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ANNUAL REPORT 2017 – 2018



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THANK YOU

All donations are very gratefully received and will be recorded in the CGS Foundation Annual Report and on the website at CGSFOUNDATION.ORG.AU

Donors who contribute over \$10,000 are invited to become CGS Foundation Members and to enjoy special invitations to CGS Foundation and School events. Likewise those who have given more than \$100,000 are honoured as CGS Foundation Benefactors.

The names of Trustees, Associate Trustees and Fellows of the School's original Foundation are recorded on the CGS Foundation website and in the School Archives.

**ON BEHALF OF THE SCHOOL AND THE CGS FOUNDATION,
WE EXPRESS OUR GRATITUDE TO ALL.**

INTRODUCTION

We are pleased to present the Annual Report for the Canberra Grammar School Foundation, and to have this opportunity to express our gratitude to all in our community who have supported the Foundation and the students of Canberra Grammar School in 2017 – 2018.

Enclosed is a short summary of the Foundation's activities and progress in the past year, along with details of broader School happenings in what was another year packed with activity and achievement.

In 2017, the School launched our Campus Development Master Plan, developed around our with a co-educational model and in 2018, for the first time, girls shared the classroom with boys. The transition has been transformative for our School, creating a modern, diverse and enlivened place in which young men and women strive together to reach their full potential amidst the challenges of our modern globalised society.

Amongst that change, however, much of the essence of the School remains the same. Even as we evolve, we retain our strong sense of community, our focus on pastoral care, our commitment to educational excellence and above all, the atmosphere of respect and care that we hold for one another. These are the things that have always made, and will continue to make, our School extraordinary.

The CGS Foundation is proud to have played a role in supporting the School and its students through a year of significant progress and to have spent this past year cementing itself as an integral part of the CGS community.

We thank you for your generosity and vision in supporting the Foundation, and we hope that you will join us as we continue the work of providing our students with exceptional opportunities and facilities.



Dr Justin Garrick
Head of School



Mr Eugene Kalenjuk
Chair of the CGS Foundation Board

CREATING A WORLD-CLASS SCHOOL

At Canberra Grammar School we have world-class aspirations. We seek nothing less than to give our students the best possible opportunities and resources, to equip them in knowledge and skill, confidence and compassion to be ready for the future; ready for the world.

WHY IS THE FOUNDATION NECESSARY?

Contrary to general perception, the School does not receive high levels of government funding. It therefore relies very heavily on its community's support in the form of tuition fees and donations to the Foundation. In fact, government funding accounts for only around 15% of total School revenue, and that proportion is falling as funding is reduced in real terms over time and as grants for the development of capital infrastructure have become more scarce.

At the same time, there are many families for whom tuition fees are a significant sacrifice, on top of which come all the extras that go with an extraordinary education: textbooks, technology, musical instruments, sporting equipment, uniforms, excursions, camps and tours.

The Foundation exists to reduce the burden on parents over time by supporting the cost of building and maintaining facilities that would otherwise have to be funded almost entirely by fee revenue. It also exists to fund the scholarships and bursaries that encourage students of talent to join the School and that make its education accessible to many for whom it might otherwise be out of reach.

PURPOSE OF THE CGS FOUNDATION

The CGS Foundation exists to support the long-term security, advancement and renewal of Canberra Grammar School as a world-class leader in modern education.

Philanthropy plays a vital role at CGS, allowing us to enhance the opportunities we are able to offer and to secure a bright and successful future for the School. The CGS Foundation exists to engage with you, and to strengthen the connection you have with the School and to facilitate the passion and support of our community.

Philanthropic donations in the form of bequests or in support of scholarships enable us to expand what is possible here at the School, and ensure that CGS will continue to enrich the lives of students for generations to come.



The Kenyon family has been associated with Canberra Grammar School for three generations.

It is our family's great privilege to celebrate and contribute to the ongoing success of Canberra Grammar School through our Kenyon Foundation.

– Mr David Kenyon (Class of 74)

By supporting the CGS Foundation we are supporting every student lucky enough to attend, now and for years to come, have every chance to take their quality education – and all that goes with it – and really make it count for themselves, their families and the nation.

– David & Georgie Gazard (Parents)



I feel that Canberra Grammar school fees are just a minimum. It's at a level to keep the place running. If you can afford to pay more, just pay more. The donation will be very well utilised. It will go towards continuing to improve this superb school, and even fund initiatives that support other disadvantaged and vulnerable children so that they may experience a happy, balanced, and relevant education with passionate teachers and staff, like what our kids are currently experiencing.

– Justin Dundas-Smith (Parent)



Your tax-deductible donation to the CGS Foundation will help provide world-class opportunities.

Visit **CGSFOUNDATION.ORG.AU** or scan the QR code to donate.

BUILDING A WORLD-CLASS SCHOOL

A CAMPUS DEVELOPMENT PLAN

FOR CANBERRA GRAMMAR SCHOOL

Canberra Grammar School is blessed with a large and beautiful campus. As each generation has added to it our School has grown and flourished, but ensuring that our grounds and facilities remain state-of-the-art is forever a challenge.

In recent times we have done much to restore our gardens and ovals, to make our campus more accessible and inclusive, and to make our classrooms bright, contemporary places for learning and collaboration.

Yet parts of the Primary School still need renewal to meet the modern standard set at Southside, our boarding houses have reached the limits of their potential, our Boat Shed, pool, pavilion and sports hall all need renewing, and the War Memorial Hall and Breezeway building are long outdated and outgrown.

Our new Campus Development Plan establishes a blueprint for addressing each of these needs in several phased components of construction or renovation over the decade ahead.

In 2018, the CGS Foundation's Campus Development Campaign will support building a world-class School. Specifically the Campus Development Campaign this year will focus on raising funds to upgrade School sporting facilities, including redeveloping the rowing shed, tennis and netball courts, Flinders Oval and the Main Oval Pavilion, with preliminary planning for the rowing shed already under way, and other sports facilities forming early parts of the Campus Development Plan.

It is only with your support of the CGS Foundation that we can continue to build a world-class school.

Help us build a world-class school by donating at CGSFUNDATION.ORG.AU

BOARDING VILLAGE

Boarding has always been at the heart of our School. In the coming years, we will expand and rebuild our accommodation in stages, ultimately creating a contemporary and comfortable boarding village for boys and girls. The first phase will be on the site of our current tennis courts, which will in turn be redeveloped as the initial stage of a new sports precinct based on Chapel Oval.

To read more about our Boarding Village visit CGS.ACT.EDU.AU/SENIOR-SCHOOL/BOARDING

SPORTS PRECINCT

Our current sports facilities are spread across the campus with our pool, tennis courts, gymnasium and change rooms all separate, poorly accessible to the public and distant from our ovals. A new sports precinct centred, on Chapel Oval, will first include tennis and netball courts to be followed eventually by a new sports hall with basketball courts, gymnasium, change rooms, classrooms and swimming pool to be developed over time as our current facilities each reach their end of life.

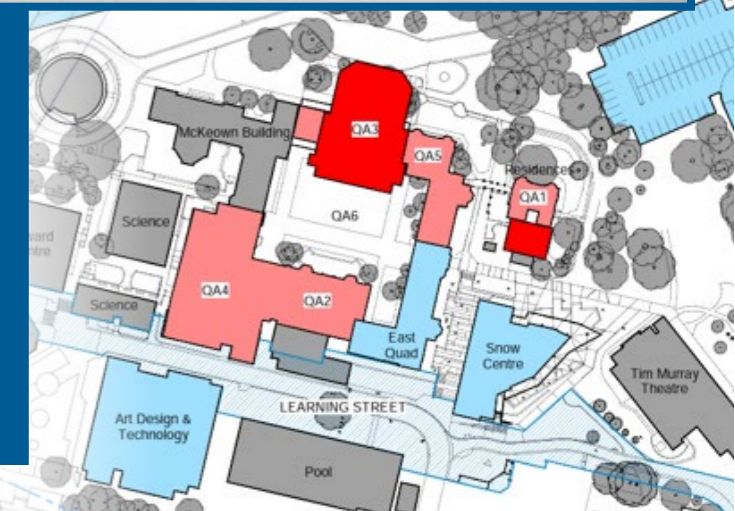
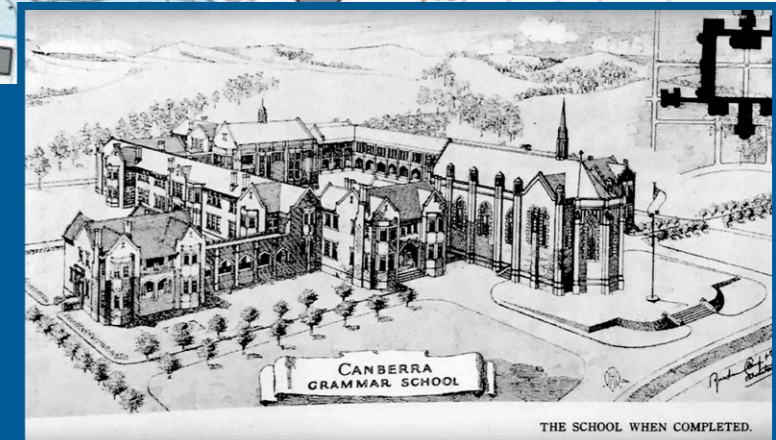
We will also upgrade Flinders Ovals to be the home of soccer, along with our pavilions and boat shed as early priorities.

QUADRANGLE COMPLEX

Much thought has also been given to the Quadrangle, where the ageing War Memorial Hall and Breezeway buildings are no longer fit for purpose. Recent renovations during early 2018 to the East Wing of the Quadrangle have given Sheaffe and Burgmann Houses new homes with attractive indoor and outdoor spaces, and given the Geography Department bright, open classrooms that combine the heritage of their location with modern standards and technology now common across the School.

Next, after relocating Reception to the former Headmaster's Residence, as a place of warm welcome to the School, we plan to replace the currently decaying 1960s Breezeway building with a sophisticated multipurpose library, exhibition space and large auditorium, looking out over the vista of the Main Oval. From the School's earliest plans, this site was envisaged as the central meeting place, and we look forward to a spectacular design befitting the location.

We can then repurpose the War Memorial Hall for examinations and expand our Science and Music Departments with new classrooms, rehearsal rooms and concert spaces.



PRIMARY SCHOOL RENEWAL

For the Primary School, returning the Senior School Library to the Quadrangle will allow the creation of the Discovery Centre in its place. This will become a spacious new home for upper Primary School classes and student support services shared with the nearby Senior School. This will also allow conversion of the ageing classrooms along Alexander Street to much-needed Primary School Reception and staff facilities, along with potential expansion of the John Lingard Hall.

Ultimately, too, relocation of the Boarding Houses will free space for a new purpose-built Early Learning Centre, sharing resources and play facilities, as well as crucial parking, drop-off and pick-up zones for families with young children in Southside right next door. We will also renovate our much-loved Northside campus in the next few years.



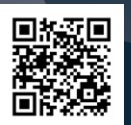
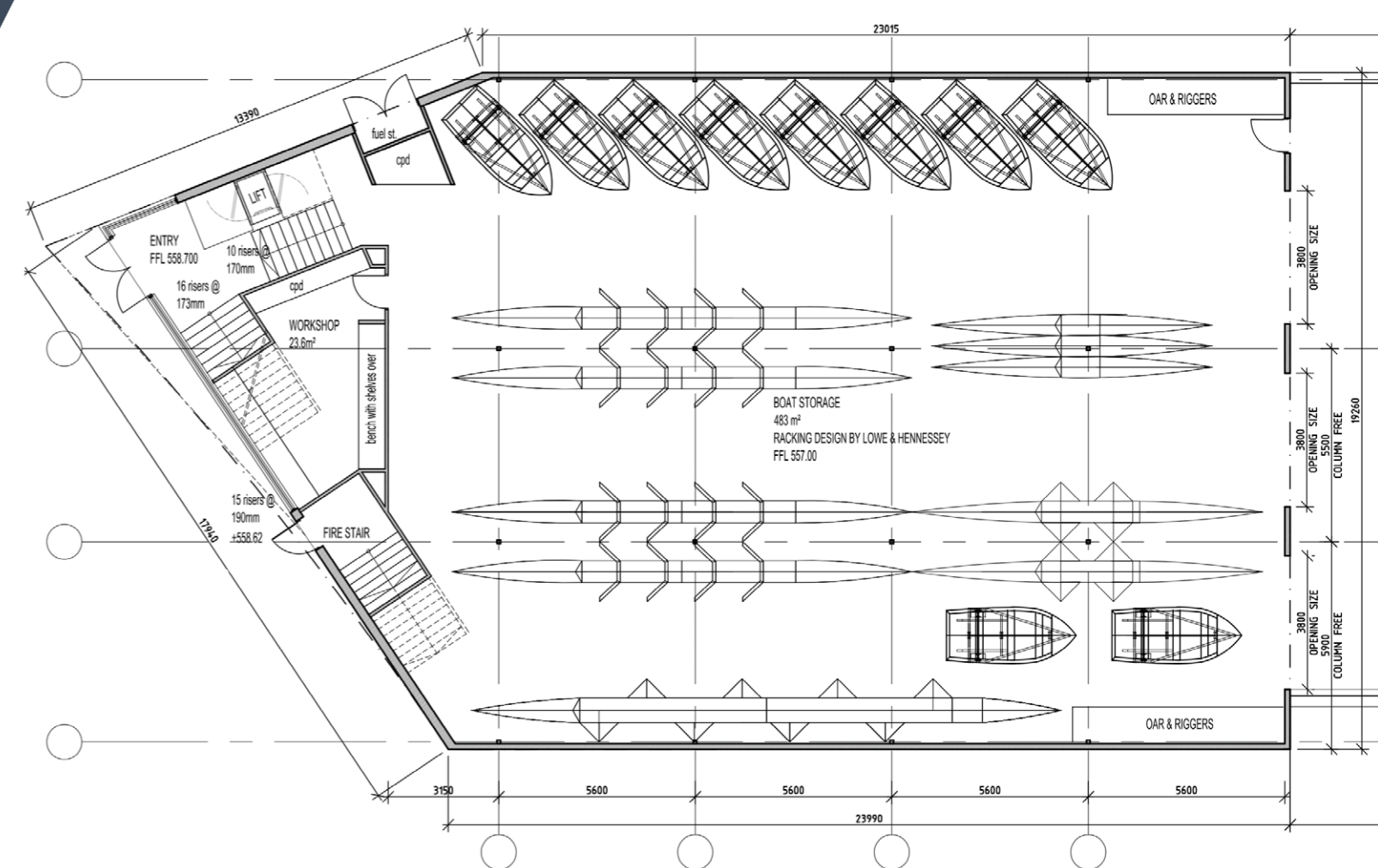
Scan the QR code to watch a video about the Campus Development Plan.



2018 CAMPUS DEVELOPMENT CAMPAIGN SPORTING FACILITIES

In 2018-2019, we aim to benefit as many students as possible by rebuilding the School's Rowing Shed, developing new tennis and netball courts, improving Flinders Oval and the Main Oval Pavilion, beginning the first phase of new boarding, and undertaking renovations to a range of classrooms in the Primary and Senior Schools.

**TO REALISE THESE
ASPIRATIONS,
WE NEED
YOUR HELP.**



Scan the QR code
to donate now.

HOW YOU CAN HELP

You can help by making a tax-deductible donation to support the CGS Foundation's Campus Development Campaign.

Donate online now at **CGSFUNDATION.ORG.AU/DONATE**

NEW MATHEMATICS CLASSROOMS OPEN 2018

CGS FOUNDATION 2017 – 2018 ACTIVITIES

It was a very active year of events for our VIP donors. The events were either sponsored by the CGS Foundation, staged by the CGS Foundation or held in partnership with the CGS Foundation. The year began with the final two weeks of the 2017 CGS 'Sculpture on the Campus' and an exclusive CGS Foundation VIP tour of the works led by Dr Garrick and curator, Mr Trevor Dunbar. This acclaimed month-long visual arts event ran from Tuesday 16 May to Saturday 18 June 2017 and was made up of submissions from professional artists from Canberra and the surrounding regions, with eligible works submitted being judged to win the 2017 CGS Harris Hobbs Outdoor Sculpture Prize of \$10,000.

The CGS campus is an ideal venue to highlight the range of sculptural forms on display, as it sits amongst some of Canberra's most beautiful gardens, with beautiful plantings and heritage listed buildings that can accommodate and enhance a large variety of entries from the ephemeral to the monumental.

In September, our VIP donors were treated to an 'Evening of Fine Music' featuring Anne Jory Organ Scholar, Jonathan Lee playing organ, Tim Murray Scholar, Janette Lin on Piano, Cooper Music Scholar, Timothy Elphick on oboe along with notable musicians; Jack Gaetjens, Neal Morris, Butros Tourky, Charlie Barnes, Elliott Murphy and Quinn Weber.

The Vintage Club Reunion was again a favourite held early November 2017.

At Christmas, we were very pleased to acknowledge our VIP donors with a gift of a rare bottle of premium Penfolds Port that had spent the last 20 years maturing in the Chapel's under-croft. This old-wood-aged tawny port was originally bottled in 1998 for the Old Boys Union and then donated to the School.

Into the New Year, the CGS Foundation's headline event the CGS Foundation Red Hill Run was to be held on 2 February 2018. Unfortunately for the event and participants, but fortunately for the regions graziers and farmers, the event was cancelled on the day due to flooding rains. Running in conjunction with the Whole School Family Picnic, the CGS Foundation Red Hill Run is set to be a must-attend event in the School's and wider Canberra community's calendar with the 2019 event planned for 3 March. We acknowledge our Platinum Sponsor Lennox Jaguar and Land Rover, and 2017 Gold Sponsors; Monaro Workwear, Canberra Podiatry and Solve Projects.

The CGS Foundation Farm petting zoo was again a hit for youngsters and the not-so-young at the 2018 CGS Fete on Saturday 7 April. This is the second year the CGS Foundation has sponsored this feature of the Fete and we look forward to bringing the Foundation Farm to the Whole School Picnic in March 2019.



CGS Foundation Members were invited to the ANZAC Day Dawn Service. This moving service featured our Indigenous Scholarship recipient playing the didgeridoo.

The Schools production of The Pirates of Penzance was the location of a VIP donor function on Wednesday 16 May. The Pirates of Penzance opened on 3 April 1880 were treated to a unique version of the musical. There was still a rag-tag bunch of pirates, a bumbling chorus of English bobbies, daughters and their friends as far as the eye can see, and a Major-General with a questionable parental past – but that is where the similarities end. The CGS Foundation co-sponsored this School production along with CGS Parents & Friends Association, the Brindabella Hearing & Speech Centre, Show Tech Australia, Bolton & Co Agents & Auctioneers, New Millennium Print.

On the fundraising side, the Foundation finished 2017 well ahead of funds raised the year prior with a giving request to alumni living in the USA to coincide with Thanks Giving. In 2018, we launched the year with a giving request in Asia to coincide with the Lunar New Year. This was followed shortly afterwards with the Australian launch of the 2018 Campus Development Campaign. The traditional end of financial year fundraising campaign has seen donated funds surpassed the 2017 total.

THE CGS FOUNDATION SUPPORTS



**SCHOLARSHIPS CAMPAIGN:
PROVIDING WORLD-CLASS OPPORTUNITIES**



**CAMPUS DEVELOPMENT CAMPAIGN:
BUILDING A WORLD-CLASS SCHOOL**



**SPECIAL INITIATIVES CAMPAIGN:
SUPPORTING WORLD-CLASS EXPERIENCES**

SUMMARY OF FINANCIAL INFORMATION

2017 was another solid year of growth for the CGS Foundation which reported a surplus of \$1,486m and net assets reached \$7.1m at 31 December 2017. Income received for the School Renewal Charge grew by 10% to \$1.121m whilst income from donations and investments fell by 7% to \$245,641. The summary below records the consolidated financial performance of the three trusts; the CGS Foundation Trust, the Building Trust and the Scholarship Fund, which together form the Foundation. The full financial accounts for each of the Trusts have been audited by Synergy Group Audit Pty Ltd

CONSOLIDATED FUNDS: 2017 PROFIT AND LOSS		
	2017	2016
	\$	\$
INCOME		
Donations Received	120,409	130,796
School Renewal Charge Received	1,121,484	1,020,491
Distributions received from CGS Foundation	119,644	99,655
Investment Income	125,232	132,546
TOTAL INCOME	1,486,769	1,383,488
EXPENSES		
Donations to CGS	102,021	120,084
Donations to CGS (for The Snow Centre)	-	-
Distributions made from CGS Foundation	119,644	99,655
Other Expenses	(1,393)	220
	220,272	219,959
SURPLUS FOR THE YEAR	1,266,497	1,163,529

CONSOLIDATED FUNDS: BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2017		
	2017	2016
	\$	\$
ASSETS		
CURRENT ASSETS		
Cash and cash equivalents	7,047,006	5,778,935
Receivables	61,284	64,438
Total Current Assets	7,108,290	5,843,373
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LIABILITIES		
CURRENT LIABILITIES		
Trade and Other Payables	2,420	4,000
Total Current Liabilities	2,420	4,000
Total Liabilities	2,420	4,000
Net Assets	7,105,870	5,839,373
EQUITY		
Retained Earnings	7,105,870	5,839,373
Total Equity	7,105,870	5,839,373

THANK YOU TO OUR 2017 – 2018 DONORS

Dr Justin Garrick, the Board and staff of the CGS Foundation, and everyone here at CGS, would like to express our heartfelt thanks to our donors. Every donation, large or small, makes an impact on the lives and education of our students. We hope you feel as proud of your contribution as we are of our community's care for our students.

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Mr Terry Snow

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