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www.killara-h.schools.nsw.edu.au

From the Principal

This last week has provided a showcase of some of the many things Killara High School does so well.

On Wednesday, 5 November we were delighted to officially open our new facilities. Minister for Education Adrian Piccoli officiated, and we also welcomed our Director, Ms Sue Low, and The Hon Barry O'Farrell MP, Mr Jonathan O'Dea MP and Mr Paul Fletcher MP. We were honoured to have Uncle Laurie Bimson conduct a Welcome to Country, and to be joined by our Killara Schools Partnership primary schools and many members of the P & C, both past and present.



Very importantly, we were thrilled that Dr Mark Carter could attend. These wonderful buildings stand as evidence of Dr Carter's vision, and his tireless efforts to provide our students with the facilities they deserve. They also illustrate the strong support our school receives from the parent body. A large financial contribution from the Killara High School P&C helped make the new facilities in B block and G block a reality. We thank our families, past and present, for their exceptional commitment to making our school great.



Last week also saw the inaugural Killara Schools Partnership Strings Workshop, where students from Gordon East, Killara, Lindfield, Lindfield East and Roseville Public Schools developed two pieces with our students, and treated us to a short concert. The results were fantastic, with the students sounding as if they had played together for years. Thank you to our primary schools, and Ms Sunnie Kim and Ms Jacki Berry KHS Music teachers.

Six Industrial Technology and two Visual Arts HSC students have been pre-selected for the prestigious InTech and ARTEXPRESS displays. Congratulations to:

Jason Sim, Martin Havdahl, Samuel Kenny-Watson, Jenny Long, Gabe Maher, Jin Saito, IT students and their teacher, Mr Brendon Francis.
Elena Gillespie and Kate Zovaro, Visual Arts students, and their teachers Ms Catherine Berry, Ms Fionna Hrcka and Ms Giovanna Trenoweth

On Thursday 6 November we held our Remembrance Day Ceremony. We were honoured to be joined by Mr Malcolm Whitney, from the Roseville RSL Sub-Branch, and Vietnam War veteran, who shared his experiences with us. Ryan Fitzpatrick, Year 11 Modern History student, spoke powerfully of his perception of war, and his speech is reproduced in this newsletter. It makes me very proud to think that the world is in the hands of young people such as Ryan. Thank you to the HSIE Blue Faculty for providing a respectful and thought-provoking ceremony.

Don't forget – P&C next Wednesday is preceded by our Parent Forum. This will discuss our school's strategic directions for 2015-2017.

Jane Dennett
Principal

Calendar

NOVEMBER 2014

13	Senior Leaders Induction Assembly
	PAE EOY Concert – 7.00pm
17	Year 7 Lifesaving Program 9.00am (4 days)
	Year 10 Work Experience Week
19	SS Choir – Schools Spectacular, Salvation Congress Hall
	Year 12 Sign Out Day
	P&C Meeting – 8.00pm
24	Year 12 Sign Out Day
	Year 10 Work Experience Week
25	Year 9 Lifesaving Program 9.00am (4 days)
26	SS Choir – Schools Spectacular, University Hall, UTS
27	Year 12 Sign Out Day
	SS Choir – Schools Spectacular, Qantas Credit Union Arena
28	SS Choir – Schools Spectacular, Qantas Credit Union Arena

DECEMBER 2014

1	Ensemble & Stage 5 Drama Night
3	Year 7 2015 Enrolment Day
	P&C Xmas Meeting – 8.00pm
4	World's Biggest Beep Test
	Year 10 Talent Quest Trials 9.25am
5	Year 9 Geography Excursion Central Coast
	Successful Senior Program Yr10
8	EOY Concert 7.00pm
9	T20 Cricket Match
10	Thank you Morning Tea for Volunteers – 10.00am
11	Sports Appreciation Day
12	Year 8 Science Excursion
15	CB1 & CB2 for Stage 4 and 5 Completion Ceremony
	Year 8 Luna Park Excursion
16	Annual Awards Ceremony
	Year 8 Gifted & Talented Class Showcase Evening 5.30pm
17	Students Last Day of Term 4
18	School Development Day
19	School Development Day

Official Building Opening – 5th November



Killara wins Mob Match v St Ives High at Bare Creek Trail

Under perfect conditions, over thirty Killara High School students and teachers participated in the Bare Creek Trail Run on Sunday, 2 November 2014.

It was the first time we have been involved in the event as a school and it was fantastic to see so many of our community get involved to help support St Ives Park Primary School.

As an extra incentive, we were pitted against our local rivals St Ives High School in a new concept called a 'mob match' which relies on each school getting as many participants involved as possible. Going into the event, numbers for the match were relatively even, but the Killara High School kids stepped up to the plate and smashed out the 6km or 10km course to claim the first ever 'Bare Creek Trail Run-High Schools Mob Match'.

As an added bonus, the prizes on the day were absolutely outstanding and it was great to see

many of our students do so well. Ben Mackay and Lizzie Parsons won the respective male and female divisions of the 10km race and received a \$200 account at Bendigo. Participants who figured in the top 3 were:

- Anders Bergersen- 2nd in Male 14-17yr 6km
- Tim Payne- 1st in Male 14-17yr 6km
- Mr Bruckshaw- 1st in Male 18-39yr 6km
- Hugh Croucher- 3rd in Male 14-17yr 6km
- Ben Mackay- 1st in Male U18 10km
- Ms Park- 2nd in Female 18-39yr 6km
- Lizzie Parsons- 1st in Female U18 10km
- Emma Partis- 2nd in Female U14yr 6km
- Nadine Walker- 3rd in Female U14 6km

Well done to all students who got involved, and I am sure it will be even bigger next year.

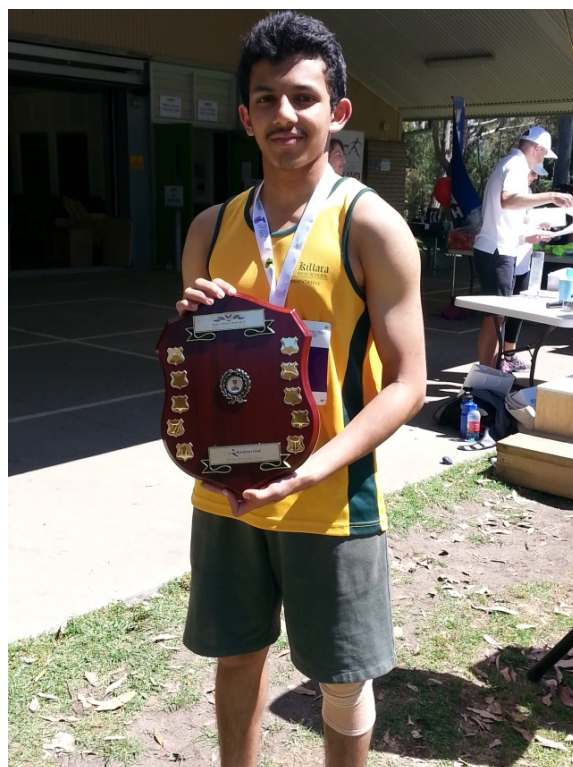
Adam Bruckshaw
PDHPE Teacher



School Captain, Kieran Pain and Sports Council Ben Mackay were both present on the day.



A lot of our school team



Srikanth Menon holding the Mob Match trophy

Davidson Shield Cricket

On a cold and overcast Monday Killara headed to Lofberg Oval at West Pymble to take on Homebush Boys High School, one of the gun sides of the competition in the third round. The Davidson Shield is a 40 over a side competition played between state high schools in Term 1 and 4 of each year.

Captain Jono Bank won the toss and elected to bat on the artificial wicket. The early bowling was nothing special, but accurate enough to knock over James Andreou for 1 and Liam Campbell for 0 within the first 4 overs. Both boys were clearly rusty with minimal cricket being played by either over the past few years. Thongprata Thongyai (Tap) looked solid at number 4 but was unfortunately run out for 1. Sam Odgers (5) put together 17 runs with Jono before smashing one to short mid-wicket. Ehsen Shiek (4) hit a couple of nice drives before being bowled as we were closing in on drinks. Matthew Lee made a solid start to his innings and at drinks (20 overs) Killara was 5/65. Mathew and Jono continued from where they had left off and when Matthew was out at 41 they had amassed a 100 run partnership. Jono had passed 50 by this stage and was finally out in the 38th over for 62. James Timo-Louie (8 not out) and Sean Bhomer (3) scraped together a few valuable runs at the end with Matt Palombo (0 not out) facing just 1 ball. All up 8/168 and something to defend.

Despite playing with only 10 fielders the Killara spirit was alive and well as Ehsen snared one of the openers for 2 runs, caught behind by keeper Matthew. Homebush 1/2 after the first over. A sneaky 2nd wicket partnership of 71 was finally broken when James Timo-Louie claimed another caught behind. When Sam was brought into the attack 2 wickets fell and at 4/133 in the 24th there was still some hope for the team. A few missed changes on run-outs, dropped catches and some costly misfields let Homebush off the hook as they cruised to victory in the 28th over, 5/169.

It was a gutsy effort from a predominantly U15 squad of only 10 players and to compete with a high quality opposition. Clearly had some of the Year 10 and 11 boys who were selected to play turned up on the day as anticipated, it could have been a different story.

High praise must go to Jono who batted patiently for 37 overs and captained with passion and spirit. Similarly Matt Lee was outstanding, scoring 41, keeping for 40 overs with 2 catches and combining for a 100 run stand with Jono.

David James
Coach

Northern Districts Cup T20 Comp

With the council unable to provide Killara High school with a turf wicket in any of the 6 years that I have been organising knockout cricket, it was off to the western edge of Koola Park to play a T20, bowling from one end.

Kieren Young was elected to Captain the side. He made his first good decision when he won the toss and decided to have a bowl. Nick Druce (2 wickets) and James Andreou (2 wickets) opened the bowling and had immediate success with Turramurra 1/1 and 2/9 in the 2nd over. There were a few solid partnerships from Turramurra but from the 11th over there was a steady flow of wickets falling. Kieren Young was on a hat trick at one stage finishing with 3 wickets, while Ehsen Shiek and Sam Odgers chipped in with a wicket each. There were two really important catches from Sean Bhomer and Nick Druce to dismiss key batsman. Matt Palombo, Tap Thongyai and Kieren Young also took catches. Turramurra finished all out in the 20th over for 114. (sorry if I missed anyone – the scorebook is a little sketchy).

The run chase started with Charlie Yoo (1) playing and missing several times as the ball sailed past Charlie and the keeper to the boundary on two occasions. The bowler gained his revenge knocking over James Andreou and Charlie in the 3rd over. Jono Bank and Kieren then took control of the game batting Killara to within 38 runs of victory before Kieren was out caught in the twenties. Nick Druce then combined with Jono for a further 20 runs before fatigue took its toll on Jono. In a tense final 3 overs needing 16 off 18 balls, Nick and Ehsen saw Killara home with 4 balls to spare.

Also playing in the T20 were Matthew Lee who kept very well, letting through just a few byes, and James Timo-Louie who was one of the best in the field. It was a great team effort, which will need to be repeated against Asquith Boys High School in the next round.

David James
Coach

Knock Out Basketball Success

The Boys 15 Years Knock Out Basketball Team have finished a fantastic 2014 campaign achieving the outstanding result of making it into the top 16 schools in NSW. The team won the Sydney North Regional Knockout competition beating Ku-Ring-Gai High School, Concord High School, Epping Boys High School and Narara Valley High School. This gained them entry into the state competition where they again won against the South Coast regional winners Kiama High School, but sadly were defeated by a very strong East Hills High School team from South Western Sydney. The team consisted of Rowan Chong, Armin Kasler, Joshua Rasmussen, Matthew Kwok, Miguel Estrada, Anson Cheung, Charlie Chen, Thomas Guanlao, Luke Hansen, Ayush Dallakoti, Ralf Fatih and a special mention needs to go to the assistant coach Travis Chong, who showed outstanding leadership of his peers. All team members are to be congratulated on this fantastic result and

on the positive sportsmanship and team comradery that they consistently showed. Well done boys!



Duncan Smith
PDHPE Teacher and Basketball Coach

Congratulations – Grace Fitton, Year 12

Grace Fitton of Year 12 addresses an audience of NSW HSC History Extension Students at the Sydney Museum

Grace Fitton of Year 12, 2014 presented a speech at the History Extension Seminar for New South Wales HSC students. This event took place on the 6th November 2014 at the Sydney Museum. Grace spoke to an audience of over 150 students and teachers from public and independent schools about her experiences

in History Extension in 2014. Grace was commended by the organisers for her talk and the students responded positively to her practical strategies. Grace achieved first place in History Extension 2014 at Killara High School, and she attended this event with Mr Robin Chand to share her insights on this subject.

Robin Chand
History Extension Teacher

Killara team wins annual Macquarie University Schools Chess Challenge

In a one-day tournament our A team Thomas Xuan (Year 11), Joe Chua (Year 10) and Johnny Lim (Year 10), trounced the field of 32 teams with an impressive score of 19/21, four points clear of the second-placed team.

Our B team Benjamin Fan (Year 10), Johnny Benstead (Year 9) and Wilson Zhao (Year 10), also did well, scoring 12.5/21 and finishing equal seventh; but also the highest scoring B team.

The photo shows the winning trophy being presented to Johnny, Thomas and Joe.



Kym Haines
Chess Coordinator

Health Information

Can families please continue to ensure they take student sickness seriously and not send your child to school if they present symptoms of infectious diseases; especially chicken pox, gastroenteritis, whooping cough, or measles. This is important for the wellbeing of both your child and the rest of the student population. There are a number of students at the school who are on immunosuppression medication who

are particularly at risk of infection from these diseases. If your child is diagnosed with an infectious disease can you please notify the school.

Duncan Smith
Head Teacher Welfare and
Student Services (Relieving)

Triforce Sports, Gordon

Killara High School has entered into a relationship with Triforce Sports at Gordon, where our students and their families will receive benefits including discounts off purchases and store credits for the school.

Over the past year, Triforce have supported a number of Killara High School sports events including the Killara Gift and the World's Biggest Beep Test through providing vouchers.

From now, when you purchase an item from Triforce Sports, you simply need to mention that you are a part of the Killara High School community and:

- You will receive 10% off your purchases and;
- Your purchase amount will contribute to the school receiving store credits which will be used to buy sporting equipment for the school and future Sports Council events such as the World's Biggest Beep Test.



Brett Munro of Triforce Sports, Gordon with Sam Bowden, Beth Rodgers and Emma Partis, the top three female Killara Gift runners.

NSWCHSSA Boys Tennis

Sydney North Boys tennis team won the State Carnival which took place in Rockdale last week from 28th to 30th October.

It was a fantastic event, with all competitors fighting very hard for the team.

Adam Bruckshaw
PDHPE Teacher



Parent Forum

**7.00pm, Wednesday 19th November 2014 in the
A Block Common Room**

Please come along to contribute to our discussion of our
school's Strategic Plan 2015 – 2017.

All Welcome

Next P&C Meeting

The next P&C meeting will be held on:

**Wednesday, 19th November 2014 at 8.00 pm in the
A Block Common Room**

Put this date in your diary and come along to find out what is happening behind the
scenes at Killara High School – your school

**There will also be a presentation on a new Community Hub for
Lindfield & nearby areas**

**(Please see the 'Support Lindfield' advertisement on the last two pages of this
newsletter)**

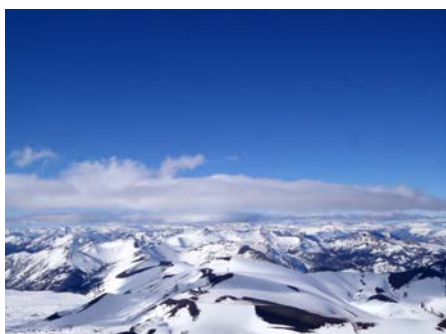
Performing Arts Ensemble Calendar

Term 4, 2014			
Week	Term 2		
6	13 th Nov	Elective music students	Elective Music Night 7pm
8	19 th Nov	SS Choir	Schools Spectacular 9.00am-3.00pm Salvation Congress Hall
8	26 th Nov	SS Choir	Schools Spectacular 9.00am-3.00pm University Hall, UTS
8	27 th Nov	SS Choir	Schools Spectacular 8.00am-5.00pm Qantas Credit Union Arena
8	28 th Nov	SS Choir	Schools Spectacular 8.00am-10.20pm Qantas Credit Union Arena
8	29 th Nov	SS Choir	Schools Spectacular 8.00am-10.20pm Qantas Credit Union Arena
10	8 th Dec	ALL Ensembles	End of Year Concert/BBQ 7.00pm-9.00pm
11	15 th Dec	CB2	Completion Ceremony
11	15 th Dec	CB1	Completion Ceremony
11	16 th Dec	SB1 & Vocal Ensembles	Annual Awards Ceremony

Killara Student on Chilean Adventure – An Update

Well the year is flying past with many experiences with a new culture and a great family. I have met many new people, tried lots of new things and visited many beautiful places. It honestly has been the best year of my life!

In September, my family and I went to a ski field in the Andes called Corralco. It's a really small place but the quality of snow



and the lack of people definitely made up for that. I booted up and strapped on my snowboard before leaving on the painfully slow lift as my family faded away into the distance. I had an awesome four hours in perfect snow with no people. The highest lift finally opened in the afternoon and I nearly got to the top of it when a huge gust of wind pushed me off the t-bar track which caused me to stack. The snow up the top was blissful and really perfect shin deep powder. I was high enough to have a beautiful view over the top of the surrounding Andean mountains. I also saw a fox padding through the snow a little distance from me. Altogether it was an awesome day in a beautiful place.

The whole family at La Isla Teja

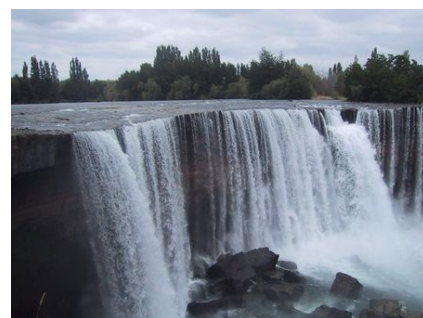


Also, in September, we celebrated Chile's National Day, known locally as "The Eighteenth" with a 4 day long weekend. It was quite weird as it

didn't start on the 18th, but on the night of the 17th. The night before is when the celebrating happens with all holidays in Chile, and the 18th is no exception. Cata, my host sister, arrived from Osorno and we went to the house of her boyfriend's parents to eat anticuchos and empanadas, and to dance as well. The family of Eduardo is rather pro at the typical Chilean dances, La Quecha. The 18th itself was spent making a small mountain of empanadas that took us 4 days of a 100% empanada diet to finish. In the afternoon, we set out for the local ramadas (it's basically just a massive local party with food and foosball) on La Isla Teja. The

atmosphere was great with lots of music. The next day, we were lucky enough to ride on an historic steam train. During the time of Pinochet, all the train lines were privatised and eventually were abandoned, so train travel in Chile is a novelty. The train ride was really beautiful and the train itself unique. It was a really old steam train, and once in a while a cloud of crushed coal would float over the carriages, fly into the windows, and blinding every one including the musicians who were entertaining us. We had three stops in smaller towns until finally arriving at Antilhue where we stopped for lunch as the train turned around.

With the 18th finally over, school restarted with a vengeance. It's not too bad now, I can complete my work and in some of it I get a rather high mark. Best classes are definitely, maths, sport, and language (pretty much English, but in Spanish) plus the bass guitar is going well. Spring has started now, so we've got the lovely super unpredictable super sunny one minute pouring rain the next. Valdivia is the rainiest place in Chile. We had one lovely day where pretty much the majority of the streets were flooded and all the water mains burst, leaving the poor cyclists to peddle through knee high water. I have finally finished all the *Harry Potter* books in Spanish (SPOILER: Hodor dies) which were an enjoyable read, and I have now moved on the *Lord of the Rings*, which I hope to finish before I leave in January. I am still rowing on the river after school almost every day.



In November, my whole year (40 students) went on a class trip to Los Angeles (Chile not California) for 7 days. We had an awesome time and saw lots of places. We stayed in cabins near a beautiful waterfall, Salto del Laja and visited the city of Concepcion (where the huge earthquake happened in 2010). The whole trip cost \$94 because the Chilean government picks up 60% of the cost. Well, that's it for now. Hope everyone enjoys the formal, and see you next year.

Stephen Scollay
Year 10 in Valdivia, Chile

From the Library

Clark, Catherine. **Unforgettable summer.**

Two irresistible stories about two unforgettable summer romances.....

Coombe, E. **Guardian of the tomb: Arky Steele.**

Meet Arky Steele. He's not your average 12-year-old: he travels the world hunting for ancient treasures and trying to stay one step ahead of his nemesis, evil billionaire Goran Rulec.

Hartman, Rachel. **Seraphina.**

The brutal murder of the prince of Goredd has shattered the fragile peace between humans and dragons. Seraphina, a talented musician, is drawn into the murder investigation – and soon her own life is in terrible danger as she fights to hide the secret behind the amazing gift. Can one girl unite two warring world? Equal parts fast-paced fantasy, crime mystery, bittersweet romance and political thriller, this is an original take on the dragon myth.

Kwon, Silvia. **The return.**

War ends and the world changes, as it always goes. But hate is hard to extinguish. The scars of war are not always visible, and they don't always fade. They haven't for Merna Gibson and they definitely haven't for her husband Frank. The long-ago war colours their family life. For Merna, at home on the farm, Japan is very far away. For Frank, it isn't far enough. But their son, Paul, doesn't share the same beliefs. For him, Japan is a place of possibility, a country to embrace. Father and son live worlds apart, even when at the same table. Hate and prejudice have created a gulf between the two. When a woman comes into their son's life, it is left to Merna to try and bridge the gap. Caught between the two men she loves she is determined to keep her family together, while everything around them keeps changing.

Martin, George R.R. **Game of thrones.**

Summers span decades. Winter can last a lifetime. And the struggle for the Iron Throne has begun. A Warden of the north, Lord Eddard Stark counts it a curse when King Robert bestows on him the office of the Hand. His honour weighs him down at court where a true man does what he will not, not what he must...and a dead enemy is a thing of beauty. The old gods have no power in the south. Stark's family is split and there is treachery at court. Worse, the vengeance-mad heir of the deposed Dragon King has grown to maturity in exile in the Free Cities. He claims the Iron Throne. [The first book of 'Song of ice and fire'.]

Mosse, Kate. **Labyrinth.**

July 1209: in Carcassone a seventeen-year-old girl is given a mysterious book by her father which

claims he contains the secret of the true Grail. Although Alais cannot understand the strange words and symbols hidden within, she knows that her destiny lies in keeping the secret of the labyrinth safe....

July 2005: Alice Tanner discovers two skeletons in a forgotten cave in the French Pyrenees. Puzzled by the labyrinth symbol carved into the rock, she realises she's disturbed something that was meant to remain hidden. Somehow, a link to a horrific past – and her past – has been revealed.

Peters Elizabeth. **Thunder in the sky: an Amelia Peabody murder mystery.**

It is 1914 and Amelia Peabody and her husband Emerson are back in Egypt for another season of archaeological excavation. But this year a new menace hangs over the dig: rumblings of war about in Europe while over in the East, Turkish and German forces are massing for an attack on the Suez Canal. Even Amelia finds it difficult to concentrate on pyramids when her children are in trouble and Cairo teems with enemy agents, including her old nemesis. Can Amelia unmask the Master Criminal and prevent a bloody uprising in Cairo, rescue Nefret from the attentions of her nephew, defend her son against unknown enemies and prevent Emerson from dashing off to fight in the looming war?

Phelan, James. **The last thirteen.**

13 books. 13 nightmares, 1 destiny.

After a dramatic rescue in Japan, Sam meets powerful friends ready to help him in his quest for the Dream Gate. He sets off for Cambodia, racing to find the last 13's tenth Dreamer.... Eva faces her worst fear in the Dreamer Doors competition, as her team desperately tried to find Solaris' hidden Gears.Meanwhile Alex is headed out on unknown waters with the enigmatic Hans..... At the legendary temple of Angkor Wat, Sam must deal with ancient traps to escape with the next Gear. But the cost will be unimaginable. Will Sam be able to go on? He must carry on the fight. The world cannot survive without him. Are you one of them?

Riordan, Rick. **Percy Jackson and the Greek gods**

Who could tell the stories of the gods of Olympus better than a modern day demi-god?

In this whirlwind tour of Greek mythology, Percy Jackson gives his personal take on the gods and goddesses of Ancient Greece – and reveals the truth about how they came to rule the world.

Karen Jones
Teacher-Librarian

Careers Corner

TAFE 2015 Course Fees

Due to a re-structuring at TAFE, course fees have changed. Details of individual course costings can be accessed at:

<http://www.wit.tafensw.edu.au/the-institute/smart-and-skilled>

EducationUSA

This US Government website provides guidelines to students interested in applying to study at American colleges and universities. Highlights include information on the application process, testing, financial aid, visas and more. The US Consulate General in Sydney has an EducationUSA Centre which students and parents can make appointments to visit. Further details can be accessed at:

<https://www.educationusa.info/australia>

New Pathways to the University of Wollongong

UOW College, a pathway institution for UOW, has launched a range of new diploma and certificate programs designed to meet the needs of students seeking an alternative entry to courses at UOW. To gain an understanding of the new offerings, visit:

<http://www.uowcollege.edu.au/about/news-media/UOW181926.html>

“Open Universities” Australia Undergraduate Courses

Most Open Universities offer undergraduate, first-level courses in Art and Humanities, Business, Education, Health, IT, Law, Science and Engineering that have no entry requirements and can be started in any one of four study periods in the year. In addition, graduates are awarded the same degrees as on-campus students. To view the range of available courses visit:

<http://www.open.edu.au/courses/undergraduate/>

Sales Summer School

This two-week program is aimed at both school leavers and Year 12 students who are looking for a career in sales. Not only will candidates learn practical selling skills but in addition will get an opportunity to meet employers who hire sales people. For further information email mattfeatherstone@gmail.com

Green Army Program

The program, launched by the federal government earlier this year, provides opportunities for young Australians aged 17-24 years to gain training and experience in the environmental and heritage conservation fields. It is also an ideal opportunity to explore careers in conservation management, while participating in projects that benefit the environment. Green Army teams of 10 (up to nine participants and one team supervisor) will be deployed to projects lasting 20-26 weeks across Australia to help communities deliver local conservation outcomes. To learn more about the program visit:

<http://www.environment.gov.au/land/green-army>

TAFE Northern Sydney Institute Information Sessions

- Bachelor of IT (Network Security): Wednesday 5 November, 6.30pm, Meadowbank Campus Building P, Level 4
- Bachelor of Hotel Management: Tuesday 11 November, 4.00pm, Ryde Campus, Building A, Level 5
- Floristry: Tuesday 11 November, 6.00pm, Level 5 Auditorium, Building A, Ryde Campus
- Bachelor of Graphic Design: Saturday 22 November, 10.00am, St Leonards Campus, Cameraygal, Building J
- Bachelor of Education (Birth to Five Years): Tuesday 25 November, 6.30pm, Crows Nest Campus, Level 1 auditorium
- Associate Degree of Accounting: Tuesday 9 December and Tuesday 27 January, 7.00pm, Meadowbank Campus Building P, Level 5, Room P.5.0.2

A summary of these events can be accessed at:

<http://www.nsi.tafensw.edu.au/About/News/EventList.aspx>

New TAFE Film and TV Courses

The Film and Television faculty at the Northern Sydney Institute of TAFE has developed an innovative study option which allows students to complete two qualifications in just one year and get a head start in the industry. Interested students can find out more by visiting:

<http://www.nsi.tafensw.edu.au/About/News/Item.aspx?NewsId=357#sthash.fkEbyJ6j.dpuf>

Academy of Interactive Entertainment: 2015 Work Experience Program

This program is for students in Years 10 to 12 and includes a range of activities, including 3D animation, programming, product testing and much more. Details are outlined at:

<http://www.aie.edu.au/StudentInformation/workexp>

The School for Excellence: Mastering the HSC Program

This course which is geared to students in Years 11 or 12, is designed to help maximise HSC results. A fee of a \$10 donation to charity will be charged at the door. Courses will be held at the University of Sydney on Saturday 15 November and UNSW on Sunday 23 November. To register, contact 1300 364 173.

The program can be accessed at <http://www.tsfx.com.au/?hsc-program=mastering-the-hsc>

ICMS Application Interview Days and Open Evening

Application days will be held on Sunday 23 November and Sunday 14 December to allow ICMS staff to get to know prospective students who may earn up to 10 ATAR bonus points based on their interview performance. ICMS is also holding a Parents Information Evening on Thursday 11 December. The Manly campus will be the venue for all events. For more details, contact Rebecca Wise at rwise@icms.edu.au or call 1800 110 490.

The University of Sydney's a new Diploma of Language Studies

This accelerated, one year program is geared to students who are enrolled in a course at the University of Sydney and would like to study a language concurrently. Students do not need a language background to enrol. Languages offered are: Indonesian, Spanish, Korean and Japanese. For more information log on to: www.sydney.edu.au/arts/slc/departments_programs/diploma_languages_accelerated_mode.shtml

University of Western Sydney Early Offer

HSC students wanting to receive information from UWS regarding their Early Offer options will need to include UWS as one of their nine UAC preferences by 5 December. Students will then have until 18th December to list UWS as their 1st preference in a course participating in the Early Offer Program. All information regarding the UWS Early Offer program can be found at www.uws.edu.au/earlyoffer

UNSW Prep Program

This UNSW pathway program is open to students who qualify for the EAS scheme and achieve an ATAR of 50 or over. In addition, UNSW Prep is Commonwealth Supported and offers an opportunity for students to learn core study skills in smaller classes and on completion to be offered a conditional offer to a mainstream UNSW course. Application is through UAC. For more information visit

www.unsw.edu.au/unswprep17-19

UNSW's GERRIC School Holiday Programs

The Scientia Challenge Program is designed for gifted and talented high school students in Years 7 -10 and features a range of workshops taught over three days from 20 -22 January. The courses are developed and presented by UNSW academics and are pitched at two years higher than the students' grade levels. Log on to UNSW's website for further information.

New Cabin Crew Course

Aviation Australia is offering a Certificate 11 in Aviation (Flight Operations) commencing in early January. Students train to be a member of the cabin crew in a hands-on, practical environment with state-of-the-art equipment. For further information email

Laura.Mcquilkin@aviationaustralia.aero

GAP Year Employment

ATEL, which specializes in the employment of apprentices and trainees, also offers a wealth of GAP year employment opportunities in the legal, aged care and education fields, amongst others. For more information, phone 1300 784 787.

Medical Administration Courses

These short, flexible, nationally-accredited courses will give students the skills needed to gain employment in the medical reception field. For more details, call 1300 887 082.

Apprentice Opportunities

- Apprentice CNC Machinist at Russell Symes and Company. For further information, email Heath Griffin at production@russellsymes.com.au
- Horticulture apprentice at Go Gardening. For more details, phone Anne Laurie on 9882 3400

For further information on any of the above please contact the careers office.

Colleen Clarke and Rosemary Brown
Careers Advisers

Notice to Parents and Students

Energy Drinks are prohibited at
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Aerosol cans are prohibited at
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Ku-ring-gai Council and the RMS (formerly RTA) are running a **FREE** practical workshop specifically for the **supervisors of learner drivers only**, (not appropriate for the learner) on how to help learner drivers become safer drivers.

On Thursday 20 November 2014 at 6:30pm at the Ku-ring-gai Council Chambers.

Attendees receive a useful information kit including:

- A 'Guide to the Driving Test' booklet.
- A light dinner, tea and coffee are provided.
- Road User Handbooks will also be on sale.

Early bookings are essential

Contact Council on **9424 0798** now to reserve your place, or email kmc@kmc.nsw.gov.au

The workshop will provide information about:

- Completing the *Learner Driver log book*.
- Recent changes to the GLS.
- The new RMS SAFER DRIVERS COURSE.
- The current laws and restriction for L and P licence holders.
- Supervising learner drivers and young driver road safety issues.
- The benefits of supervised on-road driving experience.



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We have a once in a lifetime opportunity to create a special place, a place that is green, active and safe. A community space that includes a village square, library and meeting space. A place for families to relax, shop and enjoy great food.



KU-RING-GAI COUNCIL

is designing a Community Hub for the Woodford Lane parking lot site which is behind the shops on the west side of Pacific Highway. Our aim is to have maximum community input to the design so our community gets what it wants. Support Lindfield needs YOU to help us to voice your needs and wants for the most exciting project our area has ever seen.

SUPPORT LINDFIELD

is a group of ordinary people who live and/or work in Lindfield and want a new heart for our village and the mid north shore. We want Lindfield to be a destination, not just a place to live or work. Support Lindfield is an incorporated association and managed by 12 committed and enthusiastic locals and supported by over 400 residents and business owners.

WHAT'S IN A HUB? ANY OR ALL OF...

- ✔ Library, study areas, meeting rooms
- ✔ Community facilities to cater for the needs of all ages
- ✔ Park and playground
- ✔ Cafes & coffee shops
- ✔ Retail stores, village square
- ✔ Commuter & short term parking
- ✔ And what else?... It's up to you!

GET INVOLVED...


Become a supporter so we can send you invitations to our Community Meetings, updates on the project and requests for your input to the project.

Turn over the page to see how.

www.supportlindfield.net

www.facebook.com/supportlindfield

info@supportlindfield.net



CAROLS ON MOORE


...bring your family, friends
& picnic blanket, and enjoy
a night under the stars

Sausage Sizzle at 6.30pm
and celebrate Christmas from 7.30pm!

with The Beaumont Road Big Band

Sunday 14th December 2014,
All Saints West Lindfield
11 Moore Ave, Lindfield

visit www.asw.org.au for more details



Please register me as a Supporter ☐

Please accept my Application for Membership ☐

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

Occupation: _____

Email: _____

Mobile/Telephone: _____

APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP OF **SUPPORT LINDFIELD Incorporated** (incorporated under the Associations Incorporation Act 2009)

I hereby apply to become a member of the above named incorporated association. In the event of my admission as a member, I agree to be bound by the constitution of the association for the time being in force.

Signature of applicant _____ Date _____

(Members of the Committee are delegated to propose and second so leave these blank if you have no one nearby to propose and second your application.)

I, _____, a member of the association, nominate the applicant for membership of the association.

Signature of proposer _____ Date _____

I, _____, a member of the association, second the nomination of the applicant for membership of the association.

Signature of seconder _____ Date _____

Please return this form to:

By Hand: to the Lindfield Community Bank Branch of the Bendigo Bank at 318 Pacific Highway, Lindfield NSW. You can pay your \$10 membership fee and any donation to the Support Lindfield account at this branch.

By Post: Treasurer, Support Lindfield Inc, c/o Lindfield Community Bank, 318 Pacific Highway Lindfield NSW 2070. Our Treasurer will email or call you to provide the Support Lindfield account number for your membership fee.

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Sydney Harbour Bridge Walk for Mental Health
SUNDAY 16TH NOVEMBER 2014
Registration and entertainment from 8.30am
Walk starts at 10am
First Fleet Park, Circular Quay, Sydney

Join other superheroes at the Wellness Walk and help raise funds for RichmondPRA's youth mental health services.

DID YOU KNOW?

1 IN 4 YOUNG AUSTRALIANS WILL EXPERIENCE A MENTAL ILLNESS EVERY YEAR	18-24 YEAR OLDS HAVE THE HIGHEST PREVALENCE OF MENTAL ILLNESS THAN ANY OTHER AGE GROUP
SUICIDE IS THE LEADING CAUSE OF DEATH FOR YOUNG PEOPLE AGED 14-25	12 % OF 15-17 YEAR OLDS REPORTED HAVING THOUGHT ABOUT SUICIDE

To be a superhero; no need to fly, levitate or lift a bus.
Turn the page for simple superhero actions!

Cartoon Camps

Summary of Costs:

Short Day: \$35 per child per day (9.30am - 3.30pm)

All activities listed in the brochure take place within the Short Day.

Long Day: \$40 per child per day (8am - 6pm or part thereof)

Long Day is a service we provide for those families that are working or for children that want to do more activities, cartooning, craft or games.

Night Camps: \$20 (6pm - 9pm) per night (Tuesday & Friday)

EARLY BIRD SPECIAL

Book & pay for 3 days **ONLY**
Monday to Wednesday Long Day & we will add your child manually to the Friday list for free here in our office: Payments must be before Friday December 12th 5pm

Receive Friday for FREE!

No phone booking, enquiries only: 9am - 5pm (EST)

Monday to Friday. Calls outside of these times will be returned the following business day.

Enquiries: 02 9343 0833

Fax: 02 9343 0911

email: bookings@cartoonkingdom.com.au

www.illustrating-man.com.au

Suite 13, 5 - 11 Hollywood Ave, Bondi Junction NSW 2022

Camp Venue & Dates

Monday December 29th, 2014 - Friday January 2nd, 2015

North Shore

1st Roseville Scout Hall
29 Roseville Avenue,
Roseville NSW

Do not contact the venue. All enquiries / payments go to our Sydney office.

The Wellness Walk Superheroes campaign aims to raise \$55,000 for **RichmondPRA's** innovative young people's services, which improves the wellbeing and mental health of young people.

Take the following superhero actions to help us reach our target:

- REGISTER** Register at: www.wellnesswalk.org.au select RichmondPRA in the Charity drop down box or you can join the Wellness Walk Superheroes team!
- INVITE** Spread the word; invite family, friends and work colleagues
- FUNDRAISE** Set yourself a Wellness Walk superhero challenge and ask people to sponsor you or organise a team
- DRESS UP** Release your inner superhero and strut your superhero getup on the day. Prizes for best dressed.
- DONATE** Unable to do the Wellness Walk? You can support young people through a donation to RichmondPRA at: www.richmondpra.org.au/donate-now
- LIKE US** Like RichmondPRA on Facebook for Wellness Walk Superhero updates!
- # TAG** **#WELLNESSWALKSUPERHEROES** with photos of your Wellness Walk journey and superhero inspirations

Your Wellness Walk Superhero efforts will be rewarded with:

Wellness Walk Superheroes T-Shirt
Superhero snacks to sustain you at the Wellness Walk
Superhero incentives for top fundraisers (stay tuned on Facebook for details)

Contact **Alison Perizi**, RichmondPRA Fundraising Manager on alison.perizi@richmondpra.org.au or 9393 9049 for further information

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