Excellence on show at UCSSC

The college continues at the forefront of innovation with a pioneering and nationally significant partnership with the University of Canberra. This partnership strengthens teaching and learning initiatives at the college and allows the institutions to share resources, strategies, research and practice.

Students are able to co-enrol at the university and gain access to the library, online academic publications as well as faculty facilities, resources and equipment. Students are also able to access university courses through an accelerated academic program. Whether students intend to enter university in Australia or internationally, participate in technical and industry training, take a gap year or begin work, the college and its partners are dedicated to helping each student develop and achieve their goals.

The college’s 2012 production of The Wedding Singer was brought to life through a series of performances on August 1 – 4. Bright sets, flashing lights, mullet wigs and spectacular costumes were out in full force as UCSSC Lake Ginninderra celebrated all things 1980s in their performance of the modern musical.

Current students, alumni, staff and community members all helped to bring the production to life and the school would like to extend congratulations to all involved.

Six months of preparation has seen students progress their acting, singing, instrumental, dancing, and technical skills to build a cohesive team of performers.

Leads Henry Paul and Natasha Nauenburg were outstanding in this romantic comedy, portraying their characters with confidence; they were complemented by fantastic character performances from a number of cast members and the enthusiastic ensemble, with many students taking on roles ranging from Cyndi Lauper and Tina Turner to the bewigged and mullet-wearing wedding singer band. Strong performances from current and alumni musicians made this a show to remember.

UCSSC Lake Ginninderra’s musical program has developed over recent years. Beginning with a performance of Little Shop of Horrors, the students have progressed to such shows as the light-hearted The Wiz, and the dramatic Jekyll and Hyde.

Musical productions are open to any student in the school, and many of the cast and crew successfully combine high-level studies in English, maths or science with the fun and challenge of performing in the show.

The college is looking forward to next year’s production, and the chance for its students to have a fantastic time while showcasing their talent to the Canberra community.

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