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Congratulations

Anton Smirnov, Year 11, on his appearance on SBS last week. Anton is Australia's youngest chess Grandmaster, and will compete at the Chess Olympiad in Batumi, Georgia in September.

Sean Cartwright, Year 11, on his appearance in the Australian Theatre for Young People's production of 'Impending Everyone' at Griffin Stables Theatre next month.

Catherine Charles, Year 12, on attending the formal dinner for the 'Young Women in Public Affairs Award' hosted by Zonta International. Catherine Charles received 3rd Runner Up for the award.

Killara HIGH SCHOOL

Annual Open Day

Monday 3 September
12.00pm – 3.00pm

Students at work

Classes to visit in all curriculum areas

Individual and group student performances

Children and families from our local primary schools especially welcome

Road safety



Your guide to driving and parking safely near schools

The beginning and end of the school day are busy times for pedestrians and vehicles outside the school. That's why you need to take extra care in 40km/h school zones.

- Park safely and legally, even if it means walking further to the school gate. Parking signs are planned with children's safety in mind.
- Slow down to 40km/h in the school zone and stay aware of crossings.
- Always park and turn legally around the school.
- Never double park as it puts children at risk.
- Manoeuvres such as U-turns and three-point turns are dangerous.
- Never park in a bus zone or in the school bus bay.
- Make sure your children use the Safety Door (rear footpath side door) to get in and out of the car.
- At a supervised crossing, observe the directions of the school crossing supervisor.
- Model safe and considerate behaviour for your child – they will learn from you.

Remember to always give way to pedestrians particularly when entering and leaving driveways. Don't park across the school driveway or the entrance to the school car park. It's always a good idea to use the drop off and pick up area suggested by your school. This will help keep all children as safe as possible during the busiest times of the school day.

For more information on keeping our kids safe around schools visit the parents section on safetytown.com.au



Lives lost on NSW roads.
Our goal is zero.



Term 2 key dates

June 2018

22	Year 10 Geography Excursion
25	Year 11 Hospitality Work Placement (All week)
	Sydney North Dance Rehearsal and Performance – Glen Street Theatre (25, 27 & 28 June)
27	Year 12 Chemistry Excursion

July 2018

2	NS5 Careers Expo
4	Year 8 NAIDOC Day – West Head
5	Elective Music Night – Kerrabee Theatre 4.00 – 9.00pm
6	Last Day of Term 2

Term 3 key dates

July 2018

23	School Development Day
24	Students return to school for Term 3
	Year 12 Trial Examinations (Weeks 1 – 3)
	Year 9 Camp (3 days)
25	Year 7 Archibald Exhibition Excursion
27	CHS Cross Country Carnival
30	Sydney North Athletics Carnival
31	Year 7 Archibald Exhibition Excursion

August 2018

7	Year 11 Vaccinations
8	Year 11 Examinations (Weeks 3 – 5)
10	Year 9 Commerce Market Day Incursion
11	Duke of Edinburgh Bronze Test Expedition (2 days)
15	Year 7 Sports Gala Day
27	School Tour 9.00 – 10.00am
31	Visual Arts Exhibition Opening Night (5 days)

September 2018

3	Open Day – 12.00pm – 3.00pm
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BUSES

Please ensure that you tap on and off when travelling on school buses.

We want the company to have an accurate picture of the number of students who travel by bus.

Zone Athletics

On Wednesday 13 June, 129 students competed and assisted at the Zone Athletics Carnival. We had some outstanding results, and finished **second overall**.

1.	Cherrybrook Tech High School	1,118
2.	Killara High School	1,016
3.	Pennant Hills High School	942
4.	Turramurra High School	911
5.	Carlingford High School	778
6.	St Ives High School	693
7.	Galston High School	458
8.	Chatswood High School	431
9.	Ku-Ring-Gai Creative Arts High School	190

Congratulations to Phoebe Riley (Year 7), Brianna Worsfold (Year 8) and Tamara Kowcz Rosinke (Year 12) who were all Age Champions. Well done to Alexander Olivier (Year 12) who came 2nd in his age group, and Grace Chamberlain (Year 8) and Luke Klusman (Year 10) who came 3rd in their age groups.

44 Killara High School students have qualified for the Sydney North (Regional) Athletics Carnival on Monday 30 July and Tuesday 31 July. We wish them all the best in their preparations for this event. A full summary of results can be found on the Killara High School website.

Christina Shapiro
PDHPE Teacher



Ekuba 2018

Year 12 - Save the date

Thursday 27 September
6.30pm for a 7.00pm start

Killara High School's Farewell Dinner for Year 12 Students and Parents



'Ekuba' means 'farewell' or 'goodbye' in the ancient Aboriginal language of Kutthung. The annual Ekuba dinner, held since 1992 in the Kerrabee Hall, is now a long-held tradition at Killara High School and a much anticipated event for Year 12 students and their families. Families of Year 11 students organise and volunteer their time to deliver a memorable evening for all.

This year, it will be held on Thursday 27 September when Killara High will officially say 'Ekuba' to our 2018 Year 12 class before the final rigours of study and exams.

All Year 12 students and their parents/carers are invited to a delicious, professionally catered sit-down dinner, which will be part of a memorable evening of celebrations, presentations and reflections from staff, parents and students.

More information about ticket sales will follow soon.



Ekuba 是什么

Ekuba 是“送别”的意思，是Killara High School 给12 年级同学们和家长们准备的饯别宴会。从1992 年开始，该宴会就由11 年级的同学及家长们作为志愿者组织安排在Kerrabee Hall 举办。Ekuba 邀请12 年级的所有同学及家长一同庆祝。宴会将于9 月27 日晚以晚宴形式举行，介时将会有照片及介绍让大家一起分享同学们在Killara High School 的日子。

SJC Leadership Workshop for Killara Schools Partnership

On Friday 8 June, the SJC hosted a leadership workshop for KSP students along with an excursion to Stewart House.

The Killara High School students worked with the younger students to explore the importance of successful leadership by facilitating activities designed to build leadership skills. The Killara students ran exercises in small groups with a focus on teamwork, communication and mediation.

After the workshop all students from both high and primary schools took a bus trip to Curl Curl beach

to Stewart House, a safe haven next to the beach where public school children can attend to be provided with dental, optical, hearing and medical screening and treatment. The facility allows students to participate in educational programs and excursions designed to help foster their social and emotional skills, build self-esteem and improve overall wellbeing.

Esther Bouchier
English Teacher



SJC Wear it Purple Day

On Friday 1 June, the SJC hosted Killara High School's annual "Wear it Purple Day" - a day to celebrate every young person's unique identity, to say no to bullying, belittlement or invalidation, to show that we believe in a world in which every person can thrive.

We put up the rainbow banner to mark the occasion, and students wore "a splash of purple" as part of their uniform, many donning purple

ribbons and face-paint to show their support. At lunchtime, students joined the SJC and SRC in the warmth of the theatre for free snacks, good company and music. It was a joy to see so many students supporting one another and celebrating inclusivity.

Esther Bouchier
English Teacher



Performing Arts

For the latest Performing Arts Calendar, please visit the school's website at:

<http://www.killara-h.schools.nsw.edu.au/curriculum-activities/performing-arts-ensembles/pae-news-events/calendar>

Young Women in Public Affairs Award

On the evening of Wednesday 13 June Indira Courtness (Year 12, KHS School Captain), Catherine Charles (Year 12, KHS Social Justice Committee President), and Sierra Kim (Year 12, KHS SJC Media and Communications Office) and their families attended the formal dinner for the 'Young Women in Public Affairs Award' hosted by Zonta International. Each young woman had undertaken a rigorous written application process, and had attended a morning tea to introduce themselves to the 40 other applicants and judging panel. As three of the 12 finalists from public and independent schools across the North Shore invited to the formal event, these KHS students spoke about how they would increase the status of women in their world. Indira's speech focused on education and agency, Catherine addressed the

importance of intersectionality and allyship, and Sierra unpacked the stereotypes she currently faces while aspiring to join the military police.

All three students are to be commended for their articulate, thoughtful and engaging presentations. We honour them for their active commitment to volunteerism, experience in school government, and their support for the mission of empowering women worldwide through service and advocacy. Importantly, congratulations are extended to Catherine Charles who received 3rd Runner Up for the award.

Esther Bouchier
English Teacher



Year 11 PDHPE

Year 11 PDHPE had the opportunity to participate in a First Aid course. This qualification supports the content that we are currently learning in lessons, and is useful for many students in their current or future employment. In addition to CPR, students learnt how to manage both minor and major health conditions. Students also applied bandages,

including a pressure immobilisation bandage, and administered an Epipen for anaphylaxis and Ventolin for asthma.

Christina Shapiro
PDHPE Teacher



Girls' Frisbee

Photos from the Girls Frisbee grade team against Carlingford High School. Unfortunately the girls lost in both the A and B teams but they have been improving and the moral of the girls is growing week to week. Good luck and keep the spirits high.

Ben Costantini
PDHPE Teacher



Bill Turner Cup – Boys' Under 15 Soccer Team

Unfortunately the Boys' Under 15 soccer team was knocked out of the Bill Turner Cup last week to the hand of Turrumurra High School. The tournament is one of the premier football competitions in the state and very well regarded for its diversity and competitiveness. In a close game the team conceded a goal late in the second half and the score remained in Turrumurra's favour 1-0 for the remainder of the match. The team played well and were denied several times by the goal keeper or the goal frame. Not being biased but a win for Killara would have been justified by the way they

dominated the second half and they should be proud of the way they continually rallied to outperform their opponent.

It is always a delight to take the boys and see diverse potential in Killara High School.

Thanks to the team and parents for the support

Ben Costantini
PDHPE Teacher

PAE News

Killara wins the North Shore Schools Spectacular

Last Saturday Killara High School hosted the North Shore Schools Spectacular. This is a competition involving 8 high schools including Chatswood, St Ives, Turrumurra, Killarney, North Sydney Boys, Davidson and Killara. The competition was fierce and in the end Killara High won by a half a point, Killarney 2nd and Chatswood highly commended. Congratulations to all of the bands who participated, and our soloist Bryony Hobson.



Congratulations to students from the Performing Arts Ensembles program Will Hay, Eleanor Riley and Angus Kent who performed at the Sydney Opera House as part of the festival of Instrumental Music.

Percussion Ensemble

If you heard our drum ensemble at the Year 7 assembly and would like to learn how to play the drums, please come along to the Percussion Ensemble, which is being run by ex-student Abby Constable. Join us on Thursdays 3.00 – 4.00pm in DP04 or come and talk to Mrs Berry.

Orchestra

Orchestra starts Term 3, day 1 on Tuesdays 3.00 – 4.00pm. Come along and perform with our amazing string ensemble.

Stage Band performed at Lindfield East Public School as part of the KSP Stage Band 1 workshop. They performed the *Incredibles*, and they were!



On a weekend at the beginning of June, Stage Band went to Port Macquarie to play at the Big Band Blast.

Jacki Berry
PAE Coordinator

Stage 5 Food Technology in Action on Excursions

Year 9 Food Technology

On 13 June, 38 students from Year 9 Food Technology went on an excursion to the Botanical Gardens to learn about native Australian bush foods. We learnt how to identify, cook and incorporate these foods into our contemporary diets.

The day included participation in a tour of the gardens as well as taste testing the native flora, including lemon myrtle and finger limes. Some of us were selected to cook for our peers using native Australian ingredients, which we all enjoyed. We made bush tomato-seasoned popcorn, damper and roasted kangaroo.

After the informative tour, we headed off to Four Frogs Creperie at Circular Quay, to experience the French language and culinary experience courtesy of Anthony, who provided savoury and sweet crepes. Overall, it was a great experience, which was very valuable and enjoyable for all involved.

Lily Bogeff and Molly Jones
Year 9 Food Technology Students



Year 10 Food Technology

On 18 June Year 10 Food Technology students enjoyed an excursion to Sydney Tower. The excursion enriched their learning on the topics that they have been studying this semester, namely Food Service and Catering and Food for Special Occasions.

Students had the opportunity to see behind the scenes of a commercial hospitality establishment, starting the bottom of the tower. They then toured the two restaurants and function centre located at the top of the tower. They had an insight into possible career paths within the hospitality and tourism industry.

The highlight for all involved was a decadent buffet lunch enjoyed in the revolving restaurant high above Sydney with clouds clearing for students to take memorable photos. Bon appetit!

Adel Frames and Liz Allcott
TAS Teachers



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The Sydney and Surrounds 2018/2019 book or digital subscription is only \$70 and \$14 from your book purchase goes towards the P&C fundraising.

Year 9 Parents Invitation

Please join us for a drink and catch up with other Year 9 parents at the Greengate Hotel (front bar) on Thursday 28 June 2018 from 7.00pm

We look forward to seeing you there.

We also have a Facebook page for parents of our year group we would love you to join: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/KHS2021/>

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Careers Corner

School Information

Visit our School Careers Facebook page for the latest information. Search Facebook for 'Killara High School's Careers Page'.

Job Jump: The school is subscribed to Job Jump, a careers website which provides a wide range of information and resources. All parents, staff and students have free access. The password is kh and you can register with your personal email address.

<https://jobjump.com.au/myCareer>

For up to date careers information, please visit the school website at:

<http://www.killara-h.schools.nsw.edu.au/our-school/careers>

Alternatively please visit the new Careers website at: <http://www.killarahighcareers.com/>

For further information on any of the above or for general inquiries please contact the careers faculty. Email careers@khs.nsw.edu.au

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