



THE WAY



FROM THE PRINCIPAL

What a week it was at the College, as we proudly celebrated the creative abilities of our senior students through the biannual MADE for Stage performances on Wednesday evening. This special event is more than just a showcase—it's a joyful celebration of the depth of learning and talent within our Music, Art, Drama/Dance and Entertainment programs.

Our Year 12 Entertainment students took to the stage as hosts, weaving together the evening with a clever and thoughtful script that reminded us all of the value in pausing to enjoy the creativity of others. Their professionalism, humour and confidence set the tone for an evening of excellence.

From the youngest Year 7 music students bravely taking the stage for the first time, to the seasoned and polished ensembles of our older students, we were captivated. Each performance reflected hours of learning, practice and heart. The Visual Arts exhibition in the MRK was equally compelling—the space was transformed into a gallery of expression, skill and imagination.

Adding to the celebration, our Dance Troupes in both Junior and Senior school and Year 10 Drama students have recently received outstanding accolades at external events, and it was a privilege to see those high-calibre performances come to life before our College community.

I could not be prouder of our students—their courage, creativity and commitment were on full display. Their performances were not only entertaining; they were a testament to the rich educational experience they are receiving.

We also had the honour on Friday of welcoming Mr Tony Abbott, the 28th Prime Minister of Australia, to our College. Mr Abbott addressed the Senior School and spent valuable time with our

Year 11 History students. He was genuinely interested in their perspectives on the role of history in shaping their understanding of the world and their future. It was a thought-provoking experience and one that many students will remember.



Looking ahead, we're excited to celebrate Unite Week—a chance to recognise and embrace the diverse cultures that make up our College community. It is always a highlight and a reminder that while we may come from many backgrounds, we stand together with one purpose. I've even bought my very first Akubra—ready to join in the celebration!

There is much to be proud of, and even more to look forward to. Thank you to all who supported and celebrated with us.

"Each of you should use whatever gift you have received to serve others, as faithful stewards of God's grace in its various forms."

1 Peter 4:10

Mrs Karen Easton
Principal
