

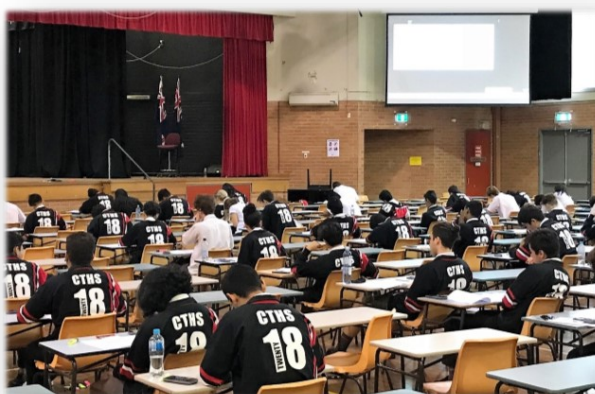


## DEPUTY PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

### AP3 Examinations Continue

As we progress through the AP3 Examination period and quickly move towards the AP1 Examination period, I have put together a few tips and tricks which may be handy for parents:

- First and foremost, support and encourage your child, keep any doubts you have to yourself
- Celebrate success and don't dwell or get bogged down by mistakes. Mistakes are an opportunity to grow and learn
- Understand this is a stressful time, even if your child is not showing it. A lot of the fear comes from your child's desire to not let you down
- When under pressure people become supersensitive and normally react to those closest to them. Don't overreact or take this as a personal attack
- Be realistic in your expectations, 99+ ATARs are extraordinarily hard to achieve!
- If your child is experiencing difficulties, they should seek help; the Counsellors, Year Advisers, Stage Head Teacher and DPs can all be of assistance
- A healthy balance between work and leisure is critical; organise and plan for all activities on a weekly basis
- Discuss and try to take an interest in what your child is doing; some will let you in, some won't, be careful there is a fine line between taking an interest and interfering
- Remember they will need your love and support through this entire HSC year.



### Minimum Standards Testing

This week has been a rigorous one for the students who are yet to meet minimum standards requirements for the new HSC. The feedback from all involved has been positive, and results will be available in the coming weeks. It is important to stress there are many other opportunities to achieve this NESA benchmark. Thanks to Mr Edinborough for organising and invigilating these tests.

### Year 7 Gala Day

Disappointingly, the Year 7 Gala Day had to be postponed on Thursday due to the poor weather. A new date will be announced in the near future.

### Eddie Woo

This week, Eddie Woo featured on Australian Story, a follow up to the story which ran last year. He was, at the time, touring the Riverina promoting maths to over 500 students who had travelled far and wide to see the enormously popular teacher. If you missed the Australian Story piece, it can be found here: <http://www.abc.net.au/austory/channelling-mr-woo/9557164>.

Eddie then jumped on a plane to Dubai, where he was one of the top 10 finalists in the 2018 Global Teacher Prize. To be included in such a prestigious group of educators is testament for this outstanding educator.

### Morrisby Careers Testing

On Wednesday night approximately 120 Stage 5 students and their parents braved the rainy conditions to attend an Information Evening on the results of the recent Morrisby test. The Morrisby test is a psychometric test which uses a range of assessments, as well as a questionnaire, to inform people on their strengths and interests, motivations, skills, personality and desires. These results are collated into an individualised report for each student, which gives recommendations for future education and career choices



which match people's abilities and interests. For many students it helps to confirm their future vocation interests and for others, who were unsure of which direction to follow, it gives them some starting points to consider. A big thank you to our Careers Advisers, Mrs Ferguson and Mrs Bower, who organised and ran the event on the night.

### World's Greatest Shave

On Friday of last week numerous students participated in The World's Greatest Shave, which raises money for Leukaemia research. The CTHS Team of Rosemary West, Jana Van Rooyen, Lawrence Cuevas, Kira Spencer, Joshua Braine, Dylan Vellani, Scott Chapman, Daniel Patterson, Aaron Han and Courtney Cockerton (team captain) raised a staggering \$8,788.67, just short of their revised goal of \$10,000. If you wish to donate please go to <https://secure.leukaemiafoundation.org.au/registrant/TeamFundraisingPage.aspx?teamID=106267>

### 2019 Musical Annie

Last week we had the exciting news where we were granted the rights for the musical *Annie* in 2019. We look forward to bringing this production to the stage in Term 1 next year. Auditions will commence in Term 2 for this whole school production with opportunities for students in Year 7-11 in singing, dancing, acting, production crew and the orchestra. Any questions about the show can be made to Ms Donoghue, HT CAPA on 9484-2144.

Mr Townsend

### Building Project Update

Only two weeks to go! The final touches are now underway with classroom furniture and storage arriving on site this week. Electricians are completing the installation of internal and external wireless access points and the first phase of landscaping has commenced despite the poor weather conditions. Internal doors have now been installed and we will shortly see the arrival of the 86" Interactive Touch Panels which will be mounted in each of the 24 classroom spaces. Students will be pleased to learn a water cooler / bottle filling station, which was donated by the 2016 Year 12 Cohort, has been installed on the new building.

Next week the furniture will be placed in each of the rooms, three sets of stairs leading to the first floor, as well as safety rails, will be completed and the cleaning prior to final inspections will commence.

Below is the link to a time-lapse video of the construction.

<http://cths.nsw.edu.au/our-school/capital-works-project/time-lapse-videos/>

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## CANTEEN NEWS



### Volunteers

A big shout out to all the ladies who have volunteered their time to help out in the canteen this term. Your help is greatly appreciated! We are always looking for more volunteers, so if you would like to help out please send us an email at [cthscanteen@yahoo.com.au](mailto:cthscanteen@yahoo.com.au).

### Flexischools

Did you know you can order your child's lunch online by logging onto [Flexischools.com.au](http://Flexischools.com.au) and registering your child's details? Simply place your order before 9.30am that day and your child's lunch will be available for collection from the lunch order counter at lunchtime (see flyer for more details).

### Term 2 Menu

Watch this space..... new, nutritional and good quality meals will be introduced for winter in Term 2.



## SAVE TIME, ORDER ONLINE!

We now have a great new online system to make the ordering of lunches easier and more convenient.

- **Order at a time convenient to you**  
In the morning, night before, or weeks in advance!
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- **Teach students healthy eating in a fun way**
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1. Go to [www.flexischools.com.au](http://www.flexischools.com.au)
2. Click 'Register Now' to create an account
3. Enter your child's name, school and year
4. Add funds
5. Start ordering immediately.



### To View a Demonstration

Go to the [www.flexischools.com.au](http://www.flexischools.com.au) website and in the 'Find Your School' box, enter a few letters from our school name and click the name when it appears below.



### How Does It Work?

You can login to the website at any time to place orders. Orders for that day must be placed before 9.30am.

As purchases are made, the funds are deducted from your pre-paid account. Your account can be topped up again in the same way or you can setup automatic top-up when the balance falls below a pre-set minimum.

Each order is sent automatically to the canteen, where an easy-to-read label is produced with the student's name, year and order details. At lunchtime, students can simply pick up their order without the need for cash.

### What Payment Methods Can I Use?

FlexiSchools accepts payment via credit card, PayPal or bank transfer. To perform a bank transfer to your FlexiSchools account, click 'Top-up Account' when logged into the FlexiSchools website and select 'Bank Transfer', you will be given your unique EFT code. You can then make a transfer via your bank's internet facility or at your branch.



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## CAREERS UPDATE

### Macquarie in a Day

Tuesday 17 and Wednesday 18 April, 8.30am-3.15pm. Uni life doesn't have to be a mystery. That's why we're opening our doors on Tuesday 17 April and Wednesday 18 April (attend one day only) to Year 11 and 12 students. They will have the chance to experience what a day in the life of a Macquarie student is really like. Lunch and some freebies are provided. RSVP by Friday 13 April 2018 (register early as spaces are limited) [Find out more and register](#)



### Advance Notice - Western Sydney Careers Expo

Thursday 28 June, 9am-3pm; Friday 29 June, 9am-3pm; Saturday 30 June, 10am-3pm; and Sunday 1 July, 10am-3pm. [The Dome, Sydney Showground, Sydney Olympic Park](#). Find out more <http://www.westernsydneycareerepo.com.au/>. All Year 12 students will be attending on Thursday 28 June and Year 10 students on Friday 29 June. Families can then attend for free on the weekend. Please diarise.

### University of Sydney Year 10 Info Evenings

Join us on campus for a fun and informative evening. You will hear from a range of speakers including University staff and students. *Camperdown/Darlington Campus - University of Sydney*  
Thursday 5 April, 6pm-8pm; Tuesday 8 May, 6pm-8pm; Thursday 17 May, 6pm-8pm. [Register now](#).  
*James Ruse Agricultural High School, Carlingford Sydney*  
Thursday 10 May, 6pm-8pm

### ADF Gap Year Applications for 2019 Have Opened

It's a unique opportunity for students to try out a career in Navy, Army or Air Force and get a feel for a military life without committing for a longer period. In 2019 there are fourteen roles to choose from, ranging from admin to artillery and even flight crew, plus this year we're offering 30 Army Officer roles; places are limited.

- Navy - Closes 9 April 2018
- Army Combat Engineer - Closes 9 April
- Army Officer - Closes 23 April
- Army Artillery Operator - Closes 23 April
- Army Infantry Soldier - Closes 14 May
- Army Driver - Closes 21 May
- Army Administration Assistant - Closes 21 May
- Army Warehouse Assistant - Closes 21 May
- Army Air Defence Operator - Closes 21 May
- Air Force Warehouse Storeperson - Closes 28 May
- Air Force Aviation Support Technician - Closes 28 May
- Air Force Airbase Protection and Security - Closes 4 June
- Air Force Administration Assistant - Closes 4 June



Closing dates are driven by demand and may close sooner than listed.  
Apply now <https://www.defencejobs.gov.au/students-and-education/gap-year>.

### Why We Need More Women in STEM

These three videos, [1](#), [2](#) and [3](#), from Careers with STEM give inspiring answers to the question "Why do we need more women in STEM?" More from Careers with STEM <https://careerswithstem.com/>.

Mrs Ferguson and Mrs Bower

## Cherrybrook Ball 2018

Save the Date....

Date:	Saturday 23 June 2018
Time:	7pm - 11pm
Featuring:	CTHS Big Band
Tickets:	On sale May 2018
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Participants must have completed 50 hours of actual on-road driving experience to be eligible for the course. Credits gained under the 3-for-1 scheme cannot be included.

**LEARNER DRIVERS WHO COMPLETE THE COURSE WILL RECEIVE 20 HOURS OFF THEIR LOG BOOK.**

**ALL PARTICIPANTS MUST:**

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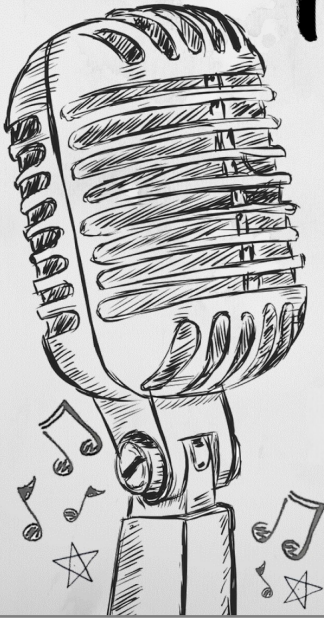
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## PROCEDURE FOR EARLY LEAVERS

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 into 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.

## 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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**CALENDAR - Term 1 Week 9A**

Monday 26 March	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Year 12 AP3 Exams</li> </ul>
Tuesday 27 March	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Year 12 AP3 Exams</li> <li>• Year 8 CAT1 Mathematics - Extension and Standard</li> <li>• Right of Passage Initiation</li> </ul>
Wednesday 28 March	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Year 12 AP3 Exams</li> <li>• Sydney North Swimming Carnival</li> <li>• Prelim Assessment Task - Industrial Technology</li> <li>• Stage 5 Interior and Fashion and Interior Design Whitehouse Incursion</li> <li>• Music Ensembles Excursion - Darling Harbour</li> <li>• Prelim Assessment Task - Software Design and Development</li> </ul>
Thursday 29 March	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Year 12 AP3 Exams</li> <li>• Prelim Assessment Task - Chinese Continuers</li> <li>• Prelim Assessment task - Modern History</li> <li>• Year 8 Science Skills Exam</li> </ul>
Friday 30 March	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Good Friday</li> </ul>



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