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events

27-29 April 2012: Jubilee Homecoming Weekend

27 April 2012: President's Drinks (invitation only)

28 April 2012: College Reaffirmation Service (2.00-3.00pm)

28 April 2012: Jubilee Garden Party (3.00pm onwards)

30 April 2012: Alumni Formal Dinner (Old Collegians welcome to attend)

26 May 2012: Annual Alumni Dinner

7 July 2012: Overseas Jubilee celebrations in Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia

11 August 2012: Official Opening of the Annual Lincoln College Art Exhibition (6.00pm)

17-19 August 2012: Lincoln Open Day (Lincoln opens its doors to prospective residents & parents. Check website closer to the date)

25 August 2012: Sam's Story Book Launch



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from the principal

Diamonds are forever

This year we celebrate 60 years of friendship with you: our Alumni, our current residents, our families and friends. This is an opportunity to celebrate together all of the memories and moments that have created Lincoln College. For our Diamond Jubilee we have chosen a diamond-faceted stag as our symbol for 2012.

We believe that our residents and our alumni are diamonds: brilliant, multi-faceted, flawed, enduring. Coming in many colours, of varying carats, cuts and clarity, our college is dazzling in its success and in its diversity.

We know that a diamond is only a diamond because of the pressurised journey it undergoes from the mantle of the earth to its surface. Then it is the task of others to see the gem within and to guide it to the perfect cut, the perfect fit for the diamond, and to add a little polish.

This year the Senior Staff and I have been privileged to spend time away on training camp reflecting with the Club President, Academic and Residential Tutors what the year ahead means for us and for our residents. We spent time coming up with mission and vision statements for each leadership team so that we can stay focused on our tasks ahead. For me, Jordan and Stephanie it was an easy mantra:

"See the Diamond. See the diamond in every resident and staff member - especially when they are having trouble seeing the diamond in themselves."

We thank each and every one of you for seeing our brilliance and for ensuring that we continue to be a sparkling gem in the University's crown of learning, laughter and leadership. I can assure you that with this year's Fresher

intake and returning resident group, our future remains bright, and clear and shining.

To truly succeed you will need to plan, to set goals, to complete tasks you may not yet see the relevance of. Life balance will be a skill to acquire, you will also have to be courageous and ask for help when you need it, and generous enough to offer help to those you notice could do with a hand.

You will need to hone skills such as cooperation, time management and prioritisation. The keys to your success will be communication, enthusiasm, and most importantly, a questioning and insatiable curiosity. Curiosity about information, knowledge, and those you live with and meet. Self-curiosity and honest self-assessment will also be your allies in life. And from here-on-in your success will be your successful attitude, and your failure will be your failure.

With rights come responsibilities – and one of those responsibilities is to think about how your education will help to make the world a better place. You can start practicing that by considering how you can make Lincoln a better place, your corridor a better corridor, and your neighbour your friend....make the most of the opportunities afforded to you – join in, give back.

Bec Pannell

Principal and CEO





scholarships

The Ben Henderson Country Student Scholarships 2012

This year the Lincoln College Council has awarded 6 Ben Henderson Country Student Scholarships. Ben – a self-made man, who never came to Lincoln but who heard about us through Bob Sloane and decided we were a good cause – left the College a significant endowment in 2009 comprised of shares and cash.

The aim of the Henderson Scholarship is to make possible the impossible – to give a rural South Australian student the opportunity to attend university and reside at Lincoln College because they deserve to regardless of finances or distance.

The returning residents' scholarship fully funds a year's worth of fees for a resident. This year however, the Committee could not decide between twins Simone and Megan Treloar and so awarded it to them jointly (we knew that they would share it regardless!). Megan (Health Sciences at Uni SA) and Simone (Sciences at Adelaide) hail from "the mount" in the South East and are in their 3rd year at Lincoln. They were also co-recipients of the 2011 Bronze Sportswoman of the Year Award.

Renee Biele was also awarded a part-Henderson Scholarship for her contributions to College in 2011, in particular her very impressive academic results. Renee is from Port Lincoln and studying Arts at the University of South Australia.

Because of Ben Henderson's generous donation and the College's subsequent investment of funds, the College is also able to award for 2012 three Henderson Scholarships to first year residents Ali Wilson (Mount Gambier, Paramedic studies, Flinders University); Nicole Dmochowska (Mount Gambier, Molecular and Drug Design, University of Adelaide) and Alice Gersch (Kadina, Physiotherapy Uni SA).

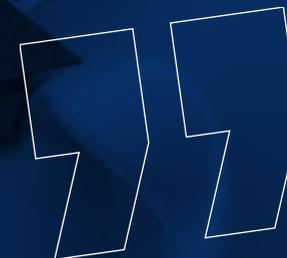
The Scholarships will be formally awarded at the Scholarship and Awards Dinner Monday 23rd of April by the Governor, His Excellency Rear Admiral Kevin Scarce and Mrs Scarce. His Excellency will also address the residents on the importance of citizenship and education. Previous Scholarship winners are also invited to attend in this Jubilee year.

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Dave Lamb

Chair of the Scholarships & Awards Committee



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Featured image: Front row: Scholarship recipients Renee Biele, Alice Gersch, Nicole Dmochowska, Megan Treloar, Simone Treloar. Back row: Senior Staff. Absent: Ali Wilson

Lincoln Diamonds

6th year medical student **Cheryl Ou Yong** will present at the Global Health and Innovation Conference at Yale University in April

Rhianna Bell received the Royal Australian Institute of Architects (South Australian Chapter) Prize for all Level 1 compulsory courses in the Bachelor of Design studies program for 2011

Nicole Dmochowska has received the Bendigo and Adelaide Bank Community Enterprise Foundation Scholarship

Chelsea Stokes and **Steven Trumble** have been invited to join the Uni SA Golden Key Chapter for high achieving students

Kay Khine has been awarded a prestigious and very substantial scholarship for her medical studies

Max Bernardi is interning at **Edwards Marshall** whilst completing his Accounting studies and holding the position of College Club Treasurer



academics

The Academic Team really stood out on Move-In Day in February. Not because of anything that we as a team did or said; one of the striking things about that day was just how unified all three leadership groups were in making freshers feel welcome to Lincoln, as well as how many other enthusiastic 'oldies' got involved in helping settle in our new residents as well. What distinguished the A-Team as a unit was the rather distinctive t-shirts we were wearing. These shirts were designed by our intrepid Academic Coordinator, Scott Carlson, who had been given the basic brief of creating a top that 'reflected the role of the A-Team' and 'made us easy to spot'.

I guess these t-shirts are, for me, a symbol of what the A-Team is becoming, and is actively working towards becoming, at Lincoln: visible.

Wednesday night this year is effectively an 'Academic' night, with a wide range of tutorials and other events planned to support this crucial aspect of our residents' development. We intend to continue to build on the success the College had in its results last year, when our students achieved a 95% pass rate (compared to the national tertiary average of 85%). Such

a result reflects the great dedication last year's cohort showed to its studies; it is very exciting to see that many of those students who did so well last year have put their hands up to serve as tutors and mentors this year. They have already brought fresh ideas and new energy to the team, and ensured that our intention to remain 'prominent' in the Lincoln community is constantly realised.

The dynamic of our team has been further stimulated by the addition of two members to the leadership team. We are, this year, placing extra focus on professional development opportunities for our 'oldies'; for example, by hosting a series of panels where successful graduates from different disciplines will share advice with our current students. This program of activities is being overseen by Jessica Alderslade 'Assistant Academic Coordinator of Professional Development'.

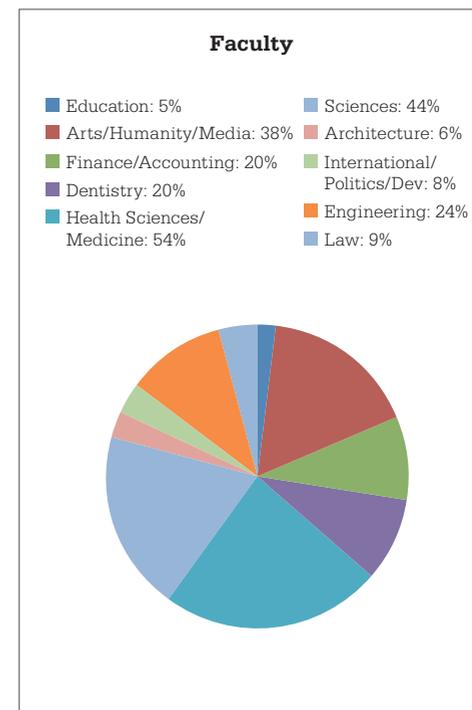
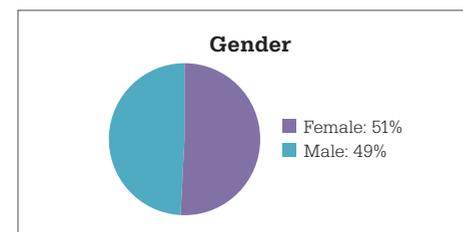
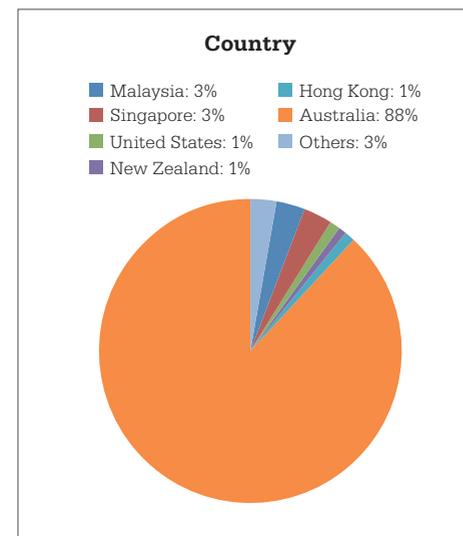
Our great tradition of excellence in Health and Medical Science has been cemented by the appointment of Lachlan Angus in the role of 'Assistant Academic Coordinator for Health Science'. Lachlan has been asked to oversee the progress of all of our Medical, Dental, and Allied Health students.

Our work is therefore primarily concerned with Academic development within the college, and I personally believe this is a service that is becoming more and more valuable as staff to student ratios continue to 'balloon' in our universities. (I am here paraphrasing The Australian's 'Higher Education' section of November 2 of last year, which reported the average student-staff ratio in an Australian university had grown from 25:1 in 2000 to 34:1 in 2011). We want, like every other staff member and member of a team at College,

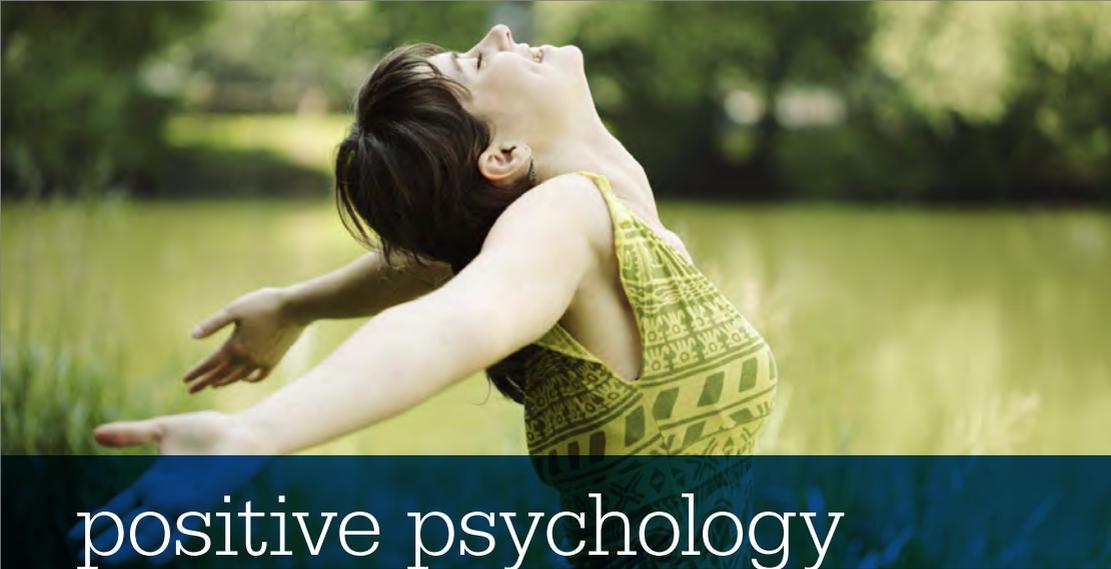
to develop 'the whole person' in every person at Lincoln. We are working side by side with our wonderful Residential Tutor and College Club teams to ensure that our residents can continue to gain a sense of both their full potential in every aspect of their lives and the means by which they can achieve it.

Stephanie Hester
Assitant Dean

To see the Assistant Dean's full report on 2011 academic results, please go to our website and follow the news.



Featured image: The 2012 A-Team (Academic Tutors)
Above graphs: 2012 College Demographics



positive psychology

Founder of Positive Psychology, Professor Martin Seligman, recently visited Adelaide for one month as part of the Thinkers in Residence program. I attended many of his public lectures and I've since been reflecting on the ways in which life at Lincoln supports residents to build a flourishing life. Professor Seligman describes the components of well-being using the mnemonic PERMA (see box). The Lincoln experience offers the chance for our current collegians and alumni to foster development in each of these key areas.

Positive Emotion: residents regularly hold and attend celebrations and events throughout the year, building fun and inducing happiness on a weekly basis. Residents experiencing emotional challenges, where negative emotions are "drowning out" the opportunity for positive emotions, have a range of support available, from friends, peer advisors, and trained residential staff.

Engagement: residents are able to pursue a range of activities which predispose to "flow" state, including academics, sport, art, writing, computer games, and music, within the College. Residents are encouraged to find their

highest strengths and use these to meet the challenges in their lives.

Positive Relationships: many residents form lifelong friendships at Lincoln, learning a new way of living from what they've grown up with. Many alumni retain active connections with the college after they graduate, staying connected to the staff and friends that they knew when they lived here. Residential staff and the College Club foster positive relationships amongst residents through corridor functions, committee work, charitable activities, team sports and participation in events.

Meaning: residents quickly connect to their identity as Lincolnites and serve the College in ways both big and small. Students are able to contribute to programs of charitable works, fundraising and volunteering for the benefit of others; religious residents often form communities for shared worship and study. Alumni continue to contribute and connect to college by donating skills, experience, and funds to support the current generation of residents.

Achievement: Lincoln provides residents with many opportunities for achievement: regular



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sporting activities, performance nights, art and creative writing competitions, leadership opportunities. Residents are supported to achieve academically at university. The College also celebrates residents' achievements with regular awards and commendations.

Residents graduating from Lincoln have learned what it means to grow within a flourishing community and take this experience out into the world with them. Readers who are interested in finding out more about positive psychology should visit The University of Pennsylvania's positive psychology website, at <http://www.authentic happiness.sas.upenn.edu/> - there are a range of questionnaires and presentations to find out more about how this interesting new area of psychology can apply to you.

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Dr Jordan Bell
Dean

The PERMA Theory of Well-being

Positive Emotion: Happiness, contentment, peace, love, joy, excitement, pleasure.

Engagement: Entering a flow state, where you lose track of time and are completely absorbed in an activity.

Positive Relationships: Supportive, friendly connections with people who care about you and what is going on in your life; includes friendship, romantic partnerships, family connections, workplace relations.

Meaning: Feeling connected to something bigger than yourself: through religion and spirituality, loyalty to organisations, institutions, country; willingness to work hard and sacrifice to benefit others.

Achievement: Succeeding at something that you value, which is also valued by others around you; academics, sport, musical or artistic performance, self-control, courage.

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Martin Seligman



creative college

The Magic of the Red Thread



The saying goes that there is a red thread that binds together those who are destined to be together. The thread may stretch & tangle – but never break. Dentistry student Fiona Thuy

suggested the image as an East-meets-West representation of what happens at Lincoln – the coming together of people for life-long bonds.

The red string of fate, the red thread of destiny is the linking motif in the new mural Lincoln visual arts and other creative students are working on with illustrator Sally Heinrich. And destiny may well have played a part in bringing Sally to Lincoln. Staff member Marilyn Palmer-Firth met Sally through a course, and when she saw her work – stories that explore Asian and Western legends and images – Marilyn knew she was the artist for this project.

Students will cover the sides and the ceiling of the Abraham-Federation walkway with images that speak to us of cultural diversity, education, friendship, peace, spirit, earth, sea and sky.

Sally will bring together into one narrative the ideas and designs of the individual students involved. The mural will contain clues, symbols and puzzles, words and objects. Sally works with brilliant bejewelled colours, glowing and wondrous imagery and beautiful stories.

Sitting in the initial meeting with Sally and the students was inspirational – the accord with which the students defined what Lincoln meant to them, listening as they explored the symbols, the values and the journey was a privilege.

I am extremely excited for this Jubilee project and can't wait to get my own hands dirty with paint as we bring the mural to life. The mural will be officially "opened" at the Art Exhibition Opening in August.

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Bec Pannell

Before we splash about paint, we are going to play with grout – creating stepping stone mosaics for the community garden – some of which will pick up the idea of the red thread. Watch the Facebook page and the webpage for photos.



You And Lincoln - A Great Combination

How often do you reflect deeply on your connection to Lincoln?

Imagine for a moment your life without Lincoln.

No stag. No Blue & White. No corridor parties. No KMB. Life... without those moments when you laugh out loud remembering... or say a silent thank you for that friend sitting next to you. The catch up with someone you see once a year when you visit overseas but reconnect with instantly. The Facebook status updates. The photo albums.

In our Diamond Jubilee Year I urge you to remember the stories that you and your friends tell each other about Lincoln.

Alumni, maybe you met your life-long love at Lincoln... Maybe you value the moments when you discovered what you really wanted to do in life? Or the nights after dinner when you stayed talking to a new friend so long that the kitchen staff was sweeping under your feet. And remember that character who... and the night when... the nick name that stuck...

Parents perhaps consider the relief you feel that your child is safe and happy at college; be amazed at how many friends she/he has made; be thankful for the academic support, the scholarship, the bursary that makes the transition to University easier. Notice how he/she calls Lincoln "home" and can't wait to get back to College. Remark to yourself on the confidence that you have observed developing in your child... now an adult. Revel in the pride you feel when they talk about their achievements.

In what way has Lincoln shaped your life?

Did Lincoln teach you to live with others; or did it teach you to question what you hear or read? Did Lincoln challenge your views about the world, about Australia, about your family values? Was there a tutor who helped you understand something more clearly? A friend who gave you a different perspective on spirituality and faith? A Principal who gave you a second chance when you had made some silly decisions...

For some of you, the stay might have been brief – a semester, a year, for others, four years, six years. But the experience is forever.

What's your part in the story?

We want you to tell your story and share your photos. We want you to piece together the 6 decades of Lincoln's life – and to do this we have created an amazing opportunity on our website: LincUp. LincUp is an online timeline to which you can upload stories, scanned images, and photos decade by decade. At the end of our Jubilee year we will look at the images and words and collate a picture book of life at Lincoln. We really want to hear and see your memories; in these memories is our creation story. So get uploading! For those who aren't technical, snail-mail hardcopies can be sent to the College and we'll do it for you.

We are really looking forward to catching up with you online!

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Bec Pannell

Principal and CEO



charitable by nature

In 2012 the Lincoln College Charities Committee (LCCC) is set to build upon the great work of the committee in its previous three years. If our first meeting of the year is anything to go by then 2012 is set to be our best year yet, with over 70 enthusiastic young Lincolnites meeting to share ideas and aspirations for the year ahead.

As is tradition, we held a Pancake breakfast during O'week to raise funds for Uniting Care, which was a great success raising over \$170.

With the Lincoln Blood Drive, each student who donates will earn points towards both the inter-building Cup called Lincoln Legends and the inter-college Vampire Cup. We will also continue to support the Zaidée Rainbow Foundation by purchasing and wearing rainbow shoelaces at inter-college sports. Some students will give up food as they participate in Live Below the Line and the 40 Hour Famine.

In 2012 we plan to volunteer for organizations such as RSPCA, Uniting Care, Royal Flying Doctor's Service, Canteen and Ronald McDonald House.

As a committee, we believe that it is also important to raise awareness of important issues amongst our own student population,

such as Aids Awareness, Organ Donation and Youth Mental Health.

Following the great success from last year we will host Girl's Night In and Boy's Night In, in support of Breast Cancer and Prostate Cancer. These were our biggest events in 2011 and will likely be our biggest for 2012. Breast or Prostate Cancer has touched many of our students in some way and so they are causes that are close to our hearts.

With each passing year at college, I become even more amazed by the kind and generous hearts of the Lincoln College students. Their passion for helping those less fortunate than themselves and giving back to the community is truly inspiring. I am immensely proud to live with such incredible young adults.

If you too have a heart for charity work, please contact me via email to find out more: elizabeth.c.allen@student.adelaide.edu.au. You can also follow the LCCC on Facebook.

Thank you for your encouragement.

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Liz Allen

Senior Tutor & Chair of Lincoln College Charities Committee



lincoln on the road

This year Lincoln will be visiting schools in Melbourne (the Principal), Shepparton, Ballarat, Bendigo, and Hamilton (the Dean) in Victoria.

We will also be heading north through Alice Springs up to Darwin to ply our wares and inspire a new generation of potential Lincolnites. When the Principal reaches Darwin we will host a dinner for all of our Darwinites!

Lincoln will also be heading to the Barossa and down to Victor Harbor, and as usual over to Whyalla, Port Augusta and Port Pirie in SA.

In March, new Communications and Relationships Officer Sara Lim will head home to Malaysia to catch up with family and with our Education Agents in KL, Subang Jaya, Petaling Jaya and Penang! She will also be meeting up with Nithi Nesadurai who is helping to coordinate the Jubilee Reunion Dinner in KL for 7 July.

Introducing Sara Lim



Sara Lim joined the Lincoln College Central team in January as our new Relationships and Communications Officer. Sara hails from Kuala Lumpur in Malaysia. She has a degree in Media Studies from the

University of Adelaide, as well as a background in graphic design. Her first task here was to capture the Lincoln Spirit in our Jubilee designs – the t-shirt with the diamond stag was an instant hit with residents and alumni.

Sara has also designed the retro Jubilee tie, the cufflinks and the Jubilee mug.

Her primary role will be to ensure that all of the wonderful things we do here at Lincoln are communicated to you through Lincoln Line, Facebook and other media. As well, Sara, will ensure that the resident recruitment drive and annual appeal run smoothly. You will get to meet Sara at alumni events or by dropping into College Central. Should you wish to contribute information, memorabilia or donations to the College, you can contact Sara through College Central on 8290 6000. She is looking forward to meeting you all!



o'week

Starting off the week with 86 young and anxious freshers, the smell of excitement for the week and year ahead hung thick in the air. A weekend filled with some sad goodbyes, intense induction, great building functions, friendships being formed and a great fresher dance was a fantastic welcome to the Lincoln College Community and by the end all anxieties were forgotten.

Kicking off with the first pub night with some Old Cols at the Cambridge, the excitement grew for many freshers who were experiencing Adelaide night life for the first time. The night ran smoothly with both freshers and oldies enjoying a few beverages, a sneaky playing of the fresher song and dancing the night away on the packed out Cambridge dance floor, ending at a totally reasonable hour of the morning. Following on from pub night, an early morning wakeup call ensured all freshers made it on time for their first day of Uni and rounding out Monday, a great performance by Tom Caldwell and Fran McInerney and some undiscovered sing-along talent ensured that Quiz Night was enjoyed by all.

Undoubtedly one of the most anticipated nights of O'Week, the Lincoln College Scavenger Hunt,

had students running crazily around North Adelaide, making wedding plans, shaving heads and eating weatbix, not to mention carrying out one of the fabled Lincoln College traditions. The night was enjoyed by both freshers and oldies and by the end some serious bonding and friendship forming was underway, with two teams sharing first place.

By Wednesday, the previous few nights events were beginning to catch up and Wednesday morning gave the opportunity for a little rest and relaxation. Wednesday night saw the founding of a new and exciting Academic Night, with a round robin competition of building bridges, launching rockets and performing surgery in a game of Operation and this new and exciting academic format was enjoyed by all. Thursday afternoon was a chance for freshers to explore the activities that Adelaide has to offer, many of which had never experienced in their small country towns. Several groups headed out to Laser Tag and Bowling, Rundle Mall and the Aquatic Centre for a relaxed afternoon swim. Rousing some building spirit, banner painting was held on the lawns followed by the opening night of Lincoln College Disney Club and the legendary, tear jerking first movie, the Lion King.



Friday afternoon gave a change to explore the city further, with freshers heading out on the annual Lincoln College Amazing Race, ending at the General Havelock. Although a hot day, many freshers took a chance to get competitive and took any advantage they could to win. Friday night showcased the first alumni event for the year, with the Lincoln College attempt at the world's biggest AB (yiros meat and chips with garlic sauce) where several students had to be restrained from turning it into a slip 'n' slide. This AB was followed by one of Lincoln's longest standing O'Week traditions, Barnyard Dance, with students donning a flanny and cowboy hat and enjoying some traditional partner and circle dancing.

The last night of O'Week saw everyone getting into the spirit of our Jubilee year, in their finest 1950s outfit; slicked back hair, bowties and poodle skirts to name a few. Blasting a few 1950s tunes and highlighting the Grease soundtrack, an enjoyable celebration was had to mark the end of another great O'Week for Lincoln College and the introduction of a fabulous new group of students into our community. Sunday followed with a relaxing game of Old Cols cricket and a chance to chill



and reminisce on what was most certainly one of the craziest weeks of any freshers life!

Overall O'Week was a great success and a huge thanks goes out to those oldies who put in the time and effort to make it such a great success whom without O'Week would not have happened; and of course those crazy freshers for embracing and taking the chance to get involved and making it an enjoyable week for all!

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Erin Launer
College Club President



building & grounds

Beloved number 45 Brougham Place gets some TLC

The restoration works to the balcony and roof of the Administration building are almost complete. The College has been extremely fortunate to receive a grant from the Federal Government towards the \$200 000 project, as well as substantial funding from the Adelaide City Council. We would not have been able to do this project without their assistance. Sarah Construction has been delightful and trouble free to work with. They have done their utmost to give us value-for-money assistance, including donating the undercoat work for the Red Thread mural. We are hopeful to have Sarahs return to undertake some minor work on the Federation Eastern balcony and Southern

veranda later this year, depending on a further application for funding.

You can see from the photographs that substantial portions of the Administration balcony had to be replaced, along with sections of barge board, fascia and gutters. A major cost to the project was the extensive scaffolding needed to reach across the roof for the tiling work.

Come and celebrate the re-opening of this iconic structure on Friday 27 April at 6pm for drinks, RSVP College Central 08 8290 6000. The building will also be open for History Week tours in 25 - 31 May.



history week

Brides & Grooms, Balconies & Books

This year the College will mount a display of brides and grooms at Lincoln College – if you were married at Lincoln we would love to display your wedding photo – or even your wedding outfits in our foyer for history week. Please have your memorabilia to Sara Lim by 1 May 2012.

We will also take tours of “number 45” – including a few afternoon teas on the balcony! Do you have any photos of any parties or events on the Lincoln College balconies that we could include?

Books – the heart of learning, the joy of imagination. Lincoln will also display some of our more rare treasures as well as books and PhD theses written by Lincolnites! Have you written a book that we don't know about? Please send the Librarian Mrs Carolyn Macdonald a copy for our records.

We will also be displaying memorabilia and merchandise from across the years.

History week at Lincoln runs from Friday 25 May to Friday 31 May. Tours can be booked through College Central on 08 8290 6000.



Whitehead returns to celebrate our past with his eye on the present and the future

Rev Dr John Whitehead will be the guest preacher

at our Jubilee Church Service on 28 April. In discussions with the Principal about the service, John Whitehead has been keen to focus on the relevance of residential colleges now. He is concerned that we move with the times and stay attentive in a changing world to the current needs of our students. What is the place of faith, god and religion in a culturally diverse college full of intelligent questioning young adults? How can the College help our students become loving advocates for a better world?

Former Principals John, Geoff and Peter look forward to catching up with you all and celebrating the life of the College. The Moderator will lead the service, and members of the Lincoln Community will contribute throughout with music, readings and responses.

international students



What do you think? How can we utilize this switch in thinking? Lincoln's international student intake is down this year – like many Colleges around Australia. And yet, our International residents are key to our character. We know that international students living at Lincoln leave with not only an Australian experience but with a “future unlimited” – how do we now sync this message to our marketing? The Review argues that Alumni are the key! Are you an international Lincoln Alumnus? We would love to hear about your experiences.

Watch this space & and watch the website.

Future Unlimited

The most recent Campus Review reports on the latest Austrade international student marketing campaign. For the last decade the marketing focus has been on the “Australian experience” – coming to Oz and being immersed. The latest campaign flips this on its head and talks about the potential of an Australian degree opening the future to International students – it's about the quality and qualification not the Australian cultural experience:

“The key difference is in the message: Study in Australia was about attracting students to the experience, while Future Unlimited attempts to focus on where an Australian education can take you... The new video is “aspirational” says Stevenson-Perks. “It's demonstrating the breadth of the opportunities that are available to students in Australia, and demonstrating through the images that it's world class and cutting edge.”



Jubilee Reunion Dinner in Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia

When: 7 July 2012, Saturday at 7.00pm
Venue: DoubleTree by Hilton
182 Jalan Tun Razak,
50400 Kuala Lumpur

Please contact College Central
for more information or to RSVP
Email: admin@lincoln.edu.au



thanks for dropping in!

Ian Beckman has returned to Adelaide and is now working for Jomar Bioscience PTY LTD (medical research). He lived at Lincoln College in 1967-1968 and studied Pharmacy at the University of Adelaide.

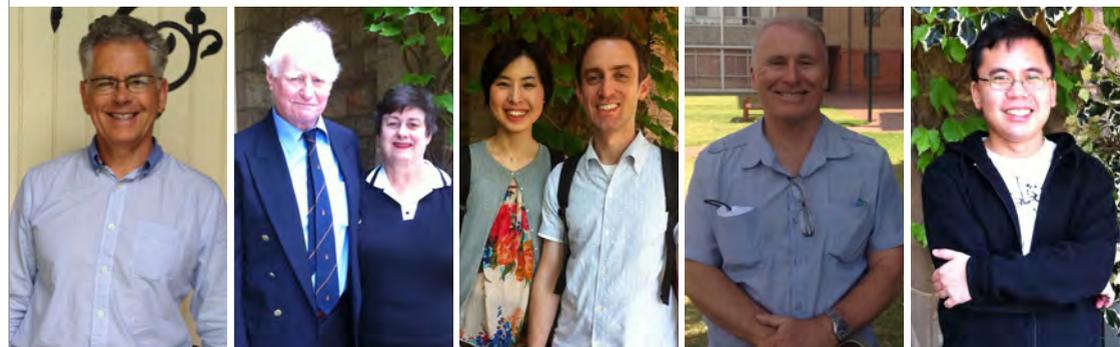
Malcolm Cockburn (1953-1962) and wife Viv live in NSW and came to stay in the Admin building for the night.

Duncan Brotherton (1998-2000) and **Asako Matano** (1999) met at Lincoln College in 1999, are now married and live in Japan. Duncan studied Graphic Design at UniSA and is a freelance Graphic Designer and

part time English teacher. Asako is currently working for a translation company, translating Japanese to English.

Rhod Wright (1967-1970) visited Lincoln over the Adelaide Cup long weekend with his partner Anne, while they were in town for a wedding. Rhod is now working as a consulting engineer to the mining industry in Perth. While he was here he remembers living in KMB and East (now Federation) buildings.

Bryan Chua studied Bachelor of Commerce in 2004-2007 but is now back in the military in Singapore.



Left to right: Ian Beckman, Malcolm & Viv Cockburn, Asako Matano & Duncan Brotherton, Rhod Wright, Bryan Chau



Sam's Story

Dulcie Abraham's tribute to her wonderful husband Sam will be launched in the Abraham House Common Room on Saturday 25th August. Sam's daughter and Lincoln alumna Karen Abraham will conduct the Australian launch of Sam's Story. We hope to see you there at this wonderful tribute to Datuk Dr Sam Abraham. Proceeds from the sales will go to Lincoln College.



sad to be leaving

In February 2010 I started working at Lincoln College, as Sodexo's Catering Manager. I must admit that the role and scale of operations was far more than I had imagined, although if I had been warned about the epic operation that is 'Tutor Training, Move in Day and O Week' I may well have run a mile! To College Central, the Tutors, Senior Staff, Dean, Principal, College Club and anyone else I fail to mention: wow! Thanks to fantastic support from Colum, the Sodexo team and the College, all functions and events were (I hope) delivered as requested. Since then, there have been fun times, hard times and busy times...

Some of the things which I will remember most fondly:

The fact that I would give personal mentions, but there is not enough space to name everyone who I would like to mention personally, tells me I was (albeit for a short time) part of the community

- Wishing residents good luck as they set off to the exam hall, then congratulating them when they returned feeling the exam had gone well

- Valedictory Dinner. Hard work for me, but also very fulfilling to see people graduate, achieve, celebrate and enjoy themselves.
- Learning to jive, rotate, boogie, swing and smooth behind the servery counter when the Swing Dancers conference was staying at the College. A useful skill for my future maybe!?

A few things I have learnt:

1. College is an amazing experience for those lucky enough to secure a place. Residents get a chance to learn or develop so many skills, here are just a few which have had a real impact on me:
 - Working as a member of a community. This relates especially to all those who managed to turn up to Kitchen Duty on time and those who were emergency cover when others were not so organised (or indeed awake). Thanks are also given to anyone and everyone who helped me and my team to move tables, carry chairs, move the salad bar, take down and put back doors, locate mislaid equipment... I have seen many so people help out in so many ways;

often without being asked, and always without complaint.

- Planning events large and small. More thanks coming up – to those who I met with to make sure International Nights and Valedictory Dinners were delivered; as well as all those who booked Barbecues, Pizza Nights, Mentoring Dinners and the many other functions in good time.
 - Giving feedback. A huge thanks from me to all those who contributed time and thoughts to the food committee, it really is helpful to Sodexo to know what people are feeling about the food offered and the service provided. I also thank everyone who took the time to write in the Sodexo Comments Book, email their menu suggestions or simply say 'thanks' over the counter. It helped motivate us all to deliver what was wanted.
 - Learning to cook. Many thanks again here to Colum, for planning and delivering the MasterChef classes. The feedback from these was excellent, and hopefully some of those dishes are still being made by Alumni out in the wider world!
2. The future is safe in the hands of the residents. I have seen many young adults come and go in the last two years. Little did I realise how involved I would become in so many aspects of their lives. Chatting about their studies, their exams, their sporting achievements, their future plans... what an amazing group of students. I think the congratulations, hugs and good wishes which I received from so many people in my final days at Lincoln say it all.

3. ABs are... well... just weird. Although I am told they are delicious, I have not managed to sample one myself... yet.

By the time you read this I will have been in my new role in Sodexo for a couple of months, however I need to give a final HUGE thank you to one special group of people – the team who I have worked with in the kitchen and Hambly Dining Hall. You are all amazing and I truly appreciate your help, support, good humour, flexibility, understanding and hard work. I hope the current cohort of residents agree. You have my best wishes for the future.

As do all past, present and future residents and staff of Lincoln College.

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Alison Wood

Welcome to Nigel New Catering Manager

Nigel joined Lincoln's Sodexo team upon Ali's departure from Lincoln. He will be working with Colum and the rest of the team to provide healthy, well-balanced and satisfying meals.





LCAA & you

Hello Fellow Lincolniters!

I hope you have all had a great start to the year which is now well and truly on its way. Soon it will be time for the annual Alumni Dinner, the feature event of our calendar. Due to popular demand this year's dinner will again be held at The Lion Hotel in North Adelaide and, as in past years, on the last Saturday of May. Melissa Mellen, who has contributed greatly to the College and has been very successful in her engineering career, is our guest speaker. This year also marks the Lincoln College Diamond Jubilee and we hope our event will help the College celebrate this 60 year milestone.

A very short AGM (optional) will be held immediately prior to the dinner to elect a new Lincoln College Alumni Association committee. All positions (four office bearing and four committee member positions) will be open for nomination and we encourage anybody who is interested in joining the committee to put their name forward either prior to or at the meeting. We are particularly interested in representing as many generations as possible.

Our events for last year wrapped up with a Christmas Brunch at the College and we

started this year with the College Barn Dance in O'Week which was a joint event with the alumni. This event was enjoyed by all including a lot of recent alumni who were able to catch up with some of the mates they left behind.

The Old Cols Cricket match followed closely on from the Barn dance in February. Although there was rivalry on the field, it was a team effort all-round off field. The current students whipped up a great BBQ while the LCAA provided the refreshments which made for a relaxing and enjoyable day.

I hope you all have a happy and safe Easter break and I look forward to catching up with you at the 2012 Alumni Jubilee Dinner.

Carly Cannon (Alumna 94-96)
President of Lincoln College Alumni Association Inc.



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Lincoln College Alumni Jubilee Dinner

Saturday 26 May 2012

Time: 7.00pm for 7.30 (arrive at 6.45pm for the Alumni Assoc Inc. AGM)

Venue: The Lion Hotel (Jerningham Room), 161 Melbourne Street, North Adelaide

Cost: \$80 per person

Sparkling wine on arrival. Seats limited - BOOK EARLY!*

Attire: Cocktail

Guest speaker: Melissa Mellen (Alumna 1987 – 1990), National winner of the 2010 Commonwealth Bank Business Owner award for the Telstra Business Women's Awards, & 2010 Telstra South Australian Business Woman of the Year

*RSVP deadline Friday 18 May 2012

YES, I wish to attend the 2012 Lincoln College Annual Alumni Dinner

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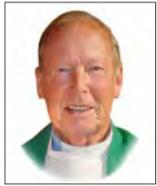
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I am interested in organising a table from my era.

Please return to Lincoln College by Friday 18 May. 45 Brougham Place, North Adelaide SA 5006 AUSTRALIA | Tel +61 8 8290 6000 | E admin@lincoln.edu.au





Rev Robert Grant Dunning

12 February 1933 -
15 November 2011

Son of a journalist and a domestic arts teacher, Grant

was born in Mount Gambier and educated at Glen Osmond Primary School, Unley High School, Lincoln College, Wesley College and the University of Adelaide where in 1957 he graduated with a Bachelor of Arts degree. On 12 April 1958, he married Joy Riggall and the couple enjoyed over fifty years of marriage and ministry together.

After working in the Commonwealth Inspector's Office for three years Grant, aged 19, as a member of Parkside Methodist Church, became a candidate for ordination in the Methodist Church. For 42 years, he served in full-time placements at Wudinna, Loxton, Maitland, All Saint's - Plympton, Pilgrim Church -Adelaide, Walkerville, Windsor Gardens and Broadview. In retirement, Grant served in interim ministries at West Richmond/Torrensville, All Saint's, Pilgrim, Scots Church, Vermont and Walkerville.

From 1977 to 1989, Grant was a member and secretary of the Adelaide based Uniting Church Assembly Commission on Liturgy. Grant worked hard to ensure the Red (Minister's) and Blue (Peoples') editions of Uniting in Worship were published in 1988. Tributes from overseas and interstate recognise Grant's work as a liturgist of world standing. One of them wrote: 'Uniting in Worship is Grant's memorial, and a fine one!'

Grant was a firm believer in church union and in 1972 undertook an exchange ministry with a minister of the United Church of Canada to

explore how church union had worked there. He was chairman of the Interim Presbytery of Adelaide North West, then in 1977 first chairman of the Presbytery. He served in many areas of presbytery life, particularly pastoral relations.

Grant served on many Methodist Conference and Uniting Church Synod committees including Lincoln College Council and the South Australian Roman Catholic/Uniting Church Dialogue. He was chaplain to Methodist Ladies College (now Annesley College) and was active in the Royal School of Church Music, the South Australian Council of Churches, Scouts and Rotary. He was chaplain to the National Committee of Adult Fellowships from 2003 to 2006 when it was based in Adelaide. Grant was chaplain to Synod office staff when they moved into the current building. He was a founder of the Highbury Street Fund, a development fund for migrant church leaders.

Grant was foremost a scholarly preacher and dedicated pastor who had an above-average memory for names. On his retirement in 1997, Grant said to the Synod: 'My great hope for the future is that we will give much more attention to evangelism, to grow the Church both numerically and spiritually by bringing people, young and old, to faith in Jesus Christ as Saviour and Lord. Our highest delight is to worship God. Our chief business is to save souls'.

He took great pride in the achievements of his children and grandchildren. He is survived by his wife Joy, children Timothy and Rita, Philippa and Ian, Michael and Pacina, and five grandchildren.

Mrs Joy Dunning & Rev Dr Julia Pitman

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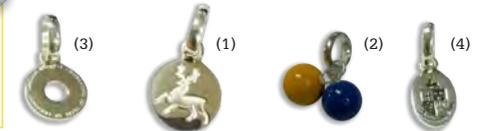
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the jubilee annual appeal: the journey continues

This year at Lincoln we have launched "Team Lincoln" – an arm of the charity committee through which we "do good" – something that John Wesley urged us to do. And we make a point of doing it in the community in which we live. This year we have already packed 1000 birthing kits for the Australian Birthing Kit Foundation – over one third of the College turned up to do this. It was an amazing two hours. By doing this we have potentially saved 2000 lives: mothers and babies.

Later this year we will knock on doors in North Adelaide for the Red Shield Appeal, plant trees along the Torrens, and run (or walk...) the City to Bay. We are doing what we can, as often as we can, to make life better for others and in so doing, making life better for ourselves. As our Team Lincoln slogan says: changing lives, enriching our own – be part of something great.

You too can be part of something great and change lives by giving to our Diamond Jubilee Annual Appeal. As I have said in the Appeal Letter, I give to Lincoln because Lincoln gives so much to others and because at Lincoln we get results. In the words of our 2012 President Erin Launer:

"I give to Lincoln College because it is a community that has provided me with so much over the past two years. The support that Lincoln College gives to its students is second to none and without Lincoln College I would not have received any of the opportunities I have had to develop and grow as a person and take on

student leadership roles. Lincoln has shown me how valuable a community is and has allowed me to develop my social skills and make life friends. Living at Lincoln College really does broaden your horizons and makes you think about the kind of person you want to be in years to come."

Help us to keep shining in our Diamond Jubilee Year and beyond by giving as generously as you can to the following opportunities:

- **Jubilee Scholarship Fund:** securing great senior students since its launch in 2002
- **Building kitchenette upgrades:** where friends are made and corridors meet (\$5000 each upgrade)
- **Library and Academic resources:** building academic success
- **General bursary fund:** change a life, ensure a future

Thank you for your continued support and care, we can't do it without you.

Bec Pannell

Principal & CEO

