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**Minutes of the St Peter's School Alumni Incorporated
Annual General Meeting
Held in the Vallentine Room, St Peter's School
Sunday, 13 April 2014 at 10.00am**

Present: Philip Coles, John Coles, Tim Fookes, Raewyn Nel, Geoff Styles, Julian Hughes, Ross Duder, Steve Robb, Bex McGuire, Noel Dwan, Quentin Allan, Karen Brock, John Duder, Jack Yates, Nitin Khare

In Attendance: Siti Clarke, Chris Wharmsbey

The meeting commenced at 10.10am

Formal welcome and opening of the Annual General Meeting by the Chairperson, Philip Coles.

School Prayer read by Steve Robb.

Introduction of Communication Prefects

1. Apologies

Apologies were received from Miles Allan, RN Baker, Nigel Browning, Timothy Calder, Michael Chapman, Basil Coles, Robert Cox, Craig Gerzon, Anthony Hewlett, Ian Lackey, Andrew Lawry, Jordyn Moir, Matthew Moir, Rebecca Moir, Scott Moir, Glenn Morgan, David Nicoll, Peter Otway, Peter Smith (Mi), Simon Stammers-Smith, Victoria van der Spek (nee Gough), Anabelle Wilson

Moved *"that the apologies be accepted."*

Fookes / Hughes (*Carried*)

2. Previous Minutes

Amendments to Minutes:

Music Leadership Award will be a shield with a lyre plaque (not lion)

Moved "That subject to the above amendment, the minutes of the previous AGM meeting be accepted."

Fookes / Brock (Carried)

3. Matters Arising

Nil

4. Chairperson's Report

Philip Coles spoke to his report.

Presidents Report 2014

Firstly welcome back to your school and for making the time to attend this years AGM, what amazing building we are in today, state of the art facility for children of today and the future to learn and develop. Over the last 12 months there have been many developments with the Velodrome and extension of the car park at the RSC along with the new Perry Pool, St Peters School does not stand still.

Dunedin reunion on September 28th, at Forsyth Barr Stadium watching Otago v Southland, pre match drinks party; this was attended by Mike Kilgour and me, great reunion and event at the stadium.

Upcoming events

Steve and Claire Robb will be hosting a London Reunion on July 3,

June 20 Pippin Pre Production Functions from 6.00, in the Functions Room, last year was the first time we held the Pre Productions drinks, great success with about 50 people attending, so please order your tickets to the Production and you are welcome to attend this Function.

The National Fielddays held at Mystery Creek just outside Hamilton in June, the school will be having a site for the 3rd year running in the main pavilion, all welcome, Dates June 11-14.

Last year was the 10th anniversary of our Winter sports day in July. This was a Afternoon full of entertainment and games, Thanks again to Nitin Khare 0212172507 And the school for hosting this event, this years Winter Sports day is June 26.

Another event we want to get off the ground is a farm tour; the farm is a very important part of the school both from Alumni and present students.

Other projects or ideas at early stages, is the introduction of discounted rates to Alumni Facilities' such as learn to swim and golf lessons to name a few, also down in gully behind the golf academy, this is the area where flag day is held, the committee have been asked whether we would help develop the area with planting etc. So plenty happening.

The website is a ongoing project along with Face book and other social medias, we are very grateful for the time and effort that Raewyn Nel and Quentin Allan put into this on our behalf, for all up coming events please refer to these sites and links.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank the committee, Raewyn Nel, Rebecca McGuire, Ross Duder, Nitin Khare, Tim Fookes, Karen Brock, Kirsty Williamson and Linda Pelham, the committee are very passionate about our school and work hard to promote and represent you the members, with all AGMs, people come and go, this year Karen Brock is leaving us, Karen has been your treasurer and her expertise in this field have been invaluable, so on behalf of you all I would like to take this opportunity to thank Karen for her contribution.

Big thanks to Grant and Mike along with Sandra and Marc from the Finance team for all you all do behind the scenes.

Thanks once again for attending today's AGM, thank you also for having confidence in us to represent you as members of the Alumni, and look forward to working positively over the next 12 months with Trust Board, Foundation and Parents Association

Lastly, I'm sure you will enjoy both Organ Recital and Variety Concert; the children have worked hard to put on an exciting afternoon of entertainment... Thank you again for attending the 2014 AGM of The St Peter School Alumni.

Moved *"that the Chairperson's report be accepted."*

Duder / Khare (Carried)

Quentin Allan stood down as Editor of the Alumni website and planning to hand over management of the website to the school

Ross acknowledged the contribution of Grant Metcalfe to the Alumni.

5. Treasurer's Report and Financial Statement

Karen Brock presented the 2013 Financial Statement

Treasurers Report 2014

\$220,000 invested with the school

Alumni Scholarship Fund with the Foundation - \$196,000 invested at 4.82%

Two Scholarships currently being provided

Investment – Questioned whether better returns on the \$220,000K that is invested at the school.

Prudent investment currently.

Looking at other options.

Other benefits for investing with the school.

Thanks for including Note 6 in the statements.

Would like breakdown of value from school. We get a lot of value. Currently being reviewed by the Alumni Committee and School

Moved *"that the Financial report be accepted"*

Brock / McGuire (Carried)

Financial Statement prepared by Sandra Morrison.

It was requested that details of the Scholarship Fund are included in the Treasurer's Report. Including amount of the fund and amount of distributed scholarships.

6. Principal's Report

Steve Robb spoke to his report.

2013 Principal's Report to Alumni

Start of the Year

- ⤴ Roll has held at around 1,050.
- ⤴ 226 new students.
- ⤴ Largest ever Year 13, 2013, has left a gap
- ⤴ Large senior enrolment, lighter Years 7, 8, 9
- ⤴ Boarding remains strong with 410 plus

School Goals for 2014

- ⤴ **Body** Focus on developing wellness in your life
- ⤴ **Mind** Embrace learning and eLearning
- ⤴ **Spirit** Care for each other

The St Peter's Way

The Trust Board has agreed on the 2014 to 2018 focus for the School.

Why We Do What We Do

Growing Great People

How We Do It

Our unparalleled **offering** of depth and breadth in Teaching and Learning
 Our talented **people** care, and strive for excellence in every sense
 Our magnificent **environment** is an inspiration for our learning community

What We Value

<i>Excellence</i>	Each person strives for excellence in everything they do
<i>Community</i>	Each person belongs here as a global citizen
<i>Wellbeing</i>	We develop well balanced people
<i>Special Character</i>	Our Anglican base ensures a welcome for all
<i>Sustainability</i>	Our continuous improvement in all areas will ensure a sustainable future

There are also five focus areas which involve annual goals and measurable objectives.

Major Projects

Perry Pool

This covered, heated six lane x 25 metre pool was possible through a most generous gift by the Perry Foundation, along with Trust Board funding.

Junior School

This magnificent ten room building replaces the original Prep School rooms. Years 7 and 8 are based there, with classes from Year 9 and 10 timetabled there.

The building features links to Lippincott's design and many sustainable features. State of the art design is enhanced by the very latest in modern teaching, learning and technology.

Vallentine Gift

Richard J P Vallentine [1936 – 1937] bequested close to one million dollars to St Peter's in 2013.

This most generous gesture has been gratefully received by our Foundation. It will be invested and proceeds used to fund Vallentine Scholarships in Prep School, so that students who would otherwise not be able to attend St Peter's School, Cambridge, can do so.

The Board has also acknowledged Richard Vallentine with the naming of a room in Junior Block in his honour.

The School is extremely grateful for financial and other support from its school community and is keen to recognise and acknowledge such legacies.

Home of Cycling – Avantidrome

The land donated by the School has been used most effectively by the Home of Cycling to create a world class Cycling Velodrome. Six stories high and 120 metres long, this building now houses Bike NZ, High Performance Sport NZ, Triathlon NZ, and several other bodies.

School has established a Cycling Academy and also has 400 hours free access to book the track. Class levels will be involved in cycling, rowing and golf, to experience these activities.

The Te Awa walkway, linking Cambridge Township to the Home of Cycling will also open on the official opening day, Saturday, 12 April.

The Duke and Duchess of Cambridge will officially open the Home of Cycling on 12 April.

Business and Entrepreneurial Centre

The former Prep Block has been renovated and now houses classrooms, seminar room, Board room and the Communications Team.

The Business and Entrepreneurial Centre has been created to develop entrepreneurial flair and innovation and to raise financial literacy.

In its early days, stage one of the development, the programme includes focus across the curriculum, specific classes and lessons Years 7 to 13, visiting speakers, University links, business links and visits, awards for students.

Stage 2 in 2015 will see the completion of the building and official opening.

National Park

2014 should see the completion of the Resource Consent process. It has been a lengthy process, involving the Ruapehu District Council, neighbours the Pehi family, Telecom, New Zealand Police, lawyers and engineers.

The road in to the site has been realigned and upgraded. The six pods have been upgraded via a Building Consent so that camps can continue there until the first chalets are built, 2014 to 2015.

Staff – Professional Learning Community

The Professional Learning Community groups have concluded their first studies and on 25 March, each group reported back to the full staff. Topics included – nurturing self management; student engagement – Gifted and Talented; metacognition – personalised learning; metacognition – solo taxonomy; assessment for learning – formative; addressing learning needs – dyslexia; student engagement – homework; addressing learning needs – low ability; addressing learning needs – key competencies.

The second phase of the Professional Learning Community Professional Development time on Fridays will see the staff reform into their Faculty groups to focus on the Review of Junior Curriculum Years 7 to 10.

Academic Results 2013 - Highlights

Our best ever results across all qualifications –

- 100% International Baccalaureate Diploma
- 100% Cambridge International Exams
- 97.8% NCEA Level 1
- 97.5% NCEA Level 2
- 91.9% NCEA Level 3
- 93.4% University Entrances

- 22 New Zealand Scholarships were gained, including two Outstanding
- A record 162 students were awarded Scholars Awards with a total of 375 plus in their best 5 subjects [Scholars Tie (90); Silver Owl (50); Founders Scholarship Medal (22)]
- Liam McKenzie gained Excellence in all NCEA Level 1 Achievement Standards in all his six subjects, to gain a GPA of 600/600
- Anna Ennis [44/45] and James McElligott [40/45] were presented with their IB Diploma Top Scholar certificates by the Governor General of New Zealand
- Anna Ennis was awarded the Kane O'Donnell Trophy for top achiever in external exams [44/45 in IB Diploma]

Chaplain Departure

The Reverend C N Tweddell, Chaplain, January 2006 to May 2014, eight plus years will depart on 30 May to take up the position of parish priest at Wakatipu.

We thank and acknowledge our Chaplain for his sterling work in our Special Character, teaching and leading of Religious Education, leading of Chapel Services and involvement in the School community. We wish him every success in his return to parish life in the Anglican Communion.

Extra-Curricular Highlights 2013

Cultural

- "CATS" – purrfect!
- The band, Red Nite Sky – gold in New Zealand Battle of the Bands
- The band, Sunday Best – silver in Smokefree Rockquest
- Stage Challenge – an enchanting presentation

Sport

- Rowing – 8th place out of 110 schools at NZSS Rowing Champs. Six medals
- Tennis – mixed team silver NZSS; Girls team bronze NZSS
- Athletics – Ariana Lord gold NZSS, 1,500 metres; silver 1,500 metres and bronze 3,000 metres at Youth Olympics, Sydney
- Boys Soccer – 1st XI, bronze in NZSS
- Golf – Sitanun [Focus] Jonglikit won NZ U13 golf; won World golf tournament in Thailand
- Swimming – Sam Perry won four golds at NZSS [now at Stanford]; Paige Flynn won a gold
- Rugby – 1st XV beat Cambridge High School 34-7 to regain the Referee's Cup; 7s beat Hamilton Boys High School; won Waikato Regionals and played in New Zealand 7s finals [Condor 7s)
- Touch – Mixed team won bronze at NZSS finals
- Lacrosse – 5th in NZSS finals at its first attempt!

Alumni

Scholarships

Thank you for your ongoing support for Scholarships for a) Children of Alumni and b) Organ Tuition.

We gratefully acknowledge the ongoing support of the Alumni in these matters.

Conclusion

2013 was another stellar year for our School. We are excited about the coming years and will leave no stone unturned to ensure that we continue to grow, develop and achieve to our great potential.

SF Robb
Principal

"Growing Great People"

Moved *"that the Principal's report be accepted"*

Friday 6th June 2.45pm will be the official opening of the Junior Block. Honour First Day Boys and their family (11 members). Followed by a Foundation function at 3.30pm.

Richard Vallentine – A brief is being developed at present and will be circulated. Attended 1936-37 Request to put in the profiles section of the website.

Museum (archives). Room in future would be nice. But currently in the archives in the library. 75th Jubilee project. Searle donation. First Day boys will be here for Junior Block opening. Could be a great time to introduce a project like this.

7. Trust Board Report

Raewyn Nel spoke to her report.

Trust Board Alumni Representative Report 2014

Welcome and thanks to those members who have attended the AGM.

For me, it has once again been a pleasure to serve as the Alumni's Representative to the Trust Board for another year. The Trust Board has continued as a stable and effective governing body to the school, chaired by old boy David Heald with John Erkkila as Deputy. But trustee Pam Roa will be resigning at the upcoming Trust Board AGM in May due to other commitments.

The Board continues to make sure that the School provides a safe environment for the pupils and staff while maintaining and developing its facilities.

This year has certainly been another productive one for the Trust Board with the actual number of projects too numerous to mention. However, some of the highlights include:

- The completion of the indoor Perry pool which is now providing a large and comprehensive Learn to Swim program to the community.
- The completion of this magnificent Junior School facility that we will look forward to officially opening later this year. The feedback received from school community reinforces what a valuable asset this new centre is to our school.
- Upgrading of the track into the Outdoor Education Centre at National Park to allow easier and more consistent access to the site.
- With the competition of the Avantidrome and Te Awa track that runs through the school farm the Board has also created some new running tracks around the farm for the use of the school and community.
- A focus on environmental sustainability in the school remains that also continues to provide economic benefits to the school.
- The farm continues to be recognised as a unique and valuable part of the school and a number of general improvements have also been made around the farm to keep it looking good now that it is more accessible by the general public.

I'm sure that you will agree with me that the school is looking wonderful. And those of you who come to the school regularly or attend the AGM must be delighted with the continuous growth and improvement of the school. The Trust Board remains committed to maintaining and improving the world-class facilities of the school.

I am pleased to be able to report to you, again, that St Peter's continues to grow and develop as an outstanding school. And as Alumni I would like to thank David and the Board, Steve and staff, and the students for the care they take of the school.

END REPORT

Moved *"that the Trust Board report be accepted."*

Nel / Fookes (Carried)

There was a request for academic and spiritual representation / skills on the board. The Board is aware of this and investigating.

8. Election of Officers

Existing Committee	Elected	Term Expiry
Philip Coles	2008	2015
Rebecca McGuire	2011	2015
Nitin Khare	2011	2015
Kirsty Williamson	2013	2016
Geoff Styles	2013	2016
Ross Duder	2013	2016
Tim Fookes	2011	2014
Raewyn Nel	2009	2014
Linda Pelham	2011	2014

Election

Tim Fookes, Raewyn Nel and Linda Pelham were re-elected unopposed.

9. Election of Patron

Steve Robb

J Coles / Dwan (Carried)

10. Appointment of Auditor

Moved *"that the St Peter's School Alumni appoint the school Auditor to review the Annual Financial Statements.*

Brock / Styles (Carried)

10. General Business

Rule Change

Change the definition of Alumni to include past staff of the school. The current definition is 'Alumni' means past students of the School.

Moved *"that the definition of 'Alumni' be changed to 'means past students and staff of the school'.*

McGuire / Hughes (Carried)

Report from Foundation Representative

Tim Fookes spoke to his report

Foundation Representative Report 2014

The Foundation is growing in strength and has a positive outlook for the St. Peters future. With a well led committee, they have seen scholarships given out - two students (first and second place) were the recipients of the Entrepreneur Award.

With grants and membership fees, followed by two large bequeaths from old boys (Mr Richard Valentine and Mr Shayle R. Searle), the formation of a Foundation Investment Committee has been created to invest capital funds for the future to protect against static financial growth.

The starting up of two more options to join the Foundation, these being "The 1936 Club" and "Friends of St. Peters" hope to make it easier to become members of the Foundation as they will be an annual fee until fully paid up. All membership plans can be paid on an annual basis until fully paid.

The Foundation Committee is keen to have closer ties with the Alumni and help in any way possible as they see collaboration will benefit the school. Already Alumni members having joined the Foundation and in turn belonging to the Committee.

The Alumni Scholarship fund is invested with the Foundation – current balance is \$197,438. Two scholarships are awarded from interest accumulated by these funds.

Thank You
Tim Fookes

It was asked what is the cost of upgrading the organ? Vallentine will terms? Hard work to raise the money for organ. Can a gesture towards the organ? Refer to the committee for next meeting. Also relay to Foundation.

Correspondence In

A proposal was received from Ian Lackey – Appendix 1
Will discuss at committee. Also include Broadhurst as in WW1
It was asked that the school admin to add it to the website

Strategy Report

Ross Duder spoke to this report – Appendix 2

Measurable performance – KPI?
Will be finalized over the next year.
Publish strategy on the website?
St Peters News Negative perception of the Alumni.

Old Boys Association

Original records, where are these. Archives?

The Chairman thanked the members for attending the meeting and their input.

The meeting concluded at 11:35am

Chairperson

Date

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26th. March 2014

1. Celebrated Members of the Alumni

The December Edition of St. Peter's News included an Obituary to Old Boy and my contemporary, Jeremy Pope. In addition, on the following page there was an article he had written describing his reminiscences of leaving for school from Wellington by train. The scenes depicted were through the eyes of a new boy. He would have been 8 and the "dormitories" almost exclusively *only* the "Blue" dormitory whose occupants' ages would range between 6 and possibly the odd just-turned 9!

There were two other Obituaries, for Master - Lewis Drew and Mathematician-Shayle Searle. It occurred to me that St. Peter's does not have any formal *award to those former pupils, Staff and other closely connected who may have gained some recognised successes in their lives. As an example Wanganui Collegiate School, established 160 years ago similarly had no such recognition until 1983 where and when a school honours tie was awarded to those "who have distinguished themselves in career or recreational interest or to Old (Pupils) non-Old-Boys and Academic Staff who have made a considerable contribution to the school "(WCS Register P33).
(*The Brock pool is of course one exception)

Could I suggest here that the St. Peter's Alumni sometime in the near future make a submission or themselves institute some form of recognition along similar lines?

As an addendum I would suggest to include Shayle Searle in any such list along with several Captains of Industry, At least two Musicians, a Painter, Agricultural Pioneers, Educators (including Staff), a Bishop, several in the Professions, Geologist-Explorers and Sports People. Many of the Alumni could probably name a dozen.

2. "In which we serve"

Of greater urgency, with the Centenary commemoration of the Gallipoli Landings at Anzac next year and, this year, that of NZ's annexation of German Samoa at the commencement of the first World War, I wish to propose here that recognition be given to those Former pupils and Staff who have answered their country's call to arms. One is reminded also that our Founder earlier served as a Pilot and Instructor in the Royal Flying Corps in that conflict.

I enclose a list, probably incomplete, of those who have served- (29 at least from WW2- alone) I have compiled from "The Owl Spreads its Wings" and The Chronicles of 1944 and '46, but to complete my findings on WW2 would require further reference to Chronicles of 1942-43-45. I have listed what I understand to be their last reported Rank or Rating and War record with an asterisk marking the three whose names are inscribed on the Memorial Plaque in the St. Peter's chapel.

I am aware that some who elected to make careers in the Military or short-service Commissions may never have seen action nor otherwise served in areas of conflict so to include their names may not be justified to be listed as combatants. Nevertheless I understand that both Wellington College and Wanganui Collegiate School have the names of all those who have represented their country in times of War listed in their Memorial Halls. Only recently Palmerston North Boys' High School held a service of remembrance to honour an Old Boy who lost his life in the Falklands Islands conflict- whilst serving in the forces of the United Kingdom.

I am not able to be present to speak to this proposal at the forthcoming AGM of the Alumni on 12th April but would ask that it be placed on the Agenda. Paul Bush who lives nearby at Parnassus has agreed to be the seconder of my proposal. It would not take much to establish a resolution in principle which if carried, a suitable recognition of St. Peter's contribution to the freedom we enjoy today could be instituted.

Yours faithfully,

Ian Lackey
(I.G. Lackey 1947-50)

Secunder PDH Bush (1938-42)

Appendix 1

AIR FORCE

G.L Caldwell	1936-39	RNZAF 1944
G.S.T. Edgecombe	1936-38	LAC Canada
J.D.O. Ellis	1936-38	Pilot RNZAF 1943-44
W.H. Gould*	1936-36	F/O.Pilot Hampden Bomber KIA Saarbrucken 29/8/42
A.B. Orr	1936-37	F/Sgt. Fighter Pilot 18 Squadron Pacific
O.J. Osborne	1937-38	RNZAF Pilot 1944
J.G.S. Reid	1936-36	RAF Coastal Command RNZAF 1943-46 F/O
E.O. Rowley	1936-37	RNZAF 1941-45
T.W. Smith	1936-36	Canada/UK F/Lt; F/Lt. RNZAF
R.J.P. Valentine	1936-37	Canada(Training);to NZ. Gold Coast (Ghana)
J.G. Whitney	1936-38	Pilot Egypt, India, England- RNZAF
A.K. Hancock*	(Master)	Pilot Officer killed accident Westport 16/10/43
A.B. Cox	1941-43	Lt. USAF 1952-54
J. Addis	1942-45	RAF
R.D. Black	1937-40	LAC RNZAF WW2

NAVY

G.J. Hodgson	1936-37	RN S/Lt. subsequent RNZNVR
I.R. Sainty	1940-42	RNZN- Achilles-Truk then surrender Tokyo Bay; Korea
K.C. Simpson	1937-37	RN S/Lt, Anti-submarine-Atlantic; RNZN
R.J. Virtue	1937-39	Royal Navy
J.A. Mitchell	1938-42	L/Cdr.-served in 9 RN,2 RNZN ships from 1946
C.E. Canty	(Master)	CPO P.T. RNZN
R.B. Oliphant	1957-61	RNZN 1966-67?

ARMY

L.P. Ellis	1936-36	Auckland Battalion-wounded Italy?1943
M.G.M. Bevan	1936-36	Lt. Grenadier Guards
P.A. Gardner	1936-37	S.Sgt 24 Bn. Italy ; 19 ASC J.Force,Japan
W.A.O. Jacob	1936-39	Royal Engineers 1944-47;Singapore '45-46
M.A. Waller	1936-37	22 Battalion Italy L/Cpl
C.J. Whitney	1936-38	Artillery, NZ Home Service
D.C. Garlick	1939-40	J Force Japan. Subsequently became a monk, Japan
D.H. Nancarrow*	(Master)	2 NZEF Tunisia Gen. Freyberg's Staff; liaison Offr F.French Forces; sec. Greek Army;wounded Sangro R. died 2/12/43
A.M.B. Lenton	(Master)	QM Armoured regiment Africa, Italy-wounded
R.G. Roberts	(Master)	Lt. Gilbert and Ellice Islands
O.P. Gabites	(Master)	Gunnery Sgt.Egypt; AA Battery Italy- wounded
I. Whitehead	(Master)	Army Medical Corps. Italy
S. Monckton-Arundel	1940-42	Life Guards. Service Post WW2.
T.W. Rivett-Carnac	1937-39	Captain Scots Guards. Malaya 1948
H.M. Barnes	1941-42	Royal Artillery. Captain
R G. Tomkies	1947-49	1 Waikato Regiment NZ Army Australia
D.B. Wybourne	1977-77	Capt. British Army
D.W. Lackey	1953-57	Lt. NZ Artillery Vietnam
C.M. Gregory	1967-75?	Truce Observer, Syria
R.S.D. Crafts	1976-79	NZ Army (then) Officer Cadet Portsea
R.J. Hoole	1976-80	SA Nat. Service Reserve Namibia
F.O Wilson	1957-59	(Civilian -Min. Foreign Affairs) when 2nd Secy Saigon 1973-75 supervised evacuation Embassy Staff when Saigon overrun by N. Vietnamese Forces so warranted inclusion here.



St Peters Alumni Strategy

2014 - 2020

Why we have a Alumni Strategy

- To provide current and prospective members a united understanding of the alumni purpose and goals
- To support a consistent vision for the current, and future, committee to ensure the alumni speaks with one voice
- To enable the alumni to measure its performance



The purpose of the Alumni is:

- to promote an active interest in the welfare of the School among the Members and to do anything which may contribute to the welfare of the school and Association.
- to execute and undertake any trusts which the Association or its Executive Committee considers beneficial to its objectives, and to appoint a trustee or trustees pursuant to Rule 5(1) in respect of any trusts created by the Association.
- to provide Scholarships from the Scholarship Fund either competitive or selective, of such amount and subject to the conditions set out in Rule 6 and such other conditions as the Association or Executive Committee decides.
- to provide assistance other than Scholarships for students whether individually or collectively, at the school as the Executive Committee may decide.
- to appoint a trustee to represent the Association on the Board of the St Peter's School Trust Board in accordance with the provisions of Clause 4 (6) of the Schedule to the St Peter's School Trust Board Act, 1085 or any amendment or substitution of that clause.
- to appoint a Trustee to represent the Association on the St Peter's School Foundation.
- to do any other thing as the Association considers beneficial to achieving any of the objectives.

(As per the Alumni rules)



Speaking with one voice

Beyond the purpose as outlined in the Alumni rules, the committee adheres to the following principles:

- High levels of transparency – members know the financial position of the alumni and how this is being used to support the alumni's purpose
- Strong and lasting connection and partnership with the School, the Foundation and the Trust Board.



The Purpose

How will the alumni promote an active interest in the welfare of the school?

Through communication and connectivity, to build and strengthen relationships with members, non financial members and related parties

- Better utilisation of the St Peters Alumni website
- Better and more targeted use of social media
- Improved coordination with the school around alumni events and news
- Friendship building events
- Reunions
- Social Events
- Network opportunities
- Fundraising and Donations



The Purpose

Scholarship administration/finances

Scholarships (current and potential) should follow these principles:

- Monies for scholarships is paid from interest earned on the scholarship fund capital
- If the full amount of a scholarship is not allocated in a year, then the remaining balance is added to the capital amount
- The scholarship must either:
 - support an active interest in the welfare of the school
 - support students activities to supplement and diversify the educational experiences available at the school
 - promote the identity and recognition of the school nationally and internationally



The Purpose

Trustee representatives

As a representative of the alumni to the School Trust Board and the School Foundation, the following principles will be followed:

- to foster and support a unified understanding by the Trust and Foundation of the alumni's purpose and goals
- attempt to seek endorsement of the alumni's purpose and goals
- to build and strengthen relationships to assist in supporting alumni goals

