



The Weekly Pines

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Northern Beaches Secondary College

Academic Excellence ★ Personal Best ★ Giving Back to the Community



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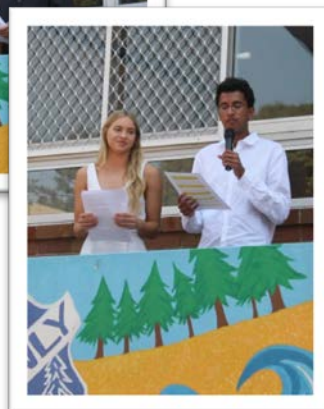
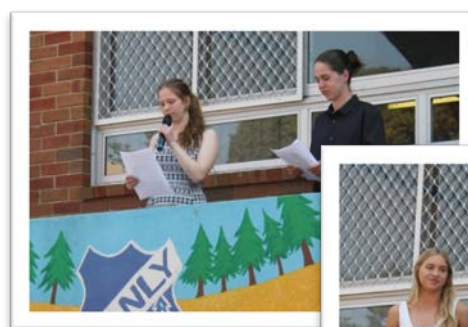
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From the Principal

Farewell Year 12

The school community said farewell to our Year 12 students at the whole school assembly on Thursday. At the assembly, also attended by numerous proud parents and family members, representatives from each of the Year groups spoke to Year 12 expressing their gratitude for the leadership and friendship of our graduating students. The assembly was followed by a morning tea on the front lawn of the school with the ceremonial 'cutting of the cake' by our outgoing Captains, Maya Yaffe and Rupert Canning.



Our Year 12 students have made an impressive input to our school in so many ways. They have contributed to many programs across the school and been wonderful mentors and role models to our junior students. We have a large number of Year 12 students leaving our band programs, in excess of 25, our dancers and vocalists have represented the school with distinction at various eisteddfods and charity events and performed in the wonderful school musicals whilst the back-stage crew have provided technical support and guidance for numerous school events. Year 12 students have led our sporting and chess teams, environment committee and a range of special interest groups in the school. They have been involved in the academic mentoring of students from local Primary schools and been outstanding leaders of our Student Representative Council.

In a world where change is often the only constant, Year 12 were well prepared through

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their years at Manly. They have been led and supported by three Principals, five supervising Deputy Principals and two Year Advisers since Year 7. Special thanks go to Mr Harris who guided them safely through to Year 9 and to Ms Munro who so lovingly mentored and encouraged them since Year 10. Thank you also to Deputy Principal Ms O'Sullivan who supported Year 12 through subject selections and NESA requirements for the past two years, to Mrs Rixon who provided career and scholarship guidance and to Mr Martin who has been a good support for many of the year group throughout the past six years.



The next time we see this fantastic group of students will be at the first HSC English paper and then we will meet together to celebrate the completion of their HSC at Graduation on Monday 13 November prior to their Formal. To all students, best wishes for your HSC examinations. Enjoy studying and preparing for the next step in your educational journey. Believe in your ability to achieve your best and remember that you have a great support team in your teachers, fellow students and parents so please keep in touch.

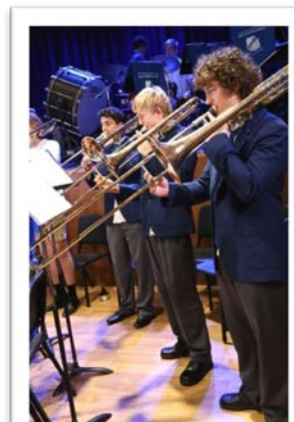
Encore Nominations

Congratulations to Gianni Cincotta-Lee, Hinano Fujisaki and Susan Milton (Mackellar Girls cross-campus student) who have been selected by HSC markers from the NSW Educational Standards Authority as representatives from across NSW nominated for possible inclusion in the statewide HSC Music showcase event, *Encore*. If chosen in the final group, they will perform in the Concert Hall of the Sydney Opera House on Monday 19 February 2018.

Musicale

The annual Musicale held last Saturday afternoon at the Independent Theatre in North Sydney was once again a fantastic showcase of our students' musical talent. Congratulations and farewell to our Year 12 students Angie Mei, Barney Dowse, Casey Zhu, Dylan Laver, Ellen Mitchell, Gianni Cincotta-Lee, Hinano Fujisaki, Jaden Clark, James Meadows, Jason Zhu, Jeremy Chiu, Jess Moore, Louis Alston, Marie Taneo, Maya Yaffe, Rohan Ackermann, Romy Saunders, Sam Hobson, Samir Mosahebi Mohamadi, Sebastian Gordon, Stephen Sung, Susie Milton, Taj Elshaikh, Thomas Dunbavan, Varun Rao and Wilson Zhao who performed for the last time with the Symphonic Wind Orchestra, Jazz Orchestra, String Ensemble or Chamber Orchestra. A huge thank you to the Band Conductors Mark Brown, Craig Driscoll, Brian Buggy and Liz Scott and to the Year 12 parents who have been such a wonderful support for the Band program. I'm looking forward to Musicale 2018 already – it really is a highlight of the musical year at Manly!





Intermediate Band Tour

This week the Intermediate Band performed at a range of Primary schools on their band tour to Canberra. Once again the students represented the school with pride whilst also having a great time playing music for others. Below is part of an email I received from a teacher at one of the schools they visited:

'The performance yesterday was one of the best performances that I have seen in all of my years teaching. The buzz in the room was electric and our students loved every minute of the show. I have had so many positive comments about the "awesome band" that came yesterday and a parent this morning said that her daughter talked about it all night and then heard Shake Your Tail Feather on the radio on the way to school and could barely control her excitement because the band had played it at the concert. Massive congratulations to the ensemble and the conductor and teachers involved. I do believe that our kids will remember this event for a long time

and do believe that many would have been inspired to follow a musical path in their own futures as a result. It was magnificent to see young people all connecting through the power of music. WELL DONE'

Thank you to our band director Mark Brown and teachers Naomi Leviton and Peter Dawes for accompanying the students and making this annual event such a joy and success.

Year 9 Debating

Congratulations to the Year 9 Debating team of Emily Hewitt-Park, Conor Carroll, Amy Rogers and Mandela Raj-Seppings who are through to the State Semi-Final after defeating Alstonville High School on Thursday.



Congratulations to:

- Coleen Leung (Year 12) who was Runner Up in the Years 11 to 12 age category for her story entitled Vanguard TV3. In the photo with Coleen are author Will Kostakis and the CEO of Northern Beaches Council Mark Ferguson.



The webpage listing the finalists and including a pdf of the ebook is available at:
<https://www.northernbeaches.nsw.gov.au/library/your-library/news/2017-young-writers-competition>.

School Holidays

Finally, I'd like to wish everyone a safe, relaxing and enjoyable holiday. Thank you all for another busy and exciting term of learning at Manly. I look forward to seeing everyone back on Monday 9 October.

Cath Whalan
Principal

From the Deputy Principals

Year 8

Congratulations to team Chevaz! Eliza Lo Russo, Amelie Letchford, Hannah Lovlin, Zahra Chew, Chloe Bracher and Vivienne Paduch. Their book *Stepping Through Time* has been shortlisted in the best book category to receive an award in the *Write a Book in a Day competition*. The book has been uploaded to the school website for you to enjoy.

Thank you to Max Oldham for stepping in last minute to speak on behalf of Year 8 at the Year 12 Farewell assembly. It is never easy presenting someone else's speech and you did it with such confidence.

Year 10

At Manly Campus we are very proud of our Duke Edinburgh Award program and each year the program grows in popularity. Year 10 students have truly embraced the program that challenges them both mentally and physically with activities that include overnight adventurous hikes, volunteering within their local community, developing new skills to assist their self-growth and participating in regular physical activity. A group of Year 10 students set off this weekend on a practice run for their Silver Award expedition. We wish them all the best and hope it's not too hot.

Thank you to Tom Coy for being the photographer at the Year 12 Farewell assembly and also to Dawei Yuan for speaking on behalf of Year 10.

Year 12

The departure of Year 12 each year is always an emotional time. For many of these students it is the end of a six year association with the school; for all of them it marks the end of their formal secondary education. On Thursday we proudly said farewell to G17. The assembly provided our school community with an opportunity to acknowledge and celebrate together the significant milestone that our Year 12 have reached. It also enabled Year 12 to say farewell to their teachers and the rest of the student body. I would like to take the opportunity to thank the Year 12 teachers for their commitment and dedication to ensure that every student is successful.

Kathy O'Sullivan
Deputy Principal – Years 8, 10, 12

Despite Term 3 drawing to a close, there have been plenty of activities across the school throughout the week. From the Intermediate Band Tour to Duke of Edinburgh hikes, debates, sporting activities and Year 11 exams winding up, not to mention Musicale last weekend, the depth and diversity of talent across the school continues to be shown.

The pinnacle of the week, however, was the whole school having the pleasure of saying a fond farewell to the Year 12 cohort at their final school assembly. Led by the 2018 School Captains, Natalie Patterson and Max Troughton, the school community heard from a range of students on what this Year 12 group means to them, with Sophie Stephenson and Amelia Heffernan representing Years 7 and 9 respectively.

The ceremony was a fitting farewell to the class of 2017 who will be missed by many across the school. A big thank you to all Year 11 students for helping to not only set up for the assembly but the morning tea as well.

All Year 11 families are reminded that the HSC Information session will be held in the School Hall at 6:30pm on Tuesday 10 October.

Have a great holiday everyone and enjoy the start of daylight saving over the long weekend! We look forward to seeing everyone back at the start of next term, refreshed and ready for another fantastic term at the school.

Jamie Kay
Acting Deputy Principal Years 7, 9 and 11

Year 12 Report

Year 12 Year Adviser's Speech

A year ago today almost at the end of your Year 11 exams, we sat in this quadrangle and farewelled G16 and as I watched Ms Shannon farewell her year, a sense of dread began to fill me – not about having to potentially cry my way through a speech in front of over 800 people, but about having to say goodbye to all of you. That dread has been building since then and now here we are, facing a bittersweet farewell as we see you off to the undoubtedly glorious futures ahead of you.

Something that you might not know, Year 12, is that you and I began high school together. 2012 wasn't just your first year at Manly, it was mine too, and as staffroom tradition dictates, I was blessed with a timetable overflowing with Year 7 classes. There was only one of the four Year 7 classes that I didn't teach, meaning I got to know 90 of you in that first year, and I found you to be inquisitive, exuberant and, as we saw from Year 7 disco photos last week, very adorable.

That impression hasn't changed over the years, as I taught many of you through Years 8 and 9 and finally became your Year Adviser in Year 10. A very big thank you to Rob Harris for seeing you through those formative years (especially two camps plus three discos) and also for stepping down and allowing me to take over the role.

Since then, it has been my absolute pleasure and privilege to advise you through the experiences typical of most teenagers – friendship squabbles, stressful exam periods, relationship breakdowns

and the ever-present question of 'what am I going to do when I leave school?'. I've come to know you both collectively and individually as a truly wonderful group of young people. You are fiercely intelligent, musically gifted, hilariously funny, genuinely collaborative, and, as we've seen over the last few weeks, winningly athletic. You also appreciate my admittedly lame Harry Potter, cat and unicorn jokes (or at least you pretend to), and for that I'm truly grateful. I've also been amazed by your resilience as you've weathered the stresses of the HSC with strength and grace.

I wish you all the best for your futures. I'm confident that your resilience and sense of humour will serve you well over the coming months as you endure the last stretch of this massive year. And then... freedom! I wish you the freedom to choose to follow your passions and interests, wherever they take you, as you go out into the world and make it a better place because of your presence. And, given how many of you want to become engineers, a structurally safe place as well.

I am going to miss you all so much. Your cheery 'hellos' in the corridors, spotting your jerseys around the place, catching up with you between classes and laughing at what has to be the most intense handball game of all time here in the quad. The school is going to feel incredibly empty without you.

I thought I'd end with an inspirational quote from the greatest educator of all time, Professor Albus Dumbledore: "It is our choices that show us what we truly are, far more than our abilities." Please remember those words in the coming months - you are all wonderfully unique, interesting and valuable people, and while you all have considerable academic abilities, it's the choices that you make – to be kind to others, to follow your passions, to make a difference in the world – that make you the truly majestic individuals that you are.

So farewell and good luck!

Ms Kate Munro
Year 12 Adviser

Year 11 Report

A big congratulations to all of Year 11 who finished their Preliminary Examinations this week and, with this final assessment, have now finished Year 11 altogether! I wish every Year 11 student a relaxing holiday break before we come back next term, ready to take on Year 12! This holiday is an important moment for resting, recharging batteries and reflecting on progress and goals going in to what will be an exciting and challenging time.

As always stated by many, this term has been a busy 10 weeks. I took great joy in sitting down with a large number of Year 11 students for their Year 11 into 12 interviews in Week 5. Spending 10 minutes chatting with each student about their progress in Year 11 and their goals for the future was a wonderful experience and opportunity to find out more about these incredible young people. This term also saw the completion of Crossroads for Year 11. Students attended a seminar with Brent Sanders from Know Now Education; participated in P.A.R.T.Y at Royal North Shore Hospital or engaged in the K.Y.D.S Risk Prevention program. It really was wonderful to see this new and updated crossroads program be well received by students, knowing that they have been given the opportunity to develop a good insight into the consequences of risk taking behaviours and learn practical skills to ensure their health, well-being and safety for future years.

I would like to take this opportunity to extend my congratulations to the SRC Executive team that will represent their Year through to the end of school. Max Troughton, Natalie Patterson, Jesse Dransfield and Lauren Powe make an excellent team as leaders and Dillon Qian, Ella Ryan, Harrison Keys, James Ladbroke, Jessica Wait, Rhiannon Marshall-Witte and Sarah Halnan will ably support them during the next twelve months. I would also like to congratulate all the nominees on their fantastic speeches at their Year 11 Nomination Meeting, as I personally thought they all were not only outstanding but highlighted all their strengths and their commitment to their Year and school.

Have a great break during these holidays so that you are all ready to face the challenges ahead next term. A reminder that there is an important information evening for parents and students on Tuesday 10 October. Happy holidays!

Jen Walker
Year 11 Adviser

Year 10 Report

Year 10 have had a jam-packed term with many academic and extra-curricular endeavours, challenges and opportunities. Students worked incredibly hard during the busy assessment weeks and are all looking forward to a relaxing holiday break.

Students are to be congratulated on their amazing ILP creations, which were shared in the two-night showcase this term. Year 10 demonstrated their interest in an array of areas, from videogame design to clothes making. Many students tackled pressing social and environmental concerns and others expressed their creativity in a range of forms and mediums. The ILP was an excellent opportunity for students to experience the process of independent project-based learning and this is a great guideline for those who wish to do a major work subject in Year 11 and 12. A huge thank you is to be extended to all the teachers of ILP who have advised and encouraged students through this worthwhile learning experience.

Year 10 have also continued to acquire work experience placements, which they eagerly anticipate in Week 8 of Term 4. Some have also chosen to do Australian Business Week during this time, providing an insight into the various facets of running a business with experts from the industry as mentors through this process. Thank you to Ms Colby and Ms Rixon for supporting students in ensuring their paperwork is finalised.

We have had many exhibitions of Manly Campus talent this term, including the Year 10 band which played at *Pinestock* as well as students who accompanied the HSC music performances and performed at *Musicale*. We would like to extend our congratulations and best wishes to Elden

Loomes who will be sitting his Associate Diploma of Music Exam through AMEB early in 2018. Elden has worked really hard to refine his knowledge and skills set on the Cello and we congratulate him on undertaking this competitive and exciting endeavour.

This term also saw the selection of senior subjects following the Year 10 into 11 interviews. Students were encouraged to choose subjects they are passionate about and the interview process assisted with clarifying some of the requirements for engaging in the senior course of study at Manly Campus. There will be another parent information evening early next year to assist Year 10 students with their transition into the Preliminary Stage 6 courses. Thank you to all the teachers involved in the interview process, Ms O'Sullivan, Ms Rixon, Ms Colby, and Ms Crebar; your knowledge and expertise were much appreciated by students and parents alike. A huge thank you from Year 10 to Mr Kay for undertaking the immense job of timetabling the whole grade into their subject choices and fielding the moments of indecision and revision of certain subject choices.

The previous weekend also saw the Year 10 students who are going on World Challenge to Borneo engage in a preparatory hike, demonstrating the strong extra-curricular involvement of students in our grade.

I wish Year 10 a relaxing and safe holiday break and look forward to seeing them all next term, ready for their last study quarter of 2017.

Lina Izossimova
Year 10 Adviser

Year 9 Report

Term 3 has seen our intrepid Year 9 throw themselves into many substantial projects in various subjects. In English classes, students are taking a multidisciplinary approach to examining a social issue of their choice and creating a presentation in Term 4 that will both educate their peers, and propel them into taking action that will illicit change. In Drama, group performances are currently being workshopped, and in Food

Keep learning

Embrace new experiences, seek opportunities, surprise yourself

Technology our budding Masterchefs created their own unique recipes. Year 9 Dance performed their first solo dance compositions in front of the class and demonstrated outstanding skills and choreography. The PASS students tested their leadership, organisational and event management skills in their many roles in the wonderfully successful Year 8 Gala Day. Also, of note in the CAPA department were the amazing Year 9 artworks that were on display alongside the HSC major works.

Such large-scale endeavours are a testament to the students' capacity to work cohesively and display their creativity and critical thinking skills.

The second Colour Run occurred this term and Year 9 thoroughly enjoyed being covered in colour, while raising funds to go towards outdoor exercise equipment for the whole school to enjoy. An enormous thank you to Mr Blanch for his heroic efforts in organising such a fun and worthwhile event.

This year's SRC annual *Pinestock* theme was 'Throwback-stock' and, as ever, Year 9 delivered on the costume front with Tombliboos from *The Night Garden* characters, *The Wiggles* and *Bananas in Pyjamas* being just a couple of the more memorable Year 9 outfits. It was a wonderful day and one of the many whole school events that foster a sense of cohesiveness and belonging that make Manly so special.

Next term is equally jam-packed. We have our fabulous camp at Mangrove Mountain on 15 - 17 November (permission forms and payment due today!), where Year 9 will be able to enjoy a host of exciting and enjoyable activities that will allow them to challenge themselves and create bonds with one another that last a lifetime. In my experience, it is often the Year 9 camp that brings a cohort together and

Be active

Do what you can, enjoy what you do, move your mood

Take notice

Be curious. Catch sight of the unusual & beautiful. Remember the simple things that give you joy

Connect

Talk, listen, be there, feel connected

allows them to foster the sense of connection and rapport with one another that will last to Year 12 and beyond. Having just watched another wonderful Year 12 have their last assembly here at school, I am reminded of the support and deep friendships that are formed by the time the students reach Year 12, and the role that these relationships play in ensuring success and happiness for our young people.

Next term, all of Year 9 will participate in leadership training and will be given the

Give

Your time, your words, your presence, your appreciation

opportunity to be selected to be a Peer Support Leader or Peer Academic Leader for next year's Year 7. This program allows all Year 9 to learn about the various types of leadership,

the characteristics and qualities of effective leaders, reflect upon their own potential for leadership, and have authentic experience of mentoring and guiding our newest Manly cohort. It is a fantastic program, tailored to meet the needs of our unique school community.

I hope you all have a wonderful Spring break and come back bursting with the joys of learning.

Year 8 Report



We have had an incredible term again Year 8, with an extensive amount of academic and extra-curricular activities. Many Year 8 members, particularly the SRC, were actively involved in the set up and running of the *Throwback Stock* day in which we celebrated our childhood, creativity, musical talents and remarkable costume making skills. Thank you to the SRC and all involved in organising this day as it was a huge success! We welcomed new SRC members Tobias Grigg, Jason Ho, Amelie Letchford, Eliza Lo Russo, Hannah Lovlin and Max Oldham. Congratulations!

The Science Techno display this year was one of the best I've seen in 12 years. Year 8 worked in small teams with the aim of investigating the technical, social and historic aspects of a technology and then present their findings creatively. The results were impressive. Congratulations to the finalist teams who participated in the Northern Beaches Secondary College Science Techno Final.



Fiona Brien
Year 9 Adviser

For the first time we saw, Manly students participate in the fundraising event 'write a book in a day'... and that's exactly what they did. They worked tirelessly for 12 hours to produce a children's book, and they must be congratulated on the money they raised for the Kids' Cancer Project. A huge thank you to Ms O'Sullivan for making this exciting opportunity possible.

In the sporting arena, our students participated, thoroughly enjoyed, and won every competition at the Gala Day, competing against teams from Cromer. Finally, the Electives Information Evening was very well attended and Year 8 are excited to embark on their chosen subjects for Year 9 in 2017. Year 8, have a wonderful holiday and enjoy your well-deserved holiday.

Ms Amanda Tye
Year 8 Adviser

HSIE Faculty Report

The HSIE faculty had a bumper Term 3, with Geography and History competition results being handed out, as well as incursions, excursions, assessments and Years 8 and 10 subject selections for elective and senior subjects. The enormous interest among students for HSIE subjects bodes well for the future geographers, economists, lawyers, business-people, historians and sociologists of the world! Congratulations to Luke Mcleod, Andreea Vissarion and Claudia Harris being awarded monetary prizes for outstanding results in the 2017 Australian Economics and Business Studies Competitions. A huge congratulations must go out to Kai Sayer who came first in Australia for Year 7 in the 2017 Australian History Competition. He will receive a medal and certificate at a special assembly next term.



The following information about Term 3 excursions has been provided by staff and students.

Year 7 HSIE Excursion to Bicentennial Park

On Monday 11 September, Year 7 went on an excursion to Bicentennial Park to learn about water in the world.

After the long bus trip, we had a quick bite for recess and our guide then took us towards the back of Bicentennial Park and to the waterbird refuge. We looked through binoculars to try and spot as many species of waterbirds as we could. Some of these included seagulls, spoonbills, herons and many more.



While walking further along the park, we learnt about smart gates that help to refresh the supply of freshwater in the artificial mudflats that were created for water birds when they are migrating over large expanses of land and sea. Going to the very back of the park, we sat down and learnt the geographer's technique of sketching an area. Being forced to stay on the left hand side of the path, our group finally made it to the entrance area where we got to have lunch.

After lunch we went into the mangrove forest and applied multiple tests like checking the water turbidity and salinity to see if the water in Powells Creek was healthy.

We then went into a room to have a small lecture on the changes throughout the water system in and around Bicentennial Park within the past 50 years. Apparently being 'quiet' we were able to see Petal the turtle who



was rescued after being spotted with a broken shell and taken to Bicentennial Park. This was a particularly enjoyable experience for all of us.

Thank you to all of our HSIE teachers for putting in the time and effort to take us on this excursion. Special thanks to the guides and Bicentennial Park for allowing our school to visit and teaching us about water in the world. We all enjoyed this opportunity and hope to get another one like this soon.

**By Amber M, Jenna K and Leonie B-K
(Class 70)**

Year 10 Geography Fieldwork Excursion to Narrabeen-Collaroy

This term, Year 10 Geographers have been working on their Research Action Plan – some may remember it as the Junior Geography Project – where they have been investigating the management of Narrabeen and Collaroy as well as their own international case study. In Week 8 about 80 students walked from North Narrabeen to Collaroy to see for themselves what the Northern Beaches Council is doing to manage the coast.



The day started with a talk from the knowledgeable staff at the Coastal Environmental Centre, where students learned about the biophysical processes that impact on the coast many of us enjoy and the exact conditions that led to the Sydney Storms that occurred in June 2016 (ask them about East Coast lows). We then began the long walk towards Collaroy. On the way, students conducted water testing at Narrabeen Lagoon (it's safe to swim in), sketched profiles of the beach (the closer we got to Collaroy, the

narrower the beach became) and took primary data in the form of photos and sand samples. Students were particularly interested in the long and costly process of recovering from the 2016 storms, and were keen to share their opinion of who should foot the bill.

The day finished with a discussion of possible strategies that could be taken to preserve the coast for the future. It was a long walk, but many students found it informative and very useful for their Research Action Plan.

Ms Stephanie Foy (HSIE Teacher)

Finally, while more than half of Year 10 were attending the Geography excursion, the rest of the year, who are in their History semester, were privileged to hear the one-man performance *Dusted Off* by the inimitable Brent Hunt. His sound, song and spoken word piece tells the story of his father's experiences of the Vietnam War and its aftermath. As always it is a moving and compelling experience, and really helps to foster student empathy and understanding about the impact of war on veterans and their families.

**Katy Shannon
Acting Head Teacher HSIE**

Ultimate Frisbee

For any students who are interested in playing Ultimate Frisbee with other Northern Beaches young people... bring a friend, a light and dark playing shirt and a water bottle and head to:

**Millers Reserve, Manly Vale
Every Wednesday
5:15 - 6.45pm**

FREE trial for 2 weeks and then the cost is \$40 for all-summer-long (includes a Frisbee for new players)

All welcome, no experience necessary!

Under 15

Knockout Netball Report

The under 15 girls netball team played round 1 of the knockout competition on Friday 15 September against Killarney Heights High School. They played a fantastic game and won 53-11. They went through to the next round which was played as a carnival at Gosford on Thursday 21 September. The team played a very competitive game against a strong Kincumber team and narrowly lost 44-41, and all girls played their best. They next played a friendly game against Henry Kendall and again all girls gave it their all and played in the true spirit of the game. A big thank you to Katie Gallacher who did a great job as our umpire for the day and congratulations to the team for their great effort.



Team Photo

Front row –left to right- Sachi Lardner, India-sioux Fabig, Sophie Grcev, Mallika Aithala, Tara Harvey,

Back row- Katie Gallacher, Millie Matthews, Freya Green, Elsie Loadman, Vivienne Paduch, Isabella Rigatos

Ms Karen Blundell

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Open first Tuesday of the month:

8:15am – 9:30am

& the third Thursday of the month:

1:30pm-2:30pm

Co-ordinators Marg Martin & Chris Schaller
Please contact us if you would like to place an order

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Donations of washed good quality uniforms are most welcome and can be left at the school office
All proceeds go to the P&C for school improvement projects.

For second hand band blazers (buy & sell) please contact

Diane Turner: moogiet@optusnet.com.au

For new and preloved band polo shirts please contact

Kim Luong: kimmanlyband@gmail.com

REMINDER

WORKING BEE

Sunday 22 October

Bands of Manly Campus

Musicale 2017

Congratulations to our senior musicians for a wonderful concert at The Independent Theatre last Saturday afternoon. Featuring SWO, with performances by JO, SE and CO, it was an enormously entertaining afternoon of performances with some electrifying solos. Few members of the audience could believe the standard of this concert which was much higher than one would normally expect from high school students. The event is a bittersweet one where we marvel at the talent of our young musicians and departing band members. It gave us an opportunity to acknowledge the contribution the 26 Year 12s have made to the program and to enjoy an extraordinary selection of repertoire and a range of jazz classics. Thank you to Mark Brown for putting together such a varied and entertaining concert (including the full symphony finale), to Craig Driscoll for the outstanding jazz set, to Brian Buggy for his wonderful work with the String Ensemble, Liz Scott for her equally wonderful work with Chamber Orchestra and to Sarah Dowse, Elana Roseth, Angela Aguam, Anjali Rao and Michelle Mosahebi for their skilful organisation of the event. Thank you also to all the parents who yet again chipped in with help with the program design and copy, ushering, driving trucks and gear and generally supporting our amazing band program.



Intermediate Band Tour- Brief Update

Wind Ensemble and Big Band entertained a variety of small regional schools to and from Canberra and played at Duntroon Military Academy on their annual regional band tour, returning safely home yesterday evening. Manly Campus has received great praise and thanks from schools they visited. A full report will be included in the next issue.



Junior Band Tour (CB/SwB/SB)

Urgent attendance confirmation needed

Please contact your band liaisons by email ASAP if for some unavoidable reason your child cannot attend the tour to Foster from 27-30 November to enable us to book correct accommodation and coach/es.

Thank you to SB and SwB for their performance at the Year 12 Farwell yesterday.



SAVE THESE DATES!

Saturday 11 November Jazz Night Out Events **Dee Why**

With all jazz bands performing throughout the evening, this will again be a fabulous night of outstanding music and great food. Plan your tables now. Bookings will open from 16 October next term and tickets will sell fast.

Friday 17 November

Strings Soiree at Mosman Art Gallery.

A beautiful evening of music from String Ensemble and Chamber Orchestra. No bookings required but put this very special event in your diaries now and invite friends and families to do the same.

Tuesday 12 December

Freshwater Gym: Big Band Bash 'Christmas': All ensembles.

THANK YOU

Thank you to everyone in the band community for a Term Three full of music from start to finish commencing with nine festival gold awards from nine ensembles, continuing through to HSC support and culminating in outstanding concerts and tours in the final week of term.

We wish you all a very happy, safe holiday.
Rehearsals recommence Week One next term.

Band web site

For current information go to the band website at http://manlypandc.org.au/?page_id=34

Band Names

Wind Stream:

SWO~Symphonic Wind Orchestra; WE~Wind Ensemble; CB~Concert Band;
SE~String Ensemble; CO~Chamber Orchestra

Jazz Stream:

JO~Jazz Orchestra; BB~Big Band; SB~Stage Band;
SwB- Swing Band; JC- Jazz Combo



Term 4 Calendar

Please check all dates and times closer to the event

Week 1A	
10/10/2017	Year 11 Parent Information Evening
12/10/2017	ILP Showcase for Year 9
12/10/2017	Year 12 Parent Thank you to staff afternoon tea, 4-5:30pm
13/10/2017	School Spec rehearsals, Netball Central, Sydney Olympic Park, 9am-3pm
Week 2B	
16/10/2017-17/10/2017	SRC Camp, more details to come
20/10/2017	NBSC Student Leadership Day, SRC Executive to attend
Week 3A	
24/10/2017	Sculpture By the Sea - Years 9 and 11 Visual Arts, all day
25/10/2017	Principal's Tour, bookings essential via reception 9905 3982, 9:30am
25/10/2017	P&C Meeting, in the library, 7pm. All welcome
26/10/2017	Year 7 Vaccinations
28/10/2017-29/10/2017	Duke of Ed Bronze Hike, Option 2
Week 4B	
30/10/2017	School Spec rehearsals, Netball Central, Sydney Olympic Park 9am - 3pm
1/11/2017-10/11/2017	VALID - Year 8 Science Test, must be completed by all Year 8 students between the dates 1/11/17-10/11/17
2/11/2017	School Spec Rehearsals, Qudos Bank Arena
Week 5A	
6/11/2017	Band AGM and Term Four meeting, 8pm, library
8/11/2017	Zero Robotics Workshop 3, at Sydney University
8/11/2017	School Spec rehearsals, Netball Central, Sydney Olympic Park 9am - 3pm
10/11/2017	Write a book in a day Award Ceremony

Week 6B	
13/11/2017	Year 12 Graduation, at Freshwater Senior Campus, Hall, 4pm
15/11/2017-17/11/2017	Year 9 Camp
Week 7A	
22/11/2017-23/11/2017	School Spec Rehearsals, Qudos Bank Arena
24/11/2017-25/11/2017	School Spec Performance, Qudos Bank Arena
24/11/2017	TEAM Praxis A Expo
Week 8B	
27/11/2017-1/12/2017	Year 10 Work Experience, ABW
27/11/2017-30/11/2017	Junior Band Tour for CB, SwB and SB
29/11/2017	Principal's Tour, bookings essential via reception 9905 3982, 9:30am
29/11/2017	P&C Meeting, in the library, 7pm. All welcome
1/12/2017	Team Praxis B Expo
Week 9A	
5/12/2017	Year 7 2018 Orientation day
5/12/2017	Dance Showcase 7pm in the Performance Space
6/12/2017	Years 8 - 11 new students 2018 Orientation Day
6/12/2017	Dance Showcase 7pm Performance Space
7/12/2017	ChrisManly
Week 10B	
11/12/2017	Presentation Night
12/12/2017	Big Band Bash, at Freshwater
14/12/2017	Years 7-10 Activity Days TBC
15/12/2017-19/12/2017	Duke of Ed Gold Qualifying Hike, Mt Kosciuszko
15/12/2017	ATAR Morning Tea
15/12/2017	Last day of term for students
Week 11	
18/12/2017	Staff Development Day, Pupil free
19/12/2017	Staff Development Day, Pupil free