

# Lincoln Line

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## Lincoln Line

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**31 May 2014:** Annual Alumni Dinner

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## from the chairman

The Council of Lincoln College has made some important decisions over the past few weeks. Following the resignation of the previous Principal Rebecca Pannell, the Council has appointed the former Residential Services Manager (RSM) of the College, Linda Bastick, to be the Chief Executive from 1 April 2014 for a contract period of one year. Linda has acted in the CE position over the eight-month period of Bec's absence. Council believes that we are lucky to have Linda able and willing to take the College through an important period of transition. Council will consider the filling of a re-defined position before the end of her term.

Linda brings an invaluable and unusual breadth of capabilities and experience to Lincoln. Her capacity to work with people and to get things done was recognised very early in her career. At the age of most of our College residents, Linda was driving trucks to Darwin and assisting in the running of a small trucking company. She has since taken a range of positions in the not-for-profit sector including HR coordinator at UniSA and deputy executive officer at UnitingCare SA, the community services arm of the Uniting Church. She has undergraduate and postgraduate

qualifications from both the University of Adelaide and UniSA. Linda joined Lincoln five years ago as deputy to the Principal, during which time she has restructured the College's financial management and reporting systems, implemented preventative maintenance programs, managed refurbishment projects, and won the respect of Council, staff, and residents.

The Council will use the coming 12 months to finalise and implement a strategic plan to take Lincoln into the 2020s, and to review and define the role and responsibilities of a chief executive for a period of substantial and exciting change.



Chief Executive Linda Bastick with husband Martin and sons, Zac and Blake

Whether you are an alumnus, resident, donor, Uniting Church member, or someone with a general interest in residential university colleges, please do let us have your ideas and suggestions.

Over its past several meetings Council has determined seven priorities to guide our strategic plan:

- digital leadership
- financial strength
- cultural diversity
- learning beyond the classroom
- fit for purpose infrastructure
- collaborative relationships
- reputational leadership

Our aim is that:

- by 2017 Lincoln will be recognised for its success in giving new and contemporary form to the long-standing objective of supporting young scholars from a wide range of backgrounds to become well-rounded graduates who provide leadership and example in their communities
- by 2020 we will have upgraded the College, with environmentally and economically sustainable facilities, educational support programs, business structures and a staff able to capitalise on them to meet the needs of residents in the 21st Century.

To do all this we need to expand our philanthropic and community activities as well as be a model of best practice in governance.

The Council has reviewed its committee structure to anchor our strategic plan. Each committee will play its clearly-defined part in supporting the goals of digital leadership,

financial strength, and cultural diversity. The Committees are: *Governance and Performance*, convened by Gregor Ramsey; *Business Strategy, Finance and Audit*, convened by Allison Ashby; *Philanthropy and Fundraising*, convened by Sandra Milligan; *Building Assets*, convened by David Banks; and *Programs, Scholarships, and Awards*, convened by Dave Lamb. Council is also reviewing its organisational structure to be sure that we are in the best possible position to serve the needs of the residents, and able to operate on a day-to-day basis in ways consistent with the seven strategic priorities.

Lincoln is rightly conscious and proud of its past, a story of growth and innovation as well as continuity. Council intends that all members of the Lincoln community will look back on the phase of change now under way with that same sense of pride.

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**Dr Gregor Ramsey AM D Univ**  
Chairman of the Lincoln College Council



(L-R) Members of the Lincoln College Council Neal Matotek (alumnus 1984 - 87), Kym Boxall (alumnus 1970 - 73) and Sandra Milligan

# academics

The year begins afresh. It is a time of growth and change at Lincoln. Every year brings new challenges, new residents, and new wonders. I discuss here the academic results for Semester 2 2013, our duxes (*L. duces*) for 2013, the recently inaugurated Neville Arthur Scholarship, and our “Meet the Candidates” Event.

## Results

In Semester 2 2013, Lincoln College residents from the University of Adelaide passed 86% of their subjects, from the University of South Australia, 91%, and from Flinders University, 100%. Our residents achieved 108 Distinctions and 37 High Distinctions at the University of Adelaide, 34 Distinctions and 19 High Distinctions at the University of South Australia, and 20 Distinctions and 11 High Distinctions at Flinders University. I’d particularly like to commend Rebecca Mahony and Muhammad Adib Mohd Faiz. Rebecca won the Hon David Bleby QC Prize for topping Principles of Public Law, and the Stow Prize for her achievements in International Law. Adib won the Vera May Prize for English. Well done!

## Duxes

It gives me great pleasure to announce our duxes for 2013. There are two main categories: the Dux Litterarum, and the Semiduces Litterarum. The Dux Litterarum is the resident with the highest marks overall. The Semiduces Litterarum are the male and female residents with the highest marks from each university. Our duxes for 2013 are:

### Dux Litterarum:

Nicola Bilton (University of Adelaide)

### Semidux Litterarum:

Muhammad Adib Mohd Faiz (University of Adelaide)

### Semidux Litterarum:

Jo Pham (University of South Australia)

### Semidux Litterarum:

Tyron Bettison (University of South Australia)

### Semidux Litterarum:

Naomi Hughes and Katherine Punshon (Flinders University)

### Semidux Litterarum:

Jayden Austin (Flinders University)

These residents are truly exemplary: *per litteras ad gloriam* (through learning to glory)!



**Top:** (L-R) Lewis Webb (Assistant Dean), Ed Hund (Academic Coordinator) and Lynsey Hearn (Assistant Academic Coordinator)

**Bottom:** Rebecca Mahony receiving the Hon David Bleby QC Prize and the Stow Prize from the Dean of Adelaide Law School, Dr Melissa De Zwart



### **The Neville Arthur Scholarship**

This year, Dr Neville Arthur, a distinguished Lincoln College alumnus, has established an eponymous scholarship for a resident entering the first year of a Bachelor of Science degree at a South Australian University. During Neville's residency at Lincoln College (1958 to 1961), he held a Lincoln Scholarship, and in gratitude for such generous assistance, he established this scholarship with the aim of encouraging the recipient to pursue a career in science.

We are immensely grateful for Neville's generosity, and for his foresight in creating such a scholarship. The inaugural recipient of the Neville Arthur Scholarship will be announced on 5 May 2014.

### **"Meet the Candidates" Event**

On Monday 3rd March, Lincoln College hosted a "Meet the Candidates" event, which provided residents with the opportunity to engage with local politicians, and grapple with contemporary issues. This event involved speeches from local politicians, and a Q&A moderated by Prof. Clement Macintyre from POLIS at the University of Adelaide. We invited to this event the Labor, Liberal and Greens Candidates for the State Seat of Adelaide. The Labor Candidate, David



O'Loughlin, and the Greens Candidate, Robert Simms, were able to attend. The event was a great success; our residents asked a diverse range of questions, and they impressed David and Robert with their perspicacity and their awareness of contemporary issues. Such an event is both constructive and provocative: it promotes political engagement, debate, and reflection.

*Curate ut valeatis!*

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### **Lewis Webb**

Assistant Dean

**Feature image:** Greens' Candidate Robert Simms, moderator Professor Clement MacIntyre and Labor's Candidate David O'Loughlin at the 'Meet the Candidates' event

**Image:** (L-R) Lewis Webb with Dr Neville Arthur



# farewell and adieu

The Principal of Lincoln College Ms Rebecca Pannell has announced her resignation from Monday, 10 March 2014. Ms Pannell will be returning to the arts sector after over 12 years in the higher education and university collegiate environment. Ms Pannell lists among the highlights of her time at Lincoln College the positive culture of the student environment, the greening of the College, the introduction of a building fund, growth in philanthropic programs and the scholarship pool, and strengthening the artistic life of the College. She said her favorite part of the role was helping students to be the best they could be and identifying their leadership potential. Ms Pannell and her husband Jeff Price would like to thank all the wonderful students who have made their time at Lincoln College so enjoyable.

The Chairman of the Council, Dr Gregor Ramsey expressed his and the Council's appreciation for Ms Pannell's contribution to the College over the period of her principalship. Lincoln has maintained its important leadership role in providing residential services and academic, social and personal support for Australian and international students and Ms Pannell's focus on the quality of student life



at the College will be long remembered, the Chairman said.

The Council, Alumni Association, Staff and residents would like to wish Ms Pannell all the best in her future endeavour.

# 2014 starts with a bang!

## Move-in Day

The days leading up to the arrival of the Freshers were as hectic as ever this year. I am yet to experience a Move-In Day where I feel as though everything is perfectly ready. There are always last minute preparations, late nights, and running around trying to prevent things from going wrong. But once you reach that Saturday night where everyone has settled in, we breathe a sigh of relief that all the excitement has died down and realise it always turns out fine.

The day began at 8am with everyone on the lawns ready to welcome the horde of new residents. The College Central staff were already setting up, with boxes and boxes of keys, forms, information packs, and most deliciously, lollies (you can't survive this kind of day without stocking up). Everything was ready. Then they arrived.

Until lunchtime, the office was full of new students and parents, all lined up to have pictures taken and welcome packs collected. Out on the lawns, Residential Tutors ran back and forth showing Freshers to their rooms, and Academic Tutors helped carry luggage and welcome them to Lincoln. Between all the running around, there are always the curious discussions: What will the new Freshers be like? Will they enjoy it here? Was that guy so-and-so's brother?

After a delicious lunch out on the lawns, parents said goodbye, and the Freshers came upstairs, ready to spend the afternoon learning the ins and outs of life at college, with help from the Residential Tutors. Four hours later, the tired Freshers met in their corridors for a quick meeting, followed by the traditional fire drill



before Academic Dinner. The guest of honour at dinner was the new Moderator of the Uniting Church, Dr Deidre Palmer, who delivered a speech of welcome.

Once dinner had finished, Freshers had a short time to catch their breath before getting involved in building parties. Tuckered out after a long day, everyone went to bed and slept hard. The Residential Tutors in particular were glad to have their part of induction over, and to have the torch passed to the Academic Tutors and Club when they took over on Sunday.

It's a big job making 80 or so new people feel at home at Lincoln. It can be a scary experience for some, but it's made easier by the friendly and welcoming natures of our current staff and residents. A big thank-you must go to the College Central staff and administration for all the long hours of preparation they put in, and for everybody who helped out on the day to make everything go smoothly. It's a promise of a great year to come!

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**Josiah Saunders**

Senior Tutor

## O-Week 2014: Prison Break

After Move in day and the induction aspects had been taken care of the Executive Committee took control of the freshers. In the common room each fresher was given their 'fresher items' which consisted of a fluorescent yellow legionnaires hat which models the sun safety values of Lincoln and an identification board that followed the 'Prison Break' theme of O-week 2014. Sunday afternoon brought us to KMB lawns to teach the fresher dance with the hats preventing anyone from getting too much sun.

Sunday evening was the night of Back to Barnyard party where Brian Townsend & Co. made another return to Lincoln to guide us into a night of swinging, doh-sah-doh-ing and promenading. As always the night succeeded to bring the freshers out of their comfort zones. As Monday appeared the next day new residents were able to learn the way into Uni by the groups walks to the city and in the afternoon the Showcase allowed everyone to sign up for the clubs and groups they were interested in being a part of throughout the year.

As Tuesday rolled around everyone was 'unintrusively' woken up by a test fire alarm early in the morning and were then taken for a walk up O'Connell Street so they could get an idea of the locations of shops and important places in the area. Tuesday night, as always, proved to be a big night with the Scavenger Hunt where Freshers were assigned groups and led by oldies around North Adelaide to significant locations to perform various tasks and challenges.

Wednesday was a much more relaxing time



with tunnel ball and yoga in the morning and the A-team running Academic Night from 7pm onwards. Academic night featured a plethora of board games that each related to different faculties of study such as *Operation* for the Medicine students, *Jenga* for the Engineers and *Articulate* seemed to be the game of choice for everyone who liked to be loud. Thursday was the inception of OSCAR (Optional Standardised College Awareness Running) which was designed to show the freshers where all the other residential colleges around North Adelaide are located. The evening provided an opportunity for cultural experiences at the Adelaide Fringe Festival.

During the Amazing Race on Friday we saw freshers running around Adelaide to try and complete all their challenges that took them around the CBD before any other teams.

Once everyone had rehydrated and regained their energy it was off to The Goody for Old Cols Pub Night that provided many bonding opportunities for freshers and Old Cols as well as a chance for the Oldies to be reunited with their college friends who had moved out.

Much sunscreen was used on Saturday for Beach Day as everyone kitted up with their fresher item hats or sombreros from Mexican pub nights of previous years and piled into the party bus for a day of fun in the sun. Beach volleyball, soccer and just general frolicking in the water was enjoyed all day along with a BBQ lunch and milkshakes in the afternoon. End of O-week party was under the lights on KMB lawns. Lincoln resident Richie Mould's band Sandgasm played live music, and in between sets resident Andrew McQuillan was DJ to keep the party going. On Sunday we played against the Old Cols in a kind (fierce) hearted game of

casual (intense) cricket and the score sheets show that Collegians won however it will likely forever be disputed by the Old Cols. Overall O-week was a great success with everyone getting involved and making the fresher feel at home and a part of the great college that is Lincoln.

**Thomas Kuys**  
President  
College Club 2014



# sweet song of success

Lincoln has long been a home for musically talented students, whether they are studying music at the Elder Conservatorium or the Centre for Aboriginal Music Studies (CASM), or simply playing to relax and enjoy themselves. The College houses 4 pianos (including a grand piano), a drum-kit, electronic keyboard and an organ, and provides three dedicated music rehearsal spaces for students who need to practice their instruments. Musically trained residents have the opportunity to perform solo for the College during Formal Dinner, playing music to accompany the meal. There are two further performance nights at College: International Night, with a formal dinner with music, dance and cultural performances from all over the world, and Music Night, a more relaxed evening performance for residents who have a talent to share with their fellow residents. The Lincoln College Choir provides vocally inclined students a chance to sing together on a weekly basis and perform for the College several times per year. We celebrate Earth Hour with an outdoor acoustic concert (raising \$170 this year for the Great Barrier Reef Defence Fund). Lincoln always fields a strong entry in the Battle of the Bands, with a group of 4-8 residents rocking the house in competition against the other colleges. Finally, musical residents enjoy the Lincoln College Jam Construction Society, “jamming” together in a relaxed atmosphere and developing their skills in working with other musicians.

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**Dr Jordan Bell**

Dean

Lincoln residents interviewed about music:

**Danny Hughes, Caitlyn Huang, Ed Hund, Eric Begley and Alex Poplawski**

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## **What is your degree and instrument:**

Eric: Bachelor of Music, Classical Clarinet and Jazz Saxophone

Caitlyn: Bachelor of Dental Surgery; I play the guitar, piano, violin, drums, and I sing.

Danny: CASM student, rapping, singing, Blues harmonica, guitar and piano.

Ed: Bachelor of Music Education (Major in Composition). I play everything!

Alex: Bachelor of Music in Popular Music & Creative Technologies, I play the electric and acoustic guitar

## **Favourite musical moment at Lincoln so far:**

Caitlyn: representing Lincoln College in Battle of the Bands. It was the first time I had performed in front of such a large crowd in a proper concert setting and the energy was electric!

Ed: When I trained our band in 2013, consisting of freshers, and saw them grow as performers and put on a great show at Battle of the Bands. I was so proud of what they had achieved!

Alex: it would have to be Music Night for me. Playing and singing an original song for the first time in front of the whole college, with my friend Simeon Baker accompanying me. It was one of the scariest things I've ever done, but it was part of proving to myself I could keep challenging myself in new areas and doing things I didn't always think were possible.

## The best thing about music at Lincoln is:

Eric: Lincoln has exceptional music facilities. The band room is very good for any ensemble/band practice with good wall linings so everyone can clearly hear their sound. The chapel has beautiful acoustics with a lovely echo. Perfect for any performance! Also, Lincoln is very welcoming to music students - the amount of music students here is quite plainly, amazing.

Caitlyn: No matter what degree you study or instrument you play, anyone can be involved!

Danny: The chance to perform in front of peers

Ed: The diversity. There are people from all kinds of musical backgrounds, classical, jazz, popular styles. We have such a great selection of musicians that each and every event that we hold features all kinds of interesting musical material!

Alex: The freedom and the people; There is nowhere else where you can study your degree

(whether it is in Music or not) and have the freedom to express yourself musically like you can here. There are great events that give you the opportunity to perform. The people create the music culture that exists here, the people that make what I do mean anything. It's the talented musicians who are dedicated in their love of music and the equally talented people behind the scenes organizing the events to make them amazing.

## What I'd like to improve about music at Lincoln:

Danny: Lots and lots more music! Maybe have a festival for performers called "Stag-stock"

Ed: A permanent member of staff to develop music and the arts at Lincoln. Someone who trains the band every year, who manages all the musical events from the ground up and who promotes Lincoln's image in the community through public shows for charity and outreach.

**Image:** 1. Caitlyn Huang and Alex Poplawski; 2. Matilda D'antoine; 3. Danny Hughes and Alex Poplawski; 4. Eric Begley; 5. Woonun Willoughby; 6. Lincoln residents at the Earth Hour Acoustic Night.



The Lincoln College Alumni Association invites you to  
**The 2014 Annual Alumni Dinner**  
Celebrating the Anniversary of Decades past

**Date:** 31 May 2014, Saturday  
**Time:** 7pm for 7.30pm (arrive 6.30pm for the LCAA Inc. AGM)  
**Venue:** Ayers House (Henry Ayers Room), 288 North Terrace, Adelaide  
**Cost:** \$100 per person  
(includes 3 course meal and 4.5 hours drinks package)  
Seats limited – BOOK EARLY!  
**Attire:** Cocktail



**\*RSVP to Lincoln College by Friday 23 MAY 2014**  
**Please let us know if you have any special dietary needs**

**YES, I / We wish to attend the 2014 Lincoln College Annual Alumni Dinner**

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# LCAA & you

Hello everyone. I hope everyone is having a fantastic 2014 so far. The Lincoln Alumni Association Committee has been busy organising new events for alumni to reconnect over the last year and there is more on the way. Last year we finished off the year with some after work social drinks in the city. We wanted to make it easy and convenient for members to attend functions and so had a social drinks night at the Clever Little Tailor on Peel Street in Adelaide on Wednesday the 13th of November which was a great success. If you haven't seen the photos on our Facebook page, take a look. We have organised another after work drinks night which will have happened by the time this goes to print so I'll report on that in the spring edition of the Lincoln Line.

The Annual Alumni Dinner is fast approaching and the ad for which is in this issue of Lincoln Line. We are holding it again at Ayers House due to its huge success and the positive feedback we got from those that attended last year's dinner. We are hoping for a bigger turn out this year and I urge all the decade anniversaries of 2014 to make a real effort to attend. It would be great to see tables from 2004, 1994, and so on, all the way back to 1954. This would make the dinner a real reunion event, but make no mistake, the alumni



**Featured image:** (L-R) Dr Justin Ripper (President of the LCAA, 1987 - 88), Robin Hill (1961 - 63) and Frank Kleinig (1985 - 87)

**Image (Top):** (L-R) Nick Sjoberg (2003 - 10) , Lewis Webb (Assistant Dean), Jason Saville (2006 - 08) and Gwendolyn Huang (2006 - 10); **Image (Bottom):** (L-R) Steven Trumble (College Club President 2013, 2011 - 13), Helen Ahrens (Vice President of the LCAA, 2009 - 11) and Dr Justin Ripper



dinner is for all alumni regardless of when you attended college so I hope to see you all there. On the night of the dinner we will also be holding a brief AGM prior at 6.30pm. If you are interested in the workings of the Committee and/or are interested in becoming an active member of the committee please come along.

Another event that we will hold again, and which I personally think is a fantastic one, is the Rick Burge Winery Run for the LAWCs (Lincoln Alumni Winery Club). Last year's run up to the Barossa Valley was such an indulgent, fun day, with the wonderful local produce lunch provided by Rick and of course the fantastic wines we all tasted not only at his winery but at Rockford and Bethany as well. A great day was had by all and we will be doing it all again this year on Saturday, the 21st of June. Rick has kindly agreed once more to host a select few for lunch at his winery followed by tastings at Rockford and, new for this year, Yelland & Paps winery. Tickets are \$55 which includes lunch and the bus ride departing for College at 11 am and returning around 5pm. The numbers we can take are limited, so get in quick so you don't miss out. Contact me to book you place via email or phone (contact details are in the ad in this issue of Lincoln Line or on our Facebook page).



**Featured image & Image (Top):** Alumni execs, alumni, current residents and staff enjoying some beer and sausages at the New Alumni BBQ in March

**Image (Bottom):** (L-R) President of the LCAA Dr Justin Ripper and Chief Executive Linda Bastick at the New Alumni BBQ

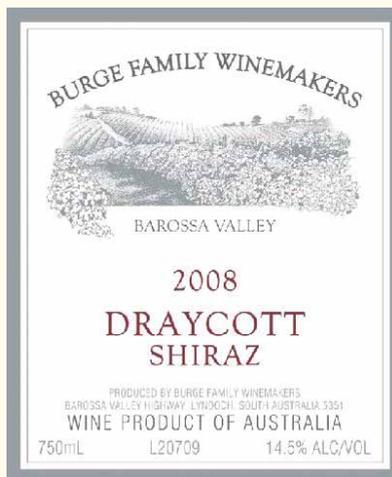


One other event that we intend to start was brought about from a discussion between former Club President and recent Alumni member Steven Trumble and our Treasurer Don Maniford about their interest in Bike Riding. And so the idea of the Lincoln Alumni Lycra Club was born. At selected dates in the year (very early in the morning) alumni will convene at Brougham Place for a nice morning ride (distance and speed to be determined depending on the level of experience of the participants). We are hoping to get something organised soon and will send out an email when a date is confirmed so keep an eye out for that one if you like to get the lycra on.

So with all the events planned for the year I hope as many of the alumni can find the time to reconnect with old friends and if anyone has an idea for an event no matter how small or selective feel free to contact us on the committee to see if we can help with your idea. Here's hoping that the rest of 2014 is great for everyone.

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**Dr Justin Ripper**

President  
 Lincoln College Alumni Association



**The LCAA presents:  
 The Rick Burge Winery Run**

Bus Tour to Burge Family Winemakers  
 (Light lunch provided at winery)

Date: Saturday 21 June 2014

Time: 11 am to 5 pm

Host: Rick Burge (Alumnus 1972-74)

Cost: \$55 per person  
 (includes light lunch and bus to and from Barossa Valley, departing from Lincoln College plus tour of two other wineries – Rockford and Yelland & Paps)

Seats are strictly limited so don't miss out! Accepted payment ensures booking.

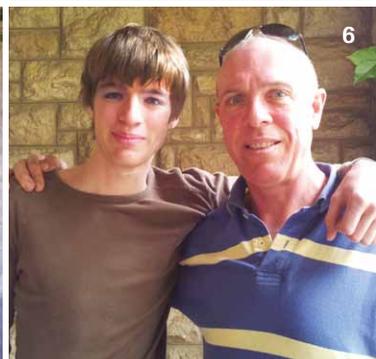
All enquires to Justin

Email: [President@lincolnalumni.org.au](mailto:President@lincolnalumni.org.au)

Phone: 0424890013

# thanks for dropping in

- 1. Ken (Lyndon) Evans** (1985 - 86) visited College in February. He spoke very fondly about his memories at College, particularly a certain graffiti from the 80s on the Admin Building wall and the incident on the KMB emergency staircase.
- 2. Spencer McTavish** (2010 - 13) (pictured with his younger brothers) and his family dropped by College Central to say hi. They flew to Adelaide to attend Spencer's graduation.
- 3. Cheryl Hume** (1975) visited the College for the first time since she left Lincoln in 1975. She studied Bachelor of Arts at University of Adelaide. She currently resides in Canada.
- 4. Past Principal Kenneth Webb** showed off the College to his brother Brian and sister-in-law while they were visiting Adelaide from the UK.
- 5. Muhammad Ahmad** (2004 - 10) stayed at Lincoln while attending medical school. He is currently working at Flinders Medical Centre.
- 6. Dale Beck** (1981 - 83) came to College to drop his son Joshua off during Move-In Weekend. Joshua is currently a first year engineering student at Flinders University.



# alumni news

Alex Fong and Shir Ley Tan's journey in Lincoln College started back in 2004 when they moved to Adelaide from Malaysia to pursue their study towards a Bachelor of Pharmacy at the University of South Australia. They called Lincoln College their home for the next 7 years, as they went on to pursue their postgraduate studies. During their time at Lincoln College, they had a wonderful opportunity to experience life as a college student and made countless life long friends. Both Alex and Shir Ley were also given the distinct honor to contribute back to college being a part of the senior staff at Lincoln College where Shir Ley served as the Assistant Dean of Academics and Alex being the Assistant Senior Tutor. Both also had the pleasure of experiencing the leadership of three of Lincoln's five principals during their time at College and witnessed tremendous change during their time there. They moved out with two other best mates from College in 2010. After spending 10 years in Adelaide, Alex and Shir Ley made the difficult decision to move back to Malaysia to be closer with their families and explore new opportunities and experiences. They requested their farewell event be held at the College to commemorate the role Lincoln College has played in their lives. Their farewell event was attended by current and ex-collegians as well as current and previous staff from the College. Alex and Shir Ley would like to wish all previous, current and future collegians all the best in their pursuit for excellence in life and would welcome any correspondence at [lxfang@hotmail.com](mailto:lxfang@hotmail.com) and [tshir\\_ley@yahoo.com](mailto:tshir_ley@yahoo.com).



# merchandise



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# merchandise

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Rugby Shirt (XS - XXL)		\$125.00		
Jubilee T-shirt - Red (S - XXL)		\$25.00		
Jubilee T-shirt - Navy Blue (XS - XL)		\$25.00		
Jubilee retro silk tie	N/A	\$50.00		
Tie	N/A	\$40.00		
Umbrella	N/A	\$25.00		
Coffee Mug - White	N/A	\$10.00		
Jubilee Mug - Cobalt Blue	N/A	\$15.00		
Stubbie Holder	N/A	\$8.50		
A History of Lincoln College	N/A	\$20.00		
Greeting Cards - 5 pack mixed	N/A	\$7.50		
Greeting Cards - 10 pack mixed	N/A	\$12.50		
Lincoln College Cufflinks - etched steel	N/A	\$50.00		
Stag disc Doodle Daddle - etched sterling silver (1)	N/A	\$60.00		
Lincoln colours - sterling silver & hand coloured enamel (2)	N/A	\$100.00		
Lincoln College Jubilee Charm (3)	N/A	\$60.00		
Lincoln College Crest oval Doodle Daddle - etched sterling silver (4)	N/A	\$60.00		
Lincoln College Stag Tie Pin English Pewter (5)	N/A	\$70.00		
Lincoln College Signet Ring – unisex, sterling silver, 3 sizes available	7 / 11 / 13	\$100.00		
Rick Burge Run Red	N/A	\$30.00		
Sam's Story	N/A	\$50.00		
'Keep Calm & Live at Lincoln' Gym Bag	N/A	\$12.00		

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Sadly, David Hester, distinguished Classicist, Lincoln College alumnus and tutor, passed away on Monday 25th November, 2013. He was a tutor at Lincoln from 1958 to 1974.

David served the Discipline of Classics at the University of Adelaide for 46 years as teacher, researcher, mentor and friend. In the words of his colleague, Ron Newbold, “David’s first love was teaching and he brought an enthusiasm and gusto to the task that students responded well to.” He was honoured with the Stephen Cole Prize for excellence in teaching in 1996 – the only Classicist at the University of Adelaide to have received such an accolade.

He was also a character who “marched to the beat of his own drum.” The 1972 Stag refers to him as a “connoisseur of fine foods,” a chess player, politically engaged, and as someone who “wakes the Annexe when he starts talking at breakfast.” His beloved daughter, Dr. Stephanie Hester, was the Assistant Dean of Lincoln College from 2011 to 2012.

His family, friends, students and colleagues will miss his rousing renditions of Gilbert and Sullivan, and his acute wit. He believed firmly in the “manifest superiority of things Greek,”

and loved, in particular, Herodotus, Homer and Sophocles. One of his favourite anecdotes came from Homer’s *Odyssey* Book 17, when Odysseus returned to Ithaca and found his faithful dog, Argus, awaiting him, sitting neglected on a pile of manure. As soon as Argus saw Odysseus, he recognised him and:

He wagged his tail and dropped both ears  
but could not drag himself nearer his master.  
Odysseus wiped away a tear, turning his head

[...]

But the shadow of death descended upon  
Argus,  
Once he had seen Odysseus after twenty years.

*Hom. Od.* 17.329-354 (trans. Lombardo 2000)

So too, has David Hester passed into darkness, full of honour and faithfulness, to there be reunited with his beloved wife.

## David Hester Prize

To commemorate the years David taught at the University, his daughters have established an Undergraduate Honours Prize in Classics. It acknowledges his achievement in preserving the historical importance of Classics and recognises his contribution to sustaining the University’s cultural integrity. We invite you to join them by contributing to the prize fund, which will be awarded to the best third year classics student, who has chosen to do honours.

To donate, go to [www.adelaide.edu.au](http://www.adelaide.edu.au), choose Alumni, Giving to Adelaide, download Giving Form.

# you've made a difference

Once again we are delighted with the generosity of old collegians, council members, parents, staff and our corporate partners who supported us for our fundraising appeal in 2013. Your gifts have made a significant difference. Our sincere thanks to all of you.

## **The Hambly Common Room**

The Hambly Common Room was given new life over the summer of 2013. The refurbishment included new carpet to prevent potential slips, a new feature wall with stag decals and new 2 seater and 3 seater sofas. As most of you would remember, the Hambly Common Room is the focus for social activities at Lincoln. The response from staff, residents and old collegians has been overwhelmingly positive. It is an important development particularly in terms of ensuring the student experience is all it can be. The successful completion of the Hambly Common Room refurbishment marks another small step in the journey as we transform Lincoln into a modern, welcoming environment to create a cozy atmosphere and a quieter space.



## **Scholarships and Bursaries**

Since its establishment in 1952, Lincoln has offered scholarships which support students to access the benefits of residential life while attending university. We know that higher education has the power to transform lives, and we believe that residential accommodation offers unique benefits to university students.

Scholarships are an important part of Lincoln – around 16% of the current residents receive a scholarship or a bursary. This effort headed by the *Programs, Scholarships and Awards Committee* has continued to offer opportunity to those who might otherwise not have the chance



Before...



After...



to study at university because of financial hardship or other circumstances.

This year we are thrilled to be able to award 34 scholarships and bursaries. At present we have 11 named scholarships / bursaries and a small bursary pool that comes out of the general budget:

- Frank Hambly Scholarship
- Andrew Smith Scholarship
- Jane Smith Scholarship
- Jubilee Scholarship
- Colombo Spirit Scholarship
- Cheong Choong Kong Scholarship,
- Henderson Country Student Scholarship
- Neville Arthur Scholarship
- St Phillips College/Lincoln College Joint Scholarship
- Eryvn Whitehaad Bursary
- LCAA Bursary
- Sodexo Home & Hearth Scholarship

These prizes are available to both local and international residents, and are awarded on the basis of academic merit or to support students in need or who have experienced disadvantage.

Scholarships and bursaries are made possible through the generosity of our alumni and friends over the past six decades, through

annual appeals and the generous capital gifts from the family of supporters from Australia and overseas (especially Singapore and Malaysia).

### **Annual Appeal 2014: Student Choices**

We are committed to providing the very best we can for our residents. In March, we carried out a survey and offered our current residents an opportunity to nominate 2 projects that they would like to see happen in College. This gave us an opportunity to understand our residents' immediate needs. Two projects in particular caught our attention:

#### **Wireless Network Project**

The Internet plays a vital role in today's learning environment. In the past few years, we have made great strides upgrading network infrastructure to maximize access to digital resources and create e-learning opportunities that will enhance learning outcomes for our residents. In 2014, we need your support to expand our wireless network to cover for the entire college.

#### **New Dining Hall Furniture**

Over the years, the chairs and tables in the Hambly Dining Hall have withstood lots of wear and tear. The Dining Hall is the heart of College, where many great memories are made. Provide a more comfortable environment for dining and learning by helping us replace the dining hall tables and chairs in the Hambly Dining Hall.

**Thank you in advance. Your support makes a difference!**



**thank you for your continued support  
and care, we can't do it without you!**

**My gift to Lincoln residents:**

- Ervyn Whitehead Bursary     Scholarship & Bursary Fund
- The Vic Edgeloe Library & Academic Resources     College Choice
- Student Choice - Wireless Network Project     Student Choice - New Dining Hall Furniture

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