

DEPUTY PRINCIPAL'S REPORT



Year 7 and 8 GATS Special Interest Project Presentations

On Tuesday evening, the Senior Executives had the unenviable task of choosing the winner of the Year 7 and 8 T-SIP GATS Projects. The evening was well attended by a supportive and very eager group of parents, staff and students. The theme for the projects was 'Eight', which groups could interpret however they saw fit. Mr Townsend and I adjudicated the Year 8 presentations and Mr Johnson and Mrs Gatt the Year 7's. To say the calibre of presentations was impressive is an understatement! What really impressed us was the level of research and analysis which had been undertaken on a range of topics, cleverly chosen to best explore the theme. The presentations were equally varied, ranging from drama performances to multi-media presentations, models and posters and video displays.

There is much talk of late about the need to prepare our students for the future ensuring they equip themselves with 21st Century learning skills, namely, critical thinking; communication; collaboration and creativity. The projects undertaken by our 7T and 8T students certainly showcased the outstanding abilities of our students in these areas. Students awarded Highly Commended and Winners on the night will be rewarded with a morning tea with the Student Executives on a date to be advised. Congratulations to all students and a big thank you to Ms Tager, who coordinated the T-SIP Presentations and all the staff of 7T and 8T who played a role in supporting students with their projects.

The Award recipients are as follows:

Year 8

Highly Commended

Apocalypse - Eunice Huynh, Zafirah Mumen and Aeryn Murray

Winners

Eighth Wonder of the Ancient World - Sanjana Dommatmari, Lilly Edstrom, Emma Hill, Jessie Kristo and Emma Schafer

Year 7

Highly Commended

Living in Cloud Cities - Adith Ananth, Isabelle Hunt, Katarina Panajic, Aryan Tabrizi and Sophie Wang

Winners

Multiverse Theory - James Doak, Chloe Familton, EanTzuan Lee and Isabella Tsui

NESA Minimum Standard Tests

This week marked the second test period for the few Year 10 students who were still to meet the minimum standards for the award of the HSC. We had 29 students sit tests in Writing, Reading and Numeracy. To date our Year 10 students have been very successful in gaining the required minimum standard.

Music 1 and 2 HSC Performance Exams

The HSC Performance examinations for Music 1 and Music 2 were held on Monday and Wednesday this week. After listening to the performances last week at the evening presentation for family, friends, staff and students, there is little doubt these students were ready for the occasion. A big thank you goes to the students and staff who accompanied our students for their performances. It would be fair to say a great deal of stress has been lifted off their shoulders after their HSC performance.

NAPLAN Release

After some delay, individual student reports, detailing the 2018 NAPLAN results, are due to be delivered to schools this week. There has been much said in the media of late about the issues and difficulties regarding comparison between students who undertook the online exams as opposed to the written form. At CTHS we have always seen NAPLAN as a snapshot of a students' learning at a particular point in time. We will, as always, undertake a thorough analysis of our students' results. This will help us determine those students who need extra assistance with their learning needs, so we can apply appropriate resources to help them.

Primary Schools Visit

On Tuesday, we welcomed the three Principals from our local Primary Schools, namely Cherrybrook Public, John Purchase Public and Oakhill Drive Public. Mr Miezis, Ms Black and Ms Ploeg were taken on a tour of the new facilities at CTHS by Mr Johnson and were suitably impressed with what they saw. An offer to use our facilities, if needed, was extended to our visiting public school Principals.

Science PD NESA Inspector

On Tuesday, we hosted a Science Inspector visit from NESA, who spoke to our Science staff about the new assessments which are now part of the newly introduced Science Curriculum, the Depth Studies. Teachers from neighbouring high schools, Castle Hill and Pennant Hills, were also present to gain a greater insight into how NESA envisaged the application of Depth Studies occurring within schools. It gave staff the opportunity to ask some pertinent questions in relation to this.

Stage 4 Public Speaking Finals

An enjoyable night was had by all in attendance at the Stage 4 Public Speaking Final held on Monday evening in the school Library. The quality of speeches, delivered to the large audience of parents and staff, was exceptional. The speeches covered a multitude of topics including, fashion; fears; favourite films; gender equity; making errors; feminism and the trials and tribulations of being a twin, just to name a few. It was difficult to pick a winner from the group, but the adjudicators chose Sajan Perera from Year 7, who delivered a wonderful speech on the stereotypical view of living in an Indian household, or 'curry house', as he described it. In Year 8, Lilly Edstrom, presented a wonderful speech looking at the superficiality of life using entirely rhyming couplets! Cleverly done using the analogy of a mirror with the recurring phrase 'mirror, mirror ...' she explored how we see ourselves through the lens of social media and the like.

Congratulations to our winners on the night and to all students who made it through to the final. Public speaking is alive and well at Cherrybrook given the standard of presentations!



Building Program Update and Community Celebration

The final touches to the landscaping in the top playground around the new J Block building have been happening this week. Significant areas of concrete pathways and garden beds have been laid, garden beds topped up with soil in readiness for planting and 'softfall' laid. The area is looking spectacular and really suits the surrounds of J Block and the new Sports Courts. All of this is occurring as we head closer to the official hand-over date next week.

Pleasingly, the P&C have organised a celebratory dinner to be held at Biviano's Restaurant on Tuesday 13 November. Prior to this, an Official Opening and tour of the new facilities will take place. I encourage all members of the school community to take the time to join CTHS staff and students at the Official Opening and the dinner. Details for the dinner are available on the school website and in this edition of *Network*. We look forward to seeing you there.

Mr Clements



Textiles Major Projects 2018

Term 3 has been a busy time for our Senior Textiles students. The Year 12 Major Projects were due 20 August, in the middle of their Trial exams. All students completed their projects on time and there were some amazing results. These will be showcased in an Exhibition to be held in the school Library on Tuesday 13 November, from 12.30pm until 6.30pm. Students, staff and parents are welcome to come and view the projects and folios.

Year 11 have completed their Major Preliminary Projects, just before their exams. The standard of work in both Year 11 and 12 has been exceptionally high and all students are to be congratulated on their efforts. A lot of dedication and good time management have kept tears to a minimum.

One noticeable improvement has been in the standard of presentation of the supporting folios. Thanks to the assistance of Mr Skodras, our Senior Textiles students have been learning the InDesign program and this has made a tremendous difference to the quality of their folios.

We hope to introduce this program into our Stage 5 courses next year to further develop the folio standards in future.

Year 12 Projects are currently away being marked and photos of these will be included in a later edition. Below and following are some of the Year 11 Projects.

Mrs Collins (a very proud Textiles teacher!)



Textiles Major Projects 2018



Working Hard to Bring Annie to the MPC

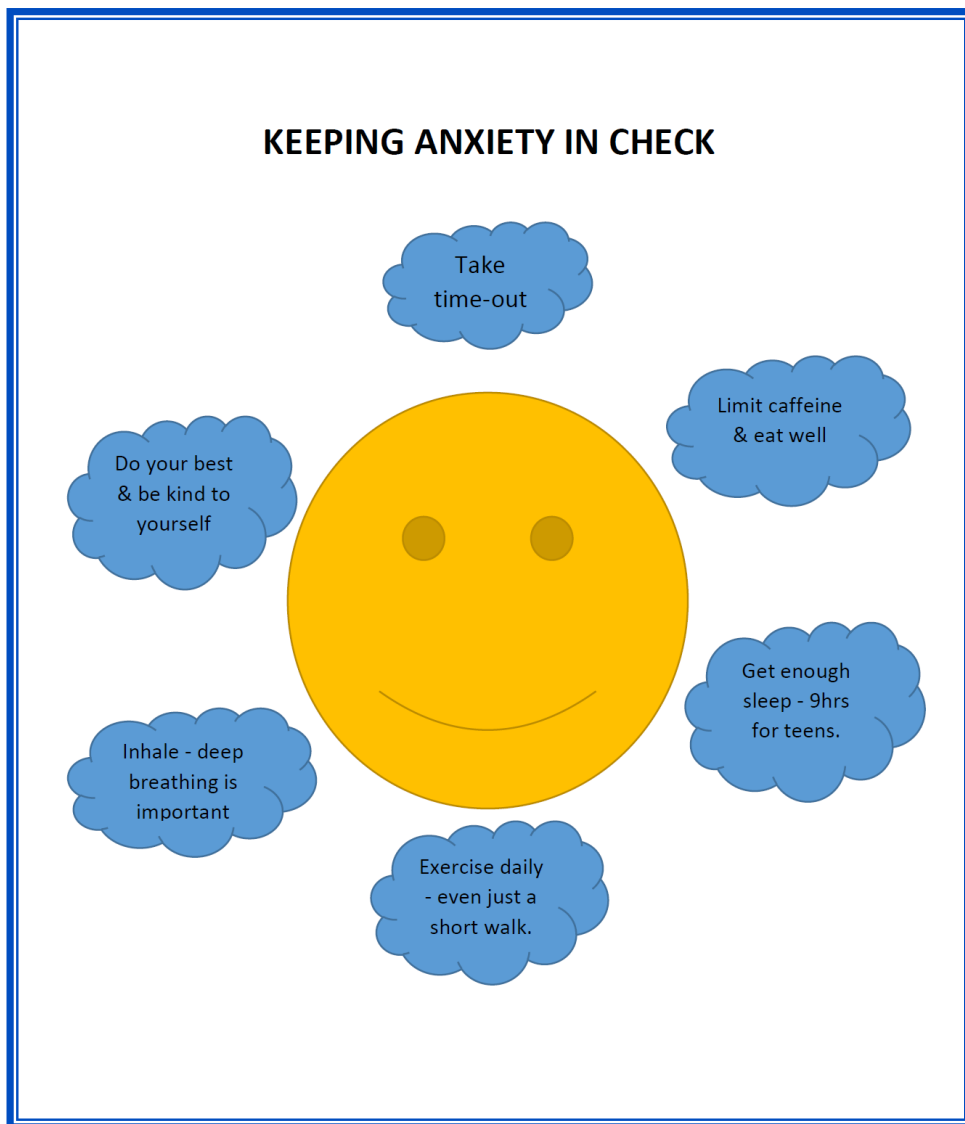
Joanna Kodituwakku (Year 7) plays the headlining role in our 2018 School Musical, *Annie*. This is a big role and Joanna's big voice matches the part (pitch) perfectly. I asked her recently to say a few words to let us know how she is going with her preparation. This is what she had to say:

It is a bit tricky, learning all my lines. Finding time to practice is very challenging as I am still getting used to high school and all the homework.

My favourite part of the Musical is definitely the parts that are about my adoptive family, the Warbucks and I really enjoy the scenes with Grace Farrell. This is because, for my character, Annie, everything is way more happy and positive and I am treated with kindness, compared to the Miss Hannigan scenes in the orphanage where it is horrible and sad all the time.

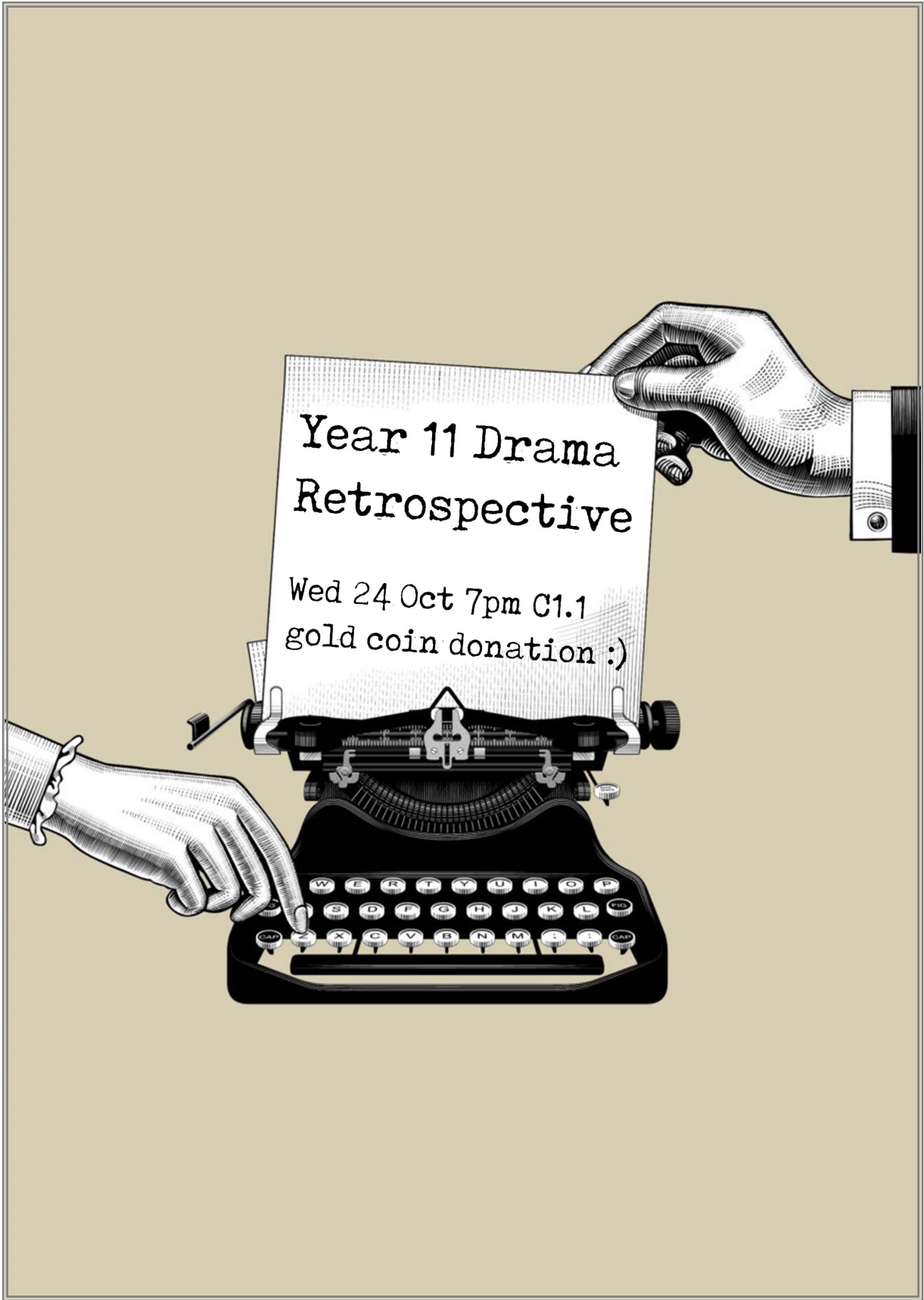
Joanna is a brave individual. It takes a plucky type of person to take on the responsibility of the lead role of a well-known musical and Joanna's talent and courage shines through at every rehearsal. To the effusive bunch of cast members and staff members, Ms Holt and Mr Felton who are giving up each Thursday for rehearsals, as well as Mr Maynard and his production team working to produce the set, a big shout out to you all and a thank you for all the time and effort you are putting into this enterprise.

Ms Cannon



SCHOOL CARPARKS

Boom gates have been installed to both school carparks. Parking is available to staff only, between the hours of 7am and 4pm school days. Ample street parking is available for visitors to the school.





STAGE 5 DRAMA PERFORMANCE NIGHT



Tues 18 Sept 2018
@7pm C1.1
gold coin donation



School Travel Advice

For trip planning visit www.transportnsw.info or call 131 500.

For current Hillsbus school and route services visit www.cdcbus.com.au or call 02 8889 7000.

Conditions of Carriage: Students must have a valid Opal card, term pass or pay a cash fare. Students must tap on and off every trip. Further details about the SSTS are available at: www.transportnsw.info

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CHERRYBROOK TECHNOLOGY HS

Bell Times

Effective 15/10/2018

Morning: 08:30

Afternoon: 15:00

MORNING BUSES		
Route	Time	Bus Route
603	07:00	EX ROUSE HILL TOWN CENTRE via Windsor, R>Commercial, R>Withers, R>Hezlett, L>Samantha Riley, Glenhaven, R>Mills, L>Carinda, R>Glenhaven, R>Evans, L>Grange, R>Greenbank, via Greenbank Dr Loop, R>Linksley, R>Ridgecrop, L>Gilbert, R>Old Northern, Oakhill College (07:43). Transfer to Route 3140 due 8:00 (see below)
639	07:08	EX NEICH BEF BOUNDARY via Pitt Town, R>Kenthurst (07:23), R>Old Northern, Oakhill College (07:40). Transfer to Route 3140 due 07:55 (see below)
3160	07:10	EX OLD PITT TOWN & TERRY RDS via Old Pitt Town, L>Nelson to Blind, return Blind, Nelson, Mason, L>Terry, L>Alan, L>Windsor, L>Nelson, L>Hynds, R>Nelson & Edwards Bus Bay 07:23, L>Nelson, Edwards, L>Annangrove, R>Kenthurst, R>Old Northern, (Round Corner 07:45), Old Northern, Oakhill College 07:55. Transfer to Route 3140 (see below).
637	07:15	EX GLENORIE SHOPS via Old Northern, Round Corner (7:34), Old Northern, Oakhill College (07:40). Transfer to Route 3140 due 08:00 (see below)
3106	07:17	EX BETTINGTON & PENNANT HILLS via Bettington, Statham, R>North Rocks, L>Oakes, L>Aiken, R>Taylor, L>Highs, Blacks to Blacks Rd Terminus (07:37), return via Blacks, Highs, then L>Highs, L>Castle Hill, R>Old Northern, R>Oakhill College Bus Bay (07:47). Transfer to Route 3140 due 08:00 (see above)
3103	07:17	EX CADWELLS RD via Porters to Kenthurst opp Pitt Town. Transfer to Route 639 (see above)
638	07:27	EX BEROWRA WATERS via Bay, Arcadia, R>Galston, Galston HS 07:58. Transfer to Route 2037 (see below)
3140	07:30	EX NEW LINE RD & VICTORIA RD New Line, R>Cedarwood, L>Boundary, R> Francis Greenway, R>Macquarie, R>Shepherds, L>Purchase, R>New Line Rd, L>Hastings, L>Old Northern, Oakhill College (arr 07:55) L>Old Northern, L>Castle Hill Rd L>County, L>Treetops, R>David, (Oakhill Shops 08:10) return David, L>Woodgrove, L>County, L>New Line, R>Purchase turnaround 2nd Hancock and return Purchase to school
2037	07:31	EX GLENORIE, OLD NORTHERN AFTER TIMARU via Old Northern, L>Middle Dural, L>Galston, (Galston HS 07:58), (Dural PO 08:04), Old Northern, New Line to Purchase
3107	07:54	EX DAVID RD OPPOSITE MILFORD DR via David, R>Woodgrove, L>County Dr, L>New Line, R>Purchase, to 2nd Hancock roundabout, return Purchase to school
3108	07:56	EX PENNANT HILLS STATION YARRARA RD via Yarrara, R>Pennant Hills Rd, R>Boundary, R>New Line to opposite Purchase Rd
621	07:56	EX CASTLE TOWERS via Old Castle Hill, R>McMullen, L>Old Northern, then via Route 621 to school
626	08:01	EX JAMES HENTY & NEW LINE RDS via James Henty, R>Jenner, L>New Line, L>Purchase to school



School Travel Advice

AFTERNOON BUSES

Route	Time	Bus Route
3500	15:05	TO GALSTON HS via Purchase, L>New Line, R>County, R>Woodgrove, R>David, (Oakhill Shops 15:15), David, L>New Line, R>Old Northern, R>Galston to Galston HS
3501	15:05	TO OAKHILL COLLEGE via Purchase L>New Line, R>County, R>Woodgrove, R>David, Oakhill Shops (15:15), return David, L>Treetops, R>County, R>Castle Hill, R>Old Northern, Oakhill College (15:34)
3554	15:05	TO GALSTON HS AND GLENORIE via Purchase, R>New Line, R>Old Northern, R>Galston, (Galston HS 15:25). Transfer to; Route 3564 due 15:30 (see below) Route 3524 due 15:30 (see below) Then via L>Galston, R>Old Northern, R>Cairnes, L>Tecoma, (Glenorie PS 15:45), Tecoma, L>Timaru, R>Old Northern, R>Canoelands, 16:02, return Canoelands, R>Old Northern, Maroota PS 16:10, Old Northern & Laughtondale Gulley Rd
3567	15:05	TO WEST PENNANT HILLS & BEECROFT via Purchase, L>New Line, R>Castle Hill, L>Highs, R>Highs, Blacks, (Blacks Rd Terminus 15:27), return Blacks, Highs, R>Taylor, L>Aiken, R>Pennant Hills, L>Copeland, L>Cardinal, L>Hannah, R>Wongala to Beecroft
2626	15:09	TO PENNANT HILLS STATION via Purchase, turnaround 1 st Hancock and return Purchase, R>Shepherds, L>Macquarie, L>Francis Greenway, L>Boundary, L>Pennant Hills, L>Railway to Pennant Hills Station, return Railway, The Crescent, Britannia, L>Kurrajong, Blackbutt to Kurrajong
626	15:11	EX PURCHASE OPP FOREST GLEN via Purchase, R>Shepherds, L>Kenburn, L>Macquarie, R>Francis Greenway, R>Boundary, L>New Line, L>Victoria, R>Boundary, L>Pennant Hills, L>Railway to Pennant Hills Station
3550	15:17	TO OAKHILL COLLEGE, ROUND CORNER AND ANNANGROVE via Purchase, L>New Line, R>County, R>Woodgrove, R>David to Oakhill Shops (15:27), return David, R>ARV, R>Old Northern to opposite Oakhill College (15:38). Transfer to Route 3506 (see below), Then via R>Old Northern, Round Corner 15:46, Old Northern, L>Kenthurst, R>Hills Grammar, R>Kenthurst, L>Annangrove, R>Edwards, L>Nelson, R>Hynds, Bus Bay 16:20, L>Nelson, R>Nelson, R>Blind to Burrawang
621	15:18	TO CASTLE TOWERS via Purchase, R>New Line, L>David, R>ARV, L>Old Northern, Terminus, R>Crane, R>Old Castle Hill to Castle Towers
3534	15:21	TO NORTH ROCKS via Purchase L>New Line, R>County, R>Woodgrove, R>David, Oakhill Dr PS (15:31), Oakhill Dr, L>David, James Henty, R>Jenner, R>Thomas Wilkinson, L>James Henty, R>New Line, L>Hastings, L>Old Northern Rd to Oakhill College (15:46), Old Northern, L>Castle Hill, R>Pennant Hills, R>North Rocks, L>Statham, Bettington to Windsor Ave
3564	15:30	EX GALSTON HS via Galston, R>Calderwood to Pine Valley, return Calderwood, L>Galston, R>Crosslands to Mathew, return Crosslands, R>Bevans, R>Knights, L>Chadd to Radnor, (15:53), return Chadd, R>Knights, R>Bayfield, L>Carrs, L>Arcadia, R>Galston to Galston Shops
3524	15:30	EX GALSTON HS via Galston, L>Arcadia, Galston PS 15:33, Arcadia, Arcadia PS 15:42, Arcadia, Bay, L>Venner, L>Chillcott Rd 15:53, L>Bay to Berowra Waters (15:59), return Bay, Arcadia, R>Galston, R>Mid Dural to Old Northern Rd.
3589	15:35	EX OPPOSITE OAKHILL COLLEGE via Old Northern, Round Corner 15:44, Old Northern, L>Kenthurst, R>Hills Grammar, R>Kenthurst, Kenthurst PS 15:54. Transfer to Route 3585 (see below)
3506	15:38	EX OPPOSITE OAKHILL COLLEGE via Old Northern, L>Gilbert, R>Ridgecrop, R>Linksley, L>Greenbank, L>Grange, R>Evans, L>Glenhaven, L>Carinda, R>Mills, L>Glenhaven to opposite Bannerman Rd
637	15:41	EX OPPOSITE OAKHILL COLLEGE via Old Northern to Glenorie Shops.
3585	16:00	EX KENTHURST PS via Dural, R>Kenthurst, L>Pitt Town, L>Lang to Alicia, return Lang, L>Pitt Town to Boundary Rd.

CTHS New Building Celebration



A dinner to celebrate our school's excellent facilities, staff and community which give our children a positive learning environment.

Proceeds will be directed toward landscaping the upper school grounds.

Refreshing pre-dinner drinks, sumptuous 3 course meal, meet the staff, hear about the school's future.

Silent auctions, raffles and entertainment.

Limited number of reservations - please purchase your tickets as soon as possible. Put a table together with your friends (10-12 per table).

Date: Tuesday 13 November, 2018

Time: 6.30pm to 10pm

Location: Biviano's Restaurant, 628 Old Northern Rd, Dural

Dress: Formal

Tickets: \$95 per person

Bookings: <https://www.trybooking.com/411475>

Contact: Gav Poole 0425 375 401

Cherrybrook Technology High School | <http://cths.nsw.edu.au>

CAREERS UPDATE

Year 12 UAC Advice

Remember to download and print your ATAR Advice Notices when ATARs are released in December. Free access is only available until Friday, after that you will be charged for a digital or printed copy.

Course Offer Rounds for Year 12s

The most important Offer Rounds for Year 12 students are December, Round 1 (Thursday 20 December 2018) and January, Round 2 (Friday 11 January 2019). Not all courses will be offered in December. Applicants should check UAC's website for details of excluded courses before they finalise their course preferences. Students whose results are not available in time for December Round 1 can be assured they will not be disadvantaged. Universities will still have places available to make offers to all courses in January.



The processing charge you pay when applying for university through UAC depends on when you apply. However, the Early Bird charge of \$70 ends at midnight on Friday 28 September, so remember to apply by then. After this date the fee reverts to the standard processing charge of \$200.

Advice: Even if you are not sure of your courses by 28 September, it is a good idea to apply by this date because you can change your course preferences after this date as many times as you wish, free!

Applications for the Schools Recommendation Schemes (SRS) close at midnight on 28 September, so remember to get your form back to your Careers Adviser well before this date!

UAC PINS: All 2018 NSW HSC and ACT Year 12 applicants had their UAC PIN emailed to them in early August, using the email address they registered with NESA. We will be sending a PIN reminder email on Monday 24 September, to students who have not yet applied through UAC. If you didn't receive your PIN email, look for this email from UAC. If your PIN doesn't work, you need to double check you are using the UAC PIN and not the PIN issued by NESA. If you have lost or forgotten your PIN after you applied, you can click the 'Forgotten your PIN' link under 'Manage your application'. If you haven't yet applied, you should call UAC. You will need to answer some identification questions and then your UAC PIN will be re-issued.

Note: You will be unable to change your preferences between the deadline for changing preferences and the day offers are released.

University Scholarships

Macquarie's Co-op applications close 5pm, Friday 28 September 2018. Students who are interested in Actuarial Studies or Accounting, the Co-op Program is designed for high achievers who have potential to become great leaders. It's a future-focused program, co-created with industry partners and guarantees fifteen months of placements while being financially supported. Students must apply online, submitting their resume, as well as a two-three minute application video by the closing date. You must ensure your nominated school contact submits an academic reference and trial HSC results before the application closing deadline. Apply for our Macquarie's Co-op Programs here: <https://www.mq.edu.au/study/why-study-here/employability/cooperative-education-program>

UTS Bachelor of Accounting Cooperative Education Scholarship Program

Closing date, Friday 19 October. If you are a high achieving school leaver and believe you could be one of Australia's future business leaders, the [Bachelor of Accounting Cooperative Education Scholarship Program](#) has been designed just for you. The Bachelor of Accounting provides you with a multi-skilled accounting degree with strong emphasis on both accounting and financial management, both essential business tools. All students in the course receive a tax-free scholarship worth up to \$51,500. Learn more about the [scholarship](#). Find out more: <https://www.uts.edu.au/future-students/business/business-courses/undergraduate-programs/bachelor-accounting>

Teach.NSW Scholarships

You have [explored teaching](#) as a career and decided to become a teacher. Now is the time to work out which scholarship, cadetship or internship could make your study more affordable! We've laid them all out so you can see what is available to you.

Teacher Education Scholarships

\$5,000 per year of fulltime study and \$3,000 appointment allowance plus a permanent teaching job.

Teacher Education Scholarships - Aboriginal

\$5,000 per year of fulltime study and \$3,000 appointment allowance plus a permanent teaching job.

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Mrs Ferguson and Mrs Bower



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Check out our activities for primary school students this school holidays

- Get an interactive presentation on the new \$50 banknote and discover banknote security features.
- Explore the Museum with a treasure map and learn about the history of Australia.

Spring session times

Tuesday, 2 October, 11.00 am – 12.30 pm
 Thursday, 4 October, 11.00 am – 12.30 pm
 Tuesday, 9 October, 11.00 am – 12.30 pm
 Thursday, 11 October, 11.00 am – 12.30 pm

What to bring

A current banknote so that you and your children can follow along with the interactive presentation.

Cost: FREE – Bookings essential

Email: museum@rba.gov.au
 Phone: (02) 9551 9743

Reserve Bank of Australia Museum

Ground Floor, 65 Martin Place
 Sydney NSW 2000

To find out more, visit:

www.museum.rba.gov.au/events



CALENDAR - Term 3 Week 9B

Monday 17 September	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Year 11 AP2 Exams • Year 10 Study Skills - P1 • Samuel Gilbert PS STEM Day
Tuesday 18 September	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Year 11 AP2 Exams • Stage 5 Drama Performance Night - 7pm, C1.1
Wednesday 19 September	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Year 11 AP2 Exams • Year 12 Graduation Rehearsal - P3&4 • Excursion: Making History
Thursday 20 September	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Year 11 AP2 Exams • Year 8 Gala Day • Excursion: Making History • Year 9 Mathematics Mentoring
Friday 21 September	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Year 11 AP2 Exams end