



The Weekly Pines

Manly Campus

Northern Beaches Secondary College

Academic Excellence ★ Personal Best ★ Giving Back to the Community



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Deputy Principal: Ms Kathy O'Sullivan

Acting Deputy Principal: Mr Jamie Kay

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From the Principal

Debating Update

Congratulations to Emily Hewitt-Park (Year 9) who has been selected to represent Northern Sydney in the Junior State Debating Championships, a competition for students from Years 9 and 10. The Year 9 debating team also deserves to be congratulated for coming fourth in the State, defeated by a Year 10 team from Crestwood High School on Monday.

Visual Arts Displays

Thank you to the P&C for purchasing the display boards that were installed in the Visual Arts corridor this week. It is wonderful to see the student's works on show. It is a credit to the impressive talent of our students, guided and supported by our Visual Arts teachers. Our aim is to have more student work on display throughout the school and we look forward to the ongoing support of our P&C in this and many other endeavours.



School Grounds

The school grounds look much tidier as a result of the efforts of parents and students who assisted with the Working Bee last Sunday. Thank you once again to Heather Sheldrick for her coordination and planning – we look forward to the passionfruit vine producing fruit in the near future. Thank you also to Nick, our General Assistant, who has built herb and vegetable gardens as well as planting strawberries in the vertical gardens.

Giving Back to Community

It is wonderful to hear that students are living our school ethos of giving back to community beyond school. Michaela Turancova graduated in 2013, gaining the impressive HSC accolades of an Art Express nomination as well as placing 1st in the State in Textiles.

With her passion for fashion design, she has set up a company with the profits going towards helping women in developing nations design and manufacture underwear. More details in the article featured in the online Australian Financial Review:
<http://www.afr.com/technology/michaela-turancova-21-wants-her-fashion-startup-wingal-to-help-women-out-of-poverty-20171008-gywuzz>

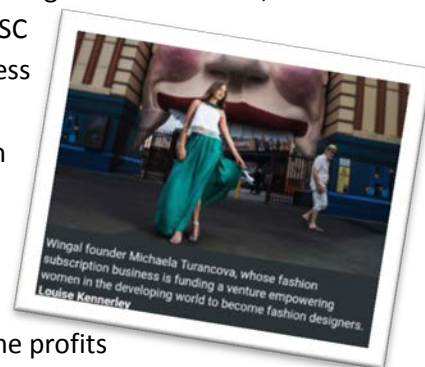


Photo from the AFR article

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From the Deputy Principals

Year 8

On Thursday Year 8 Technology students enjoyed cooking for their parents and guests for their Food Critic task. In this program students have to research, plan and prepare a café style meal and then host members of the community who are served the finished dish or product before evaluating what the students have done. This is a truly authentic learning experience where students are not simply following a prepared recipe but developing their own and applying it to a real world situation.

In speaking with some of our 'critics' as they left the school, they were certainly pleased to have given up a couple of hours of their time to be served with such delicious food products ranging from sticky date puddings to noodle and stir fry dishes. I was lucky enough to enjoy a delicious Thai Chicken Stir Fry cooked by Alexander Norris and Rishi Raju. Thank you to Ms Ellis and her classes for presenting this program.



Year 10

Throughout the year, Year 10 students have been giving up their own time to complete a minimum 20 hours of volunteering. Many students have gone well above this with a few completing over 100 hours throughout the year. Last Sunday Megan Moshovellis, Ripley Voeten and Gil Yaffe gave up their morning to help at the school P&C

working bee. This is just one example of the many activities Year 10 have been involved in.



Year 12

With the HSC examinations concluding on Wednesday 7 November it's almost time for Year 12 students to officially sign out of the school. Students are to collect a leavers form from the attendance officer and complete the sign out by Friday 10 November.

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

This week I had the pleasure of seeing yet another display of the fabulous talents of Manly Campus at the Year 9 Music performance. The ability of the students to confidently perform their pieces in front of a live audience with such elegance was a pleasure to watch. With a variety of instruments and musical styles on display, the audience was able to see the vast range of talents of our school. Congratulations to all the students who performed and a special thanks to Ms Naomi Leviton for organising this opportunity for the students and her ongoing support of the arts at Manly Campus.

Next week the talent of the students will again be on display with a number of girls from Years 7 to 10 finalising their dance rehearsals for the Schools Spectacular. The opportunity to perform in front of such a large audience is an opportunity the students relish, and would not be possible without the dedication of Ms Chloe Woodward.

At this week's Year Assembly, Year 11 were reminded about the benefits of working collaboratively in their HSC year. Through

supporting each other in their schooling, students not only further develop the capacity of others but also their own academic skills, whilst building the rapport within the cohort, developing their resilience and wellbeing.

Next week I will be returning to my role of Head Teacher HSIE. I would like to thank everyone for their support whilst in the position of Acting Deputy Principal. I have thoroughly enjoyed working closely with Years 7, 9 and 11 and getting to know the students and parents of these year groups a lot better. I would also like to wish Mr Alex Newcomb all the best as he commences his appointment as Deputy Principal here at Manly Campus next Tuesday.

Jamie Kay
Acting Deputy Principal - Years 7, 9 and 11

Year 7 Swim Program

The Year 7 swim program will commence next week. This will run for 7 weeks during Sport time each Wednesday. The first week will involve a theory based First Aid course at school. Students **will NOT** need their swimming attire. Further information about the swim program for the following weeks will be in The Weekly Pines next week.

Year 11 Parents Assistance needed!

It is a tradition at NBSC Manly Campus for Year 11 parents to serve a light supper, funded by the P&C, at the Year 12 graduation. This year's event is on Monday 13 November at Freshwater Campus.

Our task is to serve the food and drinks, and clean up afterwards. Up to 600 students, parents, and guests are expected to attend the function.

We need approximately 15 people to help at different times during the afternoon and early evening: help needed to deliver and transport items from 2pm on the day, some help to set up and make up the fruit punch from 3pm, following

to plate up and serve food and also helpers to clean up from 6:15pm.

Please contact Angela Aguam (Year 11 parent organiser) on angieaguam@yahoo.com or 0422 618 780 if you can help.

From the Archives

Again we revisit 1995. The SRC camp wasn't the only innovation for that year. The following is from the EPK Report.



EPK report

An environmental club was established early in first term. Its full name is Environmental Protection Keepers Club but it is usually referred to as the EPK. There are 139 members of this society which aims to 'green and clean' the school, raise awareness of a safe environment and plan environmental activities.

The EPK has already raised lots of money. In July they organised 'The Great Pasta Pigout'. There were over 40 contestants, including staff members, and the whole school turned out to watch the exciting event. This provided money to buy more outdoor seating for the school and trees which were planted near the top oval. The EPK also helped out at the Kids, Companies and Creeks stall at the Trade Waste Expo. This took place in August at Warringah Mall. 20 members of the EPK went and gave people information about recycling.

At the moment the EPK is organising a casino and auction night as well as the Great Dunk Event.

Excellence Fund

NBSC Manly Campus P & C Association

The Excellence Fund was established to encourage and recognise student participation at higher representative levels with financial assistance. The fund is administered and funded by the NBSC Manly Campus Parents and Citizens Association (P&C), which reserves absolute discretion in its decisions.

Guidelines

- 1) The Excellence Fund is open to applications from all students of Manly Campus.
 - 2) The student must have been selected to compete or perform at national or international level or higher in a school related academic, sporting or cultural activity as a representative of NBSC Manly Campus and /or Northern Beaches Secondary College.
 - 3) The maximum allocation from the fund is \$400 per student per annum.
 - 4) Applications for funding can be made at any time after official notification of selection / participation up to no later than 1 month after completion of the event.
 - 5) All applications must be made in writing, addressed to the P&C President and lodged with the school Principal.
 - 6) The application is to include :
 - details of the event / activity
 - adequate proof of the applicant's selection for this event / activity
- The Principal will review the application and provide a recommendation to the P&C Executive as to the applicant's suitability under the fund guidelines.
- The P&C Executive will consider all applications for funding received from the school Principal and advise the outcome at the next General Meeting of the P&C. The executive can approve applications to the budgeted limit without approval of the general meeting. Variations to the budget must be

approved by the general P&C. The decision of the P&C is final and no correspondence will be entered into.

All applicants will be advised in writing as to the P&C decision. All successful applicants are requested to provide to the P&C Secretary, within one month of completion of the activity, a brief summary of the event. This material may be used by the P&C in any reasonable way it sees fit.

All changes to these guidelines are to be submitted to a general meeting of the P&C for approval.

SECOND HAND UNIFORMS

LOCATED UNDER THE TAS BLOCK

Next open

Tuesday 7 November

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

margaret.martin@optusnet.com.au

christins@ozemail.com.au

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

Careers Matters

Careers Contact

Careers Adviser Ms Deb Rixon

Deborah.Rixon@det.nsw.edu.au



Year 12 Students applying for medicine

MedEntry will be conducting an intensive Medical Interview Training workshop in all major cities in Australia and New Zealand from November to January. The sessions are conducted by Doctors for Doctors-to-be and are specific to the university/course for which you are applying. Due to the popularity of this unique program, classes have already started to fill up. Places are strictly limited. Details at: <http://www.medentry.edu.au/>

Macquarie ConocoPhillips Science Experience

Macquarie University is hosting the Macquarie ConocoPhillips Science Experience in conjunction with National Indigenous Science Education Program (NISEP). The event is on Wednesday 10 - Friday 12 January 2018 registrations are open.

This event is for students who have a curious mind and a passion for science, technology, engineering and maths. Over 3 days, students entering Years 9 and 10 can participate in hands-on experiments, lectures, and activities that are both challenging and exciting. They will meet current Macquarie University students and world-class scientists while exploring real-world scientific challenges. Students will discover 3D printing and virtual reality during our science expo, participate in a chemistry and physics magic show, learn more about our solar system and the world beyond earth, explore the world of Indigenous science, and much more!

For more information contact Tristan Tulloch on 98501890 email Tristan.tulloch@mq.edu.au

Courses and Workshops for Students

Free ACE the HSC seminars for parents and students at Macquarie University

Macquarie University is hosting a series of free seminars for Year 11/12 students and/or parents (10am-12:30pm) on Sunday 12 November. Topics

include: Stress-Free HSC, HSC English presentation, exam/study strategies and parent information. Due to limited places, registration is essential. RSVP <https://hscintheholidays.com.au> or call 1300 677 336.

Free ACE the HSC seminars for parents and students at UTS

UTS is hosting a series of free seminars for Year 11/12 students and/or parents (10am-12:30pm) on Sunday 5 November. Topics include: Stress-Free HSC, HSC English presentation, exam/study strategies and parent information. Due to limited places, registration is essential. RSVP <https://hscintheholidays.com.au> or call 1300 677 336.

Explore backstage careers at NIDA

There's still time to apply to NIDA in non-acting courses which open pathways to employment in events, theatres and concerts. HSC school leavers are encouraged to apply for Bachelor of Fine Art courses in Costume, Design for Performance, Properties and Objects, Technical Theatre and Stage Management. Applications close 29 October. More information: <https://apply.nida.edu.au/>

Open Days

Last NSW Info Sessions for 2017

Do you dream of eating croissants in France? Walking the iconic halls of an American high school? Discovering beautiful Italy or Australia's cooler cousin, Canada? Come along to a Student Exchange Info Session to find out more about this once-in-a-lifetime experience! We'll be visiting Sydney in October. RSVP at WEP.ORG.AU or call 1300 884 733. Don't miss out.

Sydney Design School

Open Day Sat 4 November 10am-12pm

Love interiors? Come to our Open Day and explore a creative career in interior design and decoration. You'll get hands on building your own interiors mood board and find out everything you need to know about our accredited careers courses and flexible learning options. Join us on Saturday 4 November 10am -12pm 2/40 Oxley St, St Leonards. Register to online today <http://bit.ly/>

AIE Open Day Saturday 18 November

Discover the courses designed to get you started in game development, 3D animation and visual effects at the AIE Open Day on Saturday 18th November 2017. Sydney, Melbourne Canberra and Adelaide campuses will be opening their doors to visitors eager to find out about full-time and part-time courses starting in 2018. For more info head to <http://www.aie.edu.au/open> or call 1300 709 019

Year 12 Open Day: Free Air Experience Flights at Sydney Flight College

Becoming a commercial pilot is easier than you think, and at Sydney Flight College our Passion for Flying can get students in the air! We are proud to offer free air experience flights to the first ten Y12 students to register for our open day on Sunday 19th November 2017 at Bankstown. To register for a free flight visit <http://bit.ly/2xI2Weo> or phone 9709 8488 for more information.

Australian Careers Business College Open Days
ACBC Open Days on 4 November (Liverpool) and 11 November (Parramatta). This is a great opportunity for students to visit our campuses to discuss study & career options. 2018 EVET study options now available for students, online or classroom based delivery. Visit our website acbc.nsw.edu.au or call 9824 0000

Expos and Forums

HIA Trades Career Event

HIA Trades Career Event - The HIA Trades Career Event is for people who are interested in careers in the building industry and is supported by the NSW Department of Industry and department of Education. This free event allows students to gain further information on careers in the building industry, How do I become an apprentice? and more. Register at <https://www.trybooking.com/SFFO>

Scholarships

University Scholarships: Hospitality | Business | Design | Health

Torrens University Scholarships: Now is the best time to apply for scholarships for 2018. With opportunities available in every faculty and for all our school brands; Billy Blue College of Design, Media Design School, APM, William Blue College of Hospitality Management and Blue Mountains International Hotel Management School. View options, <http://www.torrens.edu.au/apply-online/scholarships>

Overseas Opportunities

Overseas Volunteer Experiences in Samoa For High School Students

Join likeminded students from Australia & the world this summer to get involved in meaningful, worthwhile and truly rewarding volunteer work in Samoa. Work with children in the local village of Fasito'o Tai to improve literacy, help with some renovation work on community centres, and enjoy traditional Samoan cultural activities. Visit www.projects-abroad.com.au or phone 1300132831 for details.

Jobs and Career Opportunities for Students

Apprenticeships and Traineeships now Available

The Apprentice Employment Network and its 23 member Group Training Organisations have over 1000 apprenticeships & traineeships on offer for school leavers. We are also running numerous pre apprenticeships courses giving school leavers a kick start they need for picking up a trade. Please call Jason Sultana at AEN NSW ACT on 0419466584 for more information.

Resources for Students – Free

The Department of Education and Training (DET) has produced the Beyond School study guide - the Guide is a digital resource for Year 10-12 students providing information about Australian Government assistance so they are able to make informed choices about their future studies. <http://studyassist.gov.au/sites/studyassist/beyond%20year%2012/pages/beyond%20school%20study%20guide>

New Courses

The GAP Project - Connect to your Journey

The GAP Project is a 6-month program for young people who is finishing school and want to discover themselves, engage meaningfully in society, and use their talents and passions to create change and be part of initiatives that have a positive social, cultural and environmental impact.

Learn more about 2018 program:

<https://www.gap-project.org.au>

NBSC Manly Campus Careers Website

www.manlyselectivecampuscareers.com

NBSC Manly Selective Careers

Important Information HSC/RoSA Post School Options Workplace Learning For Parents For Students

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NBSC - Manly Selective Campus Careers

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Bands of Manly Campus



**Information night for the tour to
Europe April 2019:**

Tuesday 14 November, 7pm Manly Campus

The band is pleased to announce that plans are underway for a senior wind and jazz tour to Europe, if enthusiasm is out there to make it happen.

All members and parents of wind and jazz families in current Years 8-10 are encouraged to come to this evening to hear what's on offer in this once-in-a-lifetime tour.

More information will soon be sent by email to wind and jazz band members in Years 8-10 (Years 10-12 in 2019) soon but the information night should not be missed if you can make it.

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

The Jazz Night is shaping up to be another amazing event. We have a full house with all but 2 tickets available now.

We are pleased to announce this year's guest performer is Dan Barnett, renowned Australian vocalist and trombonist. Dan has worked with some of the greats in Australian and world music such as James Morrison, INXS, Jack Johnson and Paul Kelly, and is sure to captivate the audience alongside our own fabulous jazz performers!

If you would like to be placed on a waiting list, please email to antjekaldor@yahoo.com.

Reminder: your child's performer meals MUST be booked by Tuesday 31 October

No food orders will be available on the night. Book these meals through
<https://www.trybooking.com/SMRH>

**Friday 17 November Strings Soiree
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.

**Band Meeting and AGM in band room
Monday 6 November 8pm**

Please consider joining the wonderful group of 20+ parents who make up the band committee. The band committee needs the involvement of parents from the Years 7-10 age groups as parents from senior years are moving on.

Helping with some of the tasks involved in band events is a very *rewarding and fun way* of being involved in your child's school, meeting other parents and getting to know your child's peers.

Most band committee members are working parents so there is no expectation that you are free mid-week. Meet one night per term.

There is a role for everyone. Some jobs are very short term and intensive, others require a small weekly input but on a regular basis. To find out more, please email band president, Elana Roseth elanaroseh@gmail.com or call the band manager, Sarah, on 0400 913 133.

Term Four Calendar

Community event

28 October - Manly Golf Club: **JC**

AGM and Term 4 Band Meeting

6 November- Band room, 8pm: **All welcome**

Jazz Night Out

Saturday 11 November – Events at Dee Why,
6:30pm: **SwB/SB/BB/JO**

Orchestral Workshop

Saturday 11 November 10:30am -12 midday –
Performance Space: **CO/SE**

Year 12 Graduation

Monday 13 November - Freshwater campus gym:
JO

Orchestral Soiree

Friday 17 November - Mosman Art Gallery: **CO/SE**

Junior Band Regional Tour

27 - 30 November : **CB/SB/SwB**

Year 7 Orientation Day

5 December- MSC Hall: **WE/SE**

Presentation Night

11 December - Freshwater Campus gym: **WE**

Big Band Bash # 2

12 December- Freshwater Campus gym: **All ensembles** except JO

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



HELPING LEARNER DRIVERS BECOME SAFER DRIVERS WORKSHOP

Wed 6 Dec, 6:30 – 8:30pm

This workshop aims to increase the confidence and knowledge of supervisors who oversee learner drivers. Supervising drivers will gain understanding of the log book, hours needed by their learner driver, and it will them gain more clarify and understanding of what they can do as a supervisor driver to help learners become safer and better drivers.

Northern Beaches Council Civic Centre
725 Pittwater Road, Dee Why
Bookings: 9942 2447 or
roadsafety@northernbeaches.nsw.gov.au

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Term 4 Calendar

Please check all dates and times closer to the event

Week 4B	
30/10/2017 -7/11/2017	HSC Examinations
30/10/2017	School Spec rehearsals, Netball Central, Sydney Olympic Park , 9am-3pm
31/10/2017	Department Of Education -"Arts Alive" Film Festival -Dendy Quays Theatre, all day
2/11/2017	School Spec Rehearsals
Week 5A	
6/11/2017	Band AGM and Term 4 meeting, in the Library, 8pm
8/11/2017	Zero Robotics Team, workshop 3, Sydney Uni for coding and strategy
8/11/2017	School Spec rehearsals, Netball Central, Sydney Olympic Park , 9am-3pm
9/11/2017 -10/11/2017	VALID - Yr 8 Science Test
9/11/2017	Year 11 History Extension Excursion - meet at the venue, all day
10/11/2017	Write a book in a day award ceremony
10/11/2017	Year 8 Visual Arts incursion -All day
10/11/2017	Ext 2 English University of Sydney Study Day, 9am-3pm
11/11/2017	Jazz night out DY RSL
Week 6B	
13/11/2017 -17/11/2017	Year 12 2017 Graduation
17/11/2017	Soirie - Strings at Mosman Art Gallery
17/11/2017	Set up Visual Arts exhibition
17/11/2017	Year 11 Geography Excursion

Week 7A	
20/11/2017 -24/11/2017	Visual Arts exhibition –hall Years 7-11
22/11/2017	School Spec Rehearsals
23/11/2017 -24/11/2017	School Spec Rehearsals, Qudos Bank Arena
24/11/2017	TEAM Praxis A Expo
25/11/2017	School Spec Performance, Qudos Bank Arena
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	P&C Meeting, in the Library, 7pm
1/12/2017	TEAM Praxis B Expo
Week 9A	
4/12/2017 -7/12/2017	The Virtual Reality Project Year10IST_Year8, TBC
5/12/2017	Year 7 2018 Orientation Day
5/12/2017 -6/12/2017	Dance Showcase 7pm Performance Space, 7pm
6/12/2017	New students: Years 8 - 11 2018 Orientation Day
7/12/2017	ChrisManly
Week 10B	
11/12/2017	Presentation Night, Years 7-11
12/12/2017	Big band bash, at Freshwater
14/12/2017	Yrs 7-10 Activity Days TBC
15/12/2017 -19/12/2017	Duke of Ed Gold Qualifying Hike, Kosciuszko
15/12/2017	ATAR Morning Tea
15/12/2017	Last day of term for students
Week 11A	
18/12/2017 -19/12/2017	Staff Development Days, Pupil free



Melinda Pavey
Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight

MEDIA RELEASE

14 September 2017

IMPORTANT LICENSING CHANGES ON THE WAY FOR YOUNG DRIVERS

Minister for Roads, Maritime and Freight Melinda Pavey has announced major improvements to the state's highly successful Graduated Licensing Scheme to ensure new drivers are safe drivers on our roads.

The NSW licensing system for young drivers is already one of the safest in the world and the changes that come into effect on 20 November 2017 are designed to improve the way the scheme prepares novice drivers - in particular young drivers – to be safe on the road.

"We know that the first six months of driving solo is the highest risk period for novice drivers so it's important we continue to look at ways to improve licensing of young drivers to ensure they get the training and experience they need to be safe on our roads," Mrs Pavey said.

"Young drivers continue to be over-represented in road crashes. P-platers make up 8 per cent of all driver licence holders, yet their crashes account for 15 per cent of all fatalities on NSW roads.

"Last year was a horror year for road crashes, with 100 fatalities and 1,684 serious injuries involving a 17-25 year old driver on NSW roads. It's vital we continue to adapt and improve our approach to reduce this tragic loss of life and serious injuries involving our young drivers."

The Graduated Licensing Scheme has been highly successful since it was first introduced on 1 July 2000. The scheme takes drivers from their learner licence to full licence with restrictions and conditions that are designed to ensure they build their skills and knowledge so they understand risks and are safer on the roads.

Since its introduction, there has been a 50 per cent reduction in the number of young drivers killed on NSW roads.

The changes to the Graduated Licensing Scheme mean:

- Learner drivers will have to complete the Hazard Perception Test before they can take the driving test;
- P1 drivers will no longer have to complete the Hazard Perception Test to get their P2 licence; and
- The Driver Qualification Test has been removed for P2 Drivers and in its place P2 drivers will have to stay on their licence for an extra 6 months if they receive a suspension for unsafe driving behaviour.

These changes come into effect from 20 November 2017.

Find out how the changes affect you or someone you know at www.rms.nsw.gov.au/licence

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