Dear Parents,

Ruth Burrows is a ninety year old English Carmelite nun who is a highly respected writer on prayer and spirituality in the Catholic tradition. In this section from her text Before the Living God: Prayer and Practice she reminds us that our relationship with God will flounder if we are only relying on feeling God’s presence; the desire to be open to God and to serve God in our lives come from that vitally important part of our being: our will. An important element of our God given freedom is our ability to will an outcome. With God we create our lives we may feel that God is completely absent but we will ourselves to be open to God and to create goodness despite (sometimes) burdensome feelings. Choosing God when things are hard is a sign of the freedom of our choice.

‘What God wants from us above all is trust, that trust which is our profoundest homage to him. He wants us to believe utterly in his will to load us with blessings. He wants us to let him love us.

Most spiritual people learn to see his loving providence in the events of their lives, hidden though it may be, but it is a different matter when it comes to their interior states. They find it extremely difficult to believe that he is there, offering his love to them in their present, seemingly unsatisfactory prayer. This absence of all feeling, all high stirrings, this absence of the sublime leads them to think, even if secretly, that something has gone wrong, that they are spiritual failures.

‘Rarely is their distress due to love of God, rather it is because it makes them feel so poor and good-for-nothing. They flee from this state and, in so doing, escape from God. Perhaps they throw themselves into self-sacrificing activity for others, sparing themselves in nothing. Now they are doing something for God! Or maybe a rigid form of conduct, avoiding all possible risk of failing in obligation, may be the channel of escape. It may be possible to work up some sort of fantasy prayer which deceives themselves if not others.
What God is asking is that they should accept to be loved utterly not because they are good but because God is good. They want to earn his love. They hate to feel they do nothing for God and must receive love as a free gift. The purest love of God accepts one’s being just as a receptacle to receive this outpouring of God’s love, and the more poor and wretched we are the more we are fitted for that… True prayer is a giving of self to God, an opening of the self to God, not a seeking to feel God and his action.” (Before the Living God: Prayer and Practice, pages 100-101).

May Brigid bless all you do to make good things happen in our world.

Ms Kate Edmondson
Principal

FROM THE ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL

Parent Teacher Interviews Years 7 – 11
Parent/Teacher Interviews for Years 7-11 will be held on Thursday 25th from 8:40am – 7pm and Friday 26th of June from 8:40am – 1pm in Cullen Hall. These are pupil free days.

To maximise parent access to interviews, an appointment schedule will operate over the two days. Parents can make appointments with teachers via our SENTRAL online booking system, see below for instructions. Bookings will be open Thursday the 11th of June at 10am until Monday the 22nd of June at 4pm.

Reports will be available on the SENTRAL Parent Portal the week of the Parent/Teacher Interviews and you are requested to collect a hard copy of your daughter’s report when you arrive to discuss with teachers on the day.

Parent/Teacher interviews provide an opportunity for parents, students and teachers to discuss student’s progress, to celebrate good news and examine methods to improve learning outcomes. Hopefully, this will mean that students, as well as parents, will receive formal feedback on effort, application and achievement, as well as advice on how to improve their performance in all subjects.

Accessing the Parent Interviews Portal

- Log into the Student & Parent Portal on SENTRAL.

- Click on the Session name “Mid Year - 2015 Parent Teacher Interviews”

- Once you have clicked this link, you will be directed to the Parent Interviews summary screen explaining the process.

- Follow the prompts provided to make bookings for all your daughter’s teachers.
If you do not wish to book an appointment for a particular subject, click on the “Interview not required” link, which will mark that timeslot for your daughter as not attending.

Once you have selected all timeslots, click the “confirm appointments” button to send through your interview requests.

When you have confirmed the appointments, you will then have saved an Interviews Summary for your reference. At the bottom of the page, you have options to Download as an iCal export file or print a hard copy.

**SENTRAL PARENT PORTAL REGISTRATION – Some Points to Note**

The Years 7-11 Parent Teacher Interviews will be coming up at the end of this term. When bookings open for the session they will be via the Sentral Parent Portal.

*If you have not already registered for the Parent Portal on Sentral then we would really like you to do it now, rather than at the last minute later in the term.*

The Sentral Portal Registration and Account Holder links are contained within the “Sentral Portal” link at the very top of our website and also located in the Parents menu tab.


Once registered it is recommended you bookmark the Account Holder Web Address for easier regular login.

**Note:**

- The email address you use for registration becomes your Sentral username. *(This must be a parent’s email address)*
- You set your own password to log into Sentral Portal.
- You need to wait for your registration’s approval email after your registration is done – this is usually by next business day.
- A family access key needs to be entered once you are logged into Sentral as an account holder. This key will be sent to you by the system shortly after your registration’s approval email.
- This family key usually needs to be entered once by each parent/guardian. Thereafter you click on your daughter’s picture to access the Parent Dashboard for information relating to her.
- Please keep the Access Code somewhere safe in case it is needed for future use.

For help please email: michael.rawlings@syd.catholic.edu.au

Mr M Rawlings
IT Administration
Founder’s Day

Founder’s Day will be held on Wednesday 24th of June 2015. The theme for the day is the “Environment” and students are encouraged to dress up, particularly as something to represent our environment. Please note, attire should be sensible and appropriate. Students must wear closed shoes which are comfortable.

We celebrate Mass together in the morning and following this, students will be given the opportunity to participate in a variety of games and activities set up in the school grounds including jumping castles, sumo suits, chess, super-size twister and donut eating competitions to name but a few. Lunch is provided for the girls.

This is a compulsory school day for all students. The day will conclude after clean-up and Homeroom at approx. 2:00pm.

We would love parents to come along and assist with our BBQ. If you are able to offer us a few hours on the day, please indicate on the slip emailed home or call the front office and let them know.

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Thank you for your continued cooperation and support.

Brigid Taylor
Assistant Principal
2015 HSC STUDY GUIDE

The 2015 HSC Study Guide, produced by the Sydney Morning Herald (SMH) and BOSTES, will be published in print and online on Monday 15 June.

The guide has practical information about the HSC and timely advice for students on how to succeed in the HSC exams. For the first time it has been written by BOSTES Curriculum Inspectors and staff, experienced NSW teachers and 2014 high achieving students. The guide includes:

- 49 articles from teachers
- 45 HSC courses
- 18 online videos on a range of popular subjects
- advice on oral and performance exams
- general advice on Music and language courses
- general study advice
- tips for parents
- links to further information

The guide is designed to be a useful resource for students, teachers and parents.

Students will be emailed a Student’s Online Bulletins with information and a link to the online version early next week.

For more information, contact:
Michael Charlton
Director, Media
michael.charlton@bostes.nsw.edu.au
(02) 9367 8248

Computer Operators needed at St Anne’s, Bondi!

Fr Neil Brown, St Anne’s Church, Bondi needs some help with technology! Are you available to operate the Parish Mass PowerPoint?

We would like to start a St Anne’s Parish Power Point roster and invite St Mary’s Cathedral and Brigidine computer buffs to volunteer to operate the Mass PowerPoint once per term at St Anne’s 5pm Saturday Mass.

If you can help please contact Parish Secretary, Rachel on st.annes.bondi@iinet.au or Family Educator, Mary-Jo on pollingerm@syd.catholic.edu.au. Please email name, phone number and indicate ONE Saturday 5pm that is free in Term 3 and Term 4, 2015 to volunteer service.

UNIFORM NEED ALTERING?

Too long, too tight, elastic not right? I have over 50 Years experience in sewing and doing alterations and now I do them for my Grandson’s uniforms! If you need prompt, affordable help with making those uniforms fit just right, please call me. I can also come to the uniform shop if you need help with fitting. Tina 9399 8009 or 0410 540 084
SECONDARY LEADERSHIP PROGRAM AT STATE PARLIAMENT

On Wednesday the 13\textsuperscript{th} of May, Brittany and I ventured out to the Parliament. No not the one in Canberra but the State Parliament near Martin Place. We arrived and saw several students all representing various schools around the state. It was a great opportunity to meet new people; learn about the different schools and hear stories of the initiatives that the students had taken to improve their school.

The morning started with a talk delivered by various state politicians who shed light into the realm of political leadership and shared their vision for NSW with us. They explained the responsibilities and rewards that come with pursuing leadership roles in the community; and even how us youth could enter the world of politics at this very moment. Shortly afterwards we were taken to different rooms within the Parliament including the ‘media’ room in which the politicians would make publically-broadcasted announcements. We also had the opportunity to sit in on a session in the Legislative Council, observing and understanding the role of the Upper House.

We were also lucky enough to have a tour of Government House; the residence of our NSW Governor. A lot of New South Wales’ political history is held in this House, including the family shields of past Governors and several portraits that were painted many years ago. Following our tour, Governor Hurley himself spoke to us – explaining what his life is like, sharing his opinions on important issues, and giving us priceless leadership advice.

Overall, it was a very enriching day for both Brittany and I because it opened us to the bigger picture of leadership and its impact in the community.

Teebana Balakumar
Year 12 Student
MUNA
MODEL UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY

On the 16th of May, 6 Year 11 students travelled up to Wollongong to the beautiful Nan Tien Temple to participate in a Mock UN Assembly with other schools from the Eastern suburbs. We arrived to the freezing cold and were escorted into the room where we would assemble and debate. My team represented Sweden and the other Brigidine team debated on behalf of Lebanon. All schools dressed in their country’s traditional dress or in a costume which was ironically associated. Each team debated three topics under UN conditions and were adjudicated by a board. At the end of each topic of debate countries were invited to voice their concerns in terms of arguments raised by other countries. Following this, a vote was taken and the motion was either carried or sustained. There was fierce competition between nations such as Italy and France, and everyone against the US. Australia was not represented by a school that day but the irony of this, as we were discussing refugees, was not lost on anyone. Morning tea, lunch and afternoon tea was served by the monks from the temple and the countries were able to meet one another outside of the constraints of the sombre assembly hall. At the end of the day, certificates were awarded to each country for participating and special congratulations and trophies were given to those considered to be excellent speakers. The US and UK won the day in first and second place respectively and will continue on to the national Mock UN Assembly in Canberra later this year. Overall the day was really enjoyable and we were so lucky to be invited to be involved in such an interesting and educational event with such incredible speakers discussing relevant issues in today’s world. We would like to thank the monks at the Naan Tian Temple for extending their hospitality to us and for all of the teachers at Brigidine for this wonderful experience.

Riley Cogin and Amelia Rubio
Year 11 Students
World Youth Day Poland is close to one year out and 14 students from Years 9 and 10 have nominated to attend this international youth event.

Our students, their families and our College community will be preparing and fundraising for this pilgrimage. Our first fundraiser will be a mufti day at the College on Friday 19th June. We are hoping the students will dress in red and white (I feel sure there are Dragon or Swans supporters somewhere out there!!!) as these are the Polish national colours. As is the usual procedure for “mufti days”, the girls are asked to bring a gold coin donation to help support our WYD pilgrims.

There will be other events throughout the coming year in which the wider community will be able to participate and support. We are hoping to have a film evening at the Ritz and a Bunnings BBQ just to name a few.

The WYD students will be attending many Archdiocesan events over the next 12 months. These events are formation gatherings as well as social occasions. As part of the formation aspect of this event, we would like to encourage the girls to attend our term family mass. The next mass will be on the 21st June at OLSH Randwick 6pm (details in College newsletter this week).

I look forward to seeing many Brigidine supporters at some of our upcoming WYD events.

Mrs Robyn Ross
Youth Ministry Coordinator

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Brigidine Family Mass
OLSH Parish Church
Sunday 21st June
at 6pm
Be there & bring a friend
Year 9 Evangelisation Day
On Tuesday 26th May, 10 girls from Mrs Day's RE class had the opportunity to take part in a Year 9 Evangelisation Day at Domremy College in Five Dock. On this day, we were able to collaborate with students from schools under the Catholic Education Office, giving us opportunities to meet new people and make many friends.

The day consisted of lots of song and games, but also at times required us to really brainstorm and think about what it is to be "Pure in Heart" as this was the theme of the day.

It was an absolute pleasure to have had Steve Angrisano to lead us in song and prayer and it was a great opportunity and experience to have been a part of. Thank you to Mrs Day and all teachers involved for making it happen.

Eliana Nader
Year 9
SPORT NEWS
CROSS COUNTRY
Brigidine had a successful meet at the CGSSSA Cross Country Championships at Homebush. We had 35 students entered across all age groups with some fantastic results. The INTERMEDIATE Team finished in 4th place and the JUNIOR Team in 5th place.

Some outstanding individual results included:

CHLOE DUNN  1ST Place 12 Years
ISABELLA SLATTERY 3RD Place 14 Years
KIERA CONNOLLY 3RD Place 15 Years
JESSICA MCBRIDE  2ND Place 16 Years

All these students have made it through to the next level to represent CGSSSA at the Combined Catholic Colleges Carnival.

Well done everyone and congratulations to our representatives.

Congratulations to Senna Gulden who has been selected in the NSW All Schools Team for AFL. New South Wales Combined High Schools is the highest honour a student in NSW can attain. Senna will be travelling to Geelong in July to attend the championships and we wish her all the best.

Mrs Kate Elder
PD/H/PE Department

RECONCILIATION NETBALL GAME
UNSW DEBATING - DEBSOC

“That who cannot understand how to put their thoughts on ice should not enter into the heat of debate.” - Friedrich Nietzsche.

The above quote certainly sums up the intense and, yes, heated Debating Day that four of our Year 10 debaters attended on Tuesday the 9th of June at the University of New South Wales. The day was run by the UNSW Debating Society and was attended by students from years 10, 11 and 12 from various local schools. With three consecutive debates held on the day, the public speaking and argumentative skills of our Brigidine students were put to the test and evaluated by members of the UNSW Debating Society; these adjudicators provided wonderfully constructive criticism and suggestions for the content of our hastily prepared speeches. The topics we were presented with ranged from education, to democracy, to media. We emerged triumphant from our first debate, and narrowly escaped victory in our second where we opposed a team from Rose Bay, then defeated in our final debate by a Year 11 team from Sydney Girls High School. The day concluded with a comprehensive workshop given by the members of the debating society, where our debaters gained numerous new skills which will undoubtedly assist us in our debate this Friday at Santa Sabina College. We emerged from the day slightly dazed after absorbing an incredible amount of information, but with a new sense of confidence gained due to the new skills and abilities we were able to take away from the workshop. A wonderful and enlightening day of debating, and look forward to the elimination debate this Friday.

Anthea Duffy
Year 10
YEARS 9 COMMERCE

Year 9 Commerce girls conducted a very successful “Small Business Day” on Wednesday. The budding Entrepreneurs started their business venture with firstly deciding whether to be a Sole Trader or to form a Partnership, then to decide on a name for their business.

The next decisions to be made included: what Products they were going to be selling; at what Price and what type of Promotion methods they were going to use. The promotion campaign was limited to 4 days and it was very successful with the day being well promoted attracting lots of potential customers. The products varied with lots of food items (jelly parfait, ice cream floats, waffles, fudge, popcorn, pizza, donuts and of course lollies!!!) and other items such as photographs, bath bombs, lip balms and candles.

After a very busy lunchtime, the girls got to clean up and look forward to the next part of the task which is to prepare a Cash Flow Statement to see how successful their business venture was. These young entrepreneurs all had a great time and some found out just how much work goes into running their own business.

Many thanks to all of the customers who supported the girls and made this day such a great success.
Mrs Rowena Dawson
HSIE Commercial
Science News June

- Stem Club Update
Our 7 - 10 girls have been busy building bridges among things. See them in action. Click the link and watch the video. It is amazing!!!

https://drive.google.com/file/d/0B5pXDkkK8ME0MmdmU3A5VU83Wmk5Q0tvUU5mSWI4VnFpYk1r/view?usp=sharing

BTW: The robots have arrived - and we are ready for them!!

Stage 1 - assembling the storage systems for them
University of Sydney Work Experience - Reporting back

From the 18th to 22nd of May 2015 inclusive I was selected to attend a work experience on campus at the University Of Sydney School Of Information Technologies. I was grouped with three girls and watched over by our supervisor Masahiro Takatsuka (http://sydney.edu.au/engineering/people/masa.takatsuka.php) who is the Associate Head of School of Information Technologies, specialising in visual analytics with a focus on how to effectively use visuals to compress high volume data streams. We completed various tasks throughout the week including successfully installing Linux (the operating system used for servers and "supercomputers") which enabled us to connect to the USYD network/proxy server and understand the assumed coding knowledge of an IT undergraduate. These facilitated to achieve our goal: analyse the Minecraft gaming experience and find an aspect which could be improved. Unanimously we decided that immortality would enhance Minecraft’s enjoyment whilst playing in “survival mode”. Essentially, we had to create and code a plug-in which allowed us to never lose any “lives”, this was completed through JavaScript. With much trial and error, we executed our aim and reaped the rewards of our programming. Overall this week was a positive industry experience which gave me a basic understanding of Information Technologies and how it’s associated with engineering through a basic video game - finding a problem and an equally suitable solution which fulfils the given criteria without impeding on the quality of its initial form.

Rebecca Rosenberg (Year 10)
• **BCR Forensic Days**
  Years 8 & 10 recently spent a day as CSI’s. They used lots of EVIDENCE to solve a murder case. The case also taught them how to be wise when socialising. A Win Win.

• University Holiday workshops and information sessions.
Brigidine College Randwick
Presents
The 2015
Good Food and Design SHOW

ON
June 18th

Tickets on sale in D15
Mon June 1st, Tues June 2nd,
Wed June 3rd & Thurs June 4th
at recess and lunch

$10 each or
$35 for a family of four
We have allocated some more seating so tickets for the TAS- Good Food and Design Show will have one final pre-show sale on Tuesday 16th at recess in D15. Then tickets will be available at the door on the night from 5.30pm. All welcome. $10 each or $35 for a family of 4 ticket. Ticket price includes savoury food, hot and cold beverages but please bring some gold coins for the Sweet Treat Night Market.

Preparations for the Runway

Year 9 Design and Technology students have been busily working to complete their innovative garments and products for next week’s Good Food and Design Show on June the 18th. The fashion runway starts at 6.30 sharp in the Cullen Centre. Food service and the Sweet treats Night market begins at 5.30pm on the Cullen Veranda. We understand that there is a big event at The Ritz cinema on the same night so best to arrive by 5.30 to secure parking.

Here is a sneak peak of the girls’ amazing work:
Reflecting on the “Inno-fashion” unit – By Christina Pavlidis and Hannah Spaninks 9DAT

The TAS show is an exciting time for all in the Brigidine Community where we come together to showcase the work of students who do Food Technology, Hospitality, Graphics and Design and Technology. This year, our brief was to create an innovative garment or umbrella based on the themes; four seasons, vintage vibes or craft it. Aiming to be creative, original and innovative gave all students the chance to be themselves and create items which show who they are. Throughout the two terms that we worked on this brief we developed our skills and abilities with the assistance from our TAS teachers and experts. As young designers we absorbed as much inspiration we could from the streets, other fashion designers, images and much more. In term one, Year 9 Design and Technology received a visit from the Whitehouse School of Design, where we learnt how to properly render and sketch our drawings for our portfolio. Although producing the design was the most difficult, it was also the most rewarding part. With experimenting and trial and error we were able to create our best ideas yet.

Year 10 and 11 Elective Design and Technology applying final touches to their work......
We are looking forward to seeing you on the 18th June!

**Designing fonts with Character**

This semester, Year 9 Graphics Technology students completed the project “The Whole Font and Nothing but the Font” requiring students to design their own font. Each student was given two words that were homophones, meaning that the words sound the same but have different meanings. Through extensive research, experimentation and design they selected one of their words and developed outstanding solutions. The students selected a range of materials, tools and techniques that they felt best enhanced the essence of their chosen word. They designed their font twice. First they drew it digitally using Adobe Photoshop and then they used tangible materials to apply texture to the font.

Here are some examples of their incredible work:
LIBRARY NEWS

In a recent assembly, four talented young writers were rewarded for their success in the Brigidine College Write the First Chapter of a Novel competition. Sophie Ozcan, who won the grand prize, will join the other winners, Jessica Scandurra, Rosalie Nardo and Joci Toner in an event designed to raise funds for The Kids’ Cancer Project – Write a book in a Day. On June 17, from 8.00 am until 4.00 pm, these writers and a group of highly talented junior artists will write, illustrate and launch a book created through their collaborative efforts.

SOPHIE NORSA

On June 11 Sophie Norsa, a published picture book illustrator and Art Assistant at Brigidine whose work has been featured on Play School, conducted an Illustrator’s Workshop in our Library. Sophie and six young artists worked on illustrations to support the written text the writers had created in a previous workshop. These are a sample of the comments made in the artists’ evaluations of Sophie’s workshop: ‘I really did enjoy Sophie’s workshop because I saw how much you could do in such little time as well as it being creative and high in quality... we were experimenting with watercolour paints which was interesting and fun. Sophie got our attention and is a very good artist.’ Sophie, a highly gifted artist and wonderful communicator led the girls beautifully. It was a joy to see the intensity and commitment that these creative girls brought to the task: Lauren Leung, Ashna Bhardwaj, Agatha Phang, Emalee Brajkovic, Lucy Shepherd, Jasmine Burrows.
**LIZ DEEP-JONES TALK & WORKSHOP**

On Thursday the 7th of May, Year 8 attended an interesting and exciting talk from the author, journalist, presenter, producer and mother, Liz Deep-Jones. She spoke about her career and life as a journalist and inspired the grade to ‘dream it, believe it and live it’.

After this talk, 15 girls were chosen to participate in a workshop and learned about the process of forming a story. They were divided into two groups and were assigned a picture to each group. This picture was the theme of a story that they had to create. After several minutes of discussion, the two groups presented their ideas and were given feedback.

The workshop gave the girls the opportunity to be creative and think on the spot. The activity presented them with a challenge and they had to work together as a group. The activity also tested their improvisation skills.

Liz also taught the girls about writing as a profession and discussed ways that they could improve their own writing. She explained to the girls the importance of character development and having a plan. By doing this, she helped the girls form the basic building blocks of their stories.

Overall the workshop was a great success and the girls thoroughly enjoyed it.
Open days

**UNSW College of Business and Communication**
- The Rocks: 3 May 2015, 1 August 2015

**Australian College of Natural Therapies**
- Pyrmont: 3 May 2015, 1 August 2015

**Australian Catholic University**
- Canberra campus: 26 August 2015
- North Sydney campus: 3 September 2015
- St Mary's campus: 13 September 2015

**Australian College of Applied Psychology**
- Information sessions: 14 July 2015, 12 August 2015, 15 November 2015
For campus tours or more details about the information sessions, visit www.acap.edu.au

**University of Sydney**
- All campuses: 29 August 2015

**Sydney Institute of Technology**
- The Rocks: 3 May 2015, 1 August 2015

**Charles Sturt University**
- Open day every day: For campus tours/appointments and course information, call 1800 1800 898 or visit www.csu.edu.au/commontours

**UNSW**
- Sydney campus: 13 August 2015, 2-4pm
Virtual open day (live only): 10 September 2015, 10am-4pm
For more information on these and other UNSW events, visit www.unsw.edu.au/events

**University of Technology, Sydney**
- All campuses: 29 August 2015

**University of Western Sydney**
- Penrith campus: 9 August 2015
IWS Campus Experience tours are held throughout the year.
To register, visit www.uws.edu.au/campusexperience or call 02 9881 6666

**University of Wollongong**
- Wollongong campus: 15 August 2015
Sydney, Wollongong campuses: 29 August 2015

**UNE Australia**
- Kensington campus: 5 September 2015
UNE Students at the Australian Defence Force Academy: 29 August 2015

** psychology**
- Surry Hills campus: 22 August 2015, 16 January 2016
But open days every day. For a personalised campus tour, call 1300 877 300

**Macquarie University**
- North Ryde: 12 September 2015

For campus tours/appointments and course information, call 1300 859 800 or visit www.mq.edu.au
FASHIONMASTERS

CAREERS DAY
13 June & 4 July
Level 3, 91 York Street, Sydney
9.45am - 12.00pm
FashionMasters provides a specialist fashion business program which covers all aspects of the fashion design industry including design production and the all important marketing and promotion.
Secure your place now!
info@fashionmasters.com.au
02 9299 1400
www.fashionmasters.com.au

WANT A CAREER IN FASHION?
Gain expert advice and guidance from leading industry professionals on where a career in fashion can take you.
- Ben Saad and Wendy Eastland from Country Road discuss fashion career opportunities in retail management.
- Maya Dait, personal shopper/stylist at Topshop/Topman offers an insight into a career in styling.
- Karen Wachtmann, Public Relations & Events Specialist presents fashion career pathways and industry advice.
- Network with potential employers and current students.

COUNTRY ROAD
TOPSHOP
TOPMAN

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Holiday Workshops - Career Skills

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Registrations
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"Inspirational" 
"Insightful" 
"Valuable" 
"Professional" 
"Informative"

Hearing from hiring professionals within recruitment and business, students will hear what is important in their resumes and how the interview process works. They will have the chance to have their resume reviewed by a hiring professional.

ATTENDEES
Year 10-12 high school students, university and further studies.

WORKSHOP OUTCOMES
At the completion of the workshop students will have a clear understanding of current employers expectations. They will obtain an understanding of the language of recruitment and be able to better plan their job hunt with greater understanding of job search strategies, resume writing and interview skills. Attendees will be involved in an interactive learning environment and have the chance to ask a hiring manager their questions.

WORKSHOP DETAILS
Topic 1: How do you find a Job?
Topic 2: Top Resume Tips
Topic 3: What happens in an Interview?

OPTIONAL RESUME REVIEW
Following the workshop attendees will be able to have their resume reviewed by a professional healthcare recruiter at a discounted rate. Registration for resume review is essential, please include in your comments field of registration to hear more.

KATHRYN TAYLOR BEd CAHRI MACE (Owner & Director, Turning Point Consulting)
Kathryn offers schools,educators,students,parents and associations support in creating a platform for positive career evaluation, planning and transition. Over 15 years expertise in human resources, talent management and career coaching in educational and corporate sectors, she provides insight to link education and expectations of the changing workforce. Read more at turningpointconsulting.com.au.

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The Careers Edmodo page contains more in depth information. The current code to join is: hrib2k

Universities

**UTS: Engineering Industry Merit Based Scholarships**
Applications Open: Mon 6th July
Applications Close: Mon 5th October
A number of Industry Sponsored scholarships are available to provide financial support for the first year of the Bachelor of Engineering Diploma in Engineering Practice degree. Scholars will have direct access to industry sponsors and many undertake an internship with their sponsor company. Applicants will be chosen based on their academic performance, skills evidence in leadership, commitment to an understanding of the engineering profession, and demonstrated initiative in extra-curricular activities.
Contact: +61 2 9514 2666 or FEITOutreach@uts.edu.au
http://www.uts.edu.au/future-students/scholarships/0000017874

**UTS: Bachelor of Information Technology Co-operative Scholarship Program**
Round 1 Applications Close: Fri 19th June
Round 2 Applications Open: Mon 3rd August
Round 2 Applications Close: Wed 30th September
The Bachelor of Information Technology Co-operative Scholarship Program provides students with $15,500 per year of study, and two six month full-time industry placements with sponsor organisations. There are two rounds of applications in 2015 for the 2016 intake.

**UTS: New Digital Course Guides**
New interactive course guides are designed to help students explore their UTS course and career options in new and engaging ways.

**UTS INSEARCH: Guide Available for 2015**
The guide showcases academic programs, support services and activities available at UTS INSEARCH.

**CQ University: Virtual Open Day**
Thu 10th September, 10.00am – 6.00pm
Prospective students can learn about CQ University courses and study options by watching an information session, chatting online with CQ University staff, and having questions answered.

**Charles Sturt University Webinar: Bachelor of Health Science (Food and Nutrition)**
Wed 10th June, 7.00pm – 8.00pm
Learn about the course content and career opportunities upon graduation.
http://news.csu.edu.au/events

University of Sydney: Agriculture HSC Seminar & Video Conference
Thu 11\textsuperscript{th} June, 9.30am – 2.00pm, University of Sydney, Camden Campus
The Agriculture HSC seminar revises key concepts in the HSC Agriculture and Primary Industries courses, and provides current examples of research that students can use in the extended response answer section.
Students can either attend the seminar in person or view the seminar via video conference.
Contact: Jessica Morris jessica.morris@sydney.edu.au

Macquarie University: New Pathways into Law
Students who have been admitted to a non-law degree at Macquarie University in 2016 will be able to apply for admission to the Pre-Law Pathway prior to their first session of studies. To gain entry into the Pre-Law Pathway prospective students are required to have completed the HSC in 2015, achieved an ATAR above 93, and be accepted into an approved degree at Macquarie.
http://law.mq.edu.au/future_students/undergraduate_law_programs/new_pathways_into_law/

Macquarie University Discovery Day
Fri 12\textsuperscript{th} June, 9.30am – 2.00pm
Fri 31\textsuperscript{st} July, 9.30am – 2.00pm
Fri 6\textsuperscript{th} November, 9.30am – 2.00pm
Thu 3\textsuperscript{rd} December, 9.30am – 2.00pm
Fri 4\textsuperscript{th} December, 9.30am – 2.00pm
An opportunity for year 10 students to get a feel for the campus, attend interactive workshops, and speak to lecturers and students about what it is like to study at Macquarie.
http://www.mq.edu.au/study/undergraduate/parents_and_teachers/teacher_information/macquarie_discovery_day/

Macquarie University Global Leadership Entry Program for Year 12 Students
Applications close: Sat 15\textsuperscript{th} August
The Global Leadership program provides students with the opportunity to gain practical skills through volunteering and participating in leadership activities in Australian and overseas. As part of the program students will gain early entry into a limited number of Macquarie degrees and will also receive invitations to special events and pre-study programs. The program is open to Year 12 students who are not only doing academically well but are also leaders in their community.
Contact: 1800 351 117
https://mq.edu.au/study/undergraduate/getting_in/entry_schemes_and_pathways/global_leadership_entry_program/

TAFE & Apprenticeships

William Angliss Institute: Trial a Trade
Tue 30\textsuperscript{th} June
Sat 12\textsuperscript{th} September
Tue 29\textsuperscript{th} September
William Angliss Institute, Surry Hills
Trial-a trade provides a short, hands-on look at what a career in the fields of coffee, cookery, patisserie or travel/events/hospitality management is like. Contact: Anna Klingberg on +612 9125 5179 or annakl@angliss.edu.au http://www.angliss.edu.au/register-for-trial-a-trade

Apprenticeships for 2016
Students that are interested in undertaking an apprenticeship in 2016 are encouraged to start looking now. A number of local and national organisations will begin to advertise positions over the coming months. For more general information on apprenticeships visit: http://www.aatinfo.com.au/Home

Private Colleges

Canberra Academy of Dramatic Art: Scholarships
Prospective students must register for the drama workshop on Sat 20th June to apply. Canberra Academy of Dramatic Art has announced 6 new scholarships for students planning to commence full-time study in semester 2 2015. These scholarships are:

- One tuition scholarship (valued at $2,500)
- Five $500 cash scholarships

To be eligible, applicants must be aged 13 – 45, have approval to study in Australia, and can demonstrate an interest in acting. Applicants can apply for one or both of the scholarships, however only one scholarship can be awarded per applicant. http://www.cada.net.au/scholarships.html

Australian Theatre for Young People: School Holiday Workshops
Short Film Course: Mon 29th June – Fri 3rd July
Stage and Screen: Mon 6th July – Fri 10th July
Sketch Comedy: Mon 29th June – Fri 3rd July
The Outsider: Mon 6th July – Fri 10th July
Pier 4/5 Hickson Road, Walsh Bay
Contact: (02) 9270 2400 or hello@atyp.com.au http://www.atyp.com.au/

Martin: New Diploma of Interior Design and Decoration
Learn how to conceptualize and plan the layout of a residential or commercial space by studying the Diploma of Interior Design and Decoration either online or on-campus. http://www.martin.edu.au/courses/school-design-technologies/interior-design-decoration

Other News

Moore Stephens Accounting Cadetship Program
Applications close Wed 24th June
Cadets will study part-time while working an equivalent of 4 days per week during study periods and full-time during semester breaks. Cadets will work with a
range of companies and individuals while receiving a salary, study support and mentoring.

Working at the ABC
A host of opportunities are available for students interested in gaining work experience within the media broadcasting sector through the ABC. Cadetships, Scholarships and Work Experience places are on offer and all applications can be made online.
http://www.abc.net.au/careers/cadetshipsandworkexperience/

Australian Defence Force Information Sessions
Sydney – Army Reserve: Tue 9th June, 6.30pm, Defence Force Recruiting, Parramatta
Sydney – ADF Fitness: Wed 10th June, 6.30pm, Defence Force Recruiting Parramatta
https://www.facebook.com/DefenceJobsAustralia/events

Defence Jobs: Job Finder
This website will help people interested in entering the defence force find a possible role or career suited to them.

7 Keys to a Successful Job Search
http://www.forbes.com/sites/nextavenue/2013/04/22/7-keys-to-a-successful-job-search/

Ms Jennifer Nicolas
Careers Advisor
ENGAGING ADOLESCENTS™
PARENT WORKSHOP

Parenting skills for resolving teenage behaviour problems

Maintaining positive and constructive channels of communication is one of the most important skills that adults must have when living with teenagers. This workshop aims to provide parents with effective tools and strategies in the following:

- Identifying normal and acceptable teenage behaviour.
- Family life with teenagers and how to build positive and respectful relationships.
- How to manage challenging behaviour from your teenager.

WHEN: Saturday 27th June 2015
WHERE: Central Library Eastgardens
Westfield Eastgardens
Ground Floor, Benett Avenue, Eastgardens
TIME: Please arrive at 9:15am for registration.
The course runs from 9:30am to 4:00pm
COST: $20.00 (includes course workbook)
- morning tea, lunch and afternoon tea provided
BOOKINGS: Please contact Patrick or Yasemin on 9366 3889 or
communityservices@botanybay.nsw.gov.au

UNFORTUNATELY THERE IS NO CHILD/MINDING FOR THIS GROUP

This group has been proudly sponsored by
Botany Bay City Council and is in partnership with The Delt Women & Children’s Centre

- An end to the arguing and yelling! • It saved our lives • Simple, sane, effective •

This course is being run by a Parentshop® trained practitioner. www.parentshop.com.au
THE POWER OF ENGINEERING
CREATE YOUR FUTURE
CALLING ALL YEAR 9 & 10 STUDENTS!

DID YOU KNOW ENGINEERING HAS THE POWER TO CHANGE THE WORLD?
FIND OUT HOW AT OUR FREE ONE DAY EVENT FOR YEAR 9 & 10 STUDENTS.

You are invited to Sydney’s first Power of Engineering event for 2015!
When: Monday 6 July 9:00am – 4:00pm
Where: UNSW Kensington Campus
Cost: FREE! This includes lunch at the event
Who is Invited: Female year 9 and 10 students; even if they have not showed an interest in engineering

WHAT YOUR STUDENTS WILL GET OUT OF IT
– Find out what engineering is and what engineers do
– Be an engineer for the day
– Learn about different career pathways
– Meet energetic people studying engineering or who are already engineers
– Experience local engineering projects
– The variety of engineering disciplines
– How engineering can change the world!

GUESS WHAT? IT’S FREE!
The Power of Engineering event is completely free for teachers and students to attend. The one day event includes activities and catering thanks to our university and industry partners.

WHAT HAPPENS AT THE EVENTS?
Interactive and hands on workshops showcasing a variety of disciplines
– Inspirational and informative speakers from industry that the students can relate to
– Site tours or industry experience for students to experience local engineering projects

Registration is now open at unsydneypowerofengineering.org
If you have questions, please email Alex Bonnigan at a.bonnigan@unsw.edu.au or call (02) 9385 7458.

VISIT WWW.POWEROFENGINEERING.ORG FOR MORE INFORMATION
LITTLE SISTERS OF THE POOR, MOUNT ST JOSEPH’S HOME RANDWICK

SPORTSMAN’S LUNCH

2 Course Meal including Beverages
South Sydney Rabbitohs Players and Leading Racing Identities will entertain you
Great Prizes to be won in Auction and Raffle such as
A “Morning at the Stables” with Gai Waterhouse,
A weekend for two at the Crown Plaza Coogee and many more

Venue: South Sydney Juniors – Kingsford
Date: Sunday the 12th of July 2015 – 12.30pm

$100.00 per person, Please purchase tickets on-line
http://www.trybooking.com/HVGC
Tickets: or call Michelle (02) 9398 9166

The Little Sisters of the Poor invite you to attend the Mount St Joseph’s Home Sportsman’s Lunch at 12.30pm on Sunday, 12th July 2015.

Please join us for a lovely 2 course meal, some fun and entertainment whilst raising some valuable funds for the Mount St Joseph’s Home building endeavours.
# Youth in the City

## School Holiday Program

### Week 1: Monday 29 June

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**Cost:** Free

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**Cost:** Free

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<td>10:30am - 4pm</td>
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**Cost:** $15

### Week 2: Tuesday 7 July

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<td>10:30am - 4pm</td>
<td>Bowling, laser tag, lunch &amp; 1 hr. Arcade games at Darling Harbour</td>
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### Week 1: Wednesday 1 July

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<td>Open air Ice Skating at The Winter wonderland in Darling Harbour, Inc., lunch provided</td>
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**Cost:** Free

### Week 2: Wednesday 8 July

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<td>10:30am - 4pm</td>
<td>Street art for kids with Sir Tapio at Workshop - Reafem</td>
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### Week 1: Thursday 2 July

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<td>Comedy at Ultimo community Centre - Lunch provided</td>
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**Cost:** Free

### Week 2: Thursday 9 July

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<td>10:30am - 4pm</td>
<td>Sports Clinic at PFA lunch provided</td>
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**Cost:** Free

### Week 1: Friday 3 July

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<td>12:30pm - 3pm</td>
<td>Taronga Zoo includes zoo staff, sheet and greater educational activity</td>
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**Cost:** Free

### Week 2: Friday 10 July

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<td>10:30am - 4pm</td>
<td>Skyzone at Alexandria, including dodge ball games</td>
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**Cost:** Free

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For more information and bookings, phone: 02 9212 8771 or email: youthservices@sydneyservices.municipal.gov.au

Permission forms can be downloaded from: www.sydneyservices.municipal.gov.au

Only once booking has been confirmed, payment can be made in person at any of the City’s Service centres or via email with a credit card authority form.

Youth Services has several convenient pick-up and drop-off locations for the School Holiday Program: Sydney Town Hall, Enmore, Reafem, Penshurst and Milson

For more information or to book pick up and drop off call: Phone: 02 9212 8771

*Please note that bus pick-ups and drop-offs are only available for pick-up locations*

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**Participants of the School Holiday Program must be in High School**

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ALL NOTICES WILL NOW BE IN NEWSLETTER FOR 2 MONTHS ONLY, UNLESS REQUESTED TO KEEP THE AD GOING

UNIFORM ITEMS FOR SALE

Available on Saturday 6th June for pick up as we leave the country on the 8th June.

Please call Pippa Halfnight on 0414 465 151

Summer uniform only worn for 1 term.
Winter uniform only worn for just over 1/2 a term

All in great condition.

Two summer dresses - Size L8 - $50 each (usually $95 each)
2 Winter Shirts - Size 10 - $20 each (usually $40 each)
1 Jumper - Size 14 - $40 (usually $80)
1 Blazer - Size 14 - $120 (usually $210)
1 Skirt - Size 8 - $60 (usually $110)
Sport Shirt - Size 14 - $20 (usually $40)
Sport shorts - Size 12 - $15 (usually $30)
Sport Jacket - Size 10 - $35 (usually $75)
Sport Track Pants - Size 10 - $30 (usually $60)
Swimsuit - Size 8 - $20 (usually $45)
Navy Apron - $5 (usually $12) - NEVER WORN
White Apron - $5 - (usually $12) - NEVER WORN
College Back Pack - $10 (usually $65)
Sport Havasack - $10 (usually $20)
5 x pairs of white socks with green stripe - $15 for all pairs (usually $8 per pair)
5 x pairs of blue socks with green stripe - $15 for all pairs (usually $8 per pair)

Plus school text books available as well...
1 x Pair track pants in excellent condition, hardly worn  Size 14  $50

**Rosie O’Brien on 0415 629 137**

Take all items list for $200.00.
Various Sizes

3 x Junior Summer Dresses
1 x Blazer
1 x Jumper
4 x Sport short sleeves Polo shirts
2 x long sleeve Polo shirts
3 x track pants
3 x track jackets
1 x Junior Skirt
2 x Long Sleeve Blouses
1 x Senior Skirt
2 x Senior Short sleeve blouses
1 x Blazer
1 x Jumper
1 x haversack
1 x white apron

Please contact Pauline on 0401 965 788

1 x Blazer – Age 16 - $60.00 (dry cleaned, like new)

Accessories also for sale – include Brigidine Green Bag, Science and cookery aprons, navy cap, navy library bag. – The lot $75.00

Call Joanne on 0438781158

**Junior Summer Uniform**

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**Summer Sport Uniform**

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Junior Winter Uniform
Skirt size 4 $65
Long sleeve Blouse size 10 $15

Winter Sport Uniform
Track Jacket size 10 $20

Compulsory Accessories
College Back Pack $35
Excursion back-Havasack $5
Navy Apron $5
White Apron $5

My contact number is 04 0623 777 4 (Jiva)

The best time for me to be contacted is after 6:00 pm during week days and any time on the weekend.

School Blazer Size 16 $145 (excellent condition, worn a few of times only)
Contact - Jenny on 0403 257 204

COLLEGE BLAZER size 14 GOOD CONDITION $30
COLLEGE BACKPACK GOOD CONDITION $10
COLLEGE KILT size 8 GOOD CONDITION $20
Please contact Therese on 0411099288

Brigidine College Uniforms, Accessories for Sale

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Please contact: Belle Kong (parent) at 0430 020 629 or email: belle.kong@yahoo.com.au.