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Peace Excellence Scholarship for Indigenous Boarders

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ACHIEVEMENTS

Graduation Success



Liamon Mudd
Alumni 2016
*Kunjen Clan, Kowanyama
Cape York*

Peace Lutheran College has played a major part in my life and I feel blessed to have been a graduate of the school. The school equipped me with a lot of knowledge and a toolkit to survive in this big scary world. After graduating in 2016, I went on to study a Bachelor of Nursing

Science at James Cook University, deferred after 12 months to gain more life experiences and have since gone onto fulltime employment back in my community, where I worked at Kowanyama State School and the Sport and Recreation Centre.

Twelve months on from there, I moved to Mareeba where I am currently undertaking a Traineeship in Medical Reception with Mulungu Aboriginal Health Services.

My dream is to become a registered nurse and give back to my people. I would like to encourage the next generation to also follow their dreams.



Daniel Rosendale
Alumni 2015
*Guugu Yimithirr People,
Hope Vale*

The education and support I received at Peace set me up to succeed in life after school. After graduating I was employed at Pullman Cairns International. I was awarded 2016 Regional Indigenous Employee of the Year (QLD & NSW) and 2017 Employee of the Year for Accor

Hotels, representing Australia at a forum in England. To complement my work experience, I am undertaking a Bachelor of Business Administration externally through University of Technology Sydney with the Jumbunna Pathways Program which offers prospective undergraduate Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students an opportunity to illustrate their capability for higher education.

Outside work I share two passions – Board Member and Director of Deadly Inspiring Youth Doing Good (www.diydg.org.au) and playing Rugby. I have represented Australia in the Indigenous Australian Invitational Rugby Team that toured America and Canada. My years at Peace gave me the confidence to be who I am today.



Cajun Darby, Year 10
Frieden Boarding House

I have been a Boarding student at Peace for 4 years. Boarding at Peace has given me so many opportunities to do so many things in and out of school hours. I was honored to accept an offer to play rugby for a club outside of school. But mostly what I like about Boarding at the school is that you are never alone – someone's always got your back at hard and good times during your time here at Peace. It's easy to make friends and get along with each other. The boys and girls that board here are like brothers and sisters away from home, so the boarding community is like a home away from home. I feel that it is a great honour to get the opportunity to board here at Peace.



Peace Lutheran College has a reputation of success for graduating ATSI students. This is achieved through the school's superior pastoral care program; smaller class sizes to cater for students who require support and for those with English as a second language; Aboriginal and Islander learning assistants on staff to provide support and tutoring in classes; and additional support provided by the College Pastor, Student Welfare Officer and Guidance Officer.

Adding to the academic offering at the school, students also have the opportunity to complete Vocational Education and Training (VET) courses as part of their education at Peace.

BOARDING

Scholarship Opportunities

Peace Lutheran College is a quality Christian co-educational Prep to Year 12 school in Cairns

The school is committed to encouraging well being and the pursuit of success and to develop young men and women of character in a Christian community. Developing the whole person is at the heart of the school, ensuring Peace is a place where everyone feels valued; a place where everybody is somebody.

Peace Boarding serves students from Cape York and Torres Strait, Western Queensland and other parts of Australia and overseas. The school prides itself on taking a holistic approach to the care of its boarding students. A balanced approach with a mix of academic, worship, sporting and social aspects are designed to help students reach their full potential.

Dedicated House Parents live in each house and work hard to provide a "home away from home".

Peace Excellence Scholarship for Indigenous Boarders

Peace Lutheran College (PLC) provides Boarding Scholarships of up to \$10,000 per year for Indigenous Boarding students who live in remote communities. The Scholarship covers school fees, stationery, uniforms, school shoes and a computer. The purpose of the Scholarship is to provide opportunities for appropriately qualified students who would not otherwise be able to attend boarding school for financial reasons. These scholarships are available for new student enrolments only.

- Scholarships will generally be offered at entry to Middle School (Year 7 or 8) or to Senior School (Year 10 or 11).
- Scholarship applications must be submitted by end of March for entry into the following year.
- Scholarship testing and selection occurs once per year at the end of Term 2. Scholarships are offered on the basis of an application, reference and the results of an academic scholarship test.
- Potential applicants need a minimum 'C' for all core subjects at their age appropriate level. The grade for 'Effort' and/or 'Behaviour' on current school reports needs to be at a minimum 'Good'.
- Current school attendance record needs to be 90% or higher.
- Applicants must demonstrate a positive attitude to studies and extra-curricular involvement. Scholarship recipients will be expected to maintain commitment to studies and make a significant contribution to boarding life at PLC.
- The decision to award a Scholarship is entirely at the Principal's discretion.

Applications are made via our website at www.plc.qld.edu.au, located under BOARDING.



Leonie Moon, Year 7
Milyn Boarding House

I started at Peace in 2018, in year 7. This is the first time I have been away from home for longer than a few weeks. It has been a big change for me, coming from a small island and moving to a big city suddenly, the traveling, and not being able to see my family as much as I used to. My boarding roommates helped me cope and reassured me, and the boarding house parent also helps you settle, and the smiling faces from staff and their willingness to help you helped me cope better. The other boarders have been super friendly, and I've made some good friendships. Weekend activities are fun and sometimes we do this with other boarding schools around Cairns. This gives us the opportunity to connect with new people and in some cases, it gives us the chance to meet a relative that has been boarding there. I'm looking forward to coming back next year for year 8!



Culture



Indigenous Art



Achieving



Sports



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