



SCHOLS NEWS

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From the Principal



Prayer

"Lent comes providentially to reawaken us, to shake us from our lethargy."

Pope Francis

Lord, please show me what I
should give up for Lent
And when I've given it up
Remind me to pray to You
instead
To thank You
To love You
To hear from You
Each and every day in Lent

Amen

International Women's Day Breakfast

Thank you to all the families who joined us for our early celebration of International Women's Day at breakfast on Tuesday morning. It was a lovely opportunity for parents and carers to be a part of their daughters' school life, to meet each other and to feel a part of the greater school community. Guest speaker, Professor Alaina Ammit, presented a wonderful tableau of her life from being a student at Schols in the 70s and 80s to her success as Associate Dean of Research at UTS and Director of the Emphysema Unit at the Woolcock Institute. Professor Ammit's presentation was inspirational, encouraging young women to become leaders in a field traditionally dominated by men. The message was clear: Schols girls can do anything!

The theme for International Women's Day this year is #Pressforprogress. Progress is a key word in this context as, despite positive change in recent decades, women in Australia still earn 15.3% less than men. We must never forget that women around the world are victims of violence and abuse and remain the poorest and most disadvantaged members of society globally. Progress towards fundamental human rights for all needs to be kept on the agenda.

Swimming Carnival

The College swimming carnival, held last Friday at North Sydney Pool, was another wonderful celebration of community, with House and School spirit abounding. The seven new Houses were passionately represented and participation was the greatest seen in many years. I thank Jodie Osborne, Courtney Gorman, the PDHPE staff, and the announcers, House Mentors, House Captains and Prefects for the success of the day. It was great to see families come along too.

Recent Events

In addition to the swimming carnival, the International Women's Day Breakfast and the Year 7 Camp, a number of after school events have been held in this fortnight. The Year 12 Learning Progress Meetings were held in the new Subiaco area and ran very smoothly. The schools' Public Speaking competition kicked off and the Year 9/10 Study Skills evening with Prue Salter was held. Details of these events can be found later in this newsletter and feedback is welcomed.

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Student Success

- **Sofia Palleschi**, in Year 8, acted in a short film which was a finalist in the recent Junior Tropest film festival, televised on the ABC.
- **Nicela Martincic**, in Year 12, won the 200m Head of the River rowing competition.
- The College Dragon Boating team won Gold in all three distances at the National Championships in Brisbane last weekend.

Mrs Kate Rayment

Parent Partnerships

Thank you to the parents who attended the Year 12 Learning Progress Meetings, the International Women's Day Breakfast and the Study Skills evening in the last two weeks. These events are all very important for building partnership and supporting the girls' learning.

From the Assistant Principal – Pastoral Care & Wellbeing

How We Live Our Lives Shows Who We Are

Last year at the Year 10 Camp I had the opportunity to work with the girls on ideas about leadership. One of the themes we explored was that we recognise qualities in others not in a one-off powerful moment, a key speech or on a leadership day. Rather, it is through our actions and interactions over time that we show our nature, our strengths and our weaknesses.

I have been thinking about this talk over these last couple of weeks as I have worked with students on the issues of their travel to and from school, their interactions with local businesses and their lives at the College.

It is possible to say that the only important result is a test score or a positive report card. Certainly the academic development of our students is at the heart of our mission and at the core of our hopes and the hope of the girls and their families. It is the case however, that our goals for these young women are about more than individual academic success. Their story is also about growth from children to adults as citizens and participants in society.

In this context, the way our students live their lives at the College matters, just as their academic success matters.

Public Transport

When the students travel on public transport, it is the College expectation that they are aware of those around them, polite in their dealing with members of the public as well as their peers, and that they offer their seat to other passengers. This is not a new expectation. This behaviour is, to be clear, also a core requirement of the students having access to State sponsored travel on public transport. The way our students act when they are not seen by teachers, not

supervised by parents is an important statement about their developing character.

Mostly our students are wonderful in this context. I am always delighted to share stories from the public who have noted an anonymous student helping a Year 7 student find their transport link, or a student who has helped with a pram, or assisted with the offer of a seat. Unfortunately, there have also been a number of reports this year of students on the light rail in particular not offering their seats, not managing backpacks, blocking doorways not acting in an aware, compassionate manner.

Local Businesses

We are lucky to have the Tramsheds and Glebe Point Road businesses very close to the College. These last two weeks I, along with other staff, have been needed to manage the use of the supermarket at the Tramsheds by our students. Large numbers of girls use the supermarket on their way to school, notably to purchase family packets of chips and large blocks of chocolate as snacks on their way to the College in the morning. We continue to work with the girls around their choices of snacks and the environmental impact of their choices including the use of supermarket plastic bags and disposable packaging. We do this through the curriculum and College initiatives. Beyond this issue, it is clear that with large numbers of students come large numbers of backpacks. I am delighted to say that the students are always polite in their dealing with College representatives, making sure their bags are appropriately placed, greeting us with a "good morning" and a chat. It should not, however, require our presence to ensure the girls are aware of the community around them and their impact on the community.

Achievements

At the College, our students work hard in their classes, and engage in many extra-curricula activities with gusto. It was a pleasure to see the girls take part in the CDSA public speaking competition in Fairfield last Friday night. They were superb! Courageous, gallant in victory and thoroughly gracious in defeat. I was so proud to stand by them and their families. These are the characteristics we want to work on, and the achievements we want to celebrate.

Uniform

It is sometimes a challenge to create the space to focus on these achievements when we are needing to devote time to distractions such as persistent uniform issues, from seniors rolling up their skirts after Homeroom, to additional piercings or hair not being tied back. In the scheme of things these matters can appear trivial, and yet, they are a show of partnership with the College and a display of pride in the girls' place in our community. It is also a sign of respect for the teacher that these matters are dealt with once, effectively and finally the first time a concern is raised.

I started with the notion that it is in our daily lives that we show our character. In this week of International Women's Day, a time to celebrate the achievements of so many women over so many years, it is appropriate for our students to reflect, and for all of us to reflect. How are we living our lives? Are we responding to our neighbour, as the Parable of the Good Samaritan calls us to do? The Samaritan didn't wait for an audience, didn't check who was watching, or consider if he would be praised.

In the Parable, the Samaritan was aware, saw a need and responded with compassion. I saw these qualities in our public speakers, congratulating and consoling each other in turn, and I see these qualities in our College in all sorts of ways each day. The challenge for us all is to live our lives well in the little moments, even when we are tired, distracted, or focusing on ourselves. Perhaps this week in our homes and conversations we can talk through this challenge with

Dr Jen Petschler

the girls, how we as adults respond in the way we live our lives, and how the girls in turn respond, in their own way.

International Women's Day

This week our College celebrated International Women's Day with our annual breakfast. Our guest speaker, Professor Alaina Ammit is a member of the College alumna, and is currently a member of our College Board. Introduced by our College Co-Captains, Professor Ammit spoke about the nature of working as a woman in the field of science and medical research.

The presentation took us on a walk through Professor Ammit's career as she explained the nature of qualification and progress that forms the backdrop for her work at UTS as Associate Dean (Research) and Professor of Respiratory Pharmacology in the Faculty of Science and at the Woolcock Institute. Interestingly, Professor Ammit drew attention to the graph of male to female ratios of those in positions in science, from Bachelor level study through to the highest levels of academia. Where initially women outnumber men, by the time higher positions are in play that ratio is reversed and exaggerated.

In her presentation Professor Ammit shared her analysis of why this disparity is the current norm, and suggested ways to respond. From prejudice, unconscious bias and sexism as features of a current context she urged those present to be powerful, united, smart and strong. Her analysis and advice was well received!

In closing our Principal Kate Rayment paid tribute to Professor Ammit and her four sisters who were present, all ex-students. Their mother was also warmly remembered as we came together to pray for the anniversary of her passing. Having members of our alumna remain close to the community brings great depth to our College life.

From the Assistant Principal – Teaching & Learning

Study Skills Evening

On Wednesday 7th March, Dr Prue Salter from Enhanced Learning Educational Services conducted a study skills evening with Year 9 students and parents. The evening was a resounding success with approximately 250 people attending. The evening was organised to help families support students to achieve their personal best, efficiently and effectively.

Dr Salter prompted parents and students to examine their home study environment; the way study resources are organised; how to deal with distractions and manage the workload; the steps towards effective study; making study notes and learning them by self-testing and by practising as much as possible. I encourage parents to review the handout from the session and discuss with their daughters the main areas where changes need to be made. Dealing with distractions, (e.g. mobile phone intrusion) was an issue consistently raised. Dr Salter highlighted several apps that can help students deal with distractions. Parents can also find extra study skills tips on the following website: <http://studyskillstoptipsparents.com/>.

All students at our school have access to a great website to help students develop their study skills. Go to: www.studyskillshandbook.com.au and enter the username: **schols** and the password: **4success** and start improving your results today!

Mr Adrian Eussen

From the Head of Curriculum

NAPLAN

Recently schools in NSW received notification from the NSW Education Authority (NESA) that Year 9 NAPLAN tests will no longer be used as an early way for students to demonstrate the [minimum standard of literacy and numeracy](#) needed to receive the HSC.

Students sitting NAPLAN in 2018 and moving forward will now be required to complete an online Literacy and Numeracy test to demonstrate they have met the HSC Minimum Standard. Students will have opportunities in Years 10, 11 and 12 and then up to five years after the student leaves school to take these tests.

For students who sat NAPLAN in 2017, the requirements will not change. A current Year 10 student who achieved a Band 8 or above in one or

The Presentation can be accessed at:

www.enhanced-learning.net and click on *PARENTS AND STUDENTS*. The **password is: Achieve**

Open Day 2018

Open Day is on Sunday 18th March and all students will be expected to attend for at least two hours. On Friday 16th March, school will finish at 1.05pm for Years 10, 11 and 12 unless your daughter has a specific job helping teachers set up. Years 7, 8 and 9 will have classes as normal and will assist setting up for Open Day during period 7. More details about Friday 16th and Open Day will be emailed this week.

Year 12 Learning Progress Meetings

Thank you to all the parents and carers who attended the Learning Progress Meeting last Monday evening. This was an important meeting to help your daughter prepare for the upcoming half yearly exams, and to take into account helpful feedback that may assist her. This was the final Year 12 Learning Progress Meeting for 2018. Learning Progress Meetings for Years 7 – 11 will be held at the end of Term 2 on 27th and 28th June.

Disability provisions

Any Year 11 student applying for disability provisions for assessments, please see Mr Eussen or Ms Burton for any details on the request.

Ms Margaret Taborda mtaborda@scholastica.nsw.edu.au

From the Boarding School



← Friday Evening Fashion Parade ↓

One Friday night after dinner, the girls in Winima with a few of the older girls, fashioned couture outfits from whatever they could find...some creative fun on a warm Friday evening.



← Sunday afternoon in Chinatown, soaking in the final days of the Chinese New Year celebrations.



Afternoon Tea ↓ ↑ →

The new boarders and their Buddies gathered on the deck for a special afternoon tea. It was an excellent opportunity to bond while enjoying their favourite pastime...eating delicious food!

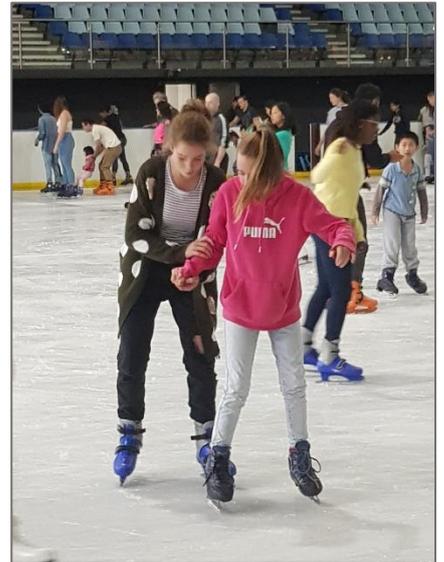


March Birthdays

This week, we celebrated the March birthdays. ↓



More fun on the Sunday outing with the girls heading to the Macquarie Centre for an afternoon of ice-skating! ↓ →



We are delighted to introduce Ms Beryl Girshkin to the boarding → school. Ms Girshkin will be working alongside Miss Favaloro looking after the Years 11 and 12 girls in Tox 1 and 2. Ms Girshkin holds a Bachelor of Arts and a Bachelor of Education and has previously worked as a History teacher.

From the Library

Library Resources

Databases

The Library now has a variety of databases to help students with their research tasks. Some of these include:

- JSTOR (for all subjects/learning areas)
- Ebsco – Australia/New Zealand Reference Centre (for all subjects/learning areas)
- History Reference Centre
- Religion and Philosophy Collection

If students are unsure how to access these resources, please see Mrs Howard in the Library for a handout, or come to the Library at recess for one-on-one tuition.

CiteMaker

CiteMaker is a referencing tool designed to help students construct reference lists for their assignments. All students now have access to CiteMaker via the Library Canvas page. Please come to the Library at recess if you would like tuition on how to use this resource, or ask your teacher to book Mrs Howard for a lesson to teach your entire class.

Digital Sydney Morning Herald

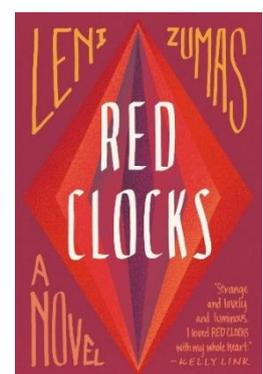
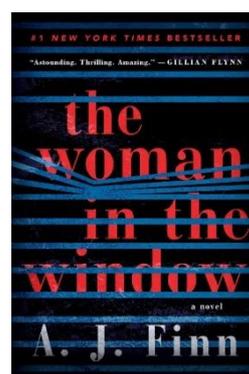
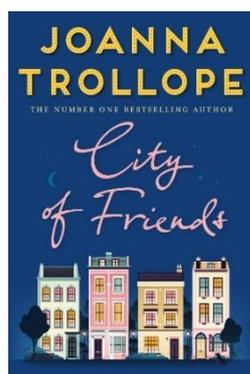
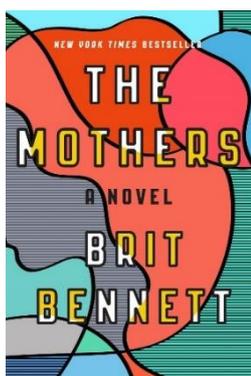
The digital Sydney Morning Herald is available for all staff and students via the Library Canvas page.

New Fiction Titles

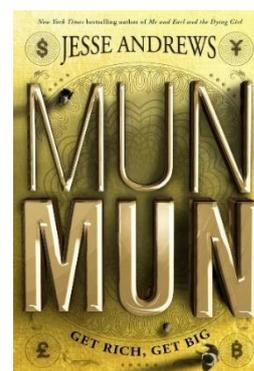
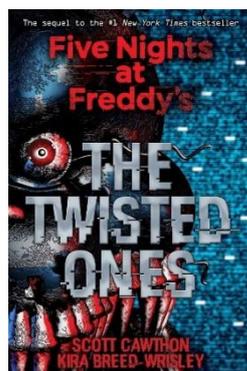
The Library is always purchasing new fiction titles to encourage reading for pleasure. If there is a title that you would like to read, and the Library does not stock it, write down your request in the student book on the circulation desk and it will be added to the next library order. Some of our most recent fiction titles include:

- Red Clocks by Leni Zumas
- The twisted ones by Scott Cawthorn
- # 4, #5 & #6 of the Amulet series by Kazu Kibuishi
- The Mothers by Brit Bennett
- Munmun by Jesse Andrews
- The silent corner by Dean Koontz
- The woman in the window by A.J Finn
- The Betrayal by Kate Furnivall
- The German Girl by Armando Lucas Correa
- City of Friends by Joanna Trollope
- Still me by Jojo Moyes

Happy reading.



Mrs Tammy Howard
Teacher Librarian



From the Maths Department

The Year Ahead in Mathematics

The start of any school year is always a busy and hectic time. In Mathematics, all classes from Years 7 to 12 have begun well, settling in to an important year of Mathematics learning.

Over the course of the year, all junior classes will have three major examinations as well as one project/assignment to complete. In-between the major examinations, there will be many informal assessments taking place, ranging from topic quizzes to reflections of class work.

Homework will be given regularly and will undoubtedly play an important role in achieving academic success. We ask that parents and caregivers carefully monitor the completion of Homework. On average, in all Junior classes it should take between 20-30 minutes each night.

Throughout the year, Junior students will have the opportunity to work with Mathematics 300, which is a diverse hands-on problem solving activity program. Selected Years 7 and 8 students will also participate in the Mathematics Olympiad which is another problem solving based set of activity questions.

Senior students will for the first time have login details to Mathspace, an on-line mathematics learning tool. Junior students will continue with

Mr Vito Zurlo

Mathematics Co-ordinator



Mathematics as in past years. In addition, all students will engage in the classroom with other very useful technologies, namely Hot Maths, Maths On-Line and Smarter Maths.

I take this opportunity to wish all students a successful and fulfilling year of Mathematics.

We encourage all students NOT to be the best but rather to DO their best.



Sports News

Dragon Boating:

There is no stopping our world-class Dragon Boaters. → It is absolutely fantastic to report that our teams won gold in the 200m, 500m and 2km events at the National Australian Boating Championships in Queensland.



Isabella Morgan, Sophia Morgan, Alexia Saladino and Jasmine Fokes won more Gold as members of their NSW state team. Wonderful result, congratulations girls and it is no wonder you are headed overseas for the World Championships later this year.



← And there was icing on the cake when



CGSSA Touch Football →

Congratulations to the students who played at the CGSSA Touch Carnival in both the Junior and Senior competitions. The students were competitive, winning one game, and drawing another.



← Rowing:

Nicela Martinic won the NSW Schoolgirl Head of River single Scull 2000m at the NSW Head of the River Regatta on the weekend. This is the second successive year that Nicela has won this event. Congratulations Nicola.

Triathlon ↓→

Congratulations to **Caitlin Blackford**, **Issy Shortis** and **Sophia Hadwen** who competed, as a team, in the All Schools Triathlon at the Penrith Regatta Centre. Caitlin competed in the 600m swim, Issy the 14km cycle and Sophia the 4km run. Great effort girls.



IMPORTANT NOTICES:

- **Sport on weekends:** Students are asked to be at their sporting event 30 minutes prior to the start of the games. This will ensure adequate time for warm up and team building.
- If students are unable to attend either an event or training, both coach and Ms Osborne must be informed beforehand. Failure to do so will warrant an infringement card. The Infringement Card system has been emailed to all students.
- **Uniform:** Please remind students that they must be in full school sport uniform when playing sport for the College. If students do not abide by the policy of correct uniform, a yellow card will be issued.

Ms Jodie Osborne and Ms Courtney Gorman
Sports Coordinator and PD/H/PE Teacher

Important Dates

Wed 7 th – Fri 9 th March	Year 7 Camp
Saturday 17 th March	Boarders' Mass and dinner
Sunday 18 th March	Open Day
Tuesday 27 th March	Digital Citizenship Parent Info Evening for parents of Year 8 students
Thursday 29th March	Pupil Free Day – school closed, day in lieu of Open Day
Friday 30 th March	Good Friday public holiday
Monday 2 nd April	Easter Monday public holiday
Tuesday 3 rd April	Year 12 exams commence
Friday 13th April	End of Term 1, College closes at 3:20pm

Term Dates

Term Dates 2018		
Term 1	Wednesday 31 st January	Classes commence for all years
	Friday 13 th April	Last day of Term 1, College closes at 3:20pm,
Term 2	Tuesday 1 st May	Classes commence for all years
	Friday 29 th June	Last day of Term 2, College closes at 3:20pm
Term 3	Tuesday 24 th July	Classes commence for all years
	Friday 28 th September	Last day of Term 3, College closes at 3:20pm
Term 4	Monday 15 th October	Classes commence for all years
	Friday 7 th December	Last day of Term 4, College closes 3:20pm

Term Dates 2019		
Term 1	Wednesday 30 th January	Classes commence for all years
	Friday 12 th April	Last day of Term 1, College closes at 3:20pm,
Term 2	Tuesday 30 th April	Classes commence for all years
	Friday 28 th June	Last day of Term 2, College closes at 3:20pm
Term 3	Tuesday 23 rd July	Classes commence for all years
	Friday 27 th September	Last day of Term 3, College closes at 3:20pm
Term 4	Monday 14 th October	Classes commence for all years
	Friday 6 th December	Last day of Term 4, College closes 3:20pm

From the Careers Counsellor

Mrs Jo Cousins

Careers Counsellor & VET Coordinator

Available Mon/Wed/Thurs

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UNI

Science at USYD Forums – Karl, The Universe and Everything Presented by Dr Karl Kruszelnicki

9 May. 5.45pm to 7.00pm

York Theatre, Seymour Centre, University of Sydney

Register soon at:

<http://sydney.edu.au/science/outr each/whats-on/forum/>

Notre Dame University - Careers in Law

Save the date - 12 July. 10.00am to 2.00pm

104 Broadway, Chippendale

Notre Dame Your personal Course Advice Session and Campus Tour – Sydney Campus

Any day Monday to Friday between 8.30am to 4.30pm

104 Broadway, Chippendale

Come to a personal Course Advice Session and discuss the course options available. We can help you find a course that aligns with your interests, strengths and aspirations. Our course advisors can also talk to you admissions requirements for specific courses, the Notre Dame application process, key dates for application, and much more. You can also take a campus tour at the end of your course advice session.

<http://www.nd.edu.au/events/2017/course-advice-sydney>

Notre Dame University - Early Offer and Parent Info Session

Save the date - 26 June, 4.00pm to 5.30pm or 6.00pm to 7.30pm

Broadway campus, 140 Broadway Chippendale

Notre Dame University - Getting to Know Nursing

22 May, 6.00pm to 7.30pm

160 Oxford St, Darlinghurst

Get to know what it's really like at Notre Dame's Getting to Know Nursing event.

Attendees will have the opportunity to meet academic staff

and hear from our guest speaker who will provide information on a current innovative nursing topic. Places are limited. Please register below or contact us on 02 8204 4404 or sydney@nd.edu.au for further information.

<http://www.nd.edu.au/events/?a=144028>

UTS Discovery Sessions in Midwifery and Nursing

Midwifery – 24 April. 5.30pm

Nursing 14 June, 18 July, 14

November. 5.30pm

<https://www.uts.edu.au/future-students/health/why-health-uts/events-and-brochures/discover-sessions>

UTS Law Undergrad Info Evening

19 June

Discover why studying at UTS will give you an edge! This event is open to Year 11 and 12 students, and their parents. Careers advisers and teachers are also welcome to attend. Registrations will open [here](#) in February.

<https://www.uts.edu.au/future-students/law>

<https://www.uts.edu.au/future-students/undergraduate/essential-information/events-and-info-sessions>

COLLEGES

AIT After School Film and Animation Workshops

Level 2, 7 Kelly St, Ultimo

Animation - 1 to 29 May. 4.30pm (5 week day afternoons)

This after-school workshop gives students the opportunity to experience all of the steps involved in creating a polished full-colour 2D animation.

<http://www.ait.edu.au/events/after-school-holiday-workshops-2d-animation>

Film - 3 to 31 May. 4.30pm (5 week day afternoons)

If you want to take your film making skills to the next level in a

workshop lab, this course is for you.

This workshop provides students with an introduction to desktop Special Effects compositing and motion graphics using Adobe.

<http://www.ait.edu.au/events/after-school-holiday-workshops-special-effects-in-film>

JMC Academy Virtual Reality Workshop

27 March, 4.30pm

561 Harris St, Ultimo

Integrating film, music, animation and sound into VR! Taught by industry expert Angus Stevens.

<https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/virtual-reality-workshop-sydney-tickets-42653131665>

AFTRS Upcoming Courses

Our courses are the perfect way to learn new skills, have fun and make new friends and are taught by industry professionals at AFTRS' state-of-the-art film, TV and radio studios in Sydney. We run a wide variety of school holiday courses for both kids and teens throughout all the school holidays. With a constantly evolving suite of courses in filmmaking, digital animation, stop motion, game design, screenwriting, screen acting, screen auditions and radio.

16 April. Music for Film & TV: 13-17

18 April. After Effects for Teens.

23 April Video Editing with Premiere Pro: 13-17

26 April HSC Video Intensive: 15-17

26 April Blood & Guts Movie Makeup: 9 - 14

2 July The Real Filmmaking Workshop: 13-17

9 July AFTRS Jr Filmmaking: 10-15

16 July. The Real Film Making Workshop 13 - 17

<http://www.aftrs.edu.au/short-courses/kids-and-teens>

Commercial Pilot - BASAIR Career Free Info Seminar

26 March. 7.00pm to 8.30pm

26 April. 7.00pm to 8.30pm

31 May. 7.00pm to 8.30pm
628/23-25 Airport Avenue
Bankstown Airport. Register at:
<http://www.basair.com.au/Events>

Discover Engineering Day – Engineers Australia

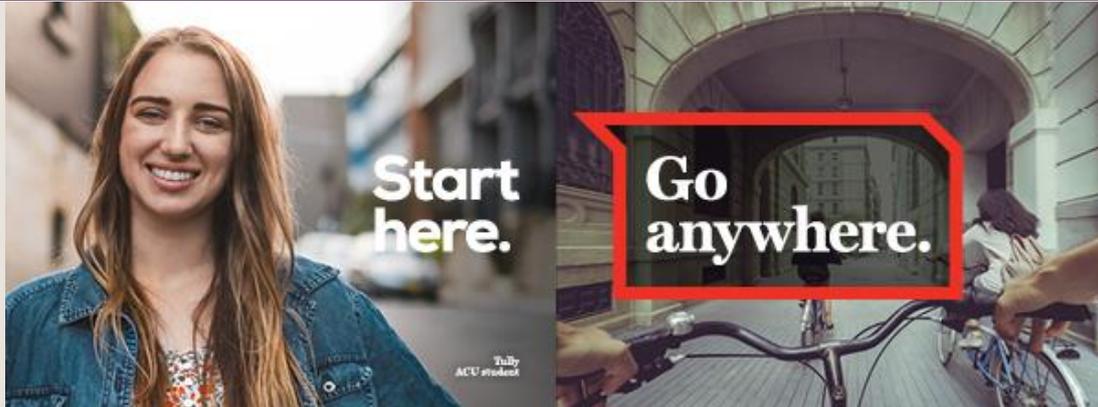
- What do engineers do?

- Examples of projects.
- How do you become an engineer?

Discover Engineering Day will include activities aimed at giving high school students a taste of skills required. Apply by 9 April-12 April. 9.00 am to 2.30 pm

Chatswood High School, 24
Centennial Ave, Chatswood
<https://www.engineersaustralia.org.au/portal/event/discover-engineering-day-chatswood-high-school>

Click [here](#) if you are having trouble viewing this message.



Parent Information Session, at ACU Strathfield Thursday 22nd March 2018, 7pm - 8:30pm

Dear Career Advisers,

To assist you in answering many of the questions your students and their parents/guardians may have, ACU is hosting a Parent Information Session on Thursday, 22 March at our ACU Strathfield Campus. **Registration is now open.** Check-in for this free event will begin at 6.30pm, with the session running from 7pm – 8.30pm. Free parking is available on the campus located at 25A Barker Rd, Strathfield.

Representatives from UAC and ACU, along with current and former students, will be on hand to cover a range of topics such as:

- How the ATAR is calculated
- Subject Selection: How to select the right subjects
- The role of UAC
- Adjustment Factors and Early Entry options
- Pathways to University
- How to manage the different offer rounds

The ACU Parent Information Evening is open to parents, students and high school staff. **Register now** to secure your seat at <http://events.acu.edu.au/d/7tqyns/4W>

Key dates

Parent Information Session, Strathfield

Thursday 22nd March 2018
7pm - 8:30pm

Advisory Conference North Sydney

Tuesday 27th March 2018
9am - 2pm

Advisory Conference Strathfield

Wednesday 4th April 2018
9am - 2pm

Contact us

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Higher education admission information is improving!

QUICK REFERENCE for students and parents

What's happening?

The Australian Government, in partnership with higher education institutions, is making changes to the way universities and other providers explain their admission processes. These changes are intended to make the processes for applying to study higher education easier for students to understand, and to compare.

Some changes are already in place, with more coming in 2018, to support students enrolling in 2019.

How will I benefit from these changes?

Students are now able to make informed decisions on where and how to apply for university based on all the facts. Admission information is now available on all university websites, set out in a way that is consistent across the board, so it is easier for students to understand and compare. In this transition phase, some institutions are making the new format information available as a separate downloadable product alongside their existing admission information. From late 2018, all information will be provided only in the new, more comparable format.



Where to get help and advice

General information on the changes is available at www.education.gov.au/admissions-transparency-implementation-working-group-0.

If you are still at school, you can talk to your school support contacts, such as Career Advisers and teachers for advice on tertiary study opportunities.

Check out the following websites:

www.myfuture.edu.au – for all types of career assistance

www.qilt.edu.au – to compare experiences of past university students

www.studyassist.gov.au – for information on financing your tertiary study

Contact the admissions staff at universities or other higher education institutions directly about course options and career opportunities.

Contact your local Tertiary Admission Centre (if applicable) www.actac.edu.au for further information about higher education study, and the application and offer process.

ScholsWiz Trivia Night goes ...



Featuring the 80s & 90s plus Super Heroes

Saturday 19th May 2018 6pm -10.30pm

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- What:** Trivia, Auctions, Games, 80s & 90s Music and Dancing
Come dressed as your favourite Super Hero or themed in 80s or 90s style
- Where:** Trixie Forest Centre (TFC), St Scholastica College
- Cost:** \$45 includes an Asian food hamper per table with a mix of vegetarian, GF, meat entrée & mains. *If you have other dietary needs please bring own food.*
- For purchase:** Wine, beer, drinks, snacks, desserts available for purchase.
No BYO drinks.
- Seating Arrangements:** Seating is on tables of 10.
If you have questions or to arrange team tables, please email Jo at: jo_clulow@hotmail.com, and include your name & mobile number, or text 0478612441 after reading booking instructions.
- Who:** Any parent, guardian or friends over 18

Volunteers & donations of wine, desserts, hampers, vouchers, holiday homes, are urgently needed – please contact Kim if you can help:

kimpitt@icloud.com or 0410655070

Online bookings only – no tickets at the door
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Uniform Shop

The Uniform Shop normal trading hours during term time are:

Tuesdays and Thursdays 9am to 2pm

*****Now is the time to organise your winter uniforms*****

All fittings are by appointment

Please call Jeneva on: 9552 2870

Uniforms will be available for purchase on the day of the fitting.

An order will be placed for any items not available.

Summer and winter uniforms will be fitted.

To book appointments online:

1. Visit www.ranier.com.au;
2. Click on Book Appointments in the lower right hand corner
3. Enter the school password **stschol2037**

If you have a question or to book a fitting appointment,

please call Mrs Jeneva Sweyda:

Ph: 02 9552 2870 or Email: scholasticas@ranier.com.au

2nd Hand Uniforms

For all enquiries about purchasing second-hand uniforms, please send an email to:

uniformroom@scholastica.nsw.edu.au or call the Front Office on 9660 2622.