

Term 4 Week 5A 7 November 2014

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT (Rel)



HSC Finishes

Cherrybrook Technology High School Year 12 students breathed a sigh of relief this week as they completed their final HSC exams. Subjects held this week included visual arts, food technology and history extension and the final exam, French extension. Students can now complete the signing-out process and return their text books, as the countdown to the release of results begins. We hope to see them all at the BBQ, held on Thursday 18 December 2014, to celebrate these results.

HSC students can now access their assessment rank orders, for each of their subjects, via Students Online. They should login to their secure personal account and visit the 'My Details > Assessment Rank' section. Students have been advised to check their rank orders in each of their courses and to contact the school if

they have any questions.

The Horizon Report - Emerging Technologies and Their Impact on Education

As we all come to terms with the speed and diversity of technologies and their impact on schools, teachers, parents and students, the library has provided a précis of this interesting report.

The annual Horizon Report identifies and describes emerging technologies likely to have an impact in education worldwide over the next five years. There is a focus on the personalisation of learning for students and authentic learning experiences. Six trends have been highlighted in the report.

Short term trends (1-2 years)

- · Rethinking the roles of teachers
- Shift to deeper learning approaches students learn by doing

Mid-range trends (3-5 years)

- · Increasing focus on open educational resources
- · Increasing use of hybrid learning designs

Long range trends (5 or more years)

- Rapid acceleration of intuitive technology
- · Rethinking how schools work

In addition, the report looks at significant challenges impeding the adoption of educational technology in schools, and important developments in technology such as BYOD and learning analytics. It also explores the repercussions for policy, leadership and practice, which have potential implications for all staff (not just teachers) who work in schools. This report may be of interest to some parents and a full transcript can be found at http://www.nmc.org/horizon-project/horizon-reports

Retirement of Marianne Bonnor

Last Friday was the last day of school for an exceptional teacher. Mrs Bonnor has made an outstanding contribution to our school as a classroom teacher and Head Teacher Mentor. Mr Henry, Head Teacher English, in his speech at morning tea, made reference to 'Marianne magic'. This was certainly the case, as she made English come alive for so many students. Her ability to teach to the whole range of students made being in her class a privilege for so many. In her role as Head Teacher Mentor, she helped many young teachers navigate their way through the complex accreditation process. Without exception, they acknowledge the huge contribution Marianne has made in helping them reach their goal. Her expertise in this area has also been recognised, as she has spoken at Principals' Conferences and at other schools.

We wish her all the best in her retirement. May she spend many happy hours with her family, pursue her many interests and we hope, come back to CTHS on occasion to visit.

All My Own Work

HSC: All My Own Work is a compulsory Board of Studies, Teaching and Educational Standards unit of work which Year 10 students must fully complete before they enter Year 11. The program is designed to help HSC students follow the practices and principles of good scholarship. It was designed as part of the State Government Respect and Responsibility strategy. There are five compulsory modules including, scholarship principles and practices, acknowledging sources, plagiarism, copyright and working with others. Year 10 students must log on to the All My Own Work site through, Cherrybrook Technology High School Moodle, and enter the password given to students. This will bring up a PowerPoint presentation on each of the modules. Students must read the information and complete the quiz, attaining a mark of over 80% in the 30 minutes set-aside for each module. This must be

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completed by **MONDAY 1 DECEMBER 2014**. Students who have any problems must see Ms Adamou as soon as possible. Parents have been emailed with all relevant information and we ask for your support in ensuring this is completed by the date listed above.

Year 12 Jerseys

Year 11 received their jerseys at the recent Year 11 Assembly on Tuesday. The new design is very impressive and students were pleased with the result. A reminder these jerseys form part of the school uniform with a shirt and tie worn beneath them. Hoodies are not to be worn underneath these jerseys.

Mrs Bevan



Environmental Assembly

Our first assembly for Term 4 focused on environmental initiatives within the school. Students from the Environmental Group addressed the importance of recycling waste correctly and our guest speaker from Cleanaway, Theresa Troup, spoke on the issues regarding contamination of recycled waste. Our Environmental Leaders helped the Cleanaway staff demonstrate which bins should be used, depending on the type of waste being disposed of. Our co-mingled recycling bins will be redistributed around the playground in the near future. It is hoped students will support this initiative, thereby diverting waste from going to landfill.

The Music Ensembles also made an appearance at this assembly, with Guitar Ensemble students, Ben Salmon, Sanjeev Desai, Adam Tan, Isabel Ross and Zac Price, performing *We'll be Coming Back*, as well as Ryan Ghodsi, Year 8, playing *Pirates of the Caribbean* on piano.

Thank you to Mr Webb and Mrs Penhall for their organisation of this assembly.

Mr Clements



Theresa Troup with Mr Webb and students





Social Justice World Vision Presentation

Following the incredible work of our students and community, the school was presented with the highest award by World Vision at a recent assembly. We raised a five year record of \$11,000 for the 40 Hour Famine. Rebecca Cochrane, a World Vision representative, thanked students for their generosity and compassion. The funds raised will be used to improve the living standards of Rwandan children who are going hungry on a daily basis.

The following students were mentioned for raising over \$500: Anushka Dongre, Haarani Gobishankar and Stella Hendrawan. Also Rohan Asija, Henry Chan, Timothy Cheung, Brinda Kumar, Nakulan Ramamurthi, Adam Tan and Darcey Thompson, for raising over \$250.

Ms Tager, Social Justice Committee



What Do You Hear in the Seashell?

This piece was inspired by the work of renowned Australian cartoonist and writer, Michael Leunig, and performed by the Year 7 Drama Ensemble at the recent Environmental Assembly.

Preparing the performance was a learning experience for us all. We knew about some of the issues affecting our environment, but we all learned something new. Some learned that mangroves are important for filtering rubbish from our waterways while others learned that the bee population is in danger of being infected by a deadly virus. We all thought about the problem of children innocently collecting shells which should really be left where they belong, in the rock pools where they are found. I learned about the problem of whales and turtles choking on plastic bags which they think are tasty jellyfish.

We hope that at least a few of our words resonated with each member of the audience and that we can all make a little more effort to preserve our environment. I know my aim is to remember to take my reusable green bags to the shops instead of bringing home so many plastic bags.

Mrs Cunningham, Drama Tutor, Year 7 Drama Ensemble

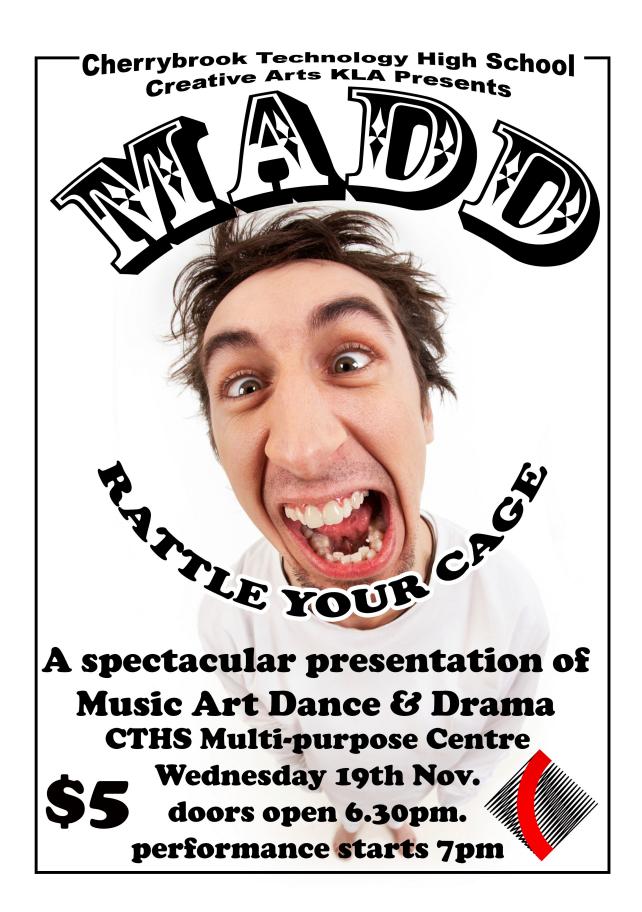


PROCEDURE FOR EARLY LEAVERS

If a student needs to leave school early, they *must* provide a note from their parent/guardian giving reasons for their partial absence. **The student must hand the note in at the student window before 8:30am** where they will be issued with a leave pass. They can then present this pass to their teacher and leave school at the appropriate time.

On Thursdays (sport days) all students in Years 9-11 must have their early leave notes signed by a member of the PE staff before presenting to the office.

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Year 8 Food Technology

My Restaurant Rules is a fun program for Year 8 where they get to design a concept for a restaurant in the local community. For the practical assessment, students worked in groups to make and present a main meal and dessert. Ms Corbett was the honoured guest judge who tried an assortment of the lovely dishes. The students did a fantastic job and were happy with the results.

Ms Hankin





Australian String Orchestral Festival 2014

Another amazing achievement by the Music Ensembles. On Sunday 2 November, the Cherrybrook Technology High School String Ensemble participated in the annual Australian String Orchestral Festival winning a silver award in the Loreta Fin event. This was a memorable and educational experience for our string players travelling to Abbotsleigh as they shared their maturing talents with other youth string orchestras. Congratulations to the students' excellent performance and enthusiastic commitment. Furthermore, special thanks to the String Director, Jacky Ng, for his time and effort in this musical venture.

Mrs Lee, Music Ensembles Supervisor



CLOTHING POOL

CHERRYBROOK TECHNOLOGY HIGH SCHOOL UNIFORMS

If you would like to purchase second-hand Cherrybrook Technology High School uniforms, First Cherrybrook Scout Group operates a clothing pool for your convenience.

First Cherrybrook Scout Group clothing pool operates through the kind donations of Cherrybrook Technology High School families. All donations of CTHS uniforms will be happily accepted. Please contact Anthony on 0427 661 689 to arrange a drop-off.



Opening Times:

First Thursday of each month
during school terms
between 7:15pm & 8pm
First Cherrybrook Scout Hall
Appletree Drive, Cherrybrook



WEEKLY SPORTS REPORT



Upcoming Events:

- The school Swimming Carnival will be held at Homebush on Wednesday 26 November. **This is a compulsory day for all students**. It's a fun day to spend with friends by the pool and earn points for your house. Get practising and ready to compete!
- The school Sports Assembly will be held on Thursday 4 December. Students please check your name is on the sheet for Age Champion, Best and Fairest, Sydney North Representative or CHS representative. This will be found on the notice board outside the PE staff room in the next few days. If there are any problems please speak to one of the PE staff.

Grade Sport:

Well done last week to all grade sport teams, it was a successful week against Chatswood. Get ready this week and bring on the fierce competition for semi finals. Good luck to these teams in the semi finals:

Boys: Basketball opens, Cricket A, Frisbee A, Handball B, League 7's 16/17's, League 7's 14/15's, Speedaway A

Girls: Basketball A, Frisbee B, Handball A, Speedaway A, Soccer 7's A

Mixed: Volleyball A and Volleyball B

Congratulations to...

- Raquel Cuevas, Year 9, who won gold medals in the Head of the Nepean and Head of the Shoalhaven Regattas, single and double skull rowing, and will be representing Cherrybrook Technology High School in the NSW Schoolgirl Head of the River Regatta
- Konrad Cuevas, Year 8, who was awarded gold at the State Athletics Competition and has qualified for the Australian All Schools Competition in December.









Raquel Cuevas

Konrad Cuevas

Sport Quote: "Talent wins games but team work and intelligence win championships" - Michael Jordan

Chloe James and Zoe Anstee, Sports Promotion Officers

CAREERS UPDATE

Big Day In IT Careers Conference 2015

The Big Day In is an IT careers conference designed by students for students. It is designed for both high school (Years 9 - 12) and university students interested in careers in technology. Sydney: Wednesday 4 March 2015, The Great Hall, University of Technology, Building 1 (CB01), Level 5, 15 Broadway, Ultimo.

Skills Road: Choosing the Right Career - Top Tips

http://www.skillsroad.com.au/news-events/news/all-news/october-2014-(1)/choosing-the-right-career-top-tips#.VEYGGCKUe8A

Department of Education's Job Guide

The Job Guide provides information about starting a business, choosing subjects for Year 11 and 12 and also has a list of occupations with a detailed job description for each. VET in Schools, Resume Building and Learning Pathway information is also offered on the website. http://www.jobguide.thegoodguides.com.au/

Job Outlook

Learn about the average weekly wages, current vacancies and expected future growth of a number of jobs. http://joboutlook.gov.au/pages/default.aspx

SWSI TAFE Lidcombe College has combined the following trades under the umbrella of Allied Timber Trades: Cabinet and Furniture Making, Detailed Joinery, Floor Covering, French Polishing/Furniture Polishing, Kitchen and Bathroom Vanity Making/Installation, Shopfitting and Commercial Interiors, Stair Building, Wood Machining, Upholstery Apprenticeship. Pre-employment and Trade Readiness courses are available at www.SWSi.tafensw.edu.au or phone 9643 4620, Allied Timber Trades Lidcombe College.



The UNSW Science Talented Students' Program

This program introduces high performing students, entering the Bachelor of Science or Bachelor of Science (Advanced), to the Faculty of Science and helps them develop specific skills during their degree. The program offers these students exposure to research within the faculty and provides a degree which is flexible and tailored to suit students' needs and talents. For more information, please refer to www.science.unsw.edu.au/tsp

The University of Sydney is offering a new Diploma of Language Studies in 2015

This is an accelerated, one year program for students who are enrolled in a course and would like to study a language concurrently with their degree, but have no units free to do so. The Diploma is offered through a mixture of intensives and off-campus modes and students do not need a language background to enrol. Languages offered are Indonesian, Spanish, Korean and Japanese. For more information see www.sydney.edu.au/arts/slc/departments programs/diploma languages accelerated mode.shtml

Sydney Film School, Tour Day

Sunday 16 November at 12pm. Interested in a career in film and digital media industries and want to graduate industry ready? Get an insider's perspective at the Tour Day, with teachers, current students and graduates of the Diploma and Advanced Diploma of Screen and Media courses on hand to share their experiences and answer all your questions. 82 Cope St, Waterloo, NSW 2017. For more info and to RSVP, visit http://www.sydneyfilmschool.com/school/tours.aspx or (02) 9698 2244 or events@sydneyfilmschool.com



Bedford College Open Days 2014 - Friday 14 November (Norwest) and Friday 21 November (Glebe). Open days offer a great opportunity to visit the college, view the facilities, talk to teachers as well as past and current students, attend information sessions and generally see what Bedford College has to offer. Open day runs from 9.30am - 3.00pm, with scholarship exams running at 10.30am open to all Years 10, 11 and 12 school leavers. For more information visit www.bedford.edu.au or call 1300 174 174.

Mrs Ferguson and Mrs Bower

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CTHS LIBRARY BOOK SALE

When: Every lunch time during Week 6

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Where: Courtyard outside Library north

Or COLA if wet

Computers and IT, Religion, Mythology, World Cultures, Communication and Media, Politics, Work, Business, Law, Economy, Environment, Children

Language and Words, Maths, Science, Health, Food, Parenting, Pets, Jobs and the Workforce, Wildlife

Wednesday

Art, Photography, Film, Theatre, Music, Sport

Thursday

Literature, Poetry, Plays

Friday

Fiction

\$\$ ONLY 20c to 50c per book \$\$





PCYC

CORE VALUES

Work to achieve the best for your

community.

Respect yourself and others.

Be determined and see things

Live out your values

Look for the pos

BLUESTAR LEADERSHIP PROGRAM

the program which helps young people to become Young Leaders within their community, and gives them the tools PCYC.

The program gives them the opportunity to be a young

the role of a young leader amongst peers.

actively engaged with their PCYC, and helps them be a role model to younger children, as well as strive for their

- ♦ Two camps at a sport & Recreation style facility
- More advanced Leadership training and mentoring
- Be mentored to develop and deliver an activity pro-
- Citizenship camps.
- Feel a sense of satisfaction, having made a contri-

PCYC YOUTH REPRESENTATIVES

Graduates of the BlueStar Leadership program are eligible to nominate to become a PCYC Youth Representaand have some amazing opportunities to gain experience in a variety of public roles, and represent PCYC, their ences around the State and around the Globe.

The Youth Reps have the opportunity to provide regular recommend wave PCVC can improve it's service to angage young people and address priority issues into the

share in some amazing life experiences, but also 'give back' to their community through ongoing support of the



WHAT'S INVOLVED:

- Opportunity to represent PCYC at a variety of conences and functions, to present on youth issues
- Represent PCYC by attending the One Young
- Opportunities to lead other young people at the





Teaching someone to drive can be a happy experience.

You can learn all the simple steps on how to teach a learner driver at a **FREE** two hour workshop.

The next workshop in your area will be held:

TIME & DATE:

6.00pm - 8.00pm Tuesday 25 November VENUE:

Ryde Library (Wallumetta Room) 1 Pope Street, Top Ryde City shopping centre

BOOK NOW ON:

Call Customer Service on 9952 8222

Helping learner drivers become safe drivers







You are invited to the SLA Academy

OPEN DAY

On Saturday 8th November 2014 Unit 22, 10 Gladstone Rd, Castle Hill 11am to 5pm

Enjoy a day filled with makeup and hair demonstrations Meet the trainers – Receive early bird prices Complimentary gift of SLA Cosmetics + WIN Lucky Door Prizes!

Future Makeup Professionals
Choose your way at the SLA Academy
Fashion, Bridal, Film, Television, Theatre, SFX, Artistic, Body Painting
And get your career in makeup artistry started today!

Free to attend but your RSVP is essential by 3/11/14 Phone: 1300 770 428 or email info@slaacademy.com.au

www.slaacademy.com.au

Facebook: SLA Academy Sydney – Instagram: SLA Makeup Australia – Pinterest: SLA Makeup Aus





The SLA Academy

Summer School Program

Monday 5th January – 28th January 2015 (Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday for 4 weeks)

Unit 22, 10 Gladstone Rd, Castle Hill 9:30am – 4:30pm

Learn 'how to present yourself' for future job interviews and tertiary studies as part of a comprehensive and fun holiday course consisting of an introduction to makeup artistry!

\$1500 per student (payment plans are available upon application) Phone: 1300 770 428 or email info@slaacademy.com.au

www.slaacademy.com.au

Facebook: SLA Academy Sydney – Instagram: SLA Makeup Australia – Pinterest: SLA Makeup Aus



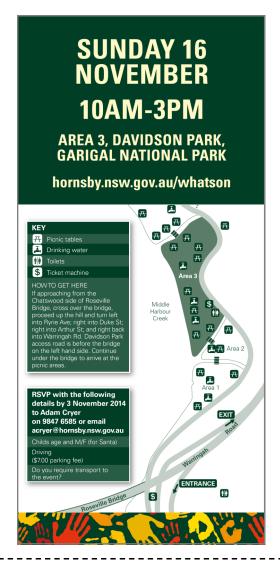


Course Outline How to present yourself How to write your resume First Impressions Styling for the workplace (wardrobe and hair) Building self-esteem

Introduction to makeup artistry
Hygiene, Health & Grooming
Tools of Your Trade
Facial Analysis
Colour Theory
Face Charting
Skincare & Analysis
Correctional Makeup
Natural Makeup
Eye Makeup
Day Makeup
Evening Makeup

Special Occasion Makeup





FIRST AID

Please note Cherrybrook Technology High School does not have any medical practitioners on the premises. We provide first aid assistance to students who are unwell or injured. **Please be advised the school does not supply any medication, including pain killers, medicated creams, eye drops etc.**

DIARY – Term 5 Week 6B	
Monday 10 November	Yr 11 Construction Work Placement
Tuesday 11 November	Yr 11 Construction Work Placement
	Yr 8 ESSA Test
	HSC Textiles & Design Oral Presentation
Wednesday 12 November	Yr 10 Mathematics Yearly Exam Part C
	Yr 11 Construction Work Placement
	Yr 8 ESSA Test
	Transition Day - Stage 4 Leaders
Thursday 13 November	Yr 11 Construction Work Placement
	Yr 8 ESSA Test
	Zone Grade Finals
Friday 14 November	Yr 11 Construction Work Placement