2018 Newsletter - Issue 10

Term 2 – Week 2

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Principal: John Browett

## **Blayney High School**

## **CAREERS CHRONICLE**

This newsletter will provide Blayney High School discussion topics within the class setting about specific KLA ideas and opinions.

Additionally I aim to make it program specific, allowing each student to locate co-curricular events which may help them extend and build upon core knowledge. It also serves to keep students up to date about coming events. I would definitely love some feedback or suggestions to make the information more efficient, accessible and usable.



## UNI/COLLEGE/TAFE INFO

# Applications for Notre Dame's Early Offer Program are now open.

Applications close 31 July The Early Offer Program allows your high-achieving students to secure a place at the #1 university in NSW for overall quality of educational experience before sitting their Year 12 exams. Students can qualify under two categories:

- Academic Achievement
- Extra-Curricular Achievement and Leadership

The Early Offer Program recognises students who've excelled in one or both of the following categories: Academic Achievement, and Extra-Curricular Achievement and Leadership.

Successful applicants will secure a place at university before undertaking their final exams and be eligible for Notre Dame's Leadership Program.

Find out more. Contact on 02 8204 4404 or at sydney@nd.edu.au or visit our website at notredame.edu.au.

More information is available at: www.notredame.edu.au/early-offer.

#### **Interior Design School Courses**

See the full listing of courses. Develop your interior design skills and create a creative portfolio of furnishing work.

Visit: Interior Design School

#### **HSC REVISION**

#### **The Hotel School HSC Revision Clinic**

4 October

The Hotel School invites Year 12 students to receive a comprehensive review of the syllabus for subjects like Hospitality and Business.

Contact: Anne McCrory anne.mccrory@scu.edu.au or 02 8249 3219

## **OPEN DAYS/INFO SESSIONS**

### Australian Catholic University – University Experience

10 July - North Sydney Campus

11 July – Canberra

12 July – Strathfield

Registrations open 8 May

University Experience is a free program that gives you the opportunity to sample the degree of your choice. Get a taste of life at ACU by meeting academic staff and current students – and trying out the course you're interested in.

If you're considering tertiary study for next year or in the future, University Experience provides the perfect chance to explore your study options by living a day in the life of an ACU student.

http://www.acu.edu.au/student\_experience/student\_life/experience\_uni\_before\_you\_start/university\_experience

#### **CSU MYDAY**

#### 27June - Albury - Wodonga

Allied Health, Accounting, Business, Environmental Science and Outdoor Recreation, General Studies (Science), Information Technology, Nursing, Teaching and Education.

#### 5 July - Dubbo

Nursing, Social Work, Teaching and Education.

#### 6 July - Wagga Wagga

Accounting, Agriculture, Animal and Veterinary Science, Arts, Business, Communication and Creative Industries, Information Technology, Nursing, Medical Radiation Science, Medical Science, Oral Health, Psychology, Social Work, Teaching and Education, Science, General Studies (Science).

Our series of MyDay events gives Yr 11 and 12 students a taste of university life for a day. Come on campus and participate in sessions relating to the course(s) you're interested in. Plus, you can meet academics, current students and support staff to get the information you need about any aspect of studying at CSU. Register at:

https://futurestudents.csu.edu.au/unilife/social/campus-events/myday

#### La Trobe University Open Days

12 August – Albury-Wodonga Campus 30 August – Sydney Find out more:

http://www.latrobe.edu.au/openday

# Western Sydney University Mid - Year Information Day

19 May. 10.00am - 2.00pm

Parramatta City Campus

The Mid-Year Entry Information Day is happening on 19 May, 2018.

It's a great opportunity to speak one-on-one with our academics about the huge range of courses on offer, receive admissions assistance and get a feel for campus life. Course Info Centre: 1300 897 669. Visit and register at:

https://www.westernsydney.edu.au/midyear

# **UOW College Information Evening - UOW Shoalhaven Campus**

10 May. 5.30pm - 7.00pm

UOW Shoalhaven Campus, George Evans Rd, West Nowra, Ray Cleary Building UG.03

Are you looking to study in 2018 and don't know what to do? Don't worry! We've got you covered. Come along to our information evening and see everything UOW Shoalhaven campus has to offer. Meet with UOW College staff and students and find out what courses we run at the UOW Shoalhaven campus. Applications will be accepted on the night.

Contact: Annika Harrison: annika@uow.edu.au Ph: 4239 2212

# UTS Bachelor of Accounting Scholarship Information Evening

15 May. 6.30 - 7.30 pm

**UTS Campus - Ultimo** 

Contact: Carin Alberts: carin.alberts@uts.edu.au

Register here:

https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/uts-bachelor-of-accounting-bacc-co-op-scholarship-information-evening-tickets-43537750584

#### CQU - Open Day

23 August 5.00pm to 8.00pm 400 Kent Street, Sydney

CQUniversity is emerging as one of Australia's truly great universities with award-winning teaching professionals, commitment to student support, practical learning experiences, and being globally recognised by ranking in the top 2% of universities worldwide. As one of Australia's largest regional universities and a leader in distance education. Find out more:

https://www.cqu.edu.au/campaigns/open-days

#### Experience Clever - La Trobe Uni – Albury-Wodonga

1 June. 9.45am to 3.00pm

Experience Clever gives you the chance to not only see our campuses but experience them – by taking part in fun and dynamic workshops led by real teachers. These events are open to future students and parents, so register your interest. Free return bus trip for regional NSW towns. Find out more: http://www.latrobe.edu.au/study/life/events/experi ence-la-trobe-events

## **Correction - JMC Academy Open Day** 5 May - Sydney. 10.00am

561 Harris St, Ultimo NSW

On the day you will take a campus tour, undertake a focused overview on your course of interest, speak first-hand with current students, scholarship winners and the Heads of JMC Academy's Music, Audio, Animation, Game Design, Film and Television, Digital Design and Entertainment Business Management departments. You'll also be able to view student work, listen to bands, view student films and even see live audio and television production at work. Contact: Dani McOrrie: (02) 8241 8899. Visit

http://www.jmcacademy.edu.au

#### **AIE Open Day**

19 May. 10.00am - 3.00pm

Level 2, Wentworth Park Grandstand, Wattle St, Ultimo

Discover the courses designed to get you started in game development, 3D animation and visual effects at the AIE The day will include presentations on different areas of industry to get into as well as information about AIE full-time and part-time courses and entry requirements. Student work will be on display and our teachers will be available to speak with you one on one about our courses and how AIE can get you into a creative career. Jessica Bull: jessicabu@aie.edu.au Ph: 85148800.

http://www.aie.edu.au/openday

#### Top Education Institute Open Day for Business and Law

3 August 2018 Find out more:

https://www.top.edu.au/

#### AIT Info Night

23 May. 5.30pm – 8.00pm Level 2, 7 Kelly street Ultimo Trudy Pihelgas : info@ait.edu.au AIT's Info Night is perfect for those wanting to explore the endless opportunities available in the growing creative industry. This fun and interactive seminar is a great way to get further information on our curriculum, course requirements, study pathways. Our friendly staff & students will also be there to talk to and get advice from. Learn about careers and study options in film production, 3D animation, digital media, game design, mobile apps and IT. Take a campus tour. Learn about our \$8,000 Scholarship for domestic students

## Australian Film Television and Radio School Open Day

11 August. 10.00am to 3.30pm The Entertainment Quarter, Sydney Find out how to start and progress your career in the screen and broadcast industries with the Australian Film Television and Radio School. This is a great opportunity to learn about our courses, meet our professional tutors, check out AFTRS state-of-the-art facilities in action and see for yourself why AFTRS is the premier screen and broadcast school in Australia.

http://www.aftrs.edu.au/events/aftrs-open-days

#### Australian Institute of Music Open Day

25 August. 10.00am to 3.00pm- Sydney 1 Foveaux St, Surry Hills

Enjoy the free music workshops, masterclasses, live performances, demonstrations, course information, hear industry experts, meet course staff, alumni & current students. Ph:02 9219 5444

enquiries@aim.edu.au

Find out more:

https://www.aim.edu.au/events/2018-open-day

### The Hotel School Open Day

18 August

The Hotel School will once again open its doors to students interested in knowing more about the Tourism and Hospitality industry. This will be the perfect opportunity for students to speak to Academic staff, current students and alumni and get all the facts they need to know about the fastest growing industry in Australia and globally. Students will also get a chance to experience our campus, conveniently located in the heart of the Sydney CBD. https://hotelschool.scu.edu.au/

#### **NIDA Open Day Applications for 2019**

16 June. 9.00am - 4.00pm

NIDA, 215 Anzac Parade, Kensington NSW

By registering to attend, you will receive advance info about performances, workshops and presentations for the day, event schedule, and after the event when recordings are available. Event photography and filming: by registering to attend this event you agree that photos and videos taken during this event may used in the recording of the event and in future for NIDA promotional purposes (website, social media etc) and archival purposes. https://s.myfeedback.io/survey/?c=50176&id=248

## **COMPETITIONS**

#### **Build a Bridge Competition**

The Spaghetti Bridge Competition is a problem-solving engineering challenge for students from Grades 7 to 12. Teams have to plan, design and build a bridge from store-bought spaghetti and glue. They come together at a venue to test their bridge's strength on a custom-made rig. The bridge that withstands the most force is declared the winner. We are very excited to announce our 2018 calendar of workshops and events for students and teachers in Queensland, New South Wales and Victoria.

Schools can register groups of students for the Regional Engineering Projects by downloading the bulk registration form by clicking **here** (pdf) or **here** (MSWord).

#### Year 10, 11 and 12 students:

**Engineering Link Project** 

UTS, Sydney – 4 and 5 October

#### Teachers:

Sydney – 7 May

Bathurst – 4 June. (Focus on pre-service teachers) – registration through Charles Sturt University Bathurst – 5 June

http://telg.com.au/the-spaghetti-bridge-competition-is-back-for-2018/

## YR 10 SUBJECT SELECTION

#### **Subject Selection**

Here is a survival guide for Year 10 students choosing their year 11/12 subjects.

https://www.careerfaqs.com.au/news/news-and-views/navigating-subject-selection-in-year-10

Here is a list of questions to consider when selecting your HSC subjects.

https://www.matrix.edu.au/subject-selection-guide-for-year-10-students/

### **SCHOLARSHIPS**

# UTS Bachelor of Accounting Scholarship Round 1 Applications

Close 1 June

Online applications: www.bachelorofaccounting.com Contact: Carin Alberts: carin.alberts@uts.edu.au Note that applicants will need to apply through UAC as well.

www.bachelorofaccounting.com

## **GAP YEAR/EXCHANGE**

## The Ultimate US/UK University Expo: Real Australian Students

26 May. 12.30pm to 5.00pm SMC Conference & Function Centre, 66 Goulburn Street, Sydney

Hear from past Aussie students who now attend Harvard, Stanford, Yale, Oxford, Columbia and other Colleges.

https://www.eventbrite.com/e/the-ultimate-usukuniversity-expo-real-australian-students-sydneytickets-44572935851

#### **Global Study Immersion UK**

July

Be immersed in a stimulating environment with other like-minded students from across the world and accelerate your growth.

- Two-week intensive academic program
- Live and study on the campuses of leading universities
- University of Cambridge and Durham University
- Highly qualified and knowledgable academic staff
- Choice of specialist subject courses ranging from Engineering, Entrepreneurship, Creative Arts & International Relations

Visit:

https://learn.crimsoneducation.org/GSI

## **EMPLOYMENT**

# **NECA Indigenous Electrical Apprenticeship Readiness Program**

This program opens up opportunities for electrical apprenticeships and develops real electrical skills to obtain employment.

http://www.necatraining.com.au/electrical-apprentices/empower-indigenous-program/

#### **NECA Electrotechnology Apprenticeships**

The electrical field is one of the most dynamic and growing industries. At NECA we're here to help you complete a national qualification that supports a career in data/ communication, home automation, renewable energy, construction, the installation of lights, power, air conditioning, fire protection, building management systems and more. Once qualified you can start your own business and take your trade and work anywhere in the world. http://www.necatraining.com.au/electrical-apprentices/

#### **Career Kickstarter 2018**

23 May 4.00pm-7.00pm Luna Park

Insights and work opportunities in Business & Accounting for year 12 and first year University Students

Contact : Eleni Carkagis :

eleni.carkagis@charteredaccountantsanz.com

#### **Keep Posted on Becoming a Teacher**

Get paid to study to become a teacher and have a guaranteed job on graduation.

https://www.teach.nsw.edu.au/get-paid-to-study

#### **Coffs Coast Careers Connection**

31 May. 9.30am to 12.30pm Coffs Harbour Racing Club

The aim of the careers day is to raise the awareness and aspirations of young people about their careers. A strong local economy is underpinned by an appropriately qualified, and motivated, workforce. This workforce development initiative contributes to encouraging young people to build a career in the region by informing them about vocational opportunities and the pathways to employment.

Contact: Bob Prater:

coffs.careers@midcoastconnect.com.au 0418 869 214

#### **Mid Coast Careers Market**

22 May. 10.00am to 2.00pm Glasshouse Port Macquarie

Years 9 to 12, their teachers and parents; as well as being open to the public. The Mid Coast Careers Market provides a great opportunity to promote local opportunities for employment, study and training; as well as showcasing businesses to the community. The event aims to help young people gain a broader awareness and understanding of locally available career pathways, employment and training opportunities.

Contact : Louise Bisaro : 02 6583 9510 louise.bisaro@midcoastconnect.com.au

## **WORKSHOPS**

## National Youth Science Forum – Applications Open Now

The NYSF Year 12 Program is a 12-day residential program designed to give students a broader understanding of the diverse study and career options available in science, technology, engineering and mathematics (STEM) and to encourage them to continue their studies in these fields. Participants also take part in sessions on entrepreneurship, critical thinking, how to work together effectively, and more.

https://www.nysf.edu.au/programs/year-12-program/

## Westmead Social Work Careers Day One Day Workshop

10 May. 9.00am – 3.00pm Westmead Hospital

Year 11 or 12 who are interested in Social Work should apply.

Contact: Kimberley.sherwood@health.nsw.gov.au