

Dear Members,

St Andrew's Anglican College wishes to share an update regarding the future of the Peregian Springs Rec Centre.

We understand how much this facility has meant to you and the wider community, and we want to take this opportunity to thank you for your patronage and support over the past two years and acknowledge the role it has played in fostering community connections and a shared space for residents

When the College acquired the Rec Centre, we committed to keeping the pool open to the public for two years, ensuring continued access for the community. Having fulfilled this commitment, the College has made the decision to close the pool effective Friday 4 April.

While the pool will no longer be available, the Rec Centre gym will remain open and operational for members, with a reduced membership fee.

	<u>Fee per Person</u>
<u>Full Membership (16yrs+) fortnightly</u>	<u>\$32</u>
<u>Full Memberships (16yrs+) upfront</u>	<u>\$208</u>

Membership includes access to the Rec Centre gym, tennis courts and St Andrew's Aquatic Centre pool.

As part of our long-term Master Plan, the Rec Centre will be redeveloped into a dedicated sports precinct for our students. In the short term, the pool and surrounding area will be repurposed into an open green space, retaining the existing shade, grass, and seating to provide a welcoming environment for community use, especially for those visiting the café.

This transition is a necessary step to support the growth of the College and meet the needs of current and future students. With space on campus increasingly limited, this additional land will enable the development of enhanced facilities that will benefit both our students and the broader Sunshine Coast community.

The initial development and plans to remove the pool, will be submitted to the council in due course.

We thank you for your understanding and support as we move forward with this important step in St Andrew's journey.

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