

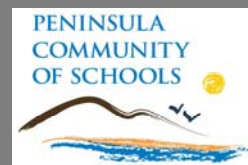


# Pittwater Press

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Mona St, Mona Vale 2103



Term 3– Week 6B

Tuesday, 30 August 2011

## ACTING PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

### Year 8 2012 and Year 9 2012 Subject Information Evening

Last week the Year 7 and Year 8 students received copies of the Year 8 and Year 9 2012 subject selection booklets, which include a description of each of the elective subjects we offer at Pittwater High School. An information evening for parents and students has been planned for Tuesday 23 August from 6:30pm to 7:15 pm for Year 8 2012 and 7:30pm to 8:30 for Year 9 2012. I look forward to seeing you there.

### School Certificate

Earlier this month the Minister for Education announced there will be no School Certificate external tests from 2012. We have received advice from the Board of Studies that the range of subjects and required hours for Year 10 2012, has not changed. The 2011 external exams will proceed as planned. The Board is currently undertaking a review of the role of the School certificate and a discussion is available on their site: <http://www.boardofstudies.nsw.edu.au/>

### P&C meeting

All parents are welcome to the monthly P&C meetings held the 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesday of the month, in the library, from 7:30pm to 9:30pm. The next meeting is tomorrow night Wednesday 24 August. During the meeting the School Counsellor, Colleen Meehan, will give a short presentation on a program we are implementing at Pittwater High School called SenseAbility.

### HSC Practical subjects

Over the past week we have had a number of HSC markers in the school to assess the important practical components of courses. I would like to acknowledge the extra hours the teaching staff of these practical subjects have devoted to mentoring our year 12 students. Many of the teachers gave up time in the holidays and have spent time away from their families.

### Week 6

Fri 19 – Sun 21 Aug	40 Hour Famine
Tue 23 Aug	Yr7 to 8, Yr8 to 9 Subject Selections
Wed 24 Aug	P&C Meeting

### Future Dates

Mon 29 Aug	Senior Art Exhibition 6-8pm
Fri 2 Sept	Wilmette Student Exchange Hypnotic Entertainment
Tue 13 Sept	Band Community Concert
Sat 17 Sept	Marsala Dance Night
Sat 17 Sept	<i>LIME CORDIALE @PHS Hall</i>

### Student Achievements

Congratulations to **Lauren P** of Year 11 and Callum and Darcy G of Year 12 for achieving High Distinctions in the Science Competition

Congratulations to **Tom D** for securing a position in the Jazz course at Mount Gambier in South Australia.

Tania Turik

**Acting Principal**

**P & C MEETING**  
**24<sup>TH</sup> August 2012**  
**In the school library**  
**From**  
**7.30pm to 9.30pm**  
**ALL WELCOME**

A/Principal: Tania Turik  
Dep. Principal: David Muirhead  
R/Dep Principal: Sharon Behringer



Email: [Pittwater-h.school@det.nsw.edu.au](mailto:Pittwater-h.school@det.nsw.edu.au)  
Website: [www.pittwater-h.schools.nsw.edu.au](http://www.pittwater-h.schools.nsw.edu.au)

## Wanted:

Do you have any spare 20 litre drums  
for Year 10 Agriculture?

Please ring the school with your  
offers. I am happy to pick them up.

Thanks  
Regards,  
Stephen Rawlinson

## SCHOOL BLAZERS YET TO BE RETURNED

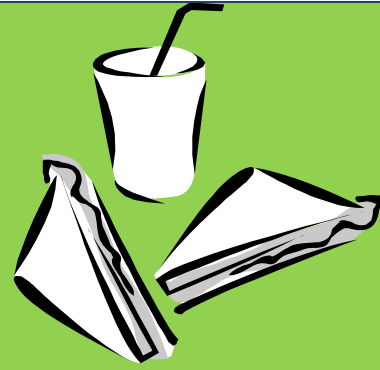
The following blazer sizes have not been  
returned by students and it is requested that  
parent's please follow up on the return as they  
are required for future functions.

### GIRLS

5 size 16 blazers  
1 size 18 blazer  
5 size 14 blazers

### BOYS

3 size 18 blazers  
2 size 16 blazers



## Canteen News

### Wednesday 24 August

Janet Carter, Anne Carolan, Tina Harriss

### Thursday 25 August

Fiona Little, Deb Holmes, Help Needed

### Friday 26 August

Catherine Campbell, Lisa James, Help Needed

### Monday 29 August

Cher Bailey, Joanne Leak, Leah Norris

### Tuesday 30 August

Sharron Winny, Jo Van Hesden, Help Needed

### Wednesday 31 August

Christine Lanceley, Help Needed, Help Needed

Three helpers a day ensures our children have a wider variety  
of freshly prepared food available and do not have to spend  
too large a portion of their lunch break waiting in a queue.

If you are unable to make your rostered day or can assist on  
any of the days above please contact canteen managers  
Lisa/Katrina (ph 9999 4035; x122).

The Canteen Committee

## UNIFORM SHOP NEWS

Summer uniform to be worn commencing Term 4.

Purchase your needs now and beat the rush at the  
beginning of Term 4.

Uniform price list located in this newsletter.

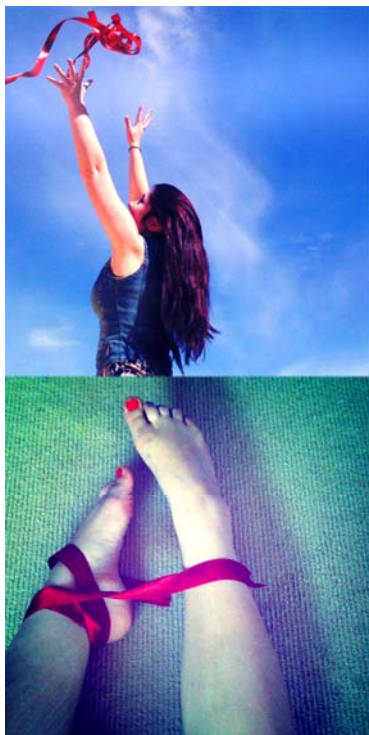
*White Card Training Recipients with  
Mrs Turik, Wednesday 17th August*



**LOST PROPERTY**

There are many items including  
iPods, glasses, wallets and  
phones awaiting collection in  
the front office.

These items will be forwarded  
to charity at the end of Term 3  
if they are not claimed



# Pittwater High School

## Senior Art Exhibition

Monday 29th August  
in the Common room,  
A Block

Mona St Mona Vale

Phone: 99994035

works by Tara Sinclair and  
Lauren Woods



# Pittwater High School

## Senior Exhibition

Monday 29th August  
6pm-8pm

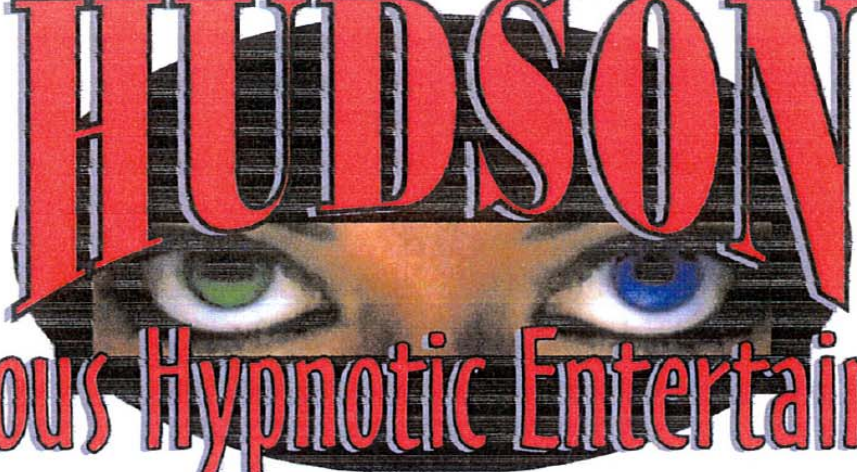
in the Common room, A block  
Mona St Mona Vale  
Phone:- 99994035

works by Claire Geluk





# HUDSON



## Hilarious Hypnotic Entertainment

*Raising Funds for Pittwater High Student Exchange*

**Pittwater High School Hall**  
**2nd September 2011**  
**Showtime 7.00pm**

**Limited Seats**  
**\$20 Adults \$10 Child**

*Come and See the Show or BE THE SHOW!*

**Call School NOW:**

**9999 4035**

Pittwater High School Student Exchange Fundraiser

# Hypnotist Night

Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> of September 2011

Pittwater High School Hall at 7:00pm

**\$10 child/student**

**\$20 adult**

Limited seats available so get in fast and buy  
your tickets!

To buy your tickets:-

- call school **9999 4035**

- see Jordan Newland, William Morrison,  
Kane Haggett Or Declan Springthorpe

Tea, Coffee, **Cakes** and a **Raffle**

Hudson the Hypnotist is coming to Pittwater High School for some hilarious hypnotic entertainment. So come along and bring your friends and family to this wonderful event to see the show or BE THE SHOW!

All proceeds from the fundraiser will go to the Wilmette Student Exchange program.



# BAND FEST #2

LIME CORDIALE  
ADDICTED PERSONALITY  
CRISIS AVERTED  
RACHAEL BEER &  
LARA FERRAZZANO

17 SEPTEMBER  
PHS HALL

POOL TABLES AND FOOD AVAILABLE  
DOORS OPEN AT 6:30 - 11:00

TICKETS \$15 AT PHS OFFICE  
OR AT THE DOOR

ALCOHOL, SMOKE AND DRUG FREE EVENT



PITTWATER  
HIGH SCHOOL  
BAND TOUR  
FUNDRAISER

# MARSALA

WORLD MUSIC FROM AUSTRALIA



**\$35**

**Saturday 17th September**

**Newport Surf Lifesaving Club**

**Doors open: 7pm.**

**Band plays: 8 - 11pm.**

Finger food supplied Drinks for purchase No BYO

**Tickets available from :**

Pittwater High School, Beach Optique Mona Vale

Newport Artworks Newport



# HELP RAISE \$\$\$\$ FOR YOUR GROUP THROUGH TASTE TESTING WITH Sensory Solutions -Putting the **FUN** into fundraising.

You donate one hour of your time and we donate money to your group.

for **20 to 60** year old **Males & Females** to participate in taste testing.

Sensory Solutions is a Member of The Market Research Quality Accreditation Scheme.  
Please consider your answers carefully as we are required to confirm responses at time of testing.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Contact phone no: \_\_\_\_\_

Mobile phone no: \_\_\_\_\_ email: \_\_\_\_\_

Age: Under 20 [ ] 20-25 [ ] 26-30 [ ] 31-39 [ ] 40-60 [ ] 60+ [ ]

Gender: Male [ ] Female [ ]

## HOW OFTEN DO YOU EAT THE FOLLOWING MEATS?

(in any form e.g roasts, stews, stir fry's, BBQ's ETC...) (please tick appropriate box)

	<i>Twice a week</i>	<i>Approx weekly</i>	<i>Approx fortnightly</i>	<i>Approx monthly</i>	<i>Seldom</i>	<i>Never Eat</i>
Beef	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
Chicken	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
Pork	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
Lamb	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]

## HOW OFTEN WOULD YOU EAT THE FOLLOWING? (please tick appropriate box)

	<i>Approx weekly to fortnightly</i>	<i>Approx monthly to every 3 months</i>	<i>Approx 4-6 months</i>	<i>Never</i>
Roast Pork	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
Medium Beef Steak	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
Beef Casseroles	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
Grilled Chicken	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
Rare Beef Steak	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
Roast Lamb	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
Beef Stir Fry	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
Well Done Beef Steak	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
Lamb chops	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
Pork Chops	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
Roast Beef	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
Beef Mince	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]

Thank you for your time and please note that not everyone who screens will qualify. If you do qualify one of our friendly team will be in contact with you in the near future.

Find Us At: [www.fundraisingmatters.com.au](http://www.fundraisingmatters.com.au)

# Music News



## PERFORMANCES & DIARY DATES:

*\*\* Please continue to check back as various dates are subject to change*

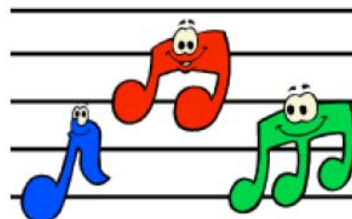
### TERM 3

Tue Sep 13<sup>th</sup> Community Concert; 7pm @ Pittwater RSL [Vehicles needed to transport gear.]  
Sat Sep 17<sup>th</sup> MARSALA Dance Night @ Newport Surf Club (*details to come*)  
Sat Sep 17<sup>th</sup> **>> CHANGED <<** Band Fest #2 @ PHS Hall

Sep TBC Soiree Night

### TERM 4

Oct 1-3 Manly Jazz Festival  
Mon Oct 17<sup>th</sup> Band Committee Meeting; 7.30pm @ Pittwater RSL  
Thu Nov 24<sup>th</sup> Band Brekkie for all ensembles; TBC  
Mon Dec 5<sup>th</sup> Year 6 Orientation (Stage Band)



### *New Trier High School*

New Trier High, our sister-school will be visiting Pittwater in late March 2012. We need **lots** of families to assist with the billeting of **181 students**.

A flyer will be coming out soon with more details. This will be a Whole School Event.

### *Band Fest #2 - September 17<sup>th</sup> in the PHS Hall*

There will be four live bands, hot food and drinks available, & pool tables!! Tickets will be available at the school office next week for \$15 ea. Proceeds go to the 2012 European Band Tour. The bands are: Lime Cordiale; Addicted Personality; Crisis Averted; Rachel Beer and Lara Ferrazzano (duet).

**This is an alcohol-, smoke-, and drug-free event**

### *Sensory Solutions - Euro 2012 Fundraiser*

We have a great opportunity here but need lots of people to complete the survey first. Please check your email and return the survey form ASAP!

Kathy Small

[kathy782@optusnet.com.au](mailto:kathy782@optusnet.com.au)

## Cultural Treat for Year 8

Last Wednesday, August, 16<sup>th</sup>, Year 8 attended a memorable performance called 'Belong' by The Bangarra Dance Theatre, an indigenous group, at the Opera House. Organised by Ms Grigorian and supported by the English faculty, this excursion was the first of its kind.

Until now, for most Year 8 students, their theatrical experiences were limited to in-school experiences. Despite the few predictable negative responses, most students found the performance entertaining, a little puzzling but at least, stimulating. There were two separate performances: 'ID' by the company's artistic director, Stephen Page and 'About' by company artist and emerging indigenous choreographer, Elmer Kris. Both performances imaginatively explored aspects of indigenous and Western cultural identity. In 'ID', Page explored the indigenous communities' desire to feel proud and to belong compared to the Western culture's feelings of alienation and confusion. In 'About', Kris explored her curiosity of the four winds that make up the seasons in the Torres Strait Islands. The colourful and creative choreography and stage-craft were well worth watching, even if all of the performances were enigmatic at times.

The behaviour of the students was a credit to the school. The excursion was a most rewarding experience.

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- Orthodontic treatment for all ages
- Clear and Invisible braces available
- Beautiful environment with very experienced, friendly staff and Doctors
- Payment plans starting from \$25 per week



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**Dear Parents,**

PHS is collecting sports docketts that you can receive with purchases at Coles supermarkets (you need to ask for them) and Woolworths Earn & Learn points program (found on the bottom of your Woolies docket). Please send these in with your son/daughter & place in the boxes in the A block (office-student side) foyer. We are giving these points/docketts for school equipment to disadvantaged schools.

Thank you,

**Cathy Milliken**  
SRC Co-ordinator  
Special Education Teacher  
Pittwater High School

## HEART 2 HEART



**Sausage Sizzle for  
LUNCH!!**

**Friday 26<sup>th</sup> of August**

**COST: \$2.00**



Money raised will be  
donated to  
Street Level in Surry Hills

for the homeless.



**Daffodil Day**

PHS will be selling fresh daffodils to raise money for the Cancer Council on Friday 26th August. \$1 a stem or \$7 for a bunch of 10 available from B4 or Mrs Milliken. Please pre-order bunches this week.





## **YEAR 12 STUDENTS & PARENTS**

Year 12 students are expected to attend all classes. Teachers will be adding value to the exams up until this date. After this, tutorials will be run for students seeking further assistance.

**Below I set out information regarding events and activities involving Year 12.**

### **Last week of Term 3**

- Monday 19<sup>th</sup> September. Year 12 will be taking a final day trip as a year group.
- Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> September. Normal lessons
- Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> September. BBQ breakfast for students commencing around 7.45am prior to the assembly. Farewell assembly in the hall commencing at 9.50am – year 12 parents are welcome. Students must wear full school uniform.
- Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> and Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> September. Teachers will be running tutorials for students in subjects as per their timetable. This will continue in Term 4 up until the HSC begins. Students can access their teachers during this period.
- Students should return text books at the end of each HSC exam.

### **Term 4**

- Tutorials will continue until HSC begins
- Sign out day for Year 12 will be Monday 14<sup>th</sup> November.

### **GRADUATION**

The Graduation Ceremony will be held on Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> November in the school hall commencing at 4pm. This will be followed by a Graduation Dinner at the Miramare Gardens, Terrey Hills for both students and parents. More information regarding both the ceremony and dinner will be included with the invitation.

If you have any questions regarding any of these events, please email me at [Deborah.meyers@det.nsw.edu.au](mailto:Deborah.meyers@det.nsw.edu.au).

**OUR PREFERRED METHOD OF SENDING YOU UP TO DATE INFORMATION ON ACTIVITIES IS MY EMAIL. WOULD YOU PLEASE ENSURE THAT THE SCHOOL HAVE YOUR CURRENT EMAIL ADDRESS AND THAT NEWSLETTERS ARE BEING RECEIVED EVERY WEEK.**

**FOR THOSE WITHOUT EMAIL, A HARD COPY CAN BE PROVIDED UPON REQUEST.**

Deb Meyers  
Year 12 Adviser

# Pittwater High School Uniform Shop Order Form

updated June 2011

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_ ORDER TAKEN BY (Internal use): \_\_\_\_\_

STUDENT'S NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ ROLL CALL: \_\_\_\_\_

CONTACT PHONE NO'S: (Home) \_\_\_\_\_ (Parent Mobile) \_\_\_\_\_

				Order Details		
	Item	Sizes	Item Price	Size	Qty	Total Price
Girls	Jnr Tartan tunic - Summer	6-22	\$65.00			
	Jnr skirt Tartan – Summer (new)	6-22	\$45.00			
	Jnr Blue Polo – Summer (new)	6-22	\$28.00			
	Jnr White short-sleeved, pin-tucked blouse - Winter	10-22	\$25.00			
	Jnr pleated Tartan skirt - Winter	8-22	\$67.00			
	Jnr & Snr long Black pants - Winter	4-16	\$20.00			
	Snr White s/s blouse with maroon piping, with PHS embroidered	8-22	\$30.00			
	Snr Grey, front pleated skirt – Summer & Winter	8-22	\$55.00			
Boys	Jnr Maroon polo shirts with PHS emblem	10-26	\$35.00			
	Jnr & Snr grey surf style shorts	xxs-5xl	\$45.00			
	Snr white collared short-sleeved, button-through shirt	16-26	\$28.00			
	Snr Maroon school tie with PHS embroidered		\$22.00			
Unisex	Maroon fleecy zippered (Hoodie) with PHS embroidered	xxs-xxl	\$50.00			
	Jnr Grey woollen 'V' neck jumper	10-18	\$70.00			
	Snr Maroon woollen 'V' neck jumper with PHS emblem	10-24	\$75.00			
	Snr Maroon school blazer with PHS emblem	14-24	\$110.00			
Sports Uniform Unisex	Maroon microfibre shorts PHS logo	xs-xxl	\$35.00			
	White polo shirt with PHS emblem	10-24	\$30.00			
	Navy micro fibre tracksuit pants	12-xl	\$45.00			
	Navy micro fibre tracksuit zip-up top with PHS emblem	12-xl	\$45.00			
	PHS Maroon rugby shorts	xs-xl	\$22.00			
	Maroon & White long rugby socks		\$10.00			
Other	Black Winter stockings - girls	S-M-L	\$9.00			
	Scientific Calculators – required for Y7 Mathematics		\$30.00			
TOTAL AMOUNT TO PAY						

Please circle method of payment:      CASH      CHEQUE      Credit Card:      MASTER CARD      VISA

Name of cardholder: \_\_\_\_\_ (Exactly as shown on card)

Card No:                        

Expiry: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_      Total Amount: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

1. No Eftpos facilities available
2. Cheques are to be made payable to 'Pittwater High School Canteen'
3. All orders must be accompanied with payment and put in an envelope, clearly marked 'Uniform Order', and placed in the 'red box' in A-block or given to a supervisor in the canteen. Collect uniforms during opening times.
4. A selection of second-hand uniforms are available for purchase at reduced prices.
5. Jnr and Snr boys long grey trousers not available for purchase at the uniform shop.
6. The Uniform Shop is open every Tuesday and Friday from 8.15am to 11.15am, and located at the far end of the Canteen – enquiries 9979-6968 or contact the Uniform Manager Kim Gobbe.

## YEAR 10

**Subject Selection** – if you chose a **TAFE course**, you need to complete an “Expression of Interest” form and give back to me so I can fax it to the **TAFE** people as soon as possible ..please!

**Work Experience:** confirmed dates-14<sup>th</sup> to the 18th November.

**Parents**, I need your help-please assist your child in making contact with a prospective employer for Work Experience. It **MUST** be organised by the end of this term! I need a copy of the “Student Placement Record” signed by the student, the employer and a parent. Thanks for your assistance!

**Year 10 Careers Lessons:** create your “**Resume**”, (using the sample resume/blank resume) on “Moodle” and submit to me before 2<sup>nd</sup> September!

## CAREERS

## NEWS:

## 22nd

## August

## YEAR 12-

**UAC, (University Admission Centre) books** went out to Year 12 students seeking an ATAR, (Australian Tertiary Admission Rank) last Wednesday week in English classes, if you didn’t get your copy – please pick one up from the Careers Office in A block. Applications are due in by the end of September.

**EAS, (Educational Access Schemes)** documentation has arrived!- if any year 12 student has suffered from disadvantage throughout their final year, they should complete one of these applications, also due by September 30.

**\*\*the university open days, (so far) :**

### **University/College Open Days 2011**

<b>Uni/College</b>	<b>DATE</b>
William Blue College Open Day	Aug-13
St Patricks Institute of Education Open Day	Aug-14
Charles Sturt University MYDAY	Aug-16
Macquarie University Business and Economics Information Evening	Aug-16
UOW Year 12 Student and Parent Information Evening	Aug-16
University of Newcastle Open Day Central Coast	Aug-20
Wesley Institute Course Information Day	Aug-20
National Art School Open Day	Aug-20
NIDA Open Night	Aug-23
AIE Open Day	Aug-21
International College of Management, Sydney Open Day	Aug-21
TAFE NSW - Northern Sydney Institute	Aug-25
Information Session - Bachelor of Hotel Management	
UTS, (University of Technology, Sydney)	Aug-27
Sydney Uni Open Day	Aug-27
UWS, (University of Western Sydney)	Aug-28
UNSW, (University of New South Wales)	Sep-03
TOTAL Agricultural	Sep-02
Kenvale College Hospitality & Event Management Open Day	Sep-03
The Australian Institute of Personal Trainers Information Night	Sep-07
Macquarie University	Sep-10
Raffles	Sep-10
Billy Blue College of Design	Sep-17
Bedford College, (Accounting, Business, Childcare)	Sep-17
APM College of Business	Sep-23
ACAP. (Aust. College Of Applied Psychology)	Sep-29



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A new website for job finding (one of the most comprehensive search engines for jobs): [Indeed.com.au](http://Indeed.com.au)

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**mhscareers.com**

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**“My High School Careers” website-Pittwater High School subscribes to this website. To login: use “parent” or “student” then password “health”. You can also register for email alerts! (an email was sent to all year 10, 11 and 12 students and parents on the 16/6 but **all** students can access the site!) The “Calendar” is great info!**

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**“Some” of the careers news alerts from mhscareers follow, (I can’t possibly put ALL announcements in so students and parents should get into the habit of checking as well?):**

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**Camp America:** 9 weeks at a summer camp in the USA.

Info Sessions coming up in Sydney [www.campamerica.com.au](http://www.campamerica.com.au)



**Bachelor of Circus Arts:** The course provides specialist training in contemporary circus arts.

It offers intensive tuition with highly experienced training staff from a diverse range of nationalities, backgrounds and circus genres.

Auditions for 2012 entry

Sydney 10 October

Closing date for applications 2 September

Applicants who cannot travel to auditions can apply by DVD/Video

[www.nica.com.au](http://www.nica.com.au)



**University of Wollongong Summit for young women interested in a career in Engineering.**

Three-night residential camp held at the University of Wollongong from Tuesday 10 – Friday 13 January 2012.

Applications will close on Friday 26 August 2011.

<http://www.uow.edu.au/future/wiesummit/index.html>



**Vantage Automotive Pty Ltd**

Automotive Apprenticeships across Australia.

[www.vantageautomotive.com](http://www.vantageautomotive.com)



**Optus Engineering Cadet Program**

Combination of on-the-job learning and TAFE studies for a three-year period.

Earn a Graduate Diploma of Telecommunications Engineering.

Work will involve the design, installation, operation, maintenance and management of telecommunications networks and equipment.

Closing date: 31 Aug 2011

[optus.com.au/careers](http://optus.com.au/careers)



**ACU Early Achievers' Program**

Apply now and you could receive an offer by 28 October.

Applications open 14 August - start gathering your required documentation now to submit with your application.

Friday 14 October - EAP applications close.

[www.acu.edu.au/eap](http://www.acu.edu.au/eap)

# EAS

## Educational Access Schemes

EAS helps **students who have experienced long-term disadvantage**, for reasons beyond their choice or control, to get into uni.

Apply for EAS through UAC, in addition to your UAC application.

Download a copy of the 2012 EAS Booklet and call UAC on (02) 9752 0200 if you have any questions.

On-time applications close Fri 30 Sep 2011

Final applications close Thu 5 Jan 2012

[www.uac.edu.au](http://www.uac.edu.au)

Trivett Classic



## Trivett Apprenticeship Recruitment Program

Australia's Largest Prestige Automotive Group.

Applications close on Sunday, 18th of September 2011.

<http://www.trivett.com.au/Apprenticeships-2011-115.aspx>

AUSTRALIAN INSTITUTE OF  
PERSONAL TRAINERS

## The Australian Institute of Personal Trainers Information Night

Information night on September 7 for Fast Track course in Certificate III and IV in Fitness which qualifies graduates to become a Personal Trainer.

The course runs for 8 weeks commencing in October.

The information night is being held in Albury/Wodonga, Bathurst, Batemans Bay, Brookvale, Central Coast, Cooma, Moree & Tamworth, North West Sydney, Northern Rivers, Sapphire Coast, Sydney CBD, Wagga Wagga, Western Plains and Wollongong.

T 1300 13 72 53

[www.aipt.com.au](http://www.aipt.com.au)

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## Apprenticeships on offer:

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### Apprentice Electrician – 1<sup>st</sup> Year: Sutherland Shire – North Sydney/Beaches.

Must have a good work ethic, diligent, honest, committed. Green card essential and completion of the pre-apprenticeship course is an advantage. Chloe Baltra; BWAC Australian Apprenticeship Centre & Employment Service

Phone: 02 9749 9488 Fax: 02 9749 9366 Email: [employment@bwacaac.org.au](mailto:employment@bwacaac.org.au) or [www.bwac.net.au](http://www.bwac.net.au)

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**Year 11**-if you are planning to re-enrol in your TAFE course for 2012, you need to submit an “expression of interest” form to me **ASAP!!**

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#### **Macquarie University Sport Scholarships**

Macquarie University supports elite student athletes through the provision of a range of support services.

<http://www.campuslife.mq.edu.au/sport/sport-scholarships>



#### **2011 |Term 2 - June updates**

#### **SAT Test Dates for 2011-2012**

The College Board has released the test dates for the next round of SAT tests. The SAT is an admission test for US undergraduate study. Our advice to students is to take the SAT at the end of Year 11 beginning of Year 12 so there is no conflict with HSC/IB study and exams.

#### **SAT Test dates and registration deadlines are:**

Saturday, October 1, 2011 – Register by September 9, 2011

Saturday, November 5, 2011 – Register by October 7, 2011

Saturday, December 3, 2011 – Register by November 8, 2011

Saturday, January 28, 2012 – Register by December 30, 2011

Saturday, May 5, 2012 – Register by April 6, 2012

Saturday, June 2, 2012 – Register by May 8, 2012

To register go to [www.collegeboard.org](http://www.collegeboard.org). Cost for the test is US\$78

The test sites in New South Wales are:

Macquarie University - for all test dates

Queenwood School for Girls, Mosman - for all test dates



**Only 12 spots remain** on the '**Ski & Snowboard Instructor Internship Programs**' in North America. Now taking applications for these positions which commence in December 2011.

This is a fantastic opportunity for school leavers because it gives them an opportunity to obtain paid employment in Canada and complete an internationally recognised ski or snowboard instructing qualification.

**Successful applicants will receive:**

- A GUARANTEED offer of employment as a Ski or Snowboard Instructor
- Early season orientation, instructor training and accommodation package - Everything sorted so all you have to do is ski or ride!
- Canadian Instructor Association membership and level one ski or snowboard examination (CSIA / CASI International Certification)
- Training, support and further qualifications throughout the season
- Assistance and support with obtaining Working Holiday Visas, flights and insurances (in partnership with STA Travel)
- **Looking for school leavers who:**
  - \* Have a passion for skiing or snowboarding (beginner to advanced ability welcome)
  - \* Have a willingness to learn through training and working
  - \* Have an interest in travel and adventure
  - \* Are available between November and April
  - \* Will be 18 years of age by November
  - \* Are looking for a life changing experience
  - \* Have the financial support to participate (the all inclusive program costs start at approx \$5000)

**Interested Students Should:** contact directly for access to online instructor starter kit by emailing [sstraining@educatingadventures.com](mailto:sstraining@educatingadventures.com) This will give some really handy (and FREE!) information, tips and advice on taking a winter season and entering the ski industry.



**TAFE NSW** – Sydney Institute is offering free guided tours of Style, Scissors and a Fantasy: The Alina Galasso Retrospective for school groups. The tour includes an informative guided tour plus worksheets for students to complete. The visit should last around an hour in total. The exhibition will be of particular relevance to students studying **Design & Technology and Textiles & Design** but all school parties are welcome. **Get your teacher to book a tour** by going to <http://www.sit.det.nsw.edu.au/imagine/events> or email [sydneytafe.120years@tafensw.edu.au](mailto:sydneytafe.120years@tafensw.edu.au) or Tel: (02) 9217 3167.

**TAFE NSW-Sydney Institute: Careers in Focus Seminars**

Date	Time	Career Forum Topic Area
6 September	12:00pm-1:30pm	Careers in Hospitality and Events
6 September	6:00pm-7:30pm	Careers in Travel and Tourism
7 September	12:00pm-1:30pm	Careers in Building and Construction Trades
8 September	12:00pm-1:30pm	Careers in Electrical Trades, Refrigeration & Air-conditioning
13 September	12:00pm-1:30pm	Careers in Hair and Beauty
14 September	12:00pm-1:30pm	Careers in Automotive, Panel Beating and Vehicle Trimming
14 September	6:00pm-7:30pm	Careers in Language and Interpreting
11 October	12:00pm-1:30pm	Careers in Business and Marketing
11 October	6:00pm-7:30pm	Careers in Accounting and Finance
12 October	6:00pm-7:30pm	Careers in Design
13 October	6:00pm-7:30pm	Careers in Information Technology, Media and Music
18 October	12:00pm-1:30pm	Careers in Children's Services
18 October	6:00pm-7:30pm	Careers in Community Services and Nursing
19 October	12:00pm-1:30pm	Careers in Fitness, Outdoor Recreation and Massage
19 October	6:00pm-7:30pm	Careers in Food Technology, Laboratory and Applied Science

All sessions will be held at Turner Hall ( Building B) - Ultimo College, crn Mary Ann St and Harris St Ultimo.  
[http://www.sit.nsw.edu.au/enrol/?Media\\_Index\\_ID=2192&parent=1700](http://www.sit.nsw.edu.au/enrol/?Media_Index_ID=2192&parent=1700)

***LASTLY..Students-Do you check your Department emails weekly?***

**J. Bates, (Careers Adviser, extension 106)**



## **Alyse Saxby**

Ex-Pittwater High School Student (2003-2008)

Alyse Saxby attended Pittwater High School for six years from 2003 to 2008 in the Special Education Class, for students with a moderate intellectual disability.

In 2007 when Alyse was 17 and in Year 11 she was selected as the youngest member of the Australian team to participate in sailing at the World Special Olympics in Shanghai, China. There she won a silver medal.

Alyse has graduated from sailing a 303 Access dinghy to the more challenging 420 International. Alyse has continued her love of sailing and trains very hard with Sailability to further her sailing skills.

This year she was again chosen to represent Australia in sailing and in June 2011 Alyse competed in the Special Olympics World Summer Games in Athens, Greece. This time she won a gold medal.

We are very proud of Alyse and her achievements and wish her all the best for her future.

