M Pennock, K Wilson. *Row 3 (L - R):* K Thomson, E Martin, E Knox, L Wright, S Muntz, L Garrity, B Paganoni. *Row 2 (L - R):* J McKenzie, H Young, W Lee, J Ledger, G Young, L Paganoni, C Koenig, K Riley. *Front (L - R):* P Atahan, L Kim, K McCormack, E Mildern, S Hewitt, J Thomas, R Webster.

During the year there were visits by Cheltenham Ladies' College from Great Britain and the Mary Erskine School from Edinburgh, Scotland. PLC was the host school for the Mary Erskine School, so during the games supporters and host families were undecided about which team to cheer, however both games were exciting and enjoyed by all.

The results from the IGSSA Competition are as follows :

Senior A	(=3rd)
Senior B	(4th)
Junior A	(=3rd)
Junior B	(=5th)
Year 8A	(4th)

Congratulations to everyone as the results were an improvement on last year's. Thank you to all the coaches and best of luck for the 1994 hockey season.



YEAR 8 HOCKEY

Back (L - R): E Thom, E Noll, R Andrich, K Menzel, R Vaughan. *Centre (L - R):* S Sudjana, K Smith, S Noll, J Kiernan, M Pow. *Front (L - R):* S Maguire, T Grey, J Lewis, S Mouritz, H Turton, K Hunter.

Lainie Gara
Year 12



Rowing

PLC's third year of rowing commenced with a weekend camp at the end of First Term which was attended enthusiastically. An increase in the number of girls wanting to row allowed for two Year Nine 'eights' - a good start to the long season ahead.

The first regatta was held midway through Second Term - a long-distance five kilometre race, with all crews competing well. Towards the end of the season PLC was again host to a regatta which was a great success and raised a lot of money to go towards providing new equipment for the boathouse. Thanks to all parents and Staff who helped make it such a great day.

During the lead-up to the major event of the season, the Head of the River, all the crews improved steadily, a season's hard work began to come together and the early morning and late afternoon training sessions began to seem worthwhile. The Head of the River was a great day for both rowers and spectators. All crews acquitted themselves creditably and one of the Year Eleven 'fours' won a pennant.

Thanks must go to Mr Thornton for organizing the boat shed, to the UWA boat club for agreeing to lend it, and to all the coaches and rowers for such a successful season.

*Anna Bishop
Year 12*



SINGLE SCULL
K Sounness

Year 9 'B' Crew (pictured right)
Back (L - R) : F Ross, S Harridge, J Hambling. Front (L - R) : S Craig, B Money, G Nicholas, I Rosendorff, M Stewart. Coach: J Cross.



Year 11 'A' Four
Back (L - R) : R Nicholson, P Bennett, K Moss. Front (L - R) : B Scott, M Franetovich.



Year 11 'B' Four
Back (L - R) : L Erskine, L Crossing, F Gilmore. Front (L - R) : J Hart, M Piowczyk-Kruk, D England.



Year 10 Squad
Back (L - R) : P Kilburn, J Ritchie, C Williams. Centre (L - R) : T Calnan, R Ferry, T Sweet, L Goundrey. Front (L - R) : C Campbell, J Johnson.



Year 9 'A' Crew
Back (L - R) : J Mullineux, C Fuhrmann, L West. Centre (L - R) : J Maguire, J Broadhurst, A James, S Reynolds. Front (L - R) : E Reading, G Ruello. Coach: J Parkinson.



Cross Country

The start of Second Term meant a change in uniform for most people, but it was a different story for the PLC Cross Country team. The start of Second Term for the brave runners involved misty mornings, frost-covered sneakers and dodging cars and trains on the way to the beach.

Training began in earnest after the Inter-House Cross Country. To give PLC that extra advantage, the number of coaches was tripled as Mr Beckwith and Mr McTavish were invited to join this 'elite' group. Along with head coach, Mrs Whipp, they tried to convince the team that sub-zero temperatures and rain were the best conditions to run in!

The PLC team made an impressive effort at the Inter-School Competition and as a result came a credible fifth. Thanks to Mr Beckwith, Mr McTavish and particularly Mrs Whipp for all the time and encouragement they gave each member of the team. Well done everyone, and best of luck for the 1994 season!

*Lainie Gara
Year 12*



CROSS COUNTRY

Back (L - R): J Lutz, E Zuvela, K Gee, S Boshart, M Stirling, T Fisher, L Gara, B Pearce, K Wicks. Row 3 (L - R): A Mackie, M Pennock, L Garrity, R Yench, L Wright, T Camac, E Coyle, C Petersen, C Treloar, J Hart, B Paganoni. Row 2 (L - R): H Tabert, M Brand, R Vaughan, K Trudgian, J Hambling, M Talbot, M Jaggard, S Colombera, L Paganoni. Front (L - R): R Andrich, R Ward, M Sulcs, B Moffitt, S Mouritz, Y Mastan, P Bennett, C Baker, N Telfer, K Smith.



CRICKET

Back (L - R): V Tough, M Hill, S Piowczyk-Kruk, J Comb. Centre (L - R): B Paganoni, K Thomson, R Dixon, D Tredgett, E Campbell. Front (L - R): Z Manton, A Moir, W Lee, C Mouritz, B Draper, B Marshall.

Cricket

Following last year's success the cricket squad was eager to show everybody what we were made of. Despite a large reduction in our numbers (due to the departure of last year's Year Twelves) the 'new blood' re-vitalized us and by about the third match we were again a force to be reckoned with.

Early morning training got the better of some, while getting to Saturday matches on time proved difficult for others, but we made it through the season managing some classic catches, spectacular batting feats (Elwyn Campbell!) and unusual fielding tactics. We finished third on the ladder with a very tight deciding game.

Thanks go to Mel Logue, our inspiring and dedicated coach, who saw us through thick and thin and to Mrs Hatch, whose scoring prowess and thorough re-checking saved us on a few occasions. To Mr Dixon and Mr Thomson for all their help this season, thank you. We are sure to see another PLC victory in the near future.

*Caitlin Mildern
& Marie Gardiner Year 12*



Gymnastics

The year started off with the Inter-House gymnastics where girls were then selected to go into the Inter-School team. This team comprised three levels, each with a Junior and Senior section. The next few weeks saw lots of enthusiastic training (some more enthusiastic than others!) in the early mornings. Managing to stay on a ten centimetre beam at 6.30 a.m. was quite an achievement for most of us!

A great deal of improvement was seen as the routines began to come together. Captains were appointed for each division; Michelle Branson - Division Three, Deena Rosen - Division Two, Robyn Amey - Division One and Nicki Telfer - overall Captain.

All four of these girls contributed greatly, as did the gymnasts in all divisions, to PLC's brilliant results. We won the overall State Schoolgirls' Competition and narrowly missed out on winning the IGSSA Competition.

The gym team performed above all expectations and with this season's experience behind them, can look forward to bigger and better things next year! Sincere thanks go to Dioni, Michelle, Mrs Whipp and Mrs Knight for their perseverance and encouragement.

Best of luck for 1994.

*Ali Mutch
Year 12*



GYMNASTICS

Back (L - R) : E-J Bovell, L Brennan, A Mutch, P Elphick, G Walsh, E Shave, P Thunder, S Moore, C Sampson. Row 3 (L - R) : S Barker, J Lutz, K Hofmann, M Jaggard, M Lawrence, N Pearse, C Tan, D Rosen. Row 2 (L - R) : L Ferguson, A Joll, S Miles, A Pontague, W Tate, E Pickard, T Dolinschek, Y Larsen. Front (L - R) : M Branson, J Taylor, K Trudgian, N Telfer, P Atahan, C Oosterhuis, B House, M Robinson. Absent: R Amey.

Athletics

This year's athletics season began at the start of Term Three with almost two terms of training facing the team.

The season was disrupted with the Year Tens going on Outward Bound, holidays and Year Twelve exams, but despite the lack of full team trainings, we were spirited and confident of improving on last year's fourth place.

At the end of the day, PLC retained fourth position with everybody performing at the highest level. The eventual winner was Penrhos, over MLC and St Hilda's.

The season was long and hard not only for the athletes but also for the coaches. Special thanks go to Kate, Jay, Rod, Caroline, Mrs Millar, Mrs Knight and the PE Staff for their continued support.

*Michelle Worland
Athletics Captain*



YEAR 11 & 12 ATHLETICS

Back (L - R) : C Mildern, J Keen, J McGillvray, Centre (L - R) : C Treloar, J Koh, T Smith, E Shave, E Prowse. Front (L - R) : M Branson, M Worland, B Scott, T Camac, C Seubert.



YEAR 10 ATHLETICS

Back (L - R) : L Goundrey, J Morell, N Katz, M Franetovich, J Overheu, M Brand. Centre (L - R) : N Allan, L Garrity, S Barker, A Mackie, M Pennock, B Trowell, B Paganoni. Front (L - R) : S Stewart, N Pearse, J McKenzie, P Kilburn, B Pearce.



YEAR 9 ATHLETICS

Back (L - R) : C Harris, M Duckworth, S Miles, S McGillvray, M Geoghegan, Centre (L - R) : T Edwards, J Mullineux, J Chazen, C Fuhrmann, P Elphick, S Muntz, J Maquire. Front (L - R) : E Pickard, B Moffitt, M Sulcs, J Perry, J Hambling, M Lawrence.



YEAR 8 ATHLETICS (pictured left)

Back (L - R) : C Sampson, M Jaggard, K Smith, J Lutz, J Lilleyman, T Grey, E Noll. Centre (L - R) : S Schenberg, A Alvarez, R Andrich, K Trudgian, J Kiernan, K Watts, C Fisher. Front (L - R) : E Thom, S Mouritz, L Bath, P Bennett, L Cann, B Caldwell, C Baker, B Draper.



Softball

Once the athletics were over, we were straight into the short season of softball.

Even though the season wasn't as successful as past years have been, the girls displayed great sportsmanship and enthusiasm.

Although we didn't have any professional players on our side, you could have easily mistaken some of our girls for professionals, by some of the spectacular skills they displayed. These included classic catches and some awesome base slides. These performances gave a new meaning to inter-School softball.

A big thank you must go to all the girls who participated this season and to the girls who filled in at the last minute on a few occasions. Thank you also to Mrs Whipp, Mrs Shaw and Mrs Flecker, who helped and supported us throughout the season.



SENIOR SOFTBALL

Back (L - R) : J Morrell, M Pennock, V Tough, P Bennett, K Manning, R Huggins, E Prowse, J Howard, D Watson, A Watson, C Cousins. Row 3 (L - R) : B Pearce, P Thunder, K Hofmann, K Fitzpatrick, A Stringellow, C Mather, S Barker, B Paganoni, M Kelly, R Yench, C Koenig, T Maskell. Row 2 (L - R) : R Hart, K Moss, N Pearse, A Moir, E Coyle, S Maddox, S Macpherson, E Raffan, G Falconer, E Gaskin, E Mildern. Front (L - R) : W Lee, S Prickett, B Leaman, S Stewart, K Thomson, J Thomas, C Reudavey, F McKechnie, M Brand, J Overheu, C Preston.

*Emma Prowse
Year 11*



JUNIOR SOFTBALL

Back (L - R) : K McCormack, C Ladyman, R Vaughan, J Lutz, M Jaggard, C Pope, C Sampson, C Baker, D Jayaraman, J Lewis. Row 4 (L - R) : K Hunter, T Edwards, J Lilleyman, K Smith, L Wright, S Schenberg, R Cross, A Alvarez. Row 3 (L - R) : B Kent, B Mizen, E Knox, N Duckworth, M Hopkins, S Piowczyk-Kruk, S Smyth, S Noll. Row 2 (L - R) : T Grey, J Broadhurst, J Mullineux, M Fordham, D Tredgett, L Cann, R Gianotti, L Talbot, L Bath, S Mouritz. Front (L - R) : E Noll, A James, K Martin, S Grant, B Draper, S Hewitt, S Clohessy, C Clarke, S Caporn, R Shields.

BAIRD

Our roles as House Officials began in Fourth Term of 1992 with the enormous task of organising House lunches. We soon realised that our jobs were not going to be easy - but, with the help of the House members, the year proved to be enjoyable and rewarding.

Ernie's Incredible Illucinations, directed by Jules, saw Baird House embark on a successful year of Arts activities. After many long, strenuous and occasionally trying rehearsals, our performance shone, with the Best Actress award going to Katie Svalbe with runner-up, Sophie Gargett. Overall, we earned ourselves a third place which was extremely well deserved, as Baird in their true participating spirit had the largest cast and crew (twenty-seven) of all six Houses.

House Choir also proved to be a valuable experience. It was great to see the House participating as a whole once again with the song *Bright Eyes* from the film *Watership Down*. Bonnie Chu accompanied the choir brilliantly on the piano alongside Katie Humphrys on flute.

Baird also went well in the debating and public speaking with Rosalind Dixon reaching the finals.

The Performing and Functional Arts provided yet another chance to shine, with the House doing extremely well in all areas. To end the year off on a high, Baird was presented with equal first in the overall Performing Arts Competition. Well done, guys, on a brilliant year in the Arts.

Baird girls also performed well on the sporting fields, proving conclusively that Baird is an all-round House.





HOUSE

The year started with the swimming, and while we were not the most successful House in the swimming pool, our divers, led by Jane and Shannon McGillvray, proved that Baird was easily the best in the diving pool with our first of many sporting wins. Congratulations also to Lea Gold who was runner-up in Year Eight.

Through the year Baird showed talent in many areas of sport such as badminton, netball, basketball and tennis, with the participation and enthusiasm of all girls ensuring a high standard.

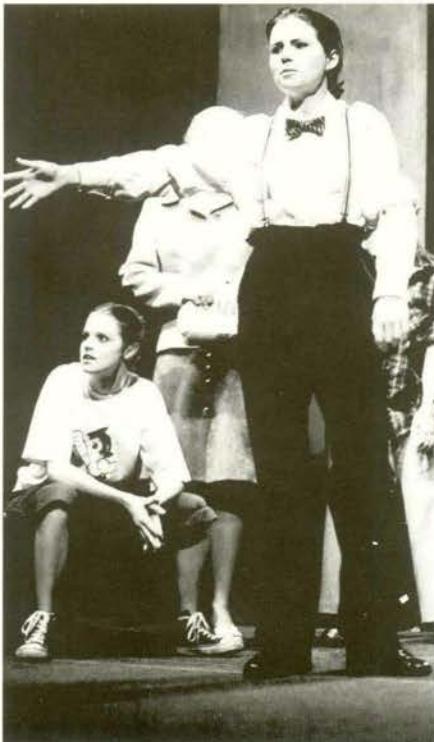
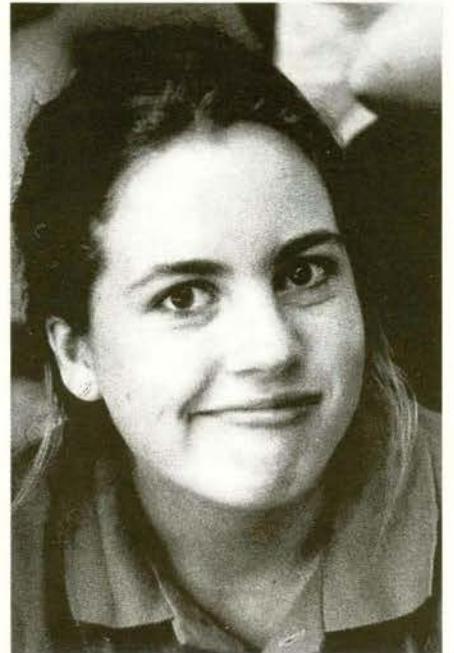
The Athletics and Cross Country proved that winning isn't the most important thing and whilst it took some persuasion and bribery to get some to run, all agreed that the two or three kilometre run wasn't really so far and was almost enjoyable. Special congratulations must go to Jane McGillvray, who was Year Eleven Champion in the Aths.

The fund-raising activity for Baird this year was a Hot Dog Day which was very successful. Thanks to everyone who participated.

Well, it's been a great year for Baird, with great efforts from everyone. Thanks must go to the whole House for their participation and enthusiasm, especially to Mrs Hetherington and Mrs Temby who gave endless support.

We wish next year's House Officials all the best of luck as we move on to bigger and better things.

Rob, Michelle & Jules.





Year 8 Baird

Back (L - R) : Mrs C Lanagan, M Clarke, K Hunter, S Caporn, L Gold, H Turton, S Grant, L Bath. Front (L - R) : K Sanders, S Hellings, A Tan, J Kuan, Y Chang, L Riley. Absent : S Reisch.



Year 9 Baird

Back (L - R) : Mr R Vickers, K Brown, S McGillvray, B Money, E Knox, R Dixon, P Russell. Centre (L - R) : K Martin, C Timms, K Hanson, K Humphry, L Comb, L Bastian, S-P Huang, O Gorman. Front (L - R) : J Faul, V Jackson, S Harridge, M Evans, M Fordham, Y Mastan, T Newcombe. Absent : S Ambrose, K Macfarlane.



Year 10 Baird

Back (L - R) : J Overheu, E-J Bovell, A Price, G Falconer, K Hofmann, T Maskell, T Sweet, Yoshinta. Centre (L - R) : Mrs K Whipp, J Ritchie, C Mather, A McDonald, B Driver, R Yench, M Milburn. Front (L - R) : C Koenig, J Mews, E Gaskin, T Calnan, D Aynsley, H Halim.



Year 11 Baird

Back (L - R) : J McGillvray, J Comb, L Erskine, G Calnan, A Jorgensen, M Donovan, B Lang. *Centre (L - R) :* M Branson, H Halim, B Chu, C Leavy, P Evans, F Smith, J Rudeforth, S Chi. *Front (L - R) :* D England, T Bell, S Bowey, K Marquis, A Hardwick, K Yeoh, T Tu.



Year 12 Baird

Back (L - R) : J Edwards, A Mutch, M Bliss, M Wnuk, P Bell, L Chan, E Jay, J Lim, N Piercy, E Pearson. *Centre (L - R) :* K Svalbe, M Worland, K Rischbieth, Mrs P Temby, S Gargett, R Harridge, J Leow, T Dolinschek, L Ananto. *Front (L - R) :* S Knox, J Bartley, C Petersen, K Halford, M Hofmann, A Lee. Absent : J Codner.



Baird House Staff

Back (L - R) : Mrs J Hulcup, Miss J Rankin, Mr B Underwood, Mrs N Wood, Mr M McTavish, Mr R Vickers. *Front (L - R) :* Mr W Karmelita, Mrs P Temby, Mrs J Hetherington (House Adviser), Mrs C Lanagan, Mrs K Whipp.



CARMICHAEL



Four years ago the captains of Carmichael stated that "The comeback has begun..." and since that time in '89 it is true that we have seen our progress take place in leaps and bounds. The simple fact that all the leaps have not been forward is of no consequence as Carmichael's boundless enthusiasm and wholehearted participation has always been the essence of the matter.

With the guidance of Mrs Duzevich, the Carmichaelians of '93 managed to break the record for the Service Fund with our joint sales of M & M's in Term One. (Also increasing the State-wide sales of Clearasil tenfold.)

This success seemed to rub off on the House, as PLC witnessed Carmichael's outstanding artistic flair spread like wildfire throughout various House Arts activities and this success continued throughout the year. Firstly we saw a magnificent performance of *Temptation Sordid or Virtue Rewarded*, directed by Alana, whose job was made a lot easier due to the co-operation of not only the talented cast, but also the hardworking crew who did a top job backstage. Special congratulations to Jen Leys who was Best Actress and Jac John who was Best Supporting Actress.

We also managed to show our true colours with a specky second for our interesting rendition of *Rainbow Connection* that gave us a chance to really prove our skills. Then we enjoyed a continuous line of successes on Arts Day in public speaking and debating, as well as in the Performing and Functional Arts. Our public speakers, Lizzie Cann, Brei John and Julia Kenyon did exceptionally well, as did a certain artist, Robyn Bernadt, whose talented textiles earned Carmichael a number of firsts. However, Carmichael's success in the Arts was one that took a lot of time to organize and many thanks must go to Alana.





HOUSE

Our sporting brilliance dazzled once more as we demonstrated our motto *Play the Game*, our main concern being participation and enthusiasm. The Year Eights proved great assets in this area with a number of stars doing us proud, Jo Lutz being our champ in the House Aths and Morwenna Jaggard topping the Juniors in gym, while Nicki Telfer topped the Seniors.

Encouraged by M & M's, we had a magnificent success in Cross Country with a marvellous third that really demonstrated Carmichael's bounding (or running) improvement.

Credit must to to Lisa - as Carmichael has never been last (alone at any rate!) What was lacking in ability was made up for in numbers. Years of experience has taught us that the majority definitely rules - and, thanks to the majority of Carmichaelians being winners at heart, this year has been one of our best for a long time. Thank you to all who took part.

Overall, we have enjoyed every moment of our time as House Officials of Carmichael but feel it would not have been nearly as rewarding without the never-ending, motherly support of Mrs Saffen and Mrs Duzevich's non-stop organization and inspiration. The Year Twelves of Carmichael to us are 'the pick of the bunch' and their encouragement and support has been very much appreciated.

Best wishes and good luck to next year's Officials, Lana, Michelle and Emma.

Kirstie, Alana & Lis





Year 8 Carmichael

Back (L - R) : A Franetovich, C Sakamoto, D Jayaraman, Mrs A Kan, R Vaughan, J Lutz, M Jaggard, S Moore. Front (L - R) : A Guthrie, C Moffitt, L Cann, S Mouritz, L De Grussa, J Lewis, K Trudgian.



Year 9 Carmichael

Back (L - R) : Mrs C Gadsdon, L Wright, G Young, H Young, M Geoghegan, S Katz, J Kenyon. Centre : L West, S Hewitt, J Taylor, G Farrell, T Chou, J Leys. Front (L - R) : C Durkin, E Davis, B Moffitt, G Ruello, C Pang, S Piowczyk-Kruk, B Wilson. Absent : M Hopkins, C Mouritz, K Young, J Perry.



Year 10 Carmichael

Back (L - R) : Mrs S Morris, M Franetovich, N Katz, L Garrity, G Hutchison, S Cussons, E Gryzb, B Leith. Front (L - R) : A Leung, R Attwood, F O'Driscoll, J Johnson, E Gee, E Martin.



Year 11 Carmichael

Back (L - R) : N Hashimoto, C Cappellini, E Campbell, F McKechnie, M Wandel, L Crossing. *Centre (L - R) :* S Chan, T Kataoka, M Hill, A Whitehead, S Hind, S Berg, M Piowczyk-Kruk, T Yuen. *Front (L - R) :* Mr D Thornton, M Dharmawan, J Gustimego, E Coyle, L Hutton, J Adams, R Winata.



Year 12 Carmichael

Back (L - R) : T Van Royen, J Warren, S Gladman, T McLellan, T Cook, A Bishop, R Lannin, Mrs A Saffen. *Centre (L - R) :* J Tedjokusumo, A Ee, K Toovey, M-L Thonell, M Gardiner, J John, J Manton, M Gmeiner, C Williams. *Front (L - R) :* F Warren, L M Or, J Hart, D O'Driscoll, N Telfer, L Julian, A Smith. *Absent :* V Mee, G Farrell.



Carmichael House Staff

Back (L - R) : Mrs A Saffen, Mrs A Kan, Mr D Thornton, Ms C Farnay, Mrs C Gadsdon, Mr B McNess. *Front (L - R) :* Mrs G Bull, Mrs M Jolly, Mrs J Duzevich (House Adviser), Mrs S Jenkin, Mrs S Morris. *Absent:* Mrs J McGuinness



FERGUSON



We've done it again! It has been a year of proving that Fergoites are not just raunchy, robust girls in red, but are ridiculously talented in drama and rearing to go on the sporting field.

As we reminisce, we can only feel sorry for all the other Houses who have tried desperately to achieve as highly as the girls in red, yet are prevented through lack of talent and expertise from achieving our standards. Nevertheless they have done well in their own way, and we appreciate their competition.

We have decided that behind our massive success are a couple of factors besides talent that have made the year so much fun. Firstly, from the very beginning of our duties at the end of Year Eleven (when we were given the daunting task of making the House cake) our fellow Fergoites began their support and then maintained it throughout 1993. This support from everyone, girls and Staff, is one of our trade secrets which we now reluctantly reveal.

The second factor would have to be Humour! The Fergoite team is extremely fortunate to be led by Mr Saunders, whose everlasting sense of humour has brought us all through the year smiling our red smiles all the way.

The highlight of the year in the Arts department was achieving first place in the House play, *A Memory of Lizzie*, which had the audience shivering in their boots, thanks to an extremely talented cast.





HOUSE

Congratulations go to runner-up Best Actress, Natalie Wright and to Michelle Roberts who was Best Actress. (She continued to spook her friends for the rest of the year.)

Qualifying for the finals of the debating in most Years and winning the debating in Year Eleven and Twelve encouraged us through to a third place in the House Choir Competition. The song, *Lean On Me*, certainly proved a recurring theme for us three officials.

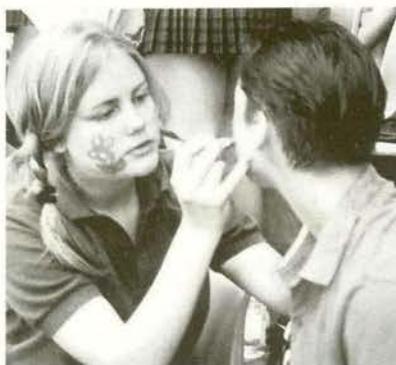
In the sports department, Ferguson had a great start to the year with our victory in the Inter-House Swimming. Everyone swam really strongly with Fergo's cheer squad supporting them from the stand.

Congratulations to all girls who entered (and completed) the Inter-House Cross Country. Both the Cross Country and the Athletics saw Fergo again a close second.

Participation from all years was shown throughout every Inter-House sporting event and a special mention to the Junior basketballers on their exciting win. If ever there should be a trophy for the greatest participation, Ferguson would win with flying colours.

Finally we would like to thank Mr Saunders, and wish next year's House Officials, Kerry, Liz and George, the best of luck.

Nia, Meisha & Anna





Year 8 Fergusson

Back (L - R) : E Atkins, J Kiernan, C Lang, J Murray, S Smyth, K Smith, B Marshall, J Craig. Front (L - R) : Miss N Jupp, H Kornweibel, N Campbell, S Bennet, A Mathers, Z Blakeman, T Grey, R Shields.



Year 9 Fergusson

Back (L - R) : Mrs S Keeble, A Paini, J Kim, S Nishikawa, H Gardner, N Atkinson, P Walsh, D Kurti. Centre (L - R) : G Adamson, J Chazen, K Knights, L Ferguson, S Reynolds, J Mullineux, S Elvey. Front (L - R) : N Wright, S Anderson, C McCormack, A James, M Tan, P Aurthaveekul, K Aurthaveekul.



Year 10 Fergusson

Back (L - R) : C Campbell, K Eyres, K Thomson, D Fouracre, M Tilbrook, Mrs A Tarulli. Centre (L - R) : D Sang, M Soo, R Hart, C Koh, C Williams, N Ford, A Mackie. Front (L - R) : S Nishikawa, Y L Mau, I Wong, S Hansen-Knarhoi, P Woods. Absent : R Ferry, P Kilburn.



Year 11 Ferguson

Back (L - R) : Mrs J Simpson, P Bennett, J Jasper, G Walsh, R Nicholson, A Wright, K Wicks. *Centre (L - R) :* C Murray, J Thrum, T Smith, J Koh, Y-L Ong, M Grey. *Front (L - R) :* A Rianti, J Thorley, F Bodycoat, S Maddox, A Grant, J Chia.



Year 12 Ferguson

Back (L - R) : C Mackie, R Amey, M Stirling, C Jenour, A Jasper, E Jackson, C House, K Wilkinson. *Centre (L - R) :* L Murray, R Hamilton, S Boshart, B Ferguson, S Price, C Thorley, A Ford, Miss C Harrington. *Front (L - R) :* A Robertson, L Fitzgibbon, K Sheehan, M Roberts, V Toh, N Pericles, A Greer. *Absent :* J Breen, C Raines, E White.



Ferguson House Staff

Back (L - R) : Mrs F Millar, Mrs S Forbes, Miss C Harrington, Mrs D McArthur, Mr M Saunders (House Adviser), Mrs A Tarulli, Mr B Jenkins, Mrs D Cuneo. *Front (L - R) :* Mrs J Simpson, Mrs M Williamson, Ms V Clarkson, Miss N Jupp, Mrs J Maclean, Mrs S Keeble.



MCNEIL

Victory or Death? 1993 has definitely been a victorious year for McNeil and sincere congratulations must be extended to the whole House for outstanding efforts!

The beginning of Term One brought with it the annual swimming and diving competitions. Despite posing an early threat to the champion swimming House, Ferguson, McNeil's lowly fourth place in the swimming was a poor indication of our outstanding House spirit and effort.

In the diving pool, however, McNeil earned a well-deserved second place (once again to Fergo!) and special congratulations must go to our Year Eight Champion, Courtney Sampson.

McNeil's dominance on the athletics track at the Inter-House Athletics shone through, and saw us gain a well-deserved first place. (This outstanding effort was not, however, equalled by our sixth place in the marching!) Special congratulations once again to Year Champions, Courtney Sampson of Year Eight and Caitlin Mildern of Year Twelve, and to Marie Pennock who was Runner-up in Year Ten.

In other sporting events, such as netball, basketball, hockey, volleyball and tennis, McNeil's true House spirit was displayed with outstanding enthusiasm and contributions from all girls involved. Their efforts were rewarded with high placings in the basketball, tennis and hockey. After desperate (and eventually successful) attempts by Caitlin to fill places for the Cross Country team, McNeil's powers of endurance saw us first across the finish line in the quest for the Cross Country trophy.





HOUSE

Throughout the year, McNeil also performed very well in the Arts area. Fleur, who had the unenviable task of selecting a cast and crew for the production of our House Play, *The Real Inspector Hound*, co-ordinated what was eventually to be a fantastic performance. The play earned a creditable fourth place and the efforts of all the cast and crew are to be commended.

The House choir was a great success, winning first place for a delighted McNeil. (A special thank you must go to Sophie Clohessy of Year Eight for her brilliant impersonation of Jeremiah the bullfrog!)

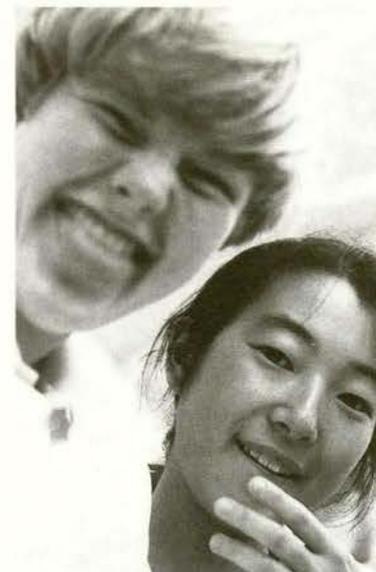
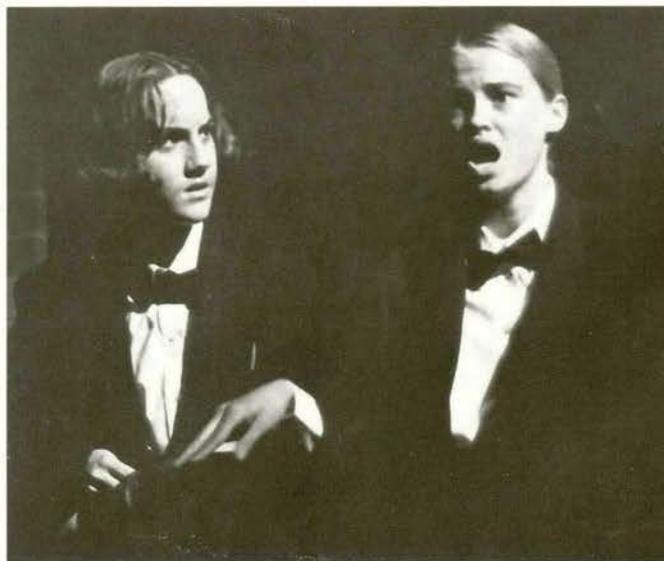
McNeil performed well in all other Arts activities, including debating and public speaking, and despite a low overall placing, displayed many talents on Performing and Functional Arts Day in all areas from singing and dancing to sewing and cooking.

The continuous support we have received from our fellow Year Twelves throughout the year, together with the outstanding enthusiasm and willingness of all House members to participate, have made our jobs as House Officials a lot easier and we take this opportunity to thank McNeilites for their fantastic House spirit.

A special thank you to both Mr Leach and Mrs Ward for their invaluable encouragement and guidance throughout the year. Your support has been greatly appreciated.

Finally, our best wishes go to Jodie, Sally and Pip for 1994 as we move onto bigger and better things, leaving McNeil in their capable hands. WELL DONE MCNEIL!!

Anna, Fleur & Caitlin





Year 8 McNeil

Back (L - R) : Mrs E Shaw, R Andrich, C Sampson, S Curnow, C Ladyman, C Fisher, C Allan. *Centre (L - R) :* F O'Connell, R Cross, R Ward, C Pope, B Kent, L Talbot, S Snowball. *Front (L - R) :* N Keenan, S Clohessy, R Prince, C Baker, B Draper.



Year 9 McNeil

Back (L - R) : Mrs T Dunn, F Ross, R Twaddle, C Harris, P Elphick, S Manning, T Shapter. *Centre (L - R) :* D Thomas, J Ledger, E Barnes, K Wilson, L Paganoni, K Riley, S Craig, E Beecham. *Front (L - R) :* L Howells, N Ketelsen, C O'Callaghan, J Hambling, S Brown, K McCormack, J Unsworth.



Year 10 McNeil

Back (L - R) : K Manning, M Kelly, S Chionh, J McKenzie, D Watson, N Allan, M Evans. *Centre (L - R) :* Mr R Pedretti, M Pennock, K Thomson, B Leaman, N Pearse, B Paganoni, S Lee. *Front (L - R) :* B House, L Kennaugh, E Mildern, S Barker, A Dahl, R Webster, B Shoesmith.



Year 11 McNeil

Back (L - R) : T Fisher, J Hayter, S Tribe, S Fleming, N Shapter, J Tyler, A-M Devitt. Centre (L - R) : J Chew, R Davis, J Greenup, L Couani, S Colombera, S Dawkins, A Giordano. Front (L - R) : Miss J Buckenara, T Howells, E Jaya, Y Y Wong, R Willmott, Z Manton. Absent : P Thunder, L Munro.



Year 12 McNeil

Back (L - R) : J Barnes, C Fisher, C Seubert, H McKenzie, J Keen, L Munro, S Keating, Y Wallman. Centre (L - R) : A Robson, J Paganoni, S Nicoll, C Mildern, H Setiowati, J Bunning, F Bush, J Egan. Front (L - R) : Mr R Leach, L Ee, S Davies, E Paterson, F Tribe, Mrs S Ward. Absent : A Johnson, C Papatde, J Rafferty, J Takatsuka.



McNeil House Staff

Back (L - R) : Mrs K Frichot, Mrs J Nicholls, Mrs M Flecker, Sister S Sadler, Mrs T Dunn. Front (L - R) : Mrs E Shaw, Mrs J McMahon, Mr R Leach (House Adviser), Miss J Buckenara, Mrs S Ward. Absent: Mr R Pedretti.



STEWART

As 1993 draws to an end, Stewart House can reflect on its achievements. The enthusiasm and participation throughout the year has been outstanding and all members of the House deserve commendation. The year commenced with the Inter-House swimming and Stewart House took out third place. A special mention must go to Anna Walden, Megan Brand and Jo Maguire for their outstanding effort on the day.

Many long hours were spent rehearsing for the Inter-House Play Competition and our comedy, *What are You Doing Here?* was most entertaining. Thank you to our Year Eight students who so ably provided the play with a wonderful football crowd. The Best Actress award went to Nicole Lewis and Runner-up was Megan Kopke.

We certainly have superb depth in our Public Speaking team and congratulations to Kate Sounness, who led not just Stewart House but PLC on many occasions in public speaking competitions throughout the year. Stormie Lillis and Kate Wilcox also performed admirably. We enjoyed a successful year in inter-House debating in most Years and wish to acknowledge all the hard work done by Fiona Lee.

Arts Day provided students with the opportunity to show their artistic talents, ranging from cooking through to classical dance. A very special thank you to Melanie West for her organization of *Sister Act* (Whoopi Goldberg - eat your heart out!) which deservedly took out first prize in the Variety section. In House Choir we will miss the contribution of the Year Twelves - many of whom have been such loyal members over the past years.





HOUSE

The Inter-House Athletics and Cross Country again saw us achieve third place. During the competition we demonstrated that last year was not a fluke when we were again victorious in the Marching Competition at the Aths. What an effort! Lunch time practices under the watchful guidance of Mr Lankester certainly paid off.

The other House sports throughout the year - volleyball, hockey, netball, basketball, softball, tennis and badminton - were well attended and were thoroughly enjoyed by both Senior and Junior groups. Many thanks to all the dedicated after-school participants.

Many thank to all members of the House who have produced outstanding results. Without the support of all House members we could not have maintained our high level of morale and participation. Credit must also be given to the Staff in Stewart who have contributed to the smooth running of the House. Our thanks go to the students in Year Twelve who have consistently supported the officials, along with Mrs Pidgeon, out House Tutor for the past five years, and Mrs Robinson who has given us untiring support and encouragement in her position as House Adviser.

Finally we would like to extend our best wishes to the 1994 Stewart House Officials : Tiffany Camac (House Captain), Jennifer Hart (Sports Captain) and Alex Moir (Arts Captain).

Chelsey, Helen & Fiona





Year 8 Stewart

Back (L - R) : D Tredget, J Hall, E Noll, S Schenberg, A Alvarez, P Muller, E Thom, K Menzel. Front (L - R) : Mr J Eyres, S Noll, K Willcox, S Maguire, S Quinn, J Guthrie, M Pow, R Gianotti.



Year 9 Stewart

Back (L - R) : Mr H Lankester, C Fuhrmann, E Pickard, T Edwards, S Gooch, O Susai, S Muntz. Centre (L - R) : S Miles, A Pontague, P Brodie, N Webb, J Broadhurst, J Maguire, H Tabert. Front (L - R) : P Atahan, M Stewart, C Fadjar, L Whitaker, I Oosterhuis, M Bailey, N Lewis.



Year 10 Stewart

Back (L - R) : Mrs A Smith, E Zuvela, R Huggins, N Burch, A Watson, M Brand, K Fitzpatrick. Centre (L - R) : C Oosterhuis, A Joll, H Y Jung, S Harrower, S Lillis, B Trowell. Front (L - R) : J Thomas, S Stewart, M Robinson, L Goundrey, M Kopke, A Harvey, W Lee.



Year 11 Stewart

Back (L - R) : Mrs P O'Hara, J Sorensen, R Lewis, K White, D Wiltshire, J Hart, K Moss, V Susai. *Centre (L - R) :* S MacPherson, J Nalder, T Camac, A Moir, T Nicholls, R Or, M Lee. *Front (L - R) :* B Scott, C Reudavey, E Szudej, C Suet, S Prickett, V Chan, G Ching. *Absent :* A Cameron.



Year 12 Stewart

Back (L - R) : J Wheatley, M Sounness, F Newbold, D McAllister, K Sounness, L Goff, S Pickard, R Luttrell. *Centre (L - R) :* S Huggins, C Anderson, Z Stewart, Mrs C Pidgeon, A Walden, G Knowles, E Jackson, S Day. *Front (L - R) :* J Richardson, N Sanbrook, H Fitzpatrick, C Shepherdson, J Moir, F Lee. *Absent :* M West, M Cushion, F Hitchcock, E Lovel.



Stewart House Staff

Back (L - R) : Mrs A Smith, Mrs P O'Hara, Mrs S Rankin, Mrs C Pidgeon, Mrs C Robinson (House Adviser), Mrs K Knight, Mrs P Hatch. *Front (L - R) :* Mr J Eyres, Mr A Tibbitt, Mr R Rennie, Mr H Lankester, Mrs H Heptinstall, Miss P Fahey.



SUMMERS

The enthusiasm displayed by all Summers House members this year was reflected in the outstanding results that were achieved in all areas. Our success can be largely attributed to the high level of participation shown by the younger Years.

What a sporting year it has been for a fantastic House! Summers not only had the stars but participation and House spirit as well. We began well in the Inter-House Swimming with a close second. Amongst our team were Year Champions Heidi Unsworth (Year Nine) and Briohny Pearce (Year Ten), while in the diving, Summers came a commendable fourth. Tennis and volleyball were also played in First Term, where Summers again proved to be dominant with the Seniors winning both tennis and volleyball, while the Juniors were placed second and equal fourth respectively.

Despite the number of inter-House sporting activities occurring in First Term there was also involvement in the Arts. Many months were spent rehearsing the production of our House Play, *Queer Street*. Congratulations to all the cast; Nadine Talalla, Pia Bennett, Lee Bayett, Chantelle Orr (Best Actress), Kate Gillam (Runner-up), Amanda Taseff and special thanks to the backstage and lighting crew, whose efforts contributed to the overall success of the play. Unfortunately we did not reach the finals but the performance was enjoyed by all. Well done, too, to all debaters who participated, especially girls in Years Nine and Eleven for reaching the second round.

Enthusiastic participation in sporting activities continued in Second Term. The results in netball were outstanding with the Seniors winning and the Juniors being runners-up. Both basketball teams were placed third and the hockey players did well, gaining first in the Seniors and a minor placing in the Juniors. Overall, gymnastics and cross country did not prove to be our strength although congratulations must go to Lainie Gara (Year Twelve), Christina Treloar (Year Eleven) and Briohny Pearce (Year Ten), who were Champions in their respective Years.





HOUSE

Third Term's Arts activities entailed Public Speaking and House Choir. All of the speakers did well this year, making it through several heats and Nancy Howard and Sam Rees continued their success to secure a place in the finals. Both were very entertaining and their performance was enjoyed by the entire School. Nancy won the Year Eleven division and Sam was runner-up in Year Twelve.

Many weeks were spent in preparation for the year's House Choir Competition. Despite the shaky start on the day, the performance of our chosen song, *I Can See Clearly* finished strongly.

Performing and Functional Arts Day was a brilliant day for all Summers enthusiasts. Summers House (being one of the small Houses), was never considered to be a strong force but with outstanding results in both performing and creative areas, we actually came equal first with Baird! Well done to all girls who participated in any way, because it was a combined House effort that produced this outstanding result.

The Inter-House Athletics was a day to remember, with Summers gaining a well-earned fourth place. Congratulations must go to everyone for their great efforts, in particular to our Year Champions and Runners-up: Year Eight, Pia Bennett, Year Eleven, Emma Prowse and Year Twelve, Lainie Gara. Summers finished the sporting year just as well as they began by achieving pleasing results in both badminton and softball.

We would like to thank our House Tutor, Mrs Milne and House Adviser, Mrs Bynon, for their help, support and encouragement throughout the year. Good luck to Katie, Christina and Nancy. We hope that you learn as much from the experience as we did. All the best for next year.

Judith, Lainie & Michelle





Year 8 Summers

Back (L - R) : R Iles, C Clarke, K Watts, S Sudjana, K Black, A Norwood. Front (L - R) : Mrs R Saunders, B Caldwell, P Bennett, J Wells, C Elliott, G Nevard, J Moir. Absent : J Lilleyman, M Mumme, N Talalla.



Year 9 Summers

Back (L - R) : Mrs A Moon, G Nicholas, R Burke, M Kopcheff, K Duckham, N Duckworth. Centre (L - R) : J Golding, L Suzuki, S Lenegan, B Mizen, I Rosendorff, N Zayan, M Lawrence. Front (L - R) : K Stower, E Reading, C Crage, B Saunders, W Tate, Y Larsen, L Kim. Absent : C Lee, C Stratford, H Unsworth.



Year 10 Summers

Back (L - R) : J Morrell, J Howard, T Moir, N Van Benten, C Robinson. Centre (L - R) : Mrs C Katz, J Taseff, T Caldwell, E Iida, G Byers, T Laurie, R Honeycombe. Front (L - R) : P Sriratanapras, J Nimmannit, HCant, T Watts, B Pearce. Absent : C Cousins, S Wickham, C Hasegawa, J-Y Lee.



Year 11 Summers

Back (L - R) : T Green, C Treloar, A Stringfellow, D Yap, E Prowse, K Gillam, E The, S Huigens. *Centre (L-R) :* N Howard, E Raffan, P Chong, G Rosendorff, C Tjokrosetio, C Klass, M Hari Dass, C Harmse. *Front (L - R) :* Mrs C Ranger, G Bolden, J Reading, M Moir, F Gilmore, N Barris, C Wright.



Year 12 Summers

Back (L - R) : J Lawrence, S Lim, L Gara, F Wilkinson, C Harvey, M Duckworth, S Rees, S Davis, M Riggall. *Centre (L - R) :* J Wong, A Taseff, L Brennan, N Williams, C-L Davies, D Rosen, S Tate, G Micke. *Front (L - R) :* K Evershed, K Gee, E Tay, C Orr, J Thomas, C Tan, Mrs E Milne. *Absent :* C Rose, J Marquis.



Summers House Staff

Back (L - R) : Mrs N Jeffs, Mrs E Milne, Mrs M Zayan, Mr W Beckwith, Mrs B Mills, Mrs M Pottinger. *Front (L - R) :* Mrs R Saunders, Mrs A Moon, Mrs L Bynon (House Adviser), Mrs C Katz, Miss C Kanitsch, Mrs C Ranger.



OUTDOOR EDUCATION

Outward Bound

Outward Bound '93 began with a bang, as the Year Tens bounded onto the buses, then waved good bye to their families as the convoy pulled away from PLC, heading for Walpole.

Most of us felt a mixture of excitement and fear of what was to become of us in the next ten days.

What did happen was totally unexpected by everyone. This included frogs in our 'bivvies', a collection of ants trying to feast on someone's forbidden chocolate and we can assure you from experience that a river flowing through a 'bivvy' is less than pleasurable. Then, after waking up in the morning with a wet sleeping bag, it isn't much consolation to be faced with a morning meal consisting of lumpy milk, dry Weet-bix with peanut butter and jam and soily tinned fruit.

The activities we did included the ropes course, hiking, abseiling, the maze rock, climbing and 'rafting' although the last one didn't involve much time actually on a raft, but instead walking through thigh-deep water against gale-force winds. The hiking - well, that was an experience. You try walking up a ninety-degree hill then stumbling down the other side thinking you're half way there, and then being told you have gone nine kilometres in the wrong direction. Then, after a hard morning's hike would you be pleased to be greeted by broken Ryvitas, oily tuna, melted chunky cheese, Pal-tasting corned beef and beetroot?

Luckily the weather for us was fine for the ten days and we discovered that when you're hungry in the bush even Ryvitas can taste good. Overall, we had a terrific time and on behalf of all the 1993 Year Tens we wish next year's Year Tens all the best of luck!

*Katherine Hofmann
& Susan Stewart
Year 10*

Duke of Edinburgh

This year saw the introduction of the Silver level of the Duke of Edinburgh Award at PLC. Those who completed the Bronze level last year persevered to this next stage. A group of twelve girls set an example for those starting their Bronze this year. Interest has increased with a larger number of participants successfully completing both levels of the award.

There are four areas which make up the Duke of Edinburgh Awards. These include : physical recreation, skill, expedition and community service. To achieve the award at each different level, certain standards must be met and commitments made. Satisfactory completion of each area must be achieved to gain the award.

The expeditions involve practice camps and the 'real thing'. Everything must be documented in order to satisfy the requirements. For the Silver award, a practice was organised involving canoeing. This year, both Bronze and Silver final expeditions were held at Cervantes. Thanks to Mrs Martin for the use of her property.

The Duke of Edinburgh Award Scheme is open to anyone over the age of fourteen. It requires commitment outside of school time, with options to satisfy all interests. There is a great sense of achievement and satisfaction on completion of each area in each award level.

None of this would be possible without the help of Mr Pedretti who continually organises us and supports us all the way. His fabulous co-ordination and encouragement has enabled us to achieve our awards and we sincerely thank him for this.

*Caitlin Mildern
Year 12*





SCHOOL TRIPS

Germany '93

On the 26th September 1993, three excited PLC students, along with seven other students and accompanied by Mrs Barnes, set off from Perth Airport headed for Frankfurt. We embarked on a twenty-two hour flight with stop-overs at Singapore and Bangkok.

Once in Frankfurt we were overwhelmed by the German culture. We ate our first piece of 'Schwarzwaldekirschtorte' (German Black Forest Cake) and visited such things as the Opera House and the Dom. We also experienced the taste of 'Apfelwein' (apple wine) which we were sure our tour leader watered down. This was accompanied by pretzels.

After staying overnight at a Youth Hostel in Frankfurt, we boarded a coach. We were headed for Waldbrol where we were to meet our first host families.

While in Waldbrol we took a day trip to 'Phantasieland', the German's idea of Disneyworld, which was definitely an experience and an opportunity to re-live our childhood days. In Waldbrol we also had our first visit to a German school. To sum-up their school system in a few words: they smoked, hung out of windows and paid no attention to the teacher whatsoever! Oh and of course, they didn't have to wear a uniform. Our stay at Waldbrol also included a cruise up the Rhine River where we saw many old and beautiful castles. After staying for eight days with our first host families, we said our farewells and boarded the train for a seven hour trip to Berlin.

We met our new host families in Berlin and were greeted with 'Congratulations on winning the Olympics'. In Berlin we saw the old wall which was an experience not to be forgotten. We also saw the Victory Angel and some of us managed to visit Sachsenhausen, the old concentration camp. Most of us visited the concrete Berlin Zoo and learnt that catching the U-Bahn wasn't quite as difficult as we first thought. Berlin was certainly an experience, but as with everything, we had to move on. This time we headed for Erlangen (near Nuremburg).

As Bavaria is well known for its beer, we couldn't avoid a trip to a brewery as well as to the Hofbrauhaus in Munich where we were actually allowed to sample some beer. Munich also consisted of more churches and castles. In Erlangen we visited the dramatically different German school again. After staying for eight days in Erlangen and visiting wonderful displays of castles and churches it was time to leave for Frankfurt.

We finally realised that our trip to Germany was about to end. Although we were sad to leave, we were certainly looking forward to meeting our parents at the Airport twenty-two hours later.

To all the students studying German, I would highly recommend the trip. Not only was it fun but a great learning experience as well. You'll never know until you go.

Jennifer Hart
Year 11

Sayoonara Japan

The Japanese trip for 1993/94 took place over six weeks in the Summer holidays but the usually hot season turned to Winter when ten students got off the plane at Tokyo Airport. The weather was cold but cold became freezing when a couple of weeks later we experienced snow - most of us for the first time.

The trip was a wonderful experience, allowing us to travel all over Japan as a group but also giving us time to spend with our host families.

Whilst in Tokyo we were able to shop in the Ginza, one of the largest shopping districts in the world. Shopping in a street with endless shops, superbly decorated for Christmas and often as tall as skyscrapers was an experience in itself. Tokyo Disneyland was another experience which I'm sure none of us will ever forget. The usual magical atmosphere of the place was made even better by the fact that it was the Christmas season. Later, in Nagoya, we found an amusement park which surpassed Disneyland as far as rides go and we spent a day riding the numerous hair-raising roller coasters.

We travelled up to the north of Japan by train and stayed in Datemonbetsu and Sapporo which to our delight were both deep in snow. Most of us were taken skiing in Sapporo and we became used to slipping over on the icy sidewalks. We all went skiing as a group in Takayama and it was obvious who had taken to the sport and who had not!

The Japanese trip was an experience that none of us will forget. We have formed wonderful friendships and had experiences which will last at least half a lifetime.

Georgina Walsh
Year 11



Le Tour de France

On the 26th September, fourteen Year Eleven students from various schools around Perth (four of us from PLC, four boys and six other girls) and two teachers, packed last-minute things and went to Perth Airport. It was the beginning of a trip of a lifetime and an experience we will never forget.

The plane trip was over twenty hours long, taking us through Singapore, Bangkok, Frankfurt and finally to Paris. After dumping our bags at our Youth Hostel, we set off on the first of three and a half days of sightseeing and getting used to busy Paris life and people. We saw everything: the Notre Dame Cathedral, Arc de Triomphe, Sacre Coeur, Centre Pompidou and much more. We had portraits painted in Montmatre, climbed the Eiffel Tower and shopped in Galeries Lafayette. The Louvre was closed, unfortunately, due to a strike, so we couldn't see the famous Mona Lisa. However, we did go to the Hard Rock Café and visited the famous grave of Jim Morrison!

On the 1st October we reluctantly, and very wearily, left Paris and caught the train to Avignon.

In Avignon we left our groups and went off with our host families. Over the next ten days we lived, ate and slept French, while trying hard to communicate with our families. One girl's host family had had the misfortune to have their house struck by lightning just before we arrived and she and the host family were staying with *another* family.

Avignon was very nice and we did some sightseeing, including the Palais de Papes and the infamous Pont d'Avignon. Our trip to the Carmargue had to be cancelled as the Seine River had experienced its worst flooding for fifty years. After a few days we travelled to Annecy by train.

Annecy is a very pretty town near the border of France and Switzerland, with a breathtaking backdrop of the lake and mountains. The highlights of our stay were a trip to Switzerland for a day (where we stocked up on Swiss Chocolate and went to the United Nation's Centre) and a day trip to Mont Blanc. Whilst in Annecy we also went sightseeing as well as going bowling and ice-skating with the group and our host families.

Overall, we spent a lot of time shopping saw all there was to see, practised our French, made friends, gained pen-pals, collected souvenirs and many wonderful memories.

Of course, when we got home we were glad to see our families but we missed France. Given the chance, I'm sure everyone would love to go back and I'm sure some will. If you are thinking of going on the French trip, I strongly encourage it. So much happened that I couldn't write it all down in this short space. It is an individual experience - one you'll keep inside you, and in your very large photo album!

Joanne Adams
Year 11





Wintry Falls Creek

On July 16th, the Ski Trip of 1993 became a reality for an excited group of twenty-three PLC students from Years Ten, Eleven and Twelve. Stepping out of the terminal into the four degree Melbourne air at 5.15 a.m. was a shock but no matter how tired we were, we still had to haul our suitcases (some heavier than others) to the bus. Three hours later, we were rudely awoken by cries of 'Snow!' only to see a snow-covered peak a further two hours' drive away.

That night, after the first of many satisfying dinners (complete with amazing, freshly baked rolls) we were introduced to John, one of the ski instructors, who quickly developed a large following. (Not only for his helpful skiing tips).

The weather was fantastic. At first, many didn't even want to go into Cloud Nine (the restaurant at the top of the mountain) to enjoy the hot chocolate, potato wedges and Mars Bars, but we soon found ourselves there re-telling current stories concerning our ski instructors, techniques and (most commonly) crashes.

On the first day, after about half an hour, we had mastered a two-minute slope. Then, fighting stiff muscles and ski boots we made it down to the chair lift, ready to progress to harder slopes. By the end of the week many girls had conquered quite challenging runs, while some tried a totally new experience - 'big feet' trick skis!

Back at the Lodge, many made use of the spa and we found that snow was not only good for skiing but also for snowmen, snowball fights, slush puppies and soothing numerous bruises.

Many were sad to say good bye to the mountains where we had so many friends and memories, but the thought of shopping in Melbourne for the whole day soothed the pain. We stayed overnight in the Victoria Hotel and the next morning rose refreshed, ready to shop. Many returned to Perth with red, puffy eyes and thoughts of going skiing again soon, maybe next year!

We are grateful to Mrs Robinson, Mrs Saffen and especially Mrs Whipp (the organizer) for making the trip so unforgettable. Thank you.

*Helen Fitzpatrick
& Melanie West
Year 12*

Ile dé la Réunion

Sixty-four excited Australian teenagers with a minimal knowledge of classroom French departed from a wintry Perth airport on July 3rd this year. We had expectations, but little did we realise that the next month of our lives was to be spent on a deserted tropical island somewhere in the Indian Ocean where we would spend time eating, sleeping, swimming, being tourists and occasionally muttering a few words of French.

OK, so it wasn't actually deserted (we were in fact continually surrounded by a full range of divine French men) but the rest is true. However, before Réunion Island was reached, the Australian contingent was forced to stop over on yet another tropical island - Mauritius.

The name of our hotel in Mauritius - the Blue Lagoon - provided hours of free entertainment on the plane, even for the least imaginative of us. The hotel was amazing and we all enjoyed the stay.

The next morning, after packing our cases and enjoying a delicious smorgasbord breakfast, we boarded the final flight which would take us to Réunion. This time, aboard a small plane, some of the group worked themselves into an utter apoplexy, worrying about awaiting families, while others dreamed about the long hot Summer, accompanied by handsome French hosts.

Living with our families was an experience for us all. No matter who our hosts were or whether we lived in a luxurious beachside mansion or at a high altitude on the side of a mountain, nothing could have spoiled our experience in Réunion. The tiny island is densely packed with mountains, an erupting volcano, cascading water falls, deep ravines, a palm tree-lined coast and an array of tropical fruit trees.

Réunion is a real melting pot of traditional French, Creole and South African cultures. The people live harmoniously but the different influences are clearly evident in the Réunion cuisine and shopping - with some of us bringing home anything from bongo drums to Chanel No 19.

We made many friends in Réunion, not only the French but also many Australians - especially after a two-day camp in the mountains the mornings of which were spent fuelling ourselves with French bread and coffee in order to traipse after a fit Mrs Cunéo who set a cracking pace up the ninety-degree mountain in search of ripe berries (which turned out to be green anyway).

The rest of our time quickly disappeared as we continued the daily routine of eating, sleeping and going out. Some of us also went to school, which proved to be quite unlike any formal education we had experienced in Perth. Sometimes it was the teachers who did not attend classes.

Regretfully, we had to return home to a cold and wet Perth, but our unforgettable memories will undoubtedly draw us back again.

*Rosie Nicholson
& Claire Murray
Year 11*

Trekking in Nepal

When twelve Year Elevens began training for a trip to Nepal, none of us could even try to imagine what it would be like. We were about to travel to a completely different world and gain new experiences and memories that would last us a lifetime.

We left Perth Airport on 1st October, unsure of what we were venturing into. Led by Mrs McGuinness and Mr Pedretti, we boarded a Thai airliner for our flight to Bangkok, where we were met by the sticky, humid air and our tour guide, Chris. For two days we experienced the wonders that Bangkok had to offer : tuk tuks (three wheeled taxis), the river canals, Dunkin' Donuts, Seven Elevens (small delis) and Pat Pong (the night life and shopping of Bangkok.) But the best was still to come - Nepal.

On the third day of our trip we flew into Kathmandu - the second poorest country in the world scattered with some of the most beautiful scenery you could ever see. We spent a day in Kathmandu taking in the sights, but we were all soon itching to get out into the 'real' countryside of Nepal. The next day was spent on a bus travelling for seven hours along the sides of mountains on some of the roughest roads we had ever been on. (And which had a certain effect on some of our stomachs.)

But this proved to be an interesting way of getting a good view of some of the really breathtaking sights.

We then began what we had really come for - the fifteen day trek that would lead us through rhododendron forests, over mountain ranges, past numerous waterfalls, over rushing rivers and through small Nepalese villages.

A normal day of trekking began at 5.30 a.m. with a bowl of hot washing water and a cup of tea handed to us in our tents by smiling Nepalese porters. We then would pack up and eat a hot breakfast set up on the side of a mountain or on the edge of a river so that we were able to sip our tea by beautiful snow-covered mountains in the morning light.

We would begin trekking at around 7.00 a.m. and would stop for lunch at approximately 11.30 a.m. Lunch break was spent eating, talking, sleeping and basking in the sun. Trekking would then start again and we would end the day at around 3.00 p.m. with free time while the cooks prepared our dinner.

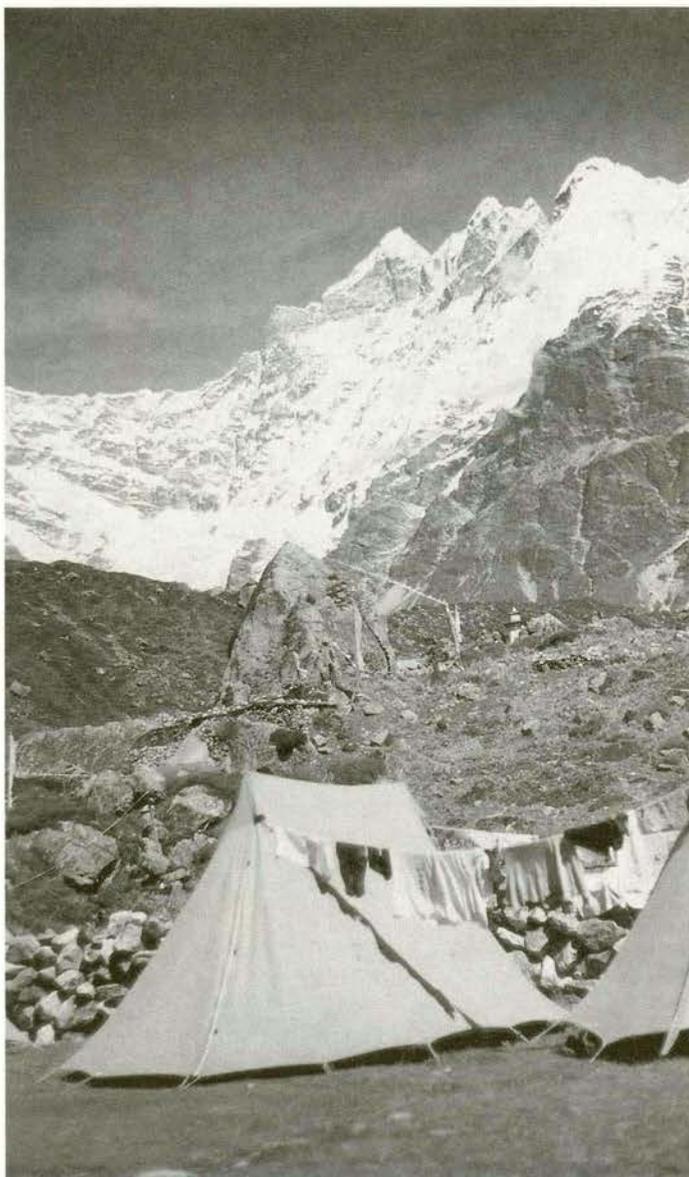
Nepal is a country which has so much to offer. Everyone is so friendly and most live happily in poverty.

They were thrilled when we gave out the jumpers, clothes and school supplies all along the trek and at the village school in Langtang. And when we ran out of clothes, the locals were even happier with a balloon which, when produced from someone's pocket, promised to bring every child within hearing range, running, in thirty seconds.

We soon formed friendly relationships with our porters and sherpas, encouraged by our eagerness to learn the native language, our love of playing cards and having water fights. Due to the fact that most of us towered over them, the porters became our little 'leprechauns' with nicknames such as Evil Elf and Mr Sexy Pants. We learnt so much from our experiences in Nepal. Not only about the country and its people, but also about ourselves. Nepal is truly unimaginable and definitely the experience of a lifetime and I would recommend the trip to everyone.

*Michelle Wandel
Year 11*





JUNIOR SCHOOL





JUNIOR SCHOOL REPORT

1993 has been a year of many successes, with girls excelling in academic, musical, sporting and public speaking competitions.

Farrah Valibhoy and Alex Matich were awarded Carmichael Scholarships. Many girls gained Distinctions and Credits in outside Mathematics, Science and English competitions. Our girls performed very creditably in the Trivia Challenge with Year Six reaching the Grand Final.

The girls also did very well in recitation, essay and poster competitions held by the Women's Temperance Union. Success in Red Cross competitions was also high.

Musically we had a very busy and enjoyable year. The highlight was our participation in the JSHHA Concert at the Perth Concert Hall where the girls presented a Fantasy of Flowers.

Community Service continued to be a source of pleasure and worthwhile interaction. Our concert for elderly citizens was delightful and a very full Junior School Hall resounded to the strains of the songs of yesteryear, which brought back many memories for our guests.

The camps for Year Six and Seven and the Music students were enjoyable and educational, with Year Six enjoying balmy weather and canoeing as a highlight. Year Seven was not so fortunate with the weather.

Fund-raising for worthy causes was again a feature of our year. Girls, parents and Staff worked very hard and collected items for refugees, toys for children and filled a Christmas stocking for the Uniting Church parish of Kwinana. As well as the money raised at the Fair, fund-raising continued for Red Cross, Save the Children Fund and other charities.

The girls arranged a very special final Assembly for Reverend Zayan who is leaving this year. We will miss her and her doll 'Peelsie', but wish her well for the future.

Best wishes for a happy, safe and holy Christmas season and holiday.

*Joy Evans
Director, Junior School*



Baird House Prefects

*Back (L - R) : A Taylor, C Price, S Bartley.
Front : T Egan, M Seymour, L Szapak.*



Carmichael House Prefects

*Back (L - R) : K Preston, K Hartz,
A Melville-Buck. Front : F Valibhoy,
S Ward, R Caddy.*



Ferguson House Prefects

*Back (L - R) : M Paterson, A Cadwallader,
C Ferry. Front : M Smith, K Haselhurst,
Z Turner.*



McNeil House Prefects

*Back (L - R) : J Nelson, C McAlinden,
E Curnow. Front : R Thomas, G Lilley,
B Harris.*



Stewart House Prefects

*Back (L - R) : C Cazzolli, K Knowles,
C Dobson. Front : S Fuhrmann, R Pow,
C McAllister.*



Summers House Prefects

*Back (L - R) : A Matich, S Summers, Irini
Verios. Front : L Thompson, V Lee,
K Butler.*

Fisherman on Groyne

The town is sleeping now
 as I drag newspaper boots
 to the groyne
 But the night cat with its oily tongue
 is silently licking
 the cogs of another day

The days here turn with the tides
 forgotten feet into fuzzy slippers
 Old men
 drag their bedridden fantasies
 relinquishing them
 to the lesser evil of caffeine

I have grown weary
 of this tidal town

Once as I stood on the groyne
 casting out the edges of dawn
 I saw Persephone dance among the foam
 seducing the rising sun
 with hair
 of fire
 and eyes of stone

waves kissed the shore
 and with hourglass eyes
 she threw the sun
 across the featherbed sky

But not today

Today there is only the gulls
 and the tide
 and the salt-stained wind

*Katherine Wilkinson
 Year 12*

Guilt

I saw guilt creeping by :
 Ensnconed in ebony
 Eyes flickering and pallid
 A weak smile on cracked,
 whispering lips pleading,
 Pleading innocent.

But we both know
 it's not true.
 She shrinks
 Shoulders collapsing in
 Trying to hide
 the darkness of her heart.

*Rosalind Dixon
 Year 9*

the sky is all blue
 cobalt and ice, too blue

I contemplate here on the edge
 on my world
 on a cliff
 on a wind bitten ledge

of the space between us
 as it shifts
 as it sways

seagulls scream and swim in my eyes
 through the saltwater
 spray from the churling green sea

thinking too much about
 you

*Alana Smith
 Year 12
 Prize-winner 1993 Young Writers' Competition*

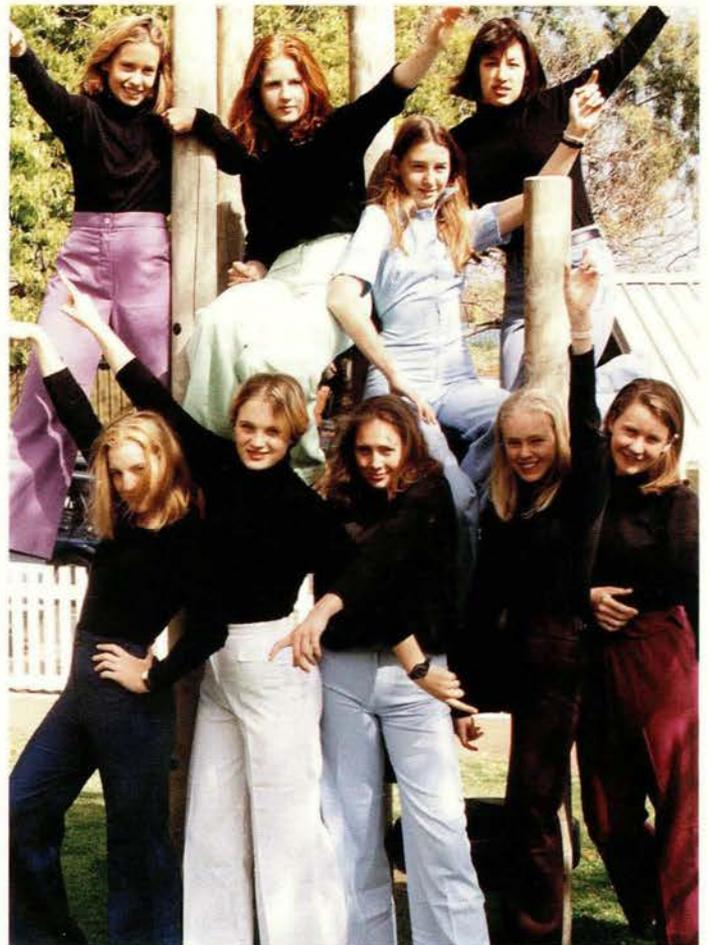




What is Yellow?

Yellow is the sun
and the leaves from trees
Yellow is the smell
of the beaches' breeze
Yellow is the corn
from the biggest fields
Yellow is the crowns
and the Pharaoh's throne
Yellow is the gold
from a miner's mine
and yellow is the sap
of a country pine
Yellow is McNeil
(but not as good as Summers)
Yellow is a glow of happiness.

*Trina-Jean Tan
Year 4*



Performing Arts Day



Open Day Art Exhibition

Feelings At Sea

Lost, surrounded by sea.
 Dread, no hope of being rescued.
 Depression, hovering around the boat.
 Hope, we spot land.
 Disappointment, the current sweeps the boat out to sea.
 Stress, when the food is gone.
 Fear, sharks circling the boat.
 Joy, we spot aeroplane.
 Spirits sink, as it flies away.
 Apprehension, as we see a reef.
 Relief, as we sight a rescue boat.

Greer Kopcheff
 Year 6

Spring

Spring is the beginning of laughter
 and play,
 Spring is the beginning of many
 fine days.
 Spring is the beginning of warmth
 and bright blue skies.
 Spring is the beginning of beautiful
 flowers.
 Spring is my favourite season.

Danyel Zalsman
 Year 3

Dead?

I looked out the window,
 The wind forced down,
 The thunder hit,
 I knew it was a storm.

Deep down I felt scared,
 I didn't want to say it,
 But it really was the truth,
 the howling, the lightning, the thunder.

I'm ten, I'm smart,
 I know what's happening
 Soon there will be a flood,
 We'll be trapped, we'll starve, we'll die.

Rescuers will come and miss us,
 No electricity, no phone, no fridge,
 All the houses will be damaged,
 And so will ours.

Am I dead? No,
 I can hear Mum!
 The water's nearly gone,
 They are draining it out.
 We are saved!

Lucy Atkins
 Year 5



Junior School Art Display



The Workshop

Scuttling mice rest comfortably
in the quaint straw basket of rags.
The lonely used super-bags flap blandly
in the breeze which tickles the tar worn tyre tubes
and jiggles the jar-shaped gilgie nets.
Oil paints the floor like a dirty dalmation's back.
The air compressor sighs voluptuously,
its hose in a loose snarl tangle.
A waterfall of nails laps the bench floor
and the 7/16 spanner hides in a cobweb covered corner.
All is placid and peaceful.

Beth Paganoni
Year 10
Prize-winner 1993 Young Writers' Competition

My Home

Summer lies across my home
Like a blanket, smothering.
Two hours from the nearest city
Roads shimmer, creating illusions
Of water on the bitumen.
Crows lament beyond the horizon
Of my hearing,
Perched on the crumbling vertebrae of
the dry dams,
Lamenting.
A song of sorrow on the cracked clay
Beautiful to those who understand
the words,
Harsh and ugly to city people,
Deaf urbanites,
Who hear the desperate song
For freedom, from the caged birds
Who listen to the whistles
And see the coloured plumage,
And remark on its brilliance
But cannot see,
Or understand,
The beauty of simplicity.

Night falls.
Luna shines brightly,
A radiant smile
With dark tresses flowing free,
Floating in the freedom of space
Released from the grip of gravity's pull.
The stars gleam like dew on grass
That catches the first sunlight
Hanging
As if on an invisible
Spider web,
Constructed with silken strands of
Time.
Spun by the hapless girl
Arachnae,
they twinkle.

As dawn approaches,
Magpies warble
Like a cool breeze
Caressing my ear.
Life wakes,
And waits,
Expectant,
As the sun starts to climb.

Pavla Walsh
Year 9

The Yearly Trip

Armidale > Sydney

The yummy sick feeling of 4.00 am humming in my ears,
always meant the beginning of my holidays...
crawling into mum-made clothes from my bed in the sky,
munchy toast and Vegie wrapped in shiny 'Coles' foil,
the mystery of the darkened highway
as Dad led the tiptoeing car through the dreaming towns,
the only light - my family in that sticky car
amongst the fairylights of the semis hurtling past,
My sister's baby's hot arms draped around me,
and her sleeping breath against me and my car seat,
as the first magical swords of light appeared,
on the glinting windscreen, damp with dew,
and night hides its face in morning...
the same park, the same seesaw, curiously shrinking,
over time.... that table with the I ♥ ALEX in the corner,
back in the car, the shuffling, wriggling of younger sisters -
'Are we there soon?'
my old friend John Denver playing,
desperately trying to avoid an immature tantrum,
the early strains of city, traffic light winking the
promise of Nanna, Pop...presents,
Sydney humidity floating from the ground.
A fresh white nappy flapping over my window - trying
to keep out the world and sun,
honks, beeps, screeches - mildly interesting, but
my mind already at McDonalds - my Junior burger and coke,
scuffles in the backseat - the comforting head of mum
and dad's hands on the wheel,
his ring glinting into my tired eyes,
after lunch - past the golf course - the sprinklers
of the golf course spraying me the cool secrets of Christmas
the Big House with the shiny windows,
the smelly carpets...
finally here...
That road isn't taken anymore.
It grew longer each time - from the inside
of that hot car until we could not see the end.
The tape is broken, the swings...
grown too young.
Instead I ride another road full of
stops and surprises,
of which I do not know the end and I
tread the unknown path carefully.
I don't wish to know.
I must remind me
I still have my memories of yesterday
and tomorrow.

*Sarah Huggins
Year 12
Prize-winner 1993
Young Writers' Competition*



*'Waiting for Mum'
by Rosalind Dixon
Year 9*



Open Day Art Exhibition



A Film Director's Fantasy

They say that when he was a boy he poisoned his dog, so he could film him dying. They say he was excited, when he watched him flip, and foam at the mouth like an old man dying of emphysema, coughing blood, gagging - he was crying, he was dying. He was twelve, laughing and clapping like a three year old on his birthday. They called it a phase and let it pass.

It did pass, well, for a while.

She lived in the shack on the corner of his road. She fed the crows and thirty cats. They used to call her a writer when he was a boy. I once heard she was a famous rich poet. She was a lonely old lady.

She was asleep when it happened; he got it all on film. The cats were screaming, the house was blazing, lighting the raven sky with appliances exploding into the air like distress flares off a boat, and the last flames were whispering death as they were smothered by the spray that came too late.

They came to get him to take him away, they wore white coats, they were fascinated with abnormality. He was extraordinary. They wanted to crawl through him, find his reasons, discover why.

He was sixteen years old. They called it adolescence and let it pass.

He was mixing with the stars, he was respected by them all, they needed him, they loved him, they loved his work, they needed his.

He despised them all, he hated what they did, he wanted to make it real.

She loved him, he loved her, he loved their children, he loved their life. Everyone new - he got it all on film. It made it all better that he loved them, he needed to make it real, everything was all perfect, they were all too happy. People would call it pathetic, but it wasn't, it was real, that's what made it perfect. He couldn't be calm, he was always calm, that made it better. If it wasn't the same, it was different, everybody always wanted something different.

He set the camera on the dining room table.

She was beautiful, they were 35, they were beautiful, they sat laughing, talking, smiling, it was perfect, he was glowing, it was working, it was going to be beautiful.

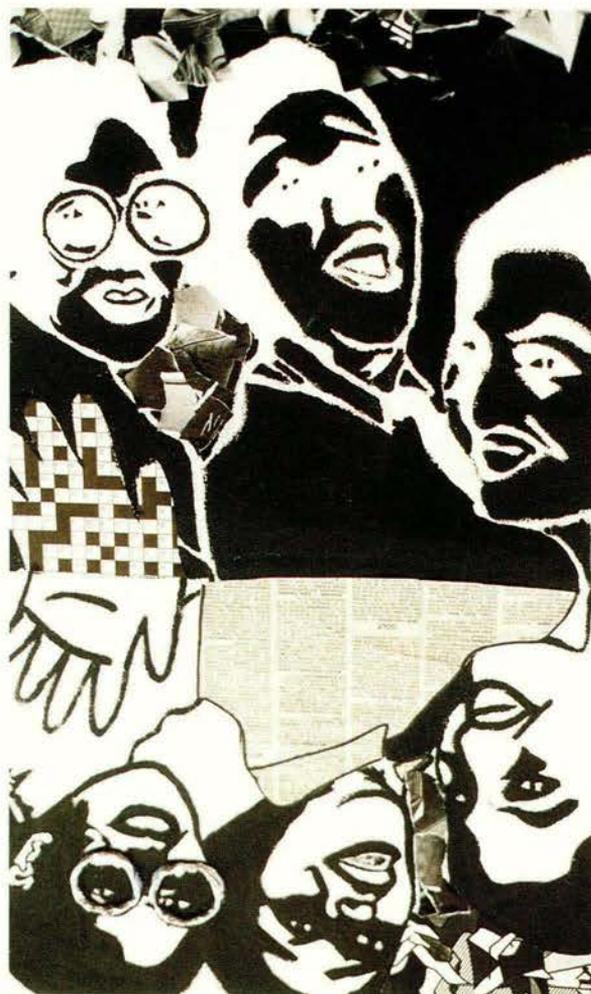
He finished his serve of strawberry pie, his eyes blazed, he let out a hoarse, sullen shout to get him in the mood.

Screaming, he threw his chair at the crystal cabinet, the crystal cabinet shattered, the beautiful smiles were shattered, the beautiful faces were shattered with three vile explosions.

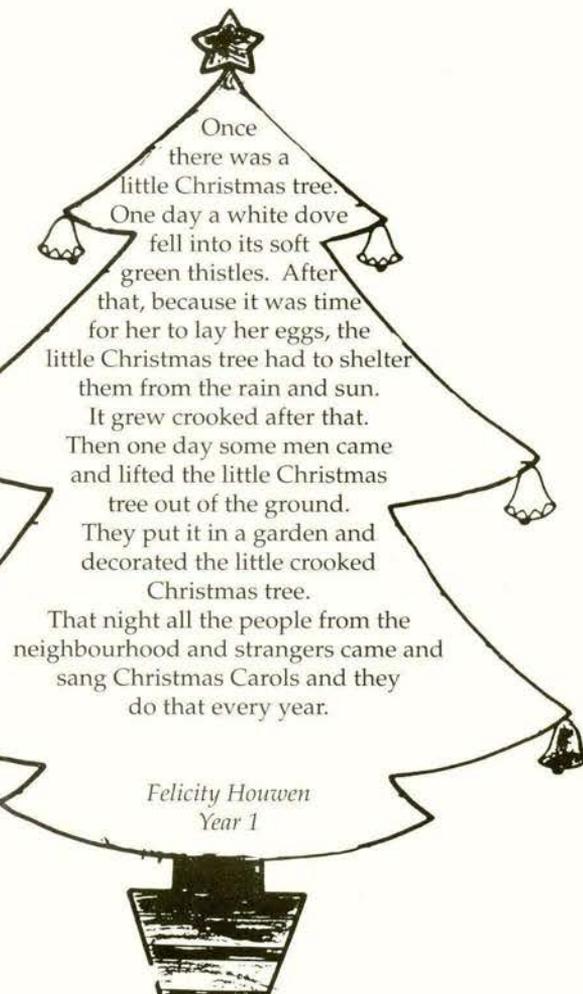
Now he smiled, he was pleased, overwhelmed by his own brilliance.

They called it schizophrenia and wiped it away with 1000 volts from an arm chair wired with loose futures.

*Anna Jasper
Year 12*



*Year 11 EE
Self curative textiles*



Once there was a little Christmas tree. One day a white dove fell into its soft green thistles. After that, because it was time for her to lay her eggs, the little Christmas tree had to shelter them from the rain and sun. It grew crooked after that. Then one day some men came and lifted the little Christmas tree out of the ground. They put it in a garden and decorated the little crooked Christmas tree.

That night all the people from the neighbourhood and strangers came and sang Christmas Carols and they do that every year.

*Felicity Houwen
Year 1*

Year Eleven Dance

The date - 14th of May
The venue - Hugh Baird Gymnasium
And the event - the 1993
Year Eleven Dance of course!

After months of worrying and pondering about what to wear and which of the many eligible partners to bring, we arrived at the bespangled gym full of excitement and anticipation for the night ahead.

The theme for this year's dance was *The Enchanted Forest* and the gym was filled with numerous balloons, fairy lights and forest greenery until it was barely recognisable.

After greeting Mrs Bull, we danced the night away to the band, *Slim Jim and the Fats* who proved to be wonderful and managed to keep everyone on their feet for the majority of the night.

Despite the worries about what the night would bring, everyone looked absolutely fabulous and appeared to have a brilliant time.

A huge thank you to Mrs Bull, to the wonderful Dance Committee, all parents who gave up time to help, the Year Twelve photographers and everyone else who helped to make the dance a huge success.



Tiffany Camac





Year Twelve Dance

Friday April 30 was the night of the much-discussed and eagerly-awaited Year Twelve Dance. As the day grew nearer, discussions on partners, dresses and hair became more and more frequent as the excitement mounted. Eventually THE DAY arrived and as the Year Twelves giggled and squirmed through the day and the teachers grew frustrated, THE NIGHT approached.

Finally it was time to arrive at the Sheraton, where we were greeted by the official party and ushered into a magnificent ballroom decorated with a stunning array of balloons and decorations. Every single girl looked set to give the 'supermodels' some stiff competition. The evening was a complete success and for most of us it was one of the highlights of our School career.

Year Twelve 1993 would like to thank Mrs Day, Mrs Bull and Nicki for an evening that will be hard to forget!

Samantha Rees







STAFF REVUE

I wondered many times prior to September whether my dream of a Staff Revue as a fund-raiser for the Fair was really a good idea. Initially, September seemed a long way off but it quickly came to July and we had to move up a gear. Although there may have been a little early reluctance, the entire PLC Staff were incredibly supportive 'when the chips were down' and their commitment was called for. Suddenly it was August and ticket sales opened. To my surprise, the show was virtually an immediate sell-out for all three nights. This brought the realisation that there was no backing out now; we were committed.

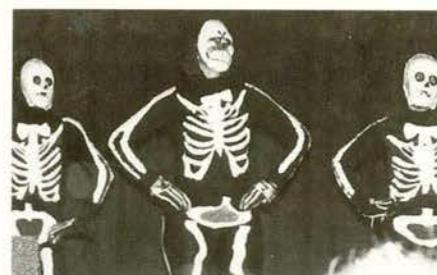
From then on lunchtimes, after school, before school and weekends saw Carmichael Hall and many other venues buzzing with toe-tapping and rehearsals of many kinds. At the dress rehearsal Carmichael Hall was brimming with an enthusiastic audience of PLC students and Staff. They gave us the impression that we were stars, or were they laughing at us just for being there? Will you ever forget the *Can-Can*, *Swan Lake*, *Toy Symphony*, *Cinderella*, *Red-Riding Hood*, *Sister Act*? (The list goes on.) Many subsequent comments indicated how both students and parents enjoyed seeing Staff in a different role.

I look back on those three nights as a major highlight of our School year. Staff members from all areas worked together as a united team and, dare I say, thoroughly enjoyed it.

If I were to thank all contributors individually it would take another page. However, I offer my sincere thanks to you all. In particular I wish to acknowledge Ann Smith for the superb dinner at the Saturday night show, our fantastic maintenance team, the Junior School Staff, Judy Elliott and Andrew Tibbitt for tickets sales, Jan McMahon for the priceless video and Trudy Dunn for her support and professional assistance, enabling me to realise how little I knew! Last but not least, thank you to Will Karmelita and Warren Beckwith who spent many hours reviewing the acts in preparation for their superb performances as comperes.

Finally, I thank Mrs Day and the School management for indulging my 'silly idea' early in the year, thus permitting the concept to 'get off the ground', and then for supporting us so whole-heartedly.

*Christine Robinson
Production Co-Ordinator*



WHO SAID THAT?

Mr Lankester

'You know, sometimes I wish I was young and beautiful'...

Mrs Heptinstall

'I do find stain removal quite interesting'

Mrs Duzevich

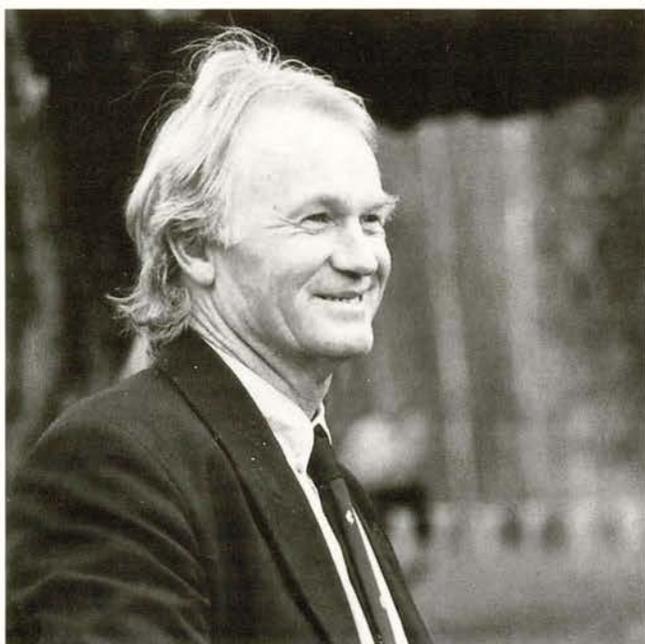
'I can do it, so you certainly should be able to'

Mrs Tarulli

'Another man in shorts. Be still my beating heart.'

Mrs Pidgeon

'DNA really spins me out'



Mr Vickers

'JFK was an extremely handsome man. A lot like me, really'

'Some teachers would say that teaching the Great Depression is teaching the Year Nine class'

'A battle ship is a big, big ship - with guns!'

Mrs Bull

'The band is off the planet.'

No, No, they're *called* Off The Planet.'



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SPEECH NIGHT 1993

As anxious crowds gathered by the doors of the Perth Entertainment Centre the faint hum of the famous PLC pipers could be heard from afar. The 1993 Senior School Speech Night was here again, marking the end of another productive and successful year for all members of the PLC community.

It wasn't long until the Centre was crowded, reflecting just how far interest in PLC extends beyond the immediate members of the School community. The PLC banner adorned the stage and the evening commenced with a rousing piece from the Concert Band as the Year Twelve students, Staff, Official Party and Council arrived. The musical entertainment then continued with performances by the String Ensemble under the direction of Mrs Kan, and the enchanting voices of the PLC Choir conducted by Mr McNess.

The large body of students on stage certainly brought to attention the ever-increasing involvement in music by PLC girls. Many students participated in more than one of the music groups, all providing delightful entertainment.

After standing and joining in with the School Hymn and National Anthem, Rev. Zayan led the audience in prayer. Mrs Zayan was mentioned in several of the speeches during the course of the evening, as after ten years of service to the School, as well as contributing to the well-being of all students in both a spiritual and emotional sense, her term at PLC has come to an end.

The Honourable June Craig, Chairman of Council, then addressed the audience, focusing on the physical development of the School since last year. Mrs Craig also expressed Council's appreciation of the success of the School Fair, the funds from which will go towards our Chapel. Thanks went to all those involved in the Fair, members of the School Council, Mrs Day and best wishes were extended to the departing Year Twelves.

Mrs Day's speech, taken from her official report (included at the start of this magazine) outlined the aims of PLC. Encouragement was given to the Year Twelves as they leave PLC and an invitation was extended to them all to retain their involvement within the School.

A big thank you was extended to all Staff members who have continued to maintain their loyalty whilst retaining a high standard of excellence.

Six Staff members are leaving this year and their untiring efforts and contributions to the School were recognised in several of the speeches.

The Moderator of the Uniting Church, Mrs Hadley, followed Mrs Day bringing greetings from the Church and extending best wishes to the Year Twelves.

The next event on the programme was the address by Mrs Bull, who has been at PLC for twenty-two years and is now retiring from the position of Deputy Principal. Having spent a third of her life at PLC she had many amusing memories to speak of and kept the audience enthralled. Having been at the School for so long she has earned a great deal of respect from all members of the PLC community, especially from all students who have come into contact with her sometimes quite delightful methods of discipline. Everybody's appreciation of her contributions was shown with a standing ovation at the end of her address.

Prizes were then presented to some students as well as the announcement of the winning Houses, followed by a Vote of Thanks and Appreciation from Nicki Telfer, Head Prefect for 1993. Her speech highlighted the unique perspective one gains of the world in Year Twelve, particularly in relation to matters of canteen queues and detentions. Nicki also expressed appreciation on behalf of her Year to many people for their contributions.

The Benediction marked the beginning of the entertainment section of the evening with performances by the Concert, Stage and Pipe Bands, as well as beautiful singing by the Chorale. Toes started tapping and the audience was soon absorbed by the display of musical talent. Finally, as the Pipe Band entered in their true Scottish kilts, socks pulled high and pipes blowing, the audience could not restrain themselves from clapping and smiling. The Pipe Band's combined performance with the Concert Band created an arousing finale to what was a truly delightful evening.

The lone piper, Julie Manton, led the procession of departure which soon gathered speed as the Year Twelves ran out with cries of freedom and excitement, completing Speech Night 1993.

*Rosie Nicholson
Year 11*



1993 YEAR TWELVE PRIZE WINNERS

Dux Academic Excellence	Kate Sounness Anna Bishop, Tania Dolinschek, Michelle Duckworth, Elizabeth Jay, Gina Micke, Jane Moir, Katherine Svalbe, Nicola Telfer	Applied Computing	Katie Halford
Alpha Merit	Robyn Amey, Marie Gardiner, Samantha Rees, Nicola Telfer	Stewart Prize for Applied Art	Caroline Rose
Peppermint Grove Merituous Achievement	Michele Cushion, Deena Rosen, Michelle Worland	Theatre Arts	Fleur Tribe
Ancient History	Shauna Knox	Media Studies	Louise Murray
Hetherington Prize for Art	Katherine Svalbe	Music	Sarah Huggins
Economics	Nicola Telfer	Early Childhood Studies	Michele Cushion
Eggleston-Jones Prize for English	Jane Paganoni	Independent Living	Rebecca Luttrell
Senior English	Louise Fitzgibbon	Literature Essay Prize	Stephanie Price
John Stewart Prize for Literature	Kate Sounness	<i>Prizes for Participation and Contributions to the School :</i>	
English for ESL Students	Liza Chan	Caltex Best All-Rounder	Caitlin Mildern
Summers French Prize	Elizabeth Jay	Agnes Robertson Prize for Citizenship	Samantha Rees
Politics	Shauna Knox	Samantha Argyle Prize	Caroline Seubert
Vi Major Prize for Geography	Chelsea Fisher	Cruickshank Family Prize	Sophie Gargett
German	Tania Dolinschek	Joanne Lapsley Pipe Band Prize	Caroline Seubert
Japanese	Lie Ming Or	WD Benson Prize	Nia Pericles
Derbyshire Modern Language Prize	Kate Sounness	The Lord Family Prize	Alison Mutch
John Stewart Prize for History	Jane Moir	Milbank Prize	Helen Fitzpatrick
Accounting	Pei Nee Wong	Olive Cusack Prize	Lainie Gara
Blackall Prize for Biology	Peppa Bell	Senior Boarder's Prize	Anna Walden
Chemistry	Michelle Duckworth	Finlayson Prize for Head Prefect	Nicola Telfer
Human Biology	Tania Dolinschek	Subiaco Soroptimist Heather Barr Memorial Prize	Anna Walden
OCA Prize for Applicable Mathematics	Charlotte Williams	Institute of Engineers Gold Certificate	Anna Bishop, King Yan Chan, Elizabeth Jay, Jeanne Lim, Jacqueline Wheatley, Charlotte Williams
OCA Prize for Calculus	Jeanne Lim	HOUSE SHIELDS	
OCA Prize for Discrete Mathematics	Louise Fitzgibbon	Arts	Carmichael House
OCA Prize for Modelling with Mathematics	Catherine House	Sports	McNeil House
Physics	Anna Bishop	Work	Stewart House
Computing	Camelia Tan	Champion House	Stewart House

THE CLASS OF 1993



*Robyn
Amey*



*Lenny
Ananto*



*Caroline
Anderson*



*Jane-Ann
Barnes*



*Jasmine
Bartley*



*Peppa
Bell*



*Robyn
Bernadt*



*Anna
Bishop*



*Meagan
Bliss*



*Sophie
Boshart*



*Joanna
Breen*



*Lisa
Brennan*



*Jessica
Bunning*



*Felicity
Bush*



*Liza
Chan*



*Judith
Codner*



*Tracey
Cook*



*Michele
Cushion*



*Cindy-Lee
Davies*



*Sacha
Davies*



*Sharee
Davis*



*Sonya
Day*



*Tania
Dolinschek*



*Michelle
Duckworth*



*Julianna
Edwards*



*Adeline
Ee*



*Lynn
Ee*



*Joanna
Egan*



*Kate
Evershed*



*Genevieve
Farrell*



Bonnie
Ferguson



Chelsea
Fisher



Louise
Fitzgibbon



Helen
Fitzpatrick



Adrianne
Ford



Lainie
Gara



Marie
Gardiner



Sophie
Gargett



Kirstyn
Gee



Sue
Gladman



Melissa
Gmeiner



Lisa
Goff



Anna
Greer



Katie
Halford



Rebecca
Hamilton



Robyn
Harridge



Jessica
Hart



Clare
Harvey



Fiona
Hitchcock



Michelle
Hofmann



Catherine
House



Sarah
Huggins



Elizabeth
Jackson



Emma
Jackson



Anna
Jasper



Elizabeth
Jay



Carolyn
Jenour



Jacinta
John



Amber
Johnson



Lisa
Julian



Sharon Keating



Jennifer Keen



Gabrielle Knowles



Shauna Knox



Rebecca Lannin



Jay Lawrence



Annie Lee



Fiona Lee



Judith Leow



Jeanne Lim



Shirley Lim



Emma Lovel



Rebecca Luttrell



Christine Mackie



Julie Manton



Judith Marquis



Danielle McAllister



Helen McKenzie



Tamara McLellan



Virginia Mee



Gina Micke



Caitlin Mildern



Jane Moir



Lenore Munro



Louise Murray



Alison Mutch



Fiona Newbold



Sharon Nicoll



Danielle O'Driscoll



Lie Ming Or



*Chantelle
Orr*



*Jane
Paganoni*



*Christine
Paparde*



*Emma
Paterson*



*Emma
Pearson*



*Nia
Pericles*



*Camilla
Petersen*



*Sally
Pickard*



*Natalie
Piercy*



*Stephanie
Price*



*Jane
Rafferty*



*Caroline
Raines*



*Samantha
Rees*



*Jacinta
Richardson*



*Melissa
Riggall*



*Katrina
Rischbieth*



*Michelle
Roberts*



*Adrienne
Robertson*



*Anna
Robson*



*Caroline
Rose*



*Deena
Rosen*



*Nicolle
Sanbrook*



*Hana
Setiowati*



*Caroline
Seubert*



*Kate
Sheehan*



*Chelsey
Shepherdson*



*Alana
Smith*



*Kate
Sounness*



*Melanie
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*Zoe
Stewart*



*Meisha
Stirling*



*Katy
Svalbe*



*Junko
Takatsuka*



*Camelia
Tan*



*Amanda
Taseff*



*Sally
Tate*



*Eileen
Tay*



*Juliawati
Tedjokusumo*



*Nicola
Telfer*



*Jemma
Thomas*



*Marie-Louise
Thonell*



*Candice
Thorley*



*Vivian
Toh*



*Kirstie
Toovey*



*Fleur
Tribe*



*Tanya
van Royen*



*Anna
Walden*



*Yvette
Wallman*



*Frances
Warren*



*Julie
Warren*



*Melanie
West*



*Jacqueline
Wheatley*



*Elizabeth
White*



*Fiona
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*Katherine
Wilkinson*



*Charlotte
Williams*



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Williams*



*Michelle
Wnuk*



*Joanne
Wong*

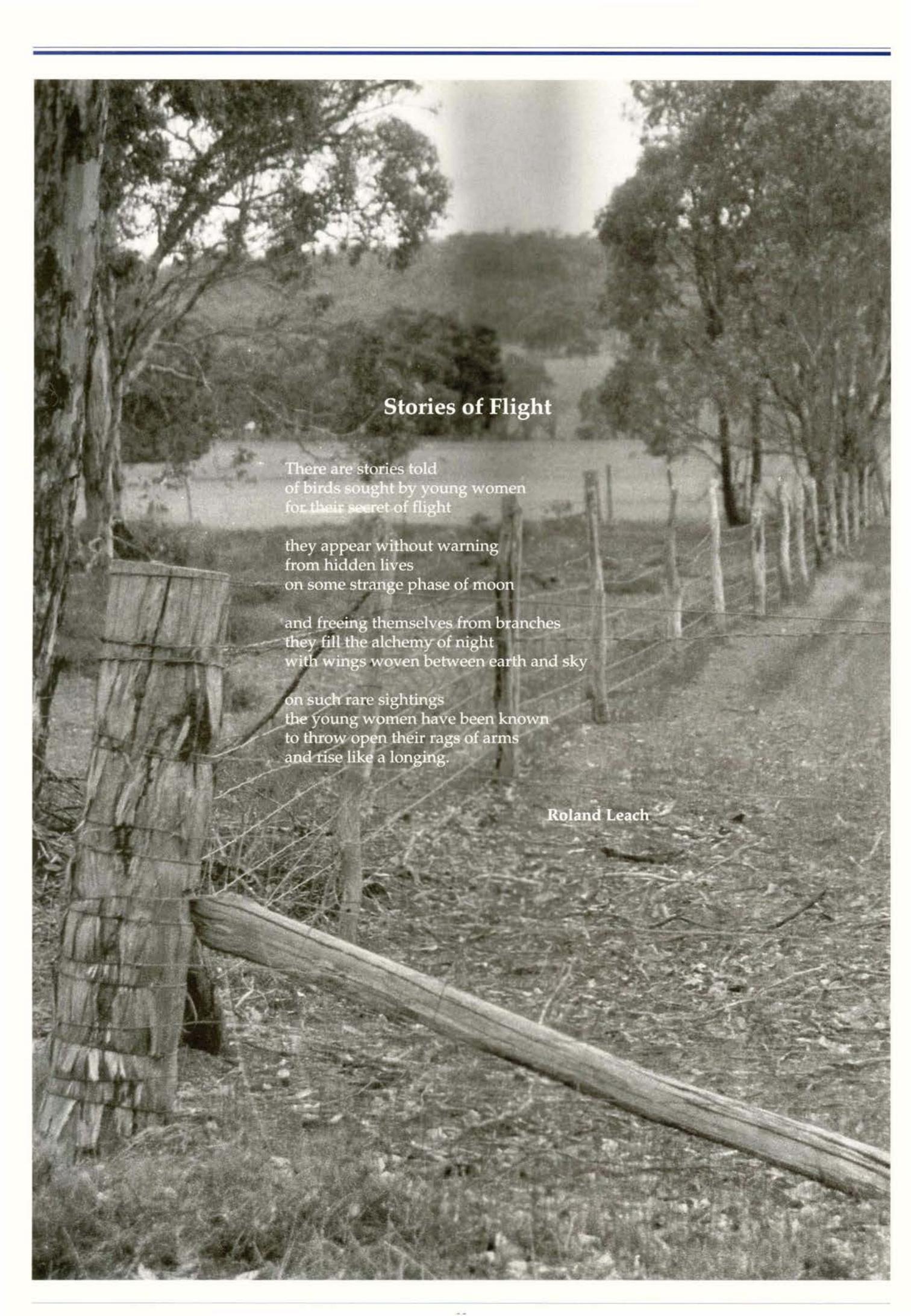


*Michelle
Worland*



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Robyn Amey
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Caroline Anderson
Jane-Ann Barnes
Jasmine Bartley
Peppa Bell
Robyn Bernadt
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Meagan Bliss
Sophie Boshart
Joanne Breen
Lisa Brennan
Jessica Bunning
Felicity Bush
Liza Chan
Judith Codner
Tracey Cook
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Cindy-Lee Davies
Sacha Davies
Sharee Davis
Sonya Day
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Lainie Gara
Marie Gardiner
Sophie Gargett
Kirstyn Gee
Sue Gladman
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Lisa Goff
Anna Greer
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Clare Harvey
Fiona Hitchcock
Michelle Hofmann
Catherine House
Sarah Huggins
Elizabeth Jackson
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Anna Jasper
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Carolyn Jenour
Jacinta John
Amber Johnson
Lisa Julian
Sharon Keating
Jennifer Keen
Gabrielle Knowles
Shauna Knox
Rebecca Lannin
Jay Lawrence
Annie Lee
Fiona Lee
Judith Leow
Jeanne Lim
Shirley Lim
Emma Lovel
Rebecca Luttrell
Christine Mackie
Julie Manton
Judith Marquis
Danielle McAllister
Helen McKenzie
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Alana Smith
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Zoe Stewart
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Michelle Wnuk
Joanne Wong
Michelle Worland



Stories of Flight

There are stories told
of birds sought by young women
for their secret of flight

they appear without warning
from hidden lives
on some strange phase of moon

and freeing themselves from branches
they fill the alchemy of night
with wings woven between earth and sky

on such rare sightings
the young women have been known
to throw open their rags of arms
and rise like a longing.

Roland Leach



1954



Circa 1917



1950



1927



1967

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