

NETWORK

CHERRYBROOK TECHNOLOGY HIGH SCHOOL

Term 4

Week 4A

4 November 2016

DEPUTY PRINCIPAL'S REPORT



E-Safety conference

I was very fortunate to attend the E-Safety Conference for two days last week. As Educators and parents the challenges we face to ensure that our students and children remain safe online and connected to learning is of great importance. Our time was spent looking at issues such as cybersafety, collaborative learning, developing digital literacy and creating positive digital footprints.

One of the best resources for parents is this website, <https://www.esafety.gov.au>

On this site is the iParent link. Here parents can learn about the digital environment and keep updated on their children's technology use. You can find guidance for using safety settings on your family's web-connected devices, tips for choosing movies and games and strategies for keeping young people safe online. This should be your first port of call if you are having difficulties understanding any issue to do with the cyber world.

Many parents are also unaware of the large number of games, apps and social networking sites, which are freely available to children. As most of our students have smart phones they can freely access these sites. If you are unsure of the purpose of these apps, I highly recommend a visit to the web site below as it has a wealth of information.

<https://www.esafety.gov.au/esafety-information/games-apps-and-social-networking>

HSC Exams

Now that the HSC exams are finished, the school hopes all students enjoy a well-earned break. Students will need to ensure that all the issued textbooks and resources are returned to the correct faculty in the manner arranged. This is required as part of the sign-out process. We look forward to seeing all of Year 12 again at the end-of-year BBQ on Thursday 15 December, to share their joys, achievements and aspirations for the future.

Year 11 High Achievers' Morning Tea

Wednesday recess of this week provided an opportunity to congratulate 23 Year 11 High Achieving students for their excellent results in a range of Preliminary HSC courses. Each student received an outstanding report following the recent AP2 examinations. Students enjoyed morning tea whilst discussing their results and hopes leading into the HSC, with the School Executive, their Stage Head Teacher and their Year Advisers. These students exemplify the hard work many Cherrybrook Technology High School students put into their studies.

Congratulations to Eliza-Sofya Chalik, Manash Roy Chowdhury, Sanjeev Desai, Nadia Fathinia, Pabodha Gunaratne, Laura Heinrichson, Edwin Hosseini, Candice Jackson, Kendrick Kam, Daisy Lau, Mai Le, Dillon McGrath, Hansika Muthukuda, Lisa Ostman, Yasheeka Patel, Nina Qiu, Andrew Quattrocchi, Michelle So, Nathan Soo, Jenny Wang, Natalie Wong, Lottie Wills and Natalie Windsor.



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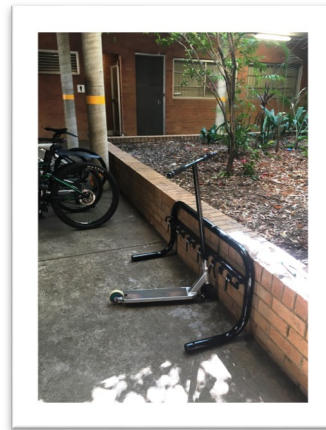
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Scooter Parking

Scooter racks have now been installed next to the bike racks near the student change rooms. Students wishing to park and secure their scooters will need to provide their own padlock.



Be Bus Aware

The *Be Bus Aware* campaign is part of Transport for NSW's Bus Safety Week. Running from 6-12 November, it aims to get the message across all road users, no matter their age, size, location or road user type (pedestrian, driver, cyclist, motorcyclist, passengers) of the need to *Be Bus Aware* and how to stay safe on and around buses.

As an education community we want to protect our most valuable assets, our students and their families, and to do this, Transport for NSW have provided the Department of Education with a range of resources to promote bus-related safety. A poster is included in this week's *Network*.

Mrs Bevan



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Geography Trivia Quiz

On Thursday 27 October, eleven brave students from Year 8 ventured down the M7 to St Marys for the 2016 WeSSTA Geography Trivia Quiz. With just under 50 schools competing, the competition was tough and Cherrybrook had varied results with its two teams. CTHS (Green) team, consisting of Charlotte Cameron, Sophia Koller, James Gair, Nathan Lyme and Genevieve Shek, achieving consistent and commendable results throughout the ten rounds, while the CTHS Gold team, consisting of Alex Briggs, Rajat Chatterjee, Kaanchana Sekaran, Dwara Ratnasiva, Ji-Su Lim and Induni Atapattu, who led for seven of the rounds, but ultimately finished a very close third. With the topics including Famous Streets, Geographical Features, World Wonders and Geographical Skills, it kept everybody guessing and we all now know about the Franz Joseph Glacier, Jim Jim falls and how the Denmark Strait is nowhere near Denmark. Overall, it was a fantastic day and a big thank you goes to Mr Keating for his effort in organising and taking us on the day.

Alex Briggs (8T)

From the Library

"I like physics, but I love cartoons" - Stephen Hawking.

The Literary Festival for Year 7 is rapidly approaching. Another of the seven presenters is Cartoon Dave, who is promoted as "an outrageously handsome author, cartoonist and regular visitor to kids TV, presenting high-energy, fully interactive cartooning workshops in schools, libraries and at festivals and expos all over Australia." You will soon meet him here, at CTHS! Appreciative students and teachers declare, "Dave Hackett is amazing. When you walk into a room to find not only the students concentrating on their drawing, but also the teacher, you know something really good is happening!" Please finalise your permission/payment note for this exciting event.

While the library is temporarily unavailable, our recent subscription to ebooks comes to the rescue of the avid reader and those keen to explore "borderless" books. Access is easy, free and satisfaction guaranteed!

Ms Halder

The logo for 'Cartoon Dave' is written in a stylized, hand-drawn font. The word 'CARTOON' is on the top line and 'DAVE' is on the bottom line, both in black ink.

Correct Procedure When Approaching Pedestrian Crossings

As you approach a pedestrian crossing or children's crossing where a School Crossing Supervisor is displaying a 'STOP Children Crossing' sign, you must **slow down and stop**. You may proceed when the School Crossing Supervisor no longer displays the sign in your direction or has indicated it is safe for you to proceed.

Stop signs may be placed at an intersection immediately after a pedestrian crossing. You must stop at the stop sign even if you have already stopped at the pedestrian crossing.

Please Note: If the road beyond a children's crossing or pedestrian crossing is blocked, you **MUST NOT** drive onto the crossing.

For more information, visit the RMS website <http://www.rms.nsw.gov.au/roads/safety-rules/road-rules/pedestrians.html#Children'scrossings>

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CHERRYBROOK TECHNOLOGY
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Midsummer
Night's
Dream

FRIDAY 17TH, SATURDAY 18TH MARCH 2017 AT 7PM

TICKETS: \$15 Adults, \$10 Child, \$45 Family



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Special CTHS Ball Deal

Just For Him Parramatta is offering a deal to any person who requires an outfit or accessories for the evening. Simply phone *Just For Him* on 9630 6000 and you will receive a free styling session. Also, 10% of any purchase will be donated to Cherrybrook Technology High School, just mention you are going to the Ball.

A poster for the Cherrybrook Moondance Ball. The background is dark blue with a large, glowing full moon. In the center, a silhouette of a man in a suit and a woman in a dress are dancing. The woman is being dipped. The text 'Cherrybrook Moondance Ball' is at the top, with 'Moondance' in a large, white, cursive font and 'Cherrybrook' and 'Ball' in a smaller, white, sans-serif font. At the bottom, the date and time are listed: 'Saturday 19th November 7pm to 11pm'. Below that, the location and details are given: 'Cherrybrook Technology High School MPC', '3 Course Dinner (BYO Alcohol)', 'Cost: \$75 per head', 'Dress: Black tie', and 'Tickets on sale from 15th October'. A red starburst graphic in the bottom left corner contains the text 'FEATURING THE CTHS BIG BAND'.

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PERCUSSION EXTRAVAGANZA

SUNDAY 6 NOVEMBER, 2PM

CITY RECITAL HALL

2-12 ANGEL PLACE, SYDNEY

FREE EVENT



EVENT

You're invited to join us for Percussion Extravaganza on Sunday 6 November during Sydney Open at City Recital Hall. This special concert showcases percussion ensembles from six schools across Sydney under the direction of Robert Oetomo. The 31 students from Years 7 to 12 bring together their diverse musical skills and backgrounds to a program of classical and contemporary works by J.S. Bach, Evelyn Glennie, Emmanuel Séjourné and more. The program concludes with an exciting work composed by Robert Oetomo.

PROGRAM

J. S. Bach (1685-1750)/arr. Robert Oetomo (*1988)

Invention No.1 in C, BWV 772

Tiffany Fong (Loreto Normanhurst) and Robert Oetomo

Emmanuel Séjourné (*1961)/arr. Robert Oetomo

Katamiya

Michael Deng (North Sydney Boys High School) and Robert Oetomo

Dave Samuels (*1948)

Footpath

Tze-Yen Rossiter (Chatswood High School)

William J. Schinstine (1922-1986)

Scherzo without Instruments

Cherrybrook Technology High School Percussion Ensemble

Evelyn Glennie (*1965)/arr. Robert Oetomo

A Little Prayer

Chatswood High School Percussion Ensemble

Joshua Webster (*1987)/Catherine Betts (*1987)

Moto Moto

Chatswood High School Percussion Ensemble

Robert Oetomo

Hit It!

Percussion Ensembles from Cammeraygal, Chatswood, Cherrybrook Technology and Sydney Boys High School directed by Robert Oetomo

ROBERT OETOMO



Indonesian-born Australian Robert Oetomo is one of Australia's newest leading percussionists. After receiving his Bachelor degree with First Class Honours from the Sydney Conservatorium of Music, he studied in Germany at the Staatliche Hochschule für Musik und Darstellende Kunst Mannheim. Since beginning percussion at the age of 18, he has accumulated multiple national and international awards and prizes, and has enjoyed a career as a performer, composer and an educator.

STUDENTS

Camberaygal High School

Mack Dickinson

Rick Li

Harry Waller

Chatswood High School

Tze-Yen Rossiter (Soloist)

Samuel Fabian

Casey Ly

Tyler Richards-McCabe

Tommy Yang

Rohan Conde

Jamie Seo

Lawrence Yuen

Sam Clift

Cherrybrook Technology High School

Faith Devitt

Aishani Singh

Abi Stringer

Darcy Bock

Pranav Budhwar

Hiresh De Silva

Bailey Fraser

Will Jovanovic

Juliet Ross

Ruben Suwargo

Charlie Tchetchenian

Loreto Normanhurst

Tiffany Fong (Soloist)

North Sydney Boys High School

Michael Deng (Soloist)

Sydney Boys High School

Dawei Wu

Kevin Chen

Arion Sclavenitis

Cyril Subramanian

Cymon Traynor

Adrian Wong

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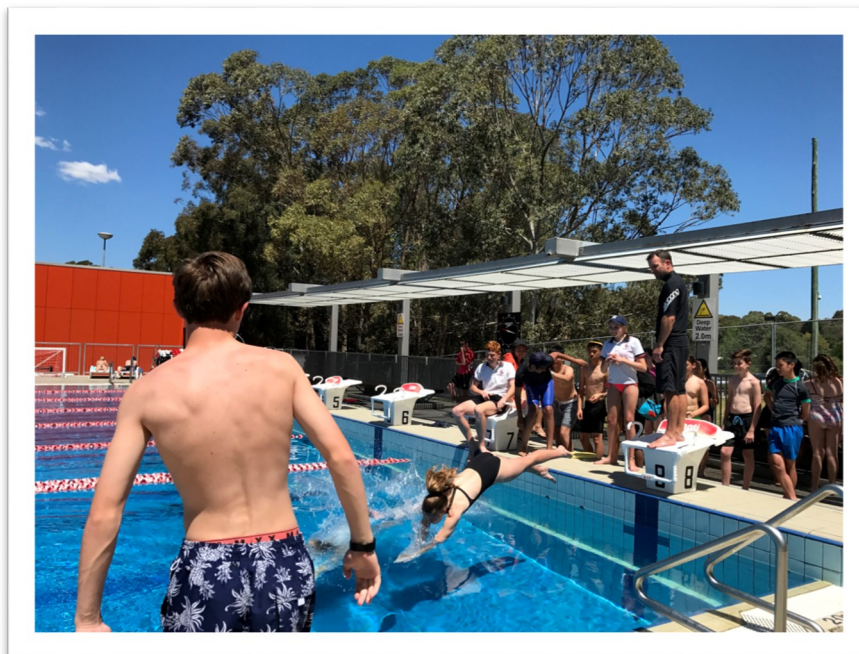


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WEEKLY SPORTS REPORT



Life Saving

This week Year 8 have been completing various Life Saving courses, the students have learnt swimming, CPR and rescue techniques, from the Year 9 and 10 Leaders. Everyone has been having lots of fun whilst understanding valuable life skills. Thank you to all the student leaders, PE staff and especially to the organisers Mr Monahan, Mr Pedley-Smith and Ms Parry.

School Swimming Carnival

The annual school Swimming Carnival is just around the corner on Wednesday 23 November, Week 7. It will be located at the Parramatta Pool again and a reminder to all competitive swimmers that these times will be used to determine the CTHS Zone Team. Good luck!

Year 7 and 8 Basketball

The Year 7 and 8 basketball teams have been chosen and will be competing on Friday 18 November at St Leos College. Check the sports notice board for the team listings and congratulations to those representing the school.

Grade Sport

Grade Sport Finals are fast approaching with the Semi's scheduled for Week 5 and the Final in Week 6. Best of luck to all remaining grade sport teams and a big reminder that all outstanding bus fees are due ASAP.

There will be a meeting for all Year 8 students coming up in Week 8 with information in regards to Grade Sport for the coming year.

Sydney North Sport

There will be Sydney North trials for girls' cricket on Tuesday 15 November. Current girl cricket players who are interested, please see Mr Ibarra ASAP.

Sports Assembly

The annual Sports Assembly is fast approaching on Thursday 8 December at 9.30am. Check the sports notice board for award winners and for more information.

Jack Dickinson and Georgia Clements, Sports Promotion Officers



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CAREERS UPDATE

Sydney Flight College Open Day, 19 November 2016

Trial Introductory Flights are being offered to a limited number of students from our school. Contact Isaac Ackman (CTHS Alumni) at Isaaca@sfcaero.com.au with your details and school.



EducationUSA

This U.S. Government Website provides advice to students who are interested in applying to U.S. colleges and universities. Information includes how to apply, testing, financial aid, visas, and more. The U.S. Consulate General in Sydney has an EducationUSA Centre, and students, parents and career advisers can make appointments to visit the centre. <https://www.educationusa.info/australia>

Open Universities Australia Undergraduate Courses

Most Open Universities Undergraduate first level units have no entry requirements. Students can start in any one of their four study periods and graduates are awarded the same degree as their on-campus counterparts. Open Universities offers undergraduate courses in Arts and Humanities, Business, Education, Health, IT, Law and Justice, Science and Engineering. To view the extensive range of flexible courses, visit <http://www.open.edu.au/courses/undergraduate/>

UNSW Actuarial Workshop - FINITY

17 November 2016, 9am - 12pm, 7/155 George St, The Rocks. The workshop is for Year 11 and 12 students to find out how to become an Actuary and what tasks an Actuary's typical work day includes. To register follow the link below:

<https://www.futurestudents.unsw.edu.au/actuarial-workshop-finity-unsw-business-school>



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Green Army Program

This program provides opportunities for young Australians aged 17-24 years to gain training and experience in environmental and heritage conservation fields, whilst participating in projects generating benefits for the environment. Green Army teams of 10 (up to nine participants and one team supervisor) are deployed to projects lasting 20-26 weeks, across Australia, to help communities deliver local conservation outcomes. To learn more about this program and see when a program may be starting near you, visit:

<http://www.environment.gov.au/land/green-army>

Defence Careers Information Sessions

Parramatta: 7 November, 6:30pm, Defence Careers
Parramatta: 10 November, 6:30pm, Trade Careers
Dee Why: 23 November, 6:30pm, Army Reserve Commando
Parramatta: 28 November, 6:30pm, ADF Opportunities for School Leavers

<https://www.facebook.com/DefenceJobsAustralia/events>

www.myhealthcareer.com.au



Australia's first website for students considering a career in health.

My Health Career

My Health Career: What's the difference between a psychologist and a psychiatrist?

<https://www.myhealthcareer.com.au/psychology/what-is-the-difference-between-a-psychologist-and-a-psychiatrist>

Colorbond Building Related Scholarships

If you are an Australian resident aged 18-26 years and studying or about to study in a building-related field, then you could win one of five, \$10,000 bursaries. Entries close on 6 November 2016. <http://colorbond.com/bursaries>

Mrs Ferguson and Mrs Bower

PROCEDURE FOR SICK STUDENTS

Students who are sick during class should see a teacher for written permission to go to sick bay. They must present themselves promptly to the **front office** and politely follow instructions from the office staff, who will then contact a parent/guardian when necessary. Sick bay is used for a short time only. Students should not call their parents in the first instance. **Please be advised the school does not supply any medication, including pain killers, medicated creams, eye drops etc.**



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AUDITIONS for 2017

The Northern Sydney Youth Orchestra (NSYO) is inviting musicians to audition for its 3 orchestras: Symphony Orchestra, the Wind Ensemble and the Strings Orchestra. Auditions are on **Nov 30th** from 4pm onwards. Orchestras rehearse weekly at Beecroft on Wednesdays.

We are planning a **musical tour overseas in July 2017** (Asia). If you play Strings, Brass or a wind instrument why not contact us?

For more details, and to find our online application form, please visit our website <http://www.nsyo.org.au> or email: info@nsyo.org.au



CALENDAR - Term 4 Week 5B

Monday 7 November	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Year 8 VALID Test • Year 10 Mathematics Assessment Task • Year 11/12 Work Placement - Hospitality
Tuesday 8 November	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Year 8 VALID Test • Year 11/12 Work Placement - Hospitality • Year 11/12 Excursion - SAC
Wednesday 9 November	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Year 8 VALID Test • Year 11/12 Work Placement - Hospitality • HSC Economics Excursion
Thursday 10 November	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Year 8 VALID Test • Year 11/12 Work Placement - Hospitality
Friday 11 November	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Year 8 VALID Test • Year 11/12 Work Placement - Hospitality • Year 9 Science Yearly Examination



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