Rogaining

On the first Saturday (23rd) of the June holidays, 16 Years 11 and 12 students from Pembroke took part in the Take a Breather Charity Challenge, a rogaining event in the Second Valley Forest Reserve, to help raise money for the Asthma Foundation.

It was a cold and wet day, but the students took up the challenge and trudged through the mud, water and slippery conditions. They navigated their way, in small groups, through the hazardous undergrowth of the forest for 6 hours to locate their markers.

All the students can be justly proud of the manner in which they acquitted themselves in what was a difficult and challenging exercise, still managing to come out at the end with a smile and a great sense of accomplishment.

Our thanks to all those who sponsored the groups. We managed to raise nearly $3,000 out of a total of well over $50,000.

Thanks also to Ms Rayson, who braved the elements on the day.

The Asthma Foundation holds the Pembroke Community in high regard as a result of their efforts in this worthy cause.

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