

## Pittwater High's Reputation Soars

### Principal's Report: Jane Ferris

Congratulations to students, staff and parents who continue to contribute so much to our school—whether with best effort with work, respectful and kind behaviour, innovative teaching and learning, beautification of the grounds or being an advocate for our public school in the community. As a result our reputation has deservedly grown. This is never more evident in the number of new enrolments we have had where parents have decided to go local and give up their place at an independent school. In enrolment interviews they state how friends or neighbours speak positively about the school and they are aware through media that we are an excellent school. Year 7 2016 has 200 students attending Pittwater – and after meeting the students on Orientation Day we know they are a good group who will further enrich our school.

#### Presentation Evening

I am greatly looking forward to Presentation Evening this evening. Congratulations to all students being recognised on this occasion. I thank all the staff who have been working hard to ensure a quality event where we can celebrate student success.

It is timely that all students take stock of what they have or have not achieved this year, and be persistent and determined as they set new goals for 2016. As teachers we do have high expectations of our students and will continue to work towards pushing them to reach their potential. But students also need to take responsibility for their own learning whether it be by doing additional reading every day, making sure they get to class on time or taking the time to review work from class.

#### Flexible Tuesday for Year 11 students NOT going ahead

As year 10 parents and students know, we planned to alter the timetable structure to allow for a flexible Tuesday with minimal classes. Although initial timetable projections looked like this would work, unfortunately we could not fit in the rest of the timetable without causing too many splits to classes including senior classes. Split classes in any timetable are unavoidable and teachers do work together collaboratively in these situations. However the splits were three times higher than a usual threshold and therefore avoiding this became the priority. This means that senior study periods will continue to be spaced throughout the week with students working supervised in the Senior Learning Centre.

#### Clearance Forms

Students were given clearance forms on Monday to make sure that all books are returned and outstanding accounts can be addressed this week. I thank parents for your support in this matter.

#### Last week of School

For the last week of school, the prefects have planned a Spirit Week. There is also a mufti day this Friday, 11 December, to get in the Christmas spirit with prizes for best dressed, some fun activities in the lunch breaks and music over the PA system.

The last day of school for students is Wednesday 16 December - a number of parents have already indicated to me that their child will not be in attendance on that day and historically fewer junior students come on this day. Therefore classes in 7 to 10 will be collapsed and combined for students to then assist teachers with any clearing out and cleaning jobs etc. In the afternoon there will be combined sport activities. Year 7 students will be included and can wear their sport uniform for the day. Collapsed classes will allow additional time for staff to start analysing their HSC results and further preparation for classes next year.

**Senior classes will continue as normal.**

# DEPUTY PRINCIPALS' REPORT - Renee Andrews; Ben Rekic

With the holiday season closing in upon us, we would like to sincerely thank all staff, students and families of Pittwater High School for the innumerable and wonderful contributions that each and every one of you has made, to make our school such a wonderfully harmonious and inclusive place. The year has brought many highlights and challenges, which we as a cohesive community have overcome, and it is for these reasons that we are confident that 2016 will again build upon these strengths to keep us moving forward together. We wish everyone a safe and most relaxing holiday, and look forward to seeing you back in 2016!

One area that we are continuing to see forward momentum is that of uniform. We would like to see even greater progress in the new year, and for this reason wish to reiterate the need for all students to do their very best to keep the uniform standard high. We will be scrutinising standards closely, particularly on the first days of next term, and encourage families to use the holidays to ensure that their children's uniform complies. A link to the uniform guide can be found on our website at <http://www.pittwater-h.schools.nsw.edu.au/our-school/student-handbook-years-7-12/school-uniform>. In particular, shoes must be fully encased leather, and not of a boot type. Please check the examples on the attached link, in order to ensure that the items you purchase comply with the school's guidelines.

Have a safe and happy holiday!

# uniform shop



**wednesday 27 January—9am-12pm**  
**thursday 28 January—8:15-11:15am**  
**then each tuesday and thursday—8:15-11:15am**

CALENDAR	
Tuesday 8 December	Presentation Night—7pm School Hall
Wednesday 16 December	Last Day for students
Thursday 17 December	Staff Development Day
Friday 18 December	Staff Development Day
2016	
Wednesday 27 January 2016	Staff Development Day
Thursday 28 January	Years 7, 11 and 12 Commence
Friday 29 January	Years 8, 9 and 10 Commence

## NORTHERN BEACHES

# Warning on booze blitz

Alison Marks

## POLICE CRACK DOWN ON ADULTS BUYING ALCOHOL FOR MINORS

PENINSULA parents are being urged to think twice before giving alcohol to minors.

Northern Beaches Community Drug Action Team (CDAT) has launched its Stop The Supply campaign. It raises awareness and urges parents to remember that, "You're a parent, not a mate".

Northern Sydney Local Health District health promotion officer and CDAT chairwoman Melissa Palermo said the issue was prevalent on the northern beaches.

"The issue of secondary supply is apparent on the

northern beaches, especially 18-plus-year-old friends buying for their younger underage peers," she said.

"It's also common here for parents to supply alcohol at a party where 50 per cent of the guests may be underage.

This is where local police can and will crack down."

Ms Palermo said while it was not illegal for parents to supply their own child with alcohol, supplying other underage minors could lead to an \$11,000 fine and/or 12 months imprisonment.

"There is growing evidence that the brain keeps developing up to the age of 25 and is adversely affected by excessive alcohol consumption," she said.

CDAT surveyed 284 parents on the northern beaches in 2013. The results

showed 34.3 per cent had given their child a sip or taste of alcohol.

More information can be found on the website: <http://www.stopthesupply.org.au/>

**Do you have a news tip?**  
Email the newsroom on [editor@manlydaily.com.au](mailto:editor@manlydaily.com.au)

# STOP the supply of alcohol to minors

\$36  
billion

= Annual total cost of alcohol misuse in Australia.<sup>1</sup>

36%

of Australian drinkers (4.1 million) consume alcohol to get drunk.<sup>2</sup>

33%

of teenagers (12-17) get their alcohol from parents.<sup>3</sup>

15 to 17 yrs

= age group most prone to risky drinking<sup>4</sup>

**SUPPLYING ALCOHOL TO MINORS**  
..... IT'S AGAINST THE LAW .....

Secondary Supply of alcohol to a person under 18 years is against the law\* and results in a minimum on the spot fine of \$1,100 or fine of up to \$11,000 and/or 12 months imprisonment. NSW Liquor Act 2007

\* Unless you are the parent or guardian

[www.supplymeanssupply.org.au](http://www.supplymeanssupply.org.au)



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NORTHERN SYDNEY LOCAL HEALTH DISTRICT, NORTHERN  
BEACHES LIQUOR ACCORD, MANLY COUNCIL, WARRINGAH  
COUNCIL, PITWATER COUNCIL.

CAMPAIGN CONCEPT & DESIGN BY TACTICAL

1) Laselet, A.M., Catalano, P., Chikritzis, Y., et al. (2010) The Range and Magnitude of Alcohol's Harm to Others. Fitzroy, Victoria, AER Centre for Alcohol Policy Research, Turning Point Alcohol and Drug Centre, Eastern Health. 2) Foundation for Alcohol Research and Education. 2012 Annual Alcohol Poll: Attitudes and Behaviours. 3) Barford E (2012). Australian secondary school students' use of tobacco, alcohol, and over-the-counter and illicit substances in 2011. Drug Strategy Branch Australian Government Department of Health and Ageing and The Cancer Council Victoria. 4) National Health and Medical Research Council. Australian Guidelines to Reduce Health Risks from Drinking Alcohol. Commonwealth of Australia 2009.

**Stop the supply** is a project targeting the 'secondary supply' of alcohol to people under 18 years of age, with an aim to reduce underage drinking.

### What is 'Secondary Supply' of Alcohol?

The secondary supply of alcohol is when alcohol is purchased for, or provided to, minors.

Examples of the secondary supply of alcohol is when:

- Adults supply alcohol at a party for under-aged party-goers
- Over 18 young people purchase alcohol for their under-age friends
- Alcohol is supplied to under-age sporting team mates as a form of celebration.

Secondary supply is the main way young people under 18 years obtain alcohol.

Almost 40% of under-age drinkers get alcohol from their parents and only 5% buy it themselves (Australian Drug Foundation, May 2012).

### The Law

The NSW Liquor Act 2007 generally states that, unless you are the parent or guardian, you cannot give or sell alcohol to a minor or buy alcohol on behalf of a minor.

Supplying alcohol to a minor incurs an on the spot fine of \$1,100, or a fine up to \$11,000 and/or 12 months imprisonment.



# WHITE RIBBON @ PITTWATER HIGH SCHOOL

White Ribbon is a worldwide campaign to end violence, abuse and discrimination against women. The vision of White Ribbon is for "all women to live in safety, free from all forms of men's violence".

At Pittwater High School we passionately believe that violence against women, gender equality and respect between males and females are among the most important issues facing Australian society. Education and awareness can play an important role in addressing these issues and promoting the development of positive relationships.

We are proud to say we are a White Ribbon school!

In conjunction with our White Ribbon Student Leadership Team (comprised of 35 Year 8,9 and 10 students) we organised a range of educational and engaging activities over two days - Wednesday 25 November and Thursday 26 November.

On Wednesday 25 November, we devoted our normal assembly to introducing our White Ribbon program, outlining the origins and purpose of White Ribbon day and starting the process of tying our white ribbons on the school's front fence.

The Student Leadership Team bought white ribbons for every student and staff member in the school. At various times over the two days, each year group was taken out to the front noticeboard/fence area of the school to tie their ribbon on the fence. Everyone was asked to think about the significance of the ribbons - symbolising our commitment to promote positive and safe relationships and to eliminate violence against women.

On Thursday 26 November we had a mufti day, with a theme of 'all white...with coloured hair ribbons'. Additionally, we had a whole school, special assembly in the hall, covering important themes such as the school's values, recent statistics around violence against women, types of abuse and positive strategies for Pittwater High School.

With the combination of a cupcake stall and a gold coin donation, we raised over \$1200 for White Ribbon and the Manly Women's Shelter.

On a side note.....Twenty two people from Pittwater High School will be visiting the Northern Territory next year as part of a PDHPE/HSIE trip. We will be visiting a small community, called Ngukurr, 7 hours from Darwin. They are also focusing on the issue of violence against women. Check out their video!

<http://www.whiteribbon.org.au/ngukurr-project>

For more information visit : <http://www.whiteribbon.org.au> <http://lukebattyfoundation.com.au>

Nick Johns, Katrina Purvis, Dan Burton and the White Ribbon Student Leadership Team



# WHITE RIBBON @ PITTWATER HIGH SCHOOL (cont)

## ..... A student perspective

Earlier this year Pittwater High School started its very own committee to raise awareness about domestic violence. This group consists of around 30 passionate students along with several dedicated teachers led by Mr Johns who all share the same goal of educating others and future generations about this disturbing issue.

On Thursday 26 November, Pittwater High held a mufti day to raise awareness and funds for this issue affecting thousands of women and families across the world. The school looked amazing in all-white. During the whole school assembly, confident student speakers told of the shocking statistics such as that last year, 100000 apprehended violence orders or AVO's were granted by judges across Australia. AVO's restrict individuals from approaching former partners. In over 90% of these cases the victim was a woman. And ultimately, one woman has been murdered every five days this year in Australia by a male. The focus for improving these terrible statistics is on developing respect for women and in encouraging respectful relationships between men and women. Pippa of year 9 outlined what this means for Pittwater High - that we educate ourselves and learn the facts to:

- Promote positive relationships between males and females, built around respect, honesty and equality
- Develop relationships where the control, power and decision making is shared equally
- Speak up if we see or hear something that is disrespectful towards female students or teachers
- If someone indicates that they are uncomfortable with your behaviour, then stop immediately
- Develop empathy towards other people. This means we put ourselves in other people's shoes and think how we would feel in the same situation. If we can develop a strong sense of empathy it makes it much harder to be unkind or abusive towards someone else.

Angelica from year 10 read some of her passionate and informative English speech on the issue and we were entertained by a stirring performance by Ella, Natalie and Yasmin of 'I am Women'.



All students in the school were given a white ribbon to tie around the school fence near the sign to show our support for this important cause.

Thank you to everyone who baked and bought cakes for our cake stall at lunchtime. They were really delicious and sold very quickly!

The day was an amazing success with over \$1200 raised to support The Manly Women's Shelter and The White Ribbon Foundation. Thank you Pittwater High from the White Ribbon Team for all your donations and fantastic support!

Tia Killick and Rinca Capewell—Year 9

# YEAR 9 ENGLISH

## Exploring Perspectives in Year 9

In Year 9 English this term students have explored how different cultural perspectives are represented and engaged within a number of texts. As well as examining the perspectives of others, students have learned about their own perspective as a responder and how it can be shaped and developed by engaging with a wide range of stimulus. In order to assess students' learning, they were set an essay task and were asked to utilise the structures that the English Department employs in order to enhance the cohesion within students' arguments. The following are two examples of perceptive introductions written by our students.

Personal experiences powerfully engage readers and bring greater awareness about the disturbing nature of society. However, by maintaining optimism and courage, an individual may rise from adversities. Anh Do's autobiography, "The Happiest Refugee", through satire, explores a multitude of perspectives through criticising the discriminatory nature of society and praising the hospitable nature of others. Patricia McCormick's novel, "Sold" foregrounds the plight of the oppressed prostitutes within India, castigating criminal dominance and exploitation. Despite the dissimilar presentation between texts, the inherent issues which remain relevant reveal the complexity of different cultural perspectives. – Matthew Su

An audience engages with different perspectives because everyone feels emotions no matter what culture they're from. Authors engage audiences with human like emotions. We see this in texts such as "The Relative Advantages of Learning My Language" written by Amy Choi and the film "Rescue Dawn" directed by Werner Herzog. Such texts allow us to understand different cultures' perspectives, human emotion and relatedness. These things clearly demonstrate how an audience engages with personal perspectives. – Callum Bowden

"The effect of these techniques shows the mood and tone of sacrifice and desperation in Parvana's life. This impacts us and our understanding of the character as we see the lengths which Parvana must go to to survive in her world. We learn how different your life can be by being born in a different country." Jasmine Livingstone

"The pacing of this excerpt highlights the contrast between the schooling experiences available across the globe, and how a society can be so bluntly ignorant of their own foreign background members" – Emily Fogarty

"The use of sensory language "breathing hard" engages the audience as we can all relate to the response. The pictures shown in the interactive novel support the inevitable feeling of abandonment shown through the excerpt." Laurie Sykes



# YEAR 12 TEXTILES AND DESIGN

## Excursion to Powerhouse Museum and University of Technology Sydney

Year 12 textiles students participated in an exciting day to the city. We had the opportunity for lots of firsts!

For some students it was their first trip on a train, for most it was the first time they had attended a live fashion show, with catwalk, music and models. The final year students from UTS were very creative in their designs and captivated the year 12 students with their design work. This was the first time many students had seen Colette Dinnigan designs close up, which they found exquisite and inspiring. The display at the Powerhouse Museum included details of her inspirations, style, detail to her finishes, how she began in the industry and 100's of gowns and children's wear from her own personal collection.

We encountered a few roadblocks along the way, with the temperature nearing 38 in the city and a lady requiring medical treatment on the L90 bus to the city, which meant we were delayed and had to squeeze onto a second bus.

We all enjoyed a lovely lunch together at Mad Mex, topping off a creative and enjoyable day.

Sarah James—Classroom Teacher





# PHS SUMMER BIATHLON'S 30TH ANNIVERSARY

**The 30th anniversary Biathlon was a HUGE success.**

All details will follow in the new year!





# 2016 PEER SUPPORT LEADERS

Applications opened last term for the opportunity for any interested Year 9 students to become Peer Support Leaders for 2016. This leadership role enables students to work alongside the new year 7 students next year to assist in their transition into high school. I was so impressed with the quality of applicants, that I had a really difficult decision to make, as I had only 48 spots and I received over 60 applications. After a lot of analysis and discussion, we selected our new Peer Support Leaders and started our two day intensive training.

Over the two days, the students learnt various skills including communication strategies, instruction giving, decision making, building trust within your group and many, many other valuable leadership skills.

The Peer Support Leaders met their groups for the first time during orientation day and can I say, they were fantastic leaders in every way. From their smiling faces to their immaculate uniform, their enthusiasm to look after their group was heartfelt.

Congratulations to our new Peer Support Leaders for 2016. Year 7 will be very fortunate to have you as their leaders.

Therese Lagois—Peer Support Co-ordinator





## 2016 PEER SUPPORT LEADERS (cont)



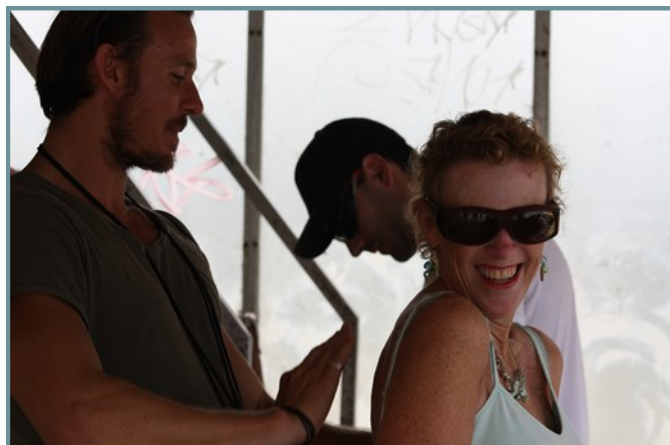


# VALE KIM MCNEILL

Former long-term Visual Arts teacher Kim McNeill has sadly passed away this week from a long-term illness.

Kim taught at Pittwater High for over twenty years and was a much loved and respected teacher and colleague. Kim was famous for her eccentric style, wearing her favourite colour turquoise, cooking lavish desserts that she fed to staff and students alike and her monumental Barbie doll collection. She was a creative, bubbly and positive person whose glass was always half full right up until the end.

Kim taught generations of Pittwater High students and will be sorely missed by those who knew her.



# MARINE AND AQUACULTURE TECHNOLOGY

## Year 9 Shelly Beach Snorkelling Excursion

On 27 November 36 students from Pittwater's marine and technology program spent the day at Cabbage Tree Bay Marine Reserve, Manly. Cabbage Tree Bay is one of the few sanctuary zones where no forms of fishing or removal of invertebrates is allowed. Instructors from Gibberegong Environmental Education Centre taught the students safe snorkelling skills. Together the students identified a number of marine species including wobbegong sharks, shovelnose rays, large flatheads, blue groppers and stingrays. The weather was perfect with low swell, sunshine and warm water. Students came away from the day with a new found set of skills and an appreciation for the role sanctuary zones have in protecting our fish stocks for future generations.

### Resources Needed for Marine Studies

Our science department is currently seeking resources to improve our aquaculture program. If you currently have any aquarium equipment such as tanks, filters, pond pumps, fishing gear or old bath tubs and would like to donate them to the program, then please contact Paul Cannings—email: [paul.cannings@det.nsw.edu.au](mailto:paul.cannings@det.nsw.edu.au) or contact the school. Pick up of equipment can be arranged.

Paul Cannings—Classroom Teacher





# AGRICULTURE



## Looking for a unique Christmas present???

### Chickens/Roosters For Sale

If you are currently looking for a unique Christmas present, then why not give the gift of fresh eggs!

The Agriculture Department is currently looking to find new homes for some birds born at Pittwater High School. We currently have two beautiful silky x light sussex hens and two roosters. At 20 weeks of age the hens are about ready to start laying.

There are also some very large 28 week old Australorp x Rhode Island Red Roosters. These birds are very large and should only be bought if you are looking at getting fertilised eggs and you have approval from your council to keep roosters.

Some two year old Isa Brown layer hens are also available. This breed is very good for small backyards, they lay large brown eggs and still have a few years laying left. All hens currently laying. All birds are \$15 with the money going towards upgrading the chicken facilities at Pittwater High School.

Delivery of birds is possible and also can be held until Christmas Eve. Please contact Paul Cannings at the school or at [paul.cannings@det.nsw.edu.au](mailto:paul.cannings@det.nsw.edu.au).



# CHOIR AND ART CLUB

## Choir

Last Thursday, the Choir started the Christmas season by going to Bayview Nursing Home to sing Carols. We performed several Carols, then everyone joined in with old favourites such as "Silent Night", "Away in a Manger" and "Jingle Bells" (both the traditional and the Aussie version!). We had a great time and so did the residents, proving that music is a wonderful way to bring people together regardless of age.

We look forward to 2016 with even more opportunities to perform in a variety of settings.

Thank you to all choir members and their families for their commitment and support in 2015 and have a Merry (and musical!) Christmas and a great holiday!

Kara Jamieson—Choir Teacher

## Art Club

After a lot of hard work, the Art Club mural is complete! The members of Art Club have worked very hard to produce an amazing artwork to adorn the school. This is an extraordinary achievement for year 7 students and they should all be very proud. The mural is evidence not only of their artistic talents, but their ability to work cooperatively on a group project – a very important skill.

Thanks are due to several people who helped in many different ways – Miss Oates, who kick started the project; Miss King, who kindly allowed us to use her room and storeroom; Miss Allan, for artistic and practical advice; Miss Samojlowicz for use of her room in the varnishing stages; Mr Bates and Mr Crutch for their help varnishing, moving and installing the mural; and of course Miss Ferris for her enthusiastic support. Of course, none of this would have been possible without the support and participation of the Art Club members and their families.

The mural will be installed over the holidays ready for unveiling in term 1 of 2016!

Kara Jamieson—Art Club Teacher



Art club members with the mural



# PITTWATER HIGH SCHOOL

Uniform Shop Hours – Tuesday and Thursday 8:15-11:15am

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Order taken by (internal use): \_\_\_\_\_

Student's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Roll Call: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Phone No's (Home): \_\_\_\_\_ Parent Mobile Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

				ORDER DETAILS		
	ITEM	SIZES	PRICE	SIZE	QTY	TOTAL
GIRLS	Junior Tartan Tunic – Summer	6-22	69			
	Junior Tartan Skirt – Summer	6-22	40			
	Junior Tartan Skirt –all year round	4-18	60			
	Junior Blue Short-Sleeved, Pintucked Blouse	10-22	27			
	Junior & Senior Long Black Pants – Winter	4-16	27			
	Senior White Short-Sleeved Blouse with Maroon Piping, PHS Embroidery	8-22	32			
	Senior Grey, Front Pleated Skirt – Summer and Winter	8-22	60			
	White Ankle Socks	Not sold at Uniform Shop				
BOYS	Junior Maroon Polo Shirts with PHS Emblem	10-26	32			
	Junior & Senior Grey Surf Style Shorts	XXS-5XL	39			
	Long Grey Pants	Not sold at Uniform Shop				
	Junior Midford Grey Elastic Waist Shorts	12-18	25			
	Senior White Collar Short-Sleeved Button Shirt with PHS Embroidery	16-26	30			
	Senior Maroon School Tie with PHS Embroidery		25			
UNISEX	Maroon Fleecy Zippered (Hoodie) with PHS Embroidery	XXS-XXL	50			
	Junior Maroon Sweatshirt (Sloppy Jo) PHS Embroidery	12-22	29			
	Junior Grey Woollen "V" Neck Jumper	10-18	70			
	Senior Maroon Woollen "V" Neck Jumper with PHS Emblem	10-24	75			
<b>NEW</b>	Peaked Cap		12			
SPORTS UNIFORM UNISEX	Maroon Microfibre Shorts PHS Logo	XS-XXL	35			
	Maroon Knit Short PHS Logo	12-16	25			
	White Polo Shirt with PHS Emblem	10-24	32			
	Navy Microfibre Tracksuit Pants	12-XL	45			
	Navy Microfibre Tracksuit Zip Up Top with PHS Emblem	12-XL	45			
OTHER	Scientific Calculators		33			
	Portable USB 2GB		4			
	Black Winter Stockings – Girls	S,M,L	9			
	Year 7 book pack (inc. scientific calculator and cap)		85			
	Navy Apron		12			
TOTAL AMOUNT TO PAY						

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Cheques are to be made payable to "Pittwater High School Uniform Shop" and have a 5 day clearance hold on items purchased.

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 from canteen at any time.

A selection of second hand uniforms are available for purchase at reduced prices

The Uniform Shop is open every Tuesday and Thursday from 8.15am to 11.15am, and located at the far end of the Canteen –

enquiries 9979 6968 or contact the Uniform Shop manager Kim Gobbe.

17 Nov 15

# ROLL UP YOUR SLEEVES AND GIVE BLOOD

Mobile Blood Service visiting:

## Mona Vale Memorial Hall

Village Park Pittwater Road

**Tuesday 29 December** 9.00am – 2.00pm  
**Wednesday 30 December** 8.30am – 2.00pm  
**Thursday 31 December** 8.30am – 1.00pm

**Drink up!** Have 3 or 4 glasses of water or juice in the hours before you donate  
**Eat!** Have a good sized breakfast or lunch  
 Please bring photo I.D. with you

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 or visit [donateblood.com.au](http://donateblood.com.au)



**"The Family Club"**

Mona Vale Raiders Rugby League  
 -2016 Registrations now open -

**EARLY BIRD SAVING of \$50.00!!!!**

Fees **include insurances & Uniforms**

- Fees paid **BEFORE** 31st December 2015 – Juniors (U6-U15) \$130, Seniors (U16-U19) \$160
- Fees paid **AFTER** 1st January 2016 – Juniors (U6-U15) \$180, Seniors (U16-U19) \$210

Follow the below link to register online at sporting pulse:

<https://reg.sportingpulse.com/v6/regofrm.cgi?aID=73&pKey=de6ec0fb4e4bdef0bd055aeb138e2da6&cID=12835&formID=53641>

- Beginner to Representative players
- Certified Coaches & First aid officers
- Training at Newport Oval Bishop St
- Player development pathways
- Skill & Fitness development all levels

**Alternatively come to the Registration day 31st January 2016**  
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**"We are the Raiders we tackle & we run we are the Raiders we have fun,fun,fun !"**

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Rotary  
 Club of Upper  
 Northern Beaches



# CHRISTMAS CAROLS in the PARK



**Saturday**  
**12 December**

6.30 – 9.00 pm

**Village Park**  
**Mona Vale**

**Featuring great local singers and musicians**

- ☆ Fun for the whole family
- ☆ Top line entertainment
- ☆ Food and refreshments
- ☆ Glow sticks
- ☆ Free lollies for the kids
- ☆ Santa arrives by fire engine

SPECIAL GUEST  
 SINGER  
**SAMANTHA SHAW**

**Free entry**

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**Pittwater Pharmacy**  
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The Rotary Club of Upper Northern Beaches meets each Wednesday evening and welcomes new members. Call us on 8005 0711 for details or visit [www.rotaryuppernorthernbeaches.org](http://www.rotaryuppernorthernbeaches.org)

PITTWATER HIGH SCHOOL

# FUNDRAISER

FOR



**Friday 11 December 2015**

Pittwater High School's Prefect Body will be holding a fundraiser for a very important cause. **RUOK?**  
 This is a not-for-profit organisation founded by Gavin Larkin in 2009, whose vision is a world where we're all connected and are protected from suicide. His mission is to encourage and equip everyone to regularly and meaningfully ask "are you ok?"

As part of the fundraiser, the prefects are hoping to sell cupcakes, muffins, slices, lollies and cans of drinks during lunch 1. If you would like to contribute to this worthy cause, please bring donations to **B14 before the bell at 8.50am.**

If you have any queries, please contact either Maryanne Smalley or Kerry Kerrigan.

**Thank you!!**



# CANTEEN

<b>Wednesday 9 December:</b>	Giovanna Graziano,, Nicole Graham, Claire Monty, Ange Torres
<b>Thursday 10 December:</b>	Sheridan Femia, Kylie Bennetts, Robyn Armsworth-Brack
<b>Friday 11 December:</b>	Alison Turner, Joanne Huxtable, Rowena Kempton
<b>Monday 14 December:</b>	Selena Webber, Alison Christensen
<b>Tuesday 15 December:</b>	Ann Clayton, Rustanti Oetojo
<b>Wednesday 16 December:</b>	Lara Floyd, Kay Little, Louise Hardy

Please advise canteen managers Katrina or Felicity (9999 4035, x122) if you are unable to make your canteen day. Please don't assume you will be covered.

If any parents, friends, family or grandparents would like to assist on any day helpers are needed please contact myself or Felicity or Katrina in the canteen.

A full day is 9am to 2.30 or 3pm; a half day is 3 hours.

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## To all our valued volunteers

Thankyou for all your help this year, it was appreciated and we will see you next year..

To all volunteers that can no longer help, a big thank you.

To all have a very Merry Christmas from all the staff at the canteen.



## NEWPORT VILLAGE XMAS PARTY

THURSDAY 10 DECEMBER  
5PM - 9PM

ROBERTSON RD NEWPORT



Bring the family - do your xmas shopping at Newport Shops and take advantage of the culinary delights around Newport.

- Xmas Carollers
- Ice Cream truck
- Music by Ace Ventura
- Face painting elf
- Pop up Travelling Caravan Bar

Call 9970 1165 for more information.

