



THE WEEKLY PINES

Manly Selective 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: Ms Deb Rixon

3 February 2017 – Newsletter No 1

From the Acting Principal

A warm welcome to all new members of our school community and a big welcome back to our existing students and families. 2017 promises to be another wonderful year at Northern Beaches Secondary Campus Manly Selective Campus, commonly referred to by our students as MSC. On the last day of the 2016 school year we received the news that Tony Rudd had been appointed to Principal at Gosford High School. Although Tony will miss MSC, he will no doubt enjoy working a lot closer to home. We wish him all the best for the future and thank him sincerely for his leadership over the past four years. A farewell event will be organised for later in the term and details will be provided in the Weekly Pines.

All students have settled in well to the new school year and we are all looking forward to another exciting year of learning ahead. Our wonderful Year 10 Peer Support Leaders have assisted Year 7 students as they get to know the school and our enthusiastic School Orientation Guides have ensured new students in Years 8 – 11 feel like they belong from the first day. Year 8 – 10 students are busy experiencing their new timetables and classes, Year 11 students are enjoying their first taste of their new courses and the senior school and Year 12 students are already focused and working towards their next HSC assessments.

This weekly newsletter is a valuable form of communication used to celebrate success, provide information and give notice of upcoming events for students and parents. Open communication is valued and encouraged at all times, with Year

**This is the only issue of The Weekly Pines that will be printed and posted home.
Future copies will be emailed.**

We have enclosed a fee sheet as well as a copy of your child's emergency contact details. Please return this form even if there are no changes; cross a line through to indicate 'no changes'.

If you don't get an email copy of the newsletter in the future please contact the office.

Advisers the first point of contact for matters relating to specific students. We welcome Mr James Blanch (Year 7) and Mr Richard Crooks (Year 8 Assistant Adviser) joining the Wellbeing Team of Ms Amanda Tye (Year 8), Ms Fiona Brien (Year 9 and Relieving Head Teacher Welfare), Ms Lina Izosimova (Year 10), Ms Jen Walker (Year 11) and Ms Kate Munro (Year 12). Our school counsellor, Ms Deborah Campbell-Allen, is also available to provide additional support for our students when required, as is Mr David Martin, the District Guidance Officer who is based at Manly Selective Campus.

Staffing Changes

This year we warmly welcome new staff members to our school. Kerrie Lee joins the Mathematics faculty, Greg Purcell is a new member of the English faculty, Stephanie Foy is a new HSIE teacher and Wendy Monteleone joins our SASS team. We are confident you will enjoy belonging to such a wonderful school and encourage you to become involved in the many and varied school activities throughout the year. Last year we farewelled Julie Page, a passionate and enthusiastic History teacher, who transferred to Casino High School – our loss is their gain. We also wish Paul Quill, a legendary

member of the English faculty, a long and happy retirement – you will be missed.

Excellent HSC Success in 2016

We are extremely proud of the achievements of our Class of 2016. Their impressive HSC results and ATAR scores were a well-deserved result of their dedication and hard work. Thank you to all the wonderful teachers who encouraged and supported this outstanding year group to achieve 398 Individual Band 6 results between the 141 students. There were 26 students placed on the All Round Achievement List having achieved Band 6 in their top 10 units of study. Congratulations to Jack Bennett, Kristina Bergmark, Madeleine Bosler, Tim Brand, Josephine Bulman, Tom Butler, Robert Cantwell, Austin Davis, Ruby Divola, Theo Guichon, Brady Holland, Lily Hooper, Catherine Jung, Justine Kim, Connor Lambrou, Jack Mansell, Kristofer Martyn, Margot Mason, Sasha McCarthy, Zoe Naylor, Eleanor Roberts, Harrison Scott, Callum Sutton, Miho Takashiba, Daniel Watts and Elizabeth Webster. Callum Sutton achieved the top ATAR of 99.9.

In the Top Achievers list, Madeleine Bosler was third in Society and Culture, Jack Bennett was fourth in Chemistry and Koko Kawaura was fourth in Earth & Environmental Studies (studied at Mackellar Girls Campus). Nominations for HSC creative and performance items were awarded to Connor Lambrou and Kiera Baker for Drama, Riley Triesman, Catherine Zhang and Betty Wang for Visual Arts and Catherine Jung, Justine Kim, Connor Lambrou, Isabela Lawira-Fernandez and Alexander Young for Music 2/Music Extension. In General Mathematics, MSC was ranked first in the state with 75% of students gaining a Band 6 result.

Most importantly, our students were predominantly successful in gaining entry to their choice of course for study at university. Congratulations to those students who have received scholarships for their tertiary studies in 2017. The important lessons to be learnt from G16 are that consistent effort, working together to support each other and listening to advice are the keys to success.

School Contributions and Fees

Included in this mail out is the relevant fee sheet for your child. The financial support given by parents is crucial in maintaining the excellent curriculum programs and physical improvements to our school. The generous support of our P & C is much appreciated and provides opportunities for our students that may not otherwise exist.

Contributions to the tax deductible Public Library and Building Funds will be used for the much awaited Library extension and Hall upgrade planned for this year. Prompt payment of fees is appreciated. If there any financial problems, please advise me in writing.

Gratitude

I am presently reading *Daring Greatly* by Brene Brown and have been reminded of the importance of practising gratitude. This week I have been on a steep and enjoyable learning curve as I navigate my new role and am most grateful for the support, understanding and encouragement from the wonderful staff, students and members of our school community. What are you grateful for?

Enjoy your week.

Ms Cath Whalan
Acting Principal

From Mr Tony Rudd **Thank you & Best Wishes**

I would first of all like to express my most sincere thanks for the opportunity that I have had to serve as the Principal of Manly Selective Campus. I also apologise for the fact that I did not have the chance to speak to students and our parent community in person prior to my leaving. At the end of last year, the opportunity arose for me to apply for the Principal position at Gosford High School. I made a very late decision to go ahead with that application and was informed that my application, and the interview process I went through, was successful on the last day of school just as all students were leaving for the Christmas vacation.

I could not have wished for a better school as my initial appointment as a Principal. The students, staff and community were always welcoming, enthusiastic and completely dedicated to ensuring the best. While it was a pleasure to see students succeed academically, I believe that the real heart of the school came from the rich, diverse curriculum enrichment programs that provided us all with so many opportunities; opportunities through band programs, musicals, dance, drama, debating, vocal ensembles, tours, sport ... the list is seemingly endless. While it wasn't possible for me to attend all functions that our students participated in, the many that I did attend never failed to amaze me in the outstanding talents of our students across so many areas. I would hope that that culture of the school continues.

Of course, no school can be successful without the support of the parent community and at Manly, this is without doubt, a real highlight. Whether it be through formal means such as the P&C, those working in the canteen, volunteering for working bees, bands, musicals etc, or those that just turned up to support students or be the 'taxi' for various events, it was my absolute pleasure to welcome members of our community into the school. The support that students received at Manly was of the highest calibre and could not be taken for granted.

To the staff, thank you for all that you did to ensure that our students had the best of opportunity both inside and out of the classroom. Your dedication to your students ensured their success not only academically, but as wonderful young men and women who will move into the world beyond school as outstanding citizens. Your professionalism will be hard to be matched and your friendship valued.

Students, thank you for making each day a pleasure to be at school. Being able to get to know so many of you on a personal level was highly valued by me and something that I will long cherish. You are what makes Manly such a special school, and one with such a proud and strong tradition. Please ensure that the 'Manly Vibe' continues and never be afraid to ask questions of how you can further improve. You will all become part of a very special alumni; one that has given, and will continue to give, so much back to the school either through practical means or by reputation. Value that, and ensure that the 'Manly family' is something that future students aspire to become part of.

I will miss being part of the Manly Selective community but at the same time am very much looking forward to the challenges and rewards that will come with being the Principal of Gosford High. Already, I have been warmly welcomed by staff and students and see many similarities between our two schools. I am sure that I will enjoy my time here as much as I did at Manly. I do however hope that I can keep in contact with many of the friends I have made and I look forward to hearing of your continuing successes in the coming years.

Thank you again, and best wishes.

Mr Tony Rudd

P&C Meeting
Wednesday 8th February
7pm in the Library

From the Deputy Principals

Welcome back! I hope you had a wonderful holiday and have returned to school well rested and full of energy and enthusiasm. We have a number of new students that have joined us in Year 8 and 10. A warm welcome to you all. I hope you find success and a sense of belonging in our vibrant school community.

Congratulations to Year 12 students Dana Lanceman, Maya Yaffe, Samir Mosahebi Mohamadi, John Gaul and Rupert Canning for receiving the Dee Why RSL School Scholarship for 2017. Manly Campus had five of the 14 winners of this award. The organisers made mention of the students' achievement in academia, volunteering and community and school involvement.



Year 12 are continuing their studies towards the Higher School Certificate in October. With the Half Yearly examinations at the end of this term, students are encouraged to start planning time for regular revision and study whilst keeping abreast of their homework and assessment requirements.

The leadership shown by the Year 10 Peer Support leaders this week has been impressive. Their commitment to ensure Year 7 enjoyed a great first week at high school was evident in their interactions with the new students. They will continue to meet with Year 7 throughout the term.

Year 10 is an important year for students to further consolidate their learning and prepare for study in the senior school. The Year 10 Information evening for students and parents will be held on Wednesday 15 February starting at 6.30pm. This important event provides students and parents with information regarding ROSA (Record of School Achievement) assessment requirements and details of Year 10 programs at Manly Selective Campus. All students are expected to attend.

A Year 8 Information evening will be held on Tuesday 7 February at 6.30pm. Details regarding assessment schedules, wellbeing programs and strategies to support students with time-

management and organisational skills will be discussed. The session will be interactive, with activities designed for parents and students to work together to establish goals for 2017. I look forward to seeing you all there.

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

Welcome back to all students and staff. It has been a delight to see the smiling, rested faces of people as they have arrived this week. All students have settled in very well to the school routine, especially new students. Parents are reminded, especially those who are new to the school, that open communication is encouraged at all times. The first point of contact is our wonderful Year Advisers James Blanch (Year 7), Fiona Brien (Year 9) and Jen Walker (Year 11). The office staff is always very obliging in helping new students sort out transport, finance and paperwork issues, while other students and staff have been wonderful in answering the simple but often perplexing problems of a new environment. Please contact me through the normal school communication channels when required.

Each student should now have their own School Diary and Term 1 planner which will assist them in getting organised for the beginning of the year.

Cross Campus course classes for Year 11 will start Monday 6 February. We are fortunate to be able to offer such a broad curriculum for the benefit of our students by taking advantage of the extended offerings available from our College.

Wishing you all a fabulous 2017. Looking forward to seeing you at the relevant Parent Information Evenings.

Ms Deb Rixon
Acting Deputy Principal - Years 7/9/11

Parent Information Evening

Held in the School Hall at 6:30pm

Year 7	Monday 13 February
Year 8	Tuesday 7 February
Year 9	Thursday 16 February
Year 10	Wednesday 15 February
Year 11	Thursday 9 February

We look forward to seeing all students accompanied by a family member at this very important event.

Dance Ensembles

The Manly Selective Dance Ensembles offer training and performance opportunities to students from Years 7-12. We have both contemporary and jazz ensembles and cater to both beginner and advanced students.

Open audition for all students interested in joining the dance ensemble will be held next week.



Contemporary ensembles

Years 10, 11 and 12 – Tuesday 7 February, 7:45am in the Performance Space

Years 7, 8 and 9 – Wednesday 8 February, 7:45am in the Performance Space

Jazz ensemble – all years, Thursday 9 February, 3:30-4:45pm in the Performance Space

Students can collect an information note and an application form from the front office.

If you have any questions please contact me via email at chloe.woodward4@det.nsw.edu.au



I look forward to seeing you at the audition and starting another amazing year of dance!

Ms Woodward
Dance Teacher

Fencing



Fencing classes are held on:

Tuesdays and Thursdays 7:30 – 8:30am

The Fencing class is suitable for girls & boys of all ages.

Fencing teaches agility, coordination, speed and develops team work and self confidence, which are skills that can be transferred to any sport. Fencing is the “physical games of chess”.

Fencing Classes at MSC will introduce the weapon Sabre.

Through games, drills, footwork and fighting.

Classes: minimum 6 and maximum 14.

Term 1 dates:

Tuesdays	7 February	21 March
Thursdays	9 February	23 March

Cost:

\$145 – 7 weeks 1 session per week

All equipment that is needed will be provided.

Students should wear t-shirts, tracksuit pants & trainers

Please bring a drink to class.

Languages

BONJOUR – KONNICHIWA – CIAO !

Welcome to 2017!

Firstly, we would like to congratulate our fabulous 2016 HSC French, Japanese and Italian students for their wonderful results! BRAVO!

We are excited to announce that Year 7 students at Manly will now study both French and Japanese for the whole year! This will give students a great start in both languages and a better transition into their Year 8 language study.

NOUMEA – we are organising a one-week trip to Noumea for the September/October holidays this year. This opportunity is open to French students from Years 9 to 12. It may later be opened to others (Year 9 and above) so register your interest as soon as possible with Ms Eadie.

Remember... *“A different language is a different vision of life.”* Federico Fellini

Ms Dinah Eadie

Music

Calling all singers.....

There are two vocal groups at Manly. The vocal ensemble rehearses Friday lunch in room 132 and welcomes all new members, regardless of age or experience. The group sings a variety of works from Australian art choral works to contemporary pop and musical theatre. The vocal ensemble has toured the West Coast of America in 2013 and Spain and Paris in 2016. We are looking for new members to join our ensemble for a possible tour to Japan in January 2019.



‘Tides of Sound’ are selected members from the vocal ensemble, and they rehearse in room 132 on Monday lunch. To be a member of this ensemble, you must audition. The group specialises in a cappella repertoire.

School Musical

Manly has a proud musical tradition and this year we will be performing Andrew Lloyd Webber's 'Evita'. This is a very exciting choice as the rights for the show have only been released to schools in January. The show will run from the 20-24 of June. We need singers, dancers, musicians and backstage crew. Information on the show and how to audition can be found on the noticeboard outside the CAPA staffroom.

We have an exciting update for recently graduated Alexander Young. He has been awarded the Patricia Bell Grant to assist with his studies in a Bachelor of Music Performance at the Sydney Conservatorium of Music. This is a highly converted scholarship. Alexander will study with the head of vocal department, Maree Ryan. Congratulations Alex!

Bands of Manly Selective Campus

We trust you had a fabulous holiday and are looking forward to another exciting year of music making. To all new musicians and their families to MSC, welcome to the program. You will enjoy the quality, variety and excellence of our bands. The program is administered almost entirely by parent volunteers, and helping is a wonderful way to meet other parents and be involved in the school. Please be a part of our volunteering.



Auditions- all students

Auditions commenced Tuesday 31 January and finish Saturday 11 February. Dates and times were sent out to all students via parent emails in late January. If you have not received an audition time, please email Sally Matthews, parent volunteer coordinating the auditions, at paulsallymatthews@gmail.com.

For Year7 families: All Year 7 wind band and jazz auditions will be held in the band room near the canteen on Saturday 11 February. All Strings auditions will be held in the hall on Saturday 4 and Sun 5 February.

Please contact us if your child is interested in joining the program as it is not too late to join.

Rehearsals start dates

All start at 7.20am sharp. Students are required to set up and pack up the hall at each rehearsal.

If a morning class timetable clash occurs for a Year 11 or 12 student, please see Craig, Mark or email sarahdowse@gmail.com

Wind Bands

Symphonic Wind Orchestra	Fri 10/2	Hall
Wind Ensemble	Thu 16/2	Hall
Concert Band	Mon 13/2	Hall

Jazz bands

Big Band	Tues 14/2	Band room
Jazz Orchestra	Wed 8/2	Band room
Swing Band	Thu 16/2	Band room
Stage Band	Fri 17/2	Band room
Jazz Combo	Thurs 16/2- lunch	Band room

Strings

String Ensemble	Fri 17/2	Performance Space
Chamber Orchestra	Mon 20/2	Performance Space

Information night for new families to band and strings – Mon 13 Feb 8.00pm

All new families are encouraged to attend this brief meeting in the hall, following straight after the Year 7 information night. You will meet band director Craig Driscoll, be given valuable information and be able to ask questions about the program.

Band communication and calendar

Each week, important upcoming band dates are listed at the end of the band section of The Weekly Pines.

Once the bands have been finalised, the band liaisons will email contact lists and the complete band calendar to all band members. Email and The Weekly Pines are our primary form of communication.

If people are not receiving emails from the program, check your junk mail and contact your band liaison or our enrolments parent, Natalie Roberts, at natandgraham@optusnet.com.au. Please advise your band liaison immediately if your contact details change at any time throughout the year.

Years 7-10: Band Fundraiser, Saturday 4 February 2017

35 student and parent volunteers have kindly signed up to our first fundraiser of the year. They will be up very early to assist in the Fairfax Dee Why to Manly Fun Run with drinks stations, baggage collection and as course marshals. Many thanks to these generous volunteers and our event coordinator Angela Aguam.

Ensemble photos: 24 February and 2 March

Note ensembles in the diary dates below. Due to the very early timing of these photos, the junior bands (Concert and Swing Bands) will wear school summer uniform and not a band uniform. More details will be sent out via email.

Second Hand Band Blazers (for formal band uniform)

Those wishing to buy or sell a second-hand blazer, please contact parent Dianne Turner at moogiet@optusnet.com.au. We only have a small number of second hand blazers available at present. Parents of older students needing to upgrade to a larger size, please consider selling your smaller blazers for the incoming years 7-8.

New blazers can be ordered through Pickles.

Band Diary Dates

Term One

Information night for new band families – Monday 13 February 8.00pm in the hall.

Band Committee meeting – Monday 20 February 8.00pm in the library. New parents are welcome to come along, meet the committee members and get an insight into how the program is run.

MSC Open Day performances- Thursday 23 February 9 am- 11:15 am Ensembles TBA **Ensemble photos- CB and SwB- Friday 24 February at MSC**

Ensemble photos- all other groups- Thursday 2 March at MSC

Big Band Bash # 1- ALL ENSEMBLES- all families invited. Freshwater Gym- 6:45pm Tuesday 21 March. Date TBC by email asap.

Term Three

Wind and jazz band workshop (pupil free day)- Monday 17 July- at MSC (Compulsory)

NSW Band Festival- Saturday 22 July- SWO

NSW Band Festival- Sunday 23 July- CB/WE/SwB/SB/BB/JO

More Information

The Band Information Handbook 2017 is also a good source of information and will answer most of your questions. Go to http://manlypandc.org.au/?page_id=34 and follow the links to the band documentation page to download the Handbook. Other useful information, including BoMSC calendar, is also provided on our website. If you have any further questions about the band program, please contact Band President Sarah Dowse on sarahdowse@gmail.com.

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;

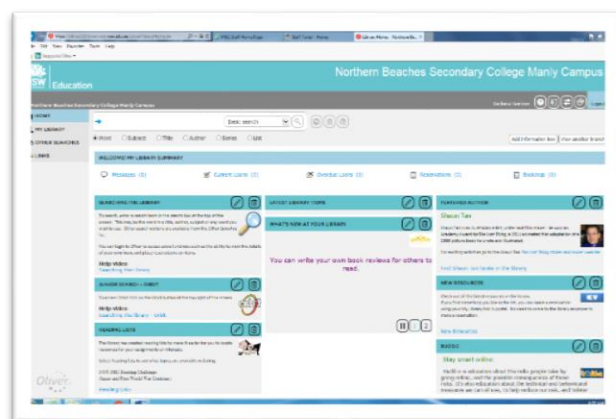
SE~String Ensemble; CO~Chamber Orchestra

Jazz Stream:

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

Library News

Oliver, a new Library Operating system has been installed into the Library by the Department of Education. Oliver is a windows based system which replaces OASIS used by all schools for the past 30 years. Oliver is accessible both at school and at home via the Student Portal.



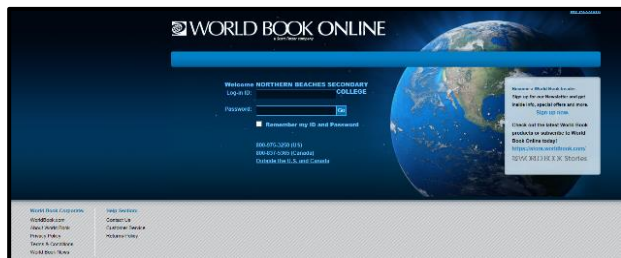
Oliver home page

Another new item for students is World Book Online a digital encyclopaedia for research. This database provides not only the World Book Encyclopaedia but associated journal articles, timelines on a large range of subjects and the provision for students to make their own timelines. The access to this is :-

GO TO: www.worldbookonline.com

LOG IN ID: msclib

PASSWORD: msclib




The Library is opened for student use before school from 8.30 and lunch time. Students are able to borrow books, use computers for study, word processing and printing. A print card can be purchased at the front office for \$5.00 which is then uploaded to the student's own account for printing.

The Library is opened for Senior Students for study periods all day plus Tuesday and Thursday afternoons until 5.30PM.

Barbara Harrison
Librarian

Vaccinations

**Health**
Northern Sydney
Local Health District

Northern Sydney Public Health Unit
Adolescent School Vaccination Program
Manly Selective Campus, NBSC
Vaccination Clinic Visits Schedule

Tuesday 28 March 2017
Year 7 girls & boys
Human Papillomavirus Vaccine (Dose 1)
Year 8 (Catch-up) Human Papillomavirus Vaccine

Thursday 25 May 2017
Year 7 girls & boys
Human Papillomavirus Vaccine (Dose 2)
Year 7 girls & boys Diphtheria-Tetanus-Pertussis

Thursday 26 October 2017
Year 7 girls & boys
Human Papillomavirus Vaccine (Dose 3)
Year 7 girls & boys Chicken Pox

Consent cards were sent home with students this week. Please complete and hand in to the Front Office by the end of week 5. If you would like to

withdraw your child from the school vaccination program, please inform the school in writing.

See Ms Kate Munro in the English Faculty for details.

Technology

Due to the rapidly changing nature of online technologies and the increased influence social media is having in the lives of our young people, teaching and nurturing digital citizenship is vital. We implement several programs here at school and consistently remind students of their rights and responsibilities online. This term we have asked digital experts Optus to come into the school and facilitate their Digital Thumbprint workshops in order to help our students navigate the unique set of challenges of the rapidly changing landscape of their online spaces.

The transition from Primary to Secondary school goes hand-in-hand with a significant increase in internet use, mobile phone access and membership uptake for social networking sites. This is an important time for students to understand why their personal information is valuable to businesses and other individuals, and how they can best act to secure it. Year 7 will be participating in the Digital Insight workshop on Wednesday 8 February where they will be learning how they can become more discerning internet users.



Years 8 and 9 will be taking part in the Digital Impact workshops (on 7 and 9 February respectively), focusing upon the impact students have on themselves and others, including how to help friends who may be facing anti-social activity.

Whilst students at this age are highly active online and forming distinct internet identities, they are still developing an understanding of what impact their behaviours can have on themselves and their friends. Through interactive discussion, this workshop focuses on creating a positive online identity, and being a responsible online user.

Equipping our young people with responsible digital citizenship skills – how to use technology safely and responsibly, and how to evaluate, manage and use the information and tools they find is an ongoing mission that requires schools and families to work together to ensure that we teach students to observe the same social rules and values that we expect in the offline world: obey the law, have respect for others, act civilly, sensibly and kindly. As Tiffany Sunday (author of *You Posted What!?*) notes “What we create online becomes part of our digital DNA, this in turns becomes part of our human DNA.” We are what we Tweet!

Fiona Brien
Relieving Head of Wellbeing

Canteen

Welcome back to the new school year. Our canteen provides fresh, nutritious and good-value food to students and staff at Manly with all profits being returned to the P&C for school improvement projects. Our canteen manager is Mel, supported by Brenda and Nat.

For the current canteen menu and prices please follow the link to the canteen page on the P&C website: http://manlypandc.org.au/?page_id=20

Our canteen is run by a sub-committee of the P&C. Canteen Committee meetings are generally held on the Tuesday of Week 5 each term, 7:30pm at the Dee Why Hotel. We welcome new members to discuss canteen ideas and issues and this would be a great way to assist the school if you are unable to volunteer during the day. Please speak to Mel if you are interested.

A big welcome to all our ongoing and new canteen volunteers for 2017. Thank you for volunteering, your contribution is greatly appreciated and we hope you will enjoy being a valuable part of our school life. We look forward to working with you this year. The Term 1 roster is attached to this edition of the Weekly Pines. The contact list has been emailed to volunteers and we ask that if you are not able to work on a particular shift please try to arrange a replacement/swap with another volunteer on the list. We will also continue to notify our volunteers of their upcoming shifts by

text message, so please make sure we have your up to date contact details. If you do not receive a reminder text please do still attend for your shift.

If you would like to find out more about volunteering for the canteen, please call Mel during school hours on 9939 7835 or download and return the Volunteer Form on the canteen page on the P&C website. No experience is necessary, Mel and Brenda will train you in everything you need to know. Canteen shifts start between 9.00 - 9.30am and generally finish between 2.00 - 2.30pm.

Kind regards, Amanda
amandanaylor@optusnet.com.au
0412 - 759 396

OPEN DAY Help needed

**Volunteers are needed to help serve
refreshments on Open Day
Thursday 23rd February**

**Please contact
Nada Zaina: zainana@gmail.com
if you are able to help**

SECOND HAND UNIFORMS

LOCATED UNDER THE TAS BLOCK

Next Open
Tuesday 7 February

Open first Tuesdays of the month
8.15-9.30am
& third Thursdays of the month
1.30-2.30pm

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

margaret.martin@optusnet.com.au
or 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 Dianne Turner on moogiet@optusnet.com.au and new and pre-loved band polo shirts

please contact Kim Luong on kimmanlyband@gmail.com

Fund criteria and application guidelines will be advertised at least every term in The Weekly Pines.

Guidelines

- 1) The Excellence Fund is open to applications from all students of Manly Selective 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 Manly Selective 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 next General Meeting of the P&C the outcome. 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.

NBSC Manly Selective Campus P&C Association Excellence Fund

Preface

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 Manly Selective Campus Parents and Citizens Association (P&C), which reserves absolute discretion in its decisions.

MANLY SELECTIVE OPEN DAY

Thursday February 23rd 9:30am-11:30am

P&C News

Get involved in 2017

Happy New Year!

Welcome to a new year to all MSC students and families, and we hope our new students are feeling at home already. The P&C is excited about the year ahead and encourage you to join us in making our school community vibrant and productive.

There are many ways that you can volunteer and below is an indication of who to contact. If you would like to be involved or desire more information please go to our school website <http://manlypandc.org.au>

Community Contacts

P&C Communication : Barbara Lynch m-0413 755 965

中文(普通話或廣東話)請联系 : Ms Ly Harn m-0410 505 808

日本語 : シェフツ丈子 Takeko Shefts m-0422 121 186

한국어 문의 : 써니(Sunny) m-0412650199

Our first P&C Meeting for the year will be held on Wednesday, 8 February 2017 at 7.00pm in the Library. Please attend the meeting to hear about what is going on at the school and meet other parents. Every small contribution you make to our school is highly valued and coming along is a great way to get to know our community.

Action today – Contact lists

The P&C contact database enables us to communicate with you, our parent community, and helps you contact each other! We ask for your support in providing your details promptly so that we can compile complete lists quickly, distribute them to all, and start the year in good shape. Please note, if two parent contacts are desired, both parents need to subscribe as individual entries. Please log on to <http://manlypandc.org.au/signup/> and register NOW.

We thank you and look forward to your continual support.

P&C Michael Jee President
email: mike.n.jee@gmail.com
Phone: 0498 498 798

Calendar Term 1

Please check all dates and times closer to the event

WEEK 3	
6/02/2017	School swimming carnival
7/02/2017	Chinese school visitors
7/02/2017	Year 8 Parent Information Evening, 6:30pm - Hall
8/02/2017	P&C meeting, 7pm - Library
8/02/2017	Principal's Tour of the school. Bookings essential via reception. Phone 9905 3982
8/02/2017	Duke of Ed. Bronze Information Evening, 5:30pm Freshwater Senior Campus
9/02/2017	Year 11 Information Evening, 6:30pm - Hall
9/02/2017	Duke of Ed Gold & Silver Information evening, 5:30pm Freshwater Senior Campus
WEEK 4	
13/02/2017	Band Parent Information Evening 8pm
13/02/2017	Year 7 Parent Night plus Elevate Education,
13/02/2017	High Resolves - Year 7
15/02/2017	Year 10 Parent Information Evening, 6:30pm - Hall
16/02/2017	Year 9 Information Evening, 6:30pm- Hall
WEEK 5	
20/02/2017	Term 1 Band Meeting in the library at 8pm
20/02/2017	Year 8 High Resolves
21/02/2017	Big band Bash TBC
23/02/2017	Open Day, 9:30am
23/02/2017	Year 11 VA excursion -Brett Whiteley Studio
24/02/2017	School Photos - individuals and groups
WEEK 6	
1/03/2017	New Parent Welcome Night
1/03/2017	Year 7 Disco, 6pm - Hall
2/03/2017	School photos - retake individuals and remainder of groups
2/03/2017	Year 8 & 9 Disco, 6pm - Hall
WEEK 7	
6/03/2017	Year 7 Camp
7/03/2017	Zone Swimming Carnival
7/03/2017	Year 7 Camp
8/03/2017	Year 7 Camp
8/03/2017	European History Tour Pre-Departure Evening, 6:30pm

9/03/2017	Selective Schools Placement Test
9/03/2017	Carnation Day
WEEK 8	
13/03/2017	Year 10 Geography & History Excursions
13/03/2017	Parent Coach Workshop 1, 6:30pm
14/03/2017	Parent Coach Workshop, 9am
15/03/2017	P&C meeting, 7pm - Library
15/03/2017	Principal's Tour of the school. Bookings essential via reception. Phone 9905 3982
16/03/2017	Worlds Greatest Shave
17/03/2017	Regional Swimming carnival
WEEK 9	
20/03/2017	Year 7 HSIE Excursion
20/03/2017	Parent Coach Workshop 2, 6:30pm
WEEK 10	
28/03/2017	Year 7 Vaccinations
2/04/2017	CHS Swimming
WEEK 11	
3/04/2017	CHS Swimming
4/04/2017	CHS Swimming

CAN YOU IMPROVISE?

CAN YOU PLAY A SOLO WITH A BAND?

BLUES? A JAZZ TUNE? A ROCK SONG?

How do you know what notes to play...?

Can you make up your own chords...?

What is horizontal Improvisation? Vertical Improvisation?



LEARN HOW TO IMPROVISE

Basics to Advanced in a Band @
Offbeat NBSC - Jazz Impro Program

There is nothing more liberating for a musician than improvising.
Improvisation is composition in real time!

Rehearsal Times ...
More information ...
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See what we do ... go to Facebook:

<http://www.nbsc.schools.nsw.edu.au/college-opportunities/nb-sc-jazz-improvisation-program>

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Scroll down to movie!

INFO & REGISTRATION 4.30PM Tue 7th Feb - for all NBSC Offbeat Bands

Parent Welfare

WORKSHOPS

MARCH 2017



As part of our welfare curriculum at Manly, we support our students with the skills to stay resilient and bounce back from challenges. We are pleased to provide programs to support our families too. Jacqui Pollock, a Leadership and Family Coach, runs workshops at school for our parents on how to stay resilient and calm as you coach your teen in the game of life.

Join this foundation workshop to connect as a community to raise our children to become respectful, independent, resourceful and happy in today's ever changing world.

LEARN ABOUT

- » The change in parent role through the teen years.
- » Improve your teen's growing Emotional Intelligence and reflect on your own skills too!
- » Foundation skills of being a Parent Coach : respect, listening, challenging conversations, making agreements, self-esteem, nurturing responsibility.
- » Become calmer and more confident in your response to challenges.
- » Plus meet other parents, spend the day at school, and order lunch from the canteen!

Thriving through the teen years is the foundation workshop and prerequisite for a series of deep dive short workshop classes that will run through 2017 including:

- » *Making agreements*
- » *Managing expectations*
- » *Listening skills*
- » *Parenting personalities*
- » *Resilience and Choices.*

THRIVING THROUGH THE TEEN YEARS WORKSHOP

DATES: TERM 1 2017

Daytime course: One day workshop:
Tuesday 14th March 9am-2:45pm

Evening course: Workshop split across two evenings:
Monday 13th and Monday 20th March 6:30pm – 8:45pm

COST:

\$145 per person, \$215 per couple.

WANT TO KNOW MORE?

For a short video and booking information click here :

<https://parentwelfaredaytimecourse.eventbrite.com.au>

<https://parentwelfareeveningcourse.eventbrite.com.au>

“A wonderful program with useful concepts and practical suggestions to becoming a parent who can better support their kids through life.”

Elisa, three children 12, 16, 18

“Thank you so much for a thought provoking and productive day. I thoroughly enjoyed it and feel excited that I have more resources to draw on to engage in a more positive and meaningful way with our kids.”

Ann Marie, two children 14, 17.

Jacqui Pollock
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MANLY SELECTIVE CAMPUS - CANTEEN ROSTER TERM 1, 2017
Version: 30 January 2017

Week	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
	Mel + Nat	Mel + Nat	Brenda + Nat	Mel + Brenda	Mel + Brenda
	30 January 2017	31 January 2017	1 February 2017	2 February 2017	3 February 2017
1	Lina Arshad June Li (Reserve) Jacky Tonin * (lunchtime)	Elise Lockwood * Marguerite Kraft * Helen Davies *	Samantha Lumsdaine * Deborah Miller	Nicole Harvey * Jane Ho * Lala Yu	Jennifer Jordan Gill Canning * (1/2) Sue Palmer
	6 February 2017	7 February 2017	8 February 2017	9 February 2017	10 February 2017
2	SWIMMING CARNIVAL	Tanith Carroll * Tina McMorrow-Dermody * Deborah Miller	Veronica Guadagnini * Anita Currie	Pauline Chui * Fiona Jones *	Penny Morrison (until 12.30) Kim Mackechnie * Mylene Mitchell
	13 February 2017	14 February 2017	15 February 2017	16 February 2017	17 February 2017
3	Sufi Soegimin * Kirsten Mizon * Margo Joyner (1/2 PM)	Sharon Heffernan * Karla Farrugia * Deborah Gilbert	Anna Gowan * Robyn Vaughan * Helen Benn	Amanda Naylor Elana Roseth * Evan Van Leeuwen (leave 1.30) Kristie Kha	Lisa McIntyre * Valerie Buono * Jillian Holt Jan Nuttal (start 11.45am)
	20 February 2017	21 February 2017	22 February 2017	23 February 2017	24 February 2017
4	Ann Collins * Pip Bakker * Corrina Hayes	Liz Carter * Jennifer Everett * Karen Brocklebank	Cecilia Wan Alice Gao Malika Fernando * Learne Jackson Jones	Melissa Havranek Jane Hudson * (extra shift) Christin Schaller (start 11am)	Allison Amos * Margaret Martin * Anja Agius
	27 February 2017	28 February 2017	1 March 2017	2 March 2017	3 March 2017
5	Jill Johnson Lisa Bow Ann-Charlott Paduch	Michelle Brown * Christine Campbell * Helen Watson	Kate Waddington * Kylie Freeman * Julia Chan Sri Rajagopal	Lala Yu Melissa Clarke * Rebecca Capell *	Hwei-Choo Son * Jennifer Jordan Jackie Wang (Reserve)
	6 March 2017	7 March 2017	8 March 2017	9 March 2017	10 March 2017
6	Anna Rushton * Michelle Hackney * Jacinta Keoghan *	Nicola Hartley (Reserve) Susan Gatherer * Deborah Miller	Stephanie Bridgland * Harriett Cunningham * Grace Wang Theresa Hodusun *	Amanda Naylor Deb Partos * Desiree McDonald *	Gaya Gottardi * Shweta Israni * Caretta Campbell Monique Pardav (Reserve)
	13 March 2017	14 March 2017	15 March 2017	16 March 2017	17 March 2017
7	Linda Davis * Lina Arshad Margo Joyner (1/2 PM) Julia Alston *	Julie Harvey * Karon Hutcheson * Yifen Axford *	Geoff Campbell * Kate Michell * Helen Benn	Mylene Mitchell Carolyn Deane * Marilyn Farquhar (Reserve) Jane Hudson *	Jillian Holt Meryl Campbell * Sue Palmer Bohdana Zajickova (Reserve)
	20 March 2017	21 March 2017	22 March 2017	23 March 2017	24 March 2017
8	Carolyn Bates * Iveta Horvathova * Chikiki Airey *	Emma Van Herk * Deborah Gilbert Susan Woodward * Karen Brocklebank	Diane Turner * Cecila Wan Alice Gao Helen Watson	Melissa Havranek Hij Yi * Christin Schaller (start 11am) Sharon Glanville *	Anja Agius Ellie Carew * Sue Lumb * Ali Razzaghipour (Reserve)
	27 March 2017	28 March 2017	29 March 2017	30 March 2017	31 March 2017
9	Tabitha Dearden * Jill Johnson Lisa Bow	Learne Jackson Jones Ballanda Sack (twice/year) Helen Dransfield * (1/2)	Yvonne McAllan * Joanne Thirlwall * Anita Currie Corrina Hayes	Jody Green * Kirrilee Wallace * Lyn Powe * Evan Van Leeuwen (leave 1.30)	Sharon Youde * Justine McKee * Nicole McLeod *
	3 April 2017	4 April 2017	5 April 2017	6 April 2017	7 April 2017
10	Annie Gaal * Dee-Ann Riddle * Ann-Charlott Paduch	Deborah Miller Caretta Campbell Kristie Kha	Catherine Yettis * Grace Wang Julia Chan Sri Rajagopal	Lala Yu Amanda Naylor Mylene Mitchell	Jennifer Jordan Corrina Hayes Jillian Holt

- Red names with * are once per term volunteers

- Black names are once per month volunteers

- Blue names are reserve volunteers that are used where roster vacancies appear

- Canteen: phone 9939 7835

- Roster updates: amandanaylor@optusnet.com.au

- Highlighted yellow: short staffed - need a volunteer