

SUPPORTER Q&A WITH CATHERINE PERICH

Catherine Perich is a member of Mater Dei's Development Program Committee and the Chair of the Lipstick Luncheon Committee, the hilarity-filled event that is the highlight of the year for so many women in the Macarthur region.

Catherine says she fell in love with Mater Dei's students from the moment she joined the Development Program Committee six years ago.

Q *Why do you keep coming back to give your time and energy to Mater Dei?*

A It's like a magnet! The children are almost always happy. When you see them they want to hold your hand and your heart just goes out to them. I am also having a lot of fun working with the girls on the Luncheon Committee - everyone gets on well and is so enthusiastic about making the event the best luncheon there is! We also want to raise as much money as we can for the children, so we work very hard at securing sponsorships and donations and selling tickets. The event is sold out three months beforehand!

Q *If you could invite anyone to dinner who would you choose?*

A Elton John, Elvis Presley and Princess Diana.

Q *If you could live anywhere in the world where would you choose?*

A I love where my home is - and it's in Bringelly . It sits between the city and the country so for me it's the best of both worlds.

Q *If you could travel back in time which era would you choose?*

A I'd want to stay in the one I'm in. We are not experiencing a war or a depression and technology makes so much possible - even though I don't know how to use it!

