



The Weekly Pines

Northern Beaches Secondary College

Manly Campus



Academic Excellence ★ Personal Best ★ Giving Back to the Community

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Deputy Principals: Mr Alex Newcomb
Ms Marisa Carolan (relieving)

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From the Principal

Welcome Back

A very warm welcome to all members of our school community and particularly to our new students and families. Students have settled well into the new school year and are looking forward to another year at Manly.

The Year 7 Orientation program, coordinated by Alex Newcomb, Lucienne Herft and Lanneke Grace provided an opportunity for students to get to know each other, meet their teachers and ensure they can find their way around the school. I was impressed by the considerate and kind approach of G26 to their new school environment. The lessons learnt by the students as they adapt to change, will carry forwards in many situations across their lives. To help with the transition to high school, our Year 10 Peer Support Leaders gave up the last day of their holidays to assist Year 7 students as they participated in activities, getting to know our school.



Thank you also to our School Orientation Guides who are helping new students in Year 8 – 10 as they settle in.

Communication

The Weekly Pines newsletter is a vital form of communication used to celebrate success, provide information and give notice of upcoming events for students and parents. The email distribution list is drawn from information supplied to the school – if there has been a change of address or a new email address, please advise the school. This year, each term, the newsletter will be sent out fortnightly in weeks 2, 4, 6, 8 and 10 of term.

Families are also encouraged to download the school app – *School Enews*, as regular updates and reminders are sent through the school app, along with direct links to the website, canteen, absent note, make a payment, calendar and more. See information later in this newsletter on how to access the app.

Open communication is valued and encouraged at all times, with Year Advisers being the first point of contact for matters relating to specific students. We welcome Ms Lanneke Grace (Year 7 Adviser) joining the Wellbeing Team of Ms Lucienne Herft (Year 8 Adviser), Ms Josinta Chandra (Year 9 Adviser), Mr Branko Goykovic (Year 10 Adviser), Mr Richard Crooks (Year 11 Adviser) and Ms Chau Truong (Year 12 Adviser).

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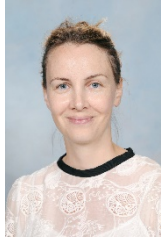
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Lanneke Grace
Year 7



Lucienne Herft
Year 8



Josinta Chandra
Year 9



Branko Goykovic
Year 10



Richard Crooks
Year 11



Chau Truong
Year 12

Our deputies, Mr Alex Newcomb and Ms Marisa Carolan having overarching responsibility for Year 7, 9, 11 and Year 8, 10, 12 respectively.

Our school counsellor, Ms Tanja Musik (Tuesday, Thursday and Friday) and Ms Melissa Moss (Monday and Wednesday), are also available to provide additional support for our students when required.

The office staff are available to help new students sort out transport, finance and paperwork issues.

In addition, our students and staff are always willing to assist when required.

Staffing Update

This year we warmly welcome new staff members to our school. Kayleigh Mast and Holly Bolton (Science) Kiyoka Kubo (Languages), Rachele Haigh (English) and Mel Larsen (Learning Support and HSIE).

We are confident you will enjoy belonging to such a wonderful school and encourage you to become involved in the many varied school activities throughout the year.

The SRC will be interviewing all new staff members over the coming weeks and these articles will feature in *The Weekly Pines*.

Building Update

During the holidays there was a lot of activity happening to enhance the facilities of the school.

Installation of the vertical green wall in the Quad. This was a student driven initiative funded by the

P&C. The vertical green wall is a celebration of our school's commitment to the environment and improved mental health during the extraordinary time of disruption and stress for our staff and students which was 2020. The vertical garden symbolises our school's resilience and belief that better times are ahead.



New lockers installed in the Maths and HSIE corridor.



New bench seats in the English corridor, which are near completion.



Uniform

The beginning of the school year is the best time to ensure that all students have appropriate uniform. The year has begun very well for nearly all students and random uniform checks will begin next week. Shoes should be black enclosed leather or vinyl (NOT canvas or sports style except on Wednesdays) and school shorts or pants should be grey (except on Wednesdays when sports uniform can be worn by students in Year 7-10). Thank you in anticipation for your assistance in ensuring our students show their respect for our school through wearing the correct school uniform.

Parent Information Evenings

Thank you to all the parents who attend the Year 7 Parent Information evening on Thursday this week. The support parents provide through taking an interest in the programs on offer is of great importance in motivating and encouraging our students. Parents were given an overview of the Year 7 programs and important information regarding assessment.

Year 8, 9, 10 and 11 will not be having parent information evenings, students will be given their assessment schedule booklets in Week 6.

A copy of each of the assessment booklets will also be available, after the students receive their hard copy, on the school website under the [Learning at our school tab in the School years section](#).

P&C Meeting

Our first P&C meeting of the year will be held on Wednesday 10 February at 7pm in the school library. Due to the guidelines on COVID-19 restrictions, the meeting will be limited to 30 people attending in person. Please RSVP via the link [P&C RSVP 10 Feb](#)

Alternatively, you can attend the meeting via zoom. Please register using the link [P&C via Zoom](#), for meeting details. Please note that the Zoom meeting ID will be different from the one used last year.

School Photos

School photos will be taken on Friday 19 February (main photo day) and Thursday 25 February (groups and remainder).

You can order your photos online now through www.advancedlife.com.au and enter the code: **KLN C7G JBL**

See flyer at the end of the newsletter for more details.

Young Citizen of the Year - Stephanie Evans

Hearty congratulations to Steph Evans (Year 12), who has been awarded the Northern Beaches Council Young Citizen of the Year for 2021.

Steph founded the charity *Seas of Change* in 2014 when she was just 10 years old. Her organisation aims to raise funds and awareness for marine life and their environment (dugongs, sea turtles, plastic pollution and climate change), with most of the charity's efforts focussed on education and youth empowerment.

Steph has been a guest speaker at multiple events and speaks at schools regularly. Steph now mentors young kids across Australia and globally, helping them develop solutions-focused projects to create a tangible change within their community for a wide range of environmental issues.

Steph received the honour at the Australian Day 2021 awards ceremony in late January.

Well done Steph – a bright future awaits you!



Congratulations to:

- Nina Harmstorf (Year 10), who won 3rd prize in the *Poetry in Action* Poetry Competition.
- Chun-Ta Wu (Year 10), who won the 14-15 age division, coming 3rd overall in the JNGJ Sydney Week of Golf, and finished in the top 16 in the match-play of the NSW Amateur Golf Championships.

- Olivia Forman (Year 11), who has been accepted into the Sydney Dance Company Youth Ensemble.
- Anna Birke (Year 12), who competed at the U19 National Australian Beach Volleyball Championships at Thompsons Beach in Cobram Victoria, winning the Bronze Medal with her partner. In the 1st NSW Junior Beach Volleyball Tournament Anna and her brother Felix (Year 8) both finished with a gold medal in the respective age group: Anna and partner in U18 girls, Felix and partner in U16 boys.

In this regular feature, we like to recognize students who have achieved highly in school and community events, competitions and activities. Demonstrations of the school ethos of academic excellence, personal best and giving back to the community deserve to be recognized. Parents are welcome to phone or email the school any achievements that we may not be aware of, for inclusion in *The Weekly Pines*.

Kathy O’Sullivan
Principal

Sport

Welcome back to 2021. It is great to be able to say that sport is going ahead. Sports organisers for this year include Mr Scott White and Ms Jen Walker. Please find below some general information about school sport.

Wednesday Sport

Students in Year 7-10 enjoyed their first round of recreational sports this week. Please note the following information for Wednesday sport

- Sport runs from 1pm – 2:30pm
- Students wear their sports uniform to school for the whole day
- Students participating in sport at school must remain on school grounds until 2:30pm
- Students traveling to an external venue may leave the venue at the end of the sport and make their own way home, however, written permission must be provided by parents.
- Students travelling to an external venue on a chartered bus must wear a face mask while travelling

- Medical and other appointments should not be made for students during sport time. If a student needs to leave school early on a Wednesday, this must be approved by a Deputy Principal by 9am on Wednesday morning

School Swimming Carnival

Friday 26 February at Manly Andrew Boy Charlton.

Detailed information will be sent out soon about the carnival, however, please note that due to the current COVID guidelines the following restrictions will be in place:

- All students must come to school by 9am for a school assembly and roll call. They will then be transported to and from the carnival via chartered buses. Students may not make their own way to and from the carnival
- Students and staff must wear face masks while travelling on the chartered bus
- Students must stay in the designated areas of the venue at all times
- Students will not be able to access the canteen and therefore will need to bring their own food for the day
- Parents and Spectators cannot attend the carnival.

School Cross Country

Friday 12 March. Local Abbott Road fields.
1:00pm-3:20pm

Detailed information will be sent out at a later date

Knockout Sport

Manly has entered a number of knockout teams into the Sydney North competition this year. Students should read the daily notices for messages about when the trials will be held for these teams.

Representative Sport

The trials for Sydney North teams have started this week and run regularly throughout the term. Students interested in attending a Sydney North trial can obtain information from the Sydney North Website. Permission notes and calendar of events can be found on the website:

<https://app.education.nsw.gov.au/sport/SydneyNorth>

Students must print and complete the permission notes for trials. These notes must be signed by a sports organiser and Principal before attending the trial.

Thank you. We look forward to a wonderful year of Sport.

Ms Walker and Mr White
PDHPE / Sports Organisers

Wellbeing

Year 12 are now fully engrossed within the HSC experience and it is often around this time that students start to take on an extra level of stress. I decided to reach out to some Manly Campus graduates, asking them to give the current cohort a piece of advice as they progress through the year

First up is Justine Kim. Justine graduated from Manly in 2016 and is about to graduate from the Ivy League School Cornell in New York, with a B. in Arts and Sciences (Major in Music and Communications). This is what she had to say to G21

“My advice for HSC students, especially those who are experiencing burnout or feel as though they are now going anywhere, is: Don’t feel like any of your efforts are going to waste. Even the smallest gains count towards the end. HSC outcomes are knife edge results. Everything you do will count”.



*Justine as ‘Kim’, the lead role
in the School Musical of 2015
‘Miss Saigon’*

EDiary

A reminder that students should have now logged onto their ‘My eDiary’, account, which parents also have access to, through the invite sent via email.

Ms Herft
HT Wellbeing

Parent Webinars and Links

Elevate Education, an organisation specialising in study skills seminars will be running two study skills sessions for Year 7 & Year 9 this Term (The Year 11 session will run later in the year). The presenters are successful and dynamic young people with highly relevant experience in academic achievement.

Topics

covered in the seminars include time management, beating procrastination, revision of class work, managing deadlines and effective study habits.

Last year during Covid Elevate Education trialled some parent webinars to help support students with their study. They have since developed a series of webinars for parents in 2021.

The first webinar called *How to Motivate Your Child* will be live at **6pm on 10 February**. Parents can [register here!](#)

Another helpful newsletter to sign up to for parents of gifted and high performing students is [Bright & Quirky](#). This is an organisation based out of the United States that runs professional development and supports families of our twice exceptional students.

Enrichment and Extra-curricular

The calendar for enrichment activities is starting to fill up again this year and students are encouraged to try a range of new experiences to extend and ignite their passions. All events will be advertised to students through the daily notices, calendar and through the Student Representative Council (SRC).

Ms Stuart
Relieving HT Secondary Studies

Manly Campus Parent Community Facebook Page

Parents new and old are invited to join the Manly Campus parent community Facebook page, a forum to foster Manly Campus community rapport, for comments and ideas, to ask questions and keep abreast of P&C meetings, school events and activities, etc. Use the link below or search for 'Manly Selective Campus Parents Community' on Facebook.

[Manly Campus Facebook Page](#)

Canteen News

Welcome to all our new families and welcome back to the continuers! The canteen is fully operational, serving breakfast, recess and lunch every day. As well as over the counter service we offer pre-orders for lunch via Flexischools and at recess.

Breakfast can be tricky with long commutes and early starts for many of our students, so we offer the following from 8-9am every day:

Raisin Toast \$2.00
Banana Bread \$3.50
Cheese Toastie \$2.00
Hash brown \$1.00
Milk Shakes \$3.00
Up'n'Go \$3.00
Yogurt \$3.00
Fresh Fruit \$1.00

We are going to trial **Sports Packs** on Wednesdays so students can grab and go when time is limited. These are pre-order via Flexischools only. We're starting with a simple Sushi and Water pack for \$5.00.

We rely on volunteers to keep our canteen running, so please sign up if you can help even for an occasional shift. We have plenty of vacancies to go around and no experience is necessary.

[Term 1, 2021 Canteen Roster](#)

If you have further suggestions on how to improve our service, please email us at:

manlycanteen2020@gmail.com

The Canteen Committee

Bus Changes

Temporary closure of Foley Street at Mona Vale Road from Wednesday 3 - 10 February 2021.

Due to the road works in Foley St below, the following school routes and 185/185X will be diverted 9am-4pm each day on weekdays Wednesday 3-10 February, and 7am to 1pm on Saturday 6 February.

The Bus Stop in Foley St will be closure during the road works. Check transport info website (trip planner) or Apps on these days for route information.

185/185X inbound(towards city), 651n/652n
outbound(from school in the PM)

As normal to Mona Vale Road, Left Ponderosa Pde, Left Jubilee Ave, right Warriewood Rd, TAT

185/185X outbound (towards Mona Vale)

As normal to Warriewood Rd, Left Jubilee Ave, right Ponderosa Pde, right Mona Vale Road, TAT

632n outbound (from school in the PM)

As normal to Waratah St, right Maxwell St, Left Parkland Rd, become Samuel St, become Ponderosa Pde, Left Jubilee Ave, right Warriewood Rd, TAT

664n outbound (from school in the PM)

As normal to Ponderosa Pde, right Mona Vale Road, TAT

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SRC Review

Club of the Month: Philosophy Club

When: Tuesday Lunchtime

Where: Room 140

What: Every week we'll discuss different problems or dilemmas, taking a philosophical approach to our responses and learning about branches of philosophy such as epistemology, ethics and metaphysics as we go.

Why it's so great: Aside from being loads of fun, philosophy engages your mind like no other subject will, by asking you to look deeply inside yourself to answer some of the most important questions in our lives: 'Why are we here?' and 'What does it mean to be human?' Engaging in philosophical enquiry and discourse also sets you up with some really cool, really useful soft skills, such as empathetic communication, logical/rational thinking and using powers of persuasion.

Welcome back to another year at Manly. Or for many of you, welcome to your first year here! Our emphasis this month is on bringing to light the variety of clubs, hobbies and niche interests that exist in our student body, and helping to connect our students with like-minded individuals, or just to try something new. In the works we have an exhibition night, an event to showcase the different societies and clubs, as well as where students can present short talks on their interests and passions. We really want to nurture the amazing diversity of interests, so if you are keen to get involved in any way, whether that's by making a suggestion or starting your own club, chat to one of your SRC reps. As always, our meetings are Friday lunch in the common room, so come join us.

In the table following we have the list of existing clubs for 2021 (so far), and the day/times that they are on. We really encourage everyone, both new and old students, to head over and see what they are all about. If you have a club not listed in the table, or an idea for one, let one of your SRC representatives know.

Maths	Thursday lunch - Rm 159
Debating	Tuesday lunch - Rm 137
Discussion Collective	Thursday lunch - Rm 210
Poetry	Tuesday lunch - Rm 139
Environment Committee	Wednesday recess - Rm 209
Art	Tuesday lunch - Rm 109
Philosophy	Tuesday lunch - Rm 140
Tech	Friday lunch - Rm 166
Paleontology	Thursday (A) recess - Rm 132
Hobby (Rocketry and Aviation)	Monday recess - Rm 152

The other teacher-run extra-curricular activities include dance, vocal ensemble, musical, crew, band, chess and SWAT, so keep an eye on the daily notices to learn how to become involved with them and any other amazing opportunities that pop up during the year.

The Vertical Garden

One of the amazing examples of successful initiatives, that was funded by the P&C are the beautiful vertical gardens installed in the quad. Built over the holidays, they were a lovely surprise to come back to on the first day. We would like to extend a huge thank you to the P&C and City Forest Green Walls for turning this idea into a reality. Some advantages of this new garden include:

- Improved air quality for the school community
- Improved temperature control (removing radiant heat) in a hot spot within the school
- Reflects school's commitment to the environment and goal of carbon neutrality
- Improved sense of community and wellbeing → improved mental health
- Complements the new colony of native bees installed near the TAS block
- Supporting a local Sydney based business

Staff Spotlight

For our new segment 'Staff Spotlight', we are going to be interviewing our new staff members for *The Weekly Pines*. This week we interviewed our newest addition to the HSIE staffroom (Geography) and Learning Support team, Ms Larsen.



1. How did you decide to get into teaching? And what have you been doing prior to teaching at Manly?

Prior to teaching at Manly I had various jobs that were usually interrupted by an extended trip overseas. In fact, immediately prior to teaching I was lucky enough to travel throughout Africa for 6 months. Becoming a geography teacher was a natural progression from this passion, and also a deep admiration for the profession and the difference it can make.

2. What do you love about Geography? And it's more than just about countries right?

Geography is such a dynamic and unique subject, looking at both the physical and social structure of the planet from the past, present and in to the future. It engages us with contemporary problems and issues using various skills and different spatial perspectives to allow new understandings and solutions to be found. Of course, learning where countries are on a map is great too.

3. Speaking of countries, which country would you like to visit the most after COVID-19 subsides? and why?

I have a nephew in The Netherlands that I have only met via zoom so that is at the top of my (very long) list of countries to visit.

4. How do you plan to engage students in Geography at Manly?

I think it is important to link the geography to the individual, which helps with understanding the relevance. I want students to "see the point" of geography and be inspired to ask their own questions. By gaining a sense of ownership of the topic, there should be more engagement and enthusiasm to learn.

5. You are one of Manly's learning advisors, what does that role entail?

The Learning Advisor is basically available for students that may benefit from a little extra support in regards to their studies. We work together to develop a range of strategies to assist in achieving the best educational outcomes.

6. What's something about you that people don't usually expect?

Oh, tough one. I am a National Artistic Skating Champion! (although I retired from my skating career at 12).

7. Finally, what advice would you give to the new Year 7 students who would have just completed their first ever week of high school?

Just to be yourself - you can't be anyone else but yourself. The only thing in the world you have control over is your actions, so do the best you can, and remember that curiosity is a wonderful thing. Keep asking questions. Also, use your diary - trust me, establishing good study habits early will help in your senior years.

Learn how to Improvise and take your music to another level.

Northern Beaches Secondary College offers an Improvisation Program (Music) like no other. Students learn how music works and how to improvise. They learn to make their own music - finding their 'voice' – by combining theoretical understanding and how to put it into practice.

Throughout the Improvisation Program @NBSC Music students learn about scales, modes and harmony and how to use these in various music styles (such as rock, jazz, blues, classic, and pop). They practice basic to advanced improvisation in a small band with individualised tuition.

If your child enjoys playing an instrument in a band setting and likes a challenge, then the Improvisation Program @NBSC Music is for you.

2021 Enrolments are now open

Visit the Northern Beaches Secondary College website, College Opportunities, for further information and to download the application form.

<https://nbsc.schools.nsw.gov.au/>

Improvisation Program @NBSC Music for more info contact: colin@brightmusic.net

Lost Property

We have an abundance of lost property from Term 4 2020. School clothing, shoes, pencil cases, swim gear, plain clothing, and sleeping bag.

The lost property will be displayed on tables undercover in the quad from Monday. Students are asked to please check the lost property by end of day next Wednesday, when all remaining items will be donated to charity.

Smaller items such as teeth retainers x 2, glasses, ear pods, watch, jewellery will be kept at the main office.

Attendance / Absent from School - Notification Procedure

You can report your child's absence from school either by phoning the school attendance office on 9905 3982 or by email directly to the school at nbscmanlys-h.school@det.nsw.edu.au or through the school app. Absences must be advised to the school by 9am.

Please note that an SMS only works as a direct response to the school absence / late notification sent to you. You cannot directly SMS the school to notify of your child's absence.

More information on attendance and absence procedures can be found on our school website.

The School App SchoolEnews

To download the NBSC Manly Campus School App, please go to the App store and search for **School Enews**. Once you have downloaded the **School Enews app**, click on the + and type in **NBSC Manly Campus**, then select done.

The App is a great way to keep connected with Manly Campus life.

Notifications, including event reminders, are sent out regularly through the app. The app provides direct links to the Manly home page, canteen information; including the volunteer roster link and flexischools, calendar events, newsletter, and information on the school website. In addition you can report a student absence in the *Absent Note* section and also *Make a Payment* through the app.

We encourage all families to download the App to have access to these facilities.

Please note: Make sure you have notifications switched on in the App for your applicable year/s. To do this go to the cog on the bottom right of the app next to the plus sign. Then switch the button to green next to your year/s and then select done on the top right of the App to save.

Term 1 Calendar

The school calendar is on the home page of the [NBSC Manly Campus Website](#)

Please check the dates closer to the event.

Week 3B	
8/02/2021	Musical Auditions
9/02/2021	Advancedlife photos of school and Captains TBC
9/02/2021	NBSC College Boys Basketball Trials, 5:15-6:30pm
10/02/2021-12/2/2021	Year 7 Camp to Morisset
10/02/2021	P&C meeting, 7pm in the library. Places limited please register.
10/02/2021	Year 11 photography excursion
10/02/2021	Duke of Ed Bronze Information Night, 6pm at Freshwater Senior Campus Gym
11/02/2021	Duke of Ed Silver and Gold Information Night, 5:30pm at Freshwater Senior Campus Theatre
Week 4A	
18/02/2021	NBSC College Boys Baseball Trials, 3:45-5pm
19/02/2021	School Photos
Week 5B	
23/02/2021	NBSC College Girls Softball Trials, 3:45-5pm
23/02/2021	NBSC College Girls Softball Trials, 3:45-5pm
24/02/2021	NBSC College Girls and Boys Hockey Trials, 3:45-5pm
25/02/2021	School photos - groups etc.
26/02/2021	School Swimming Carnival
Week 6A	
1/03/2021	Year 12 parent teacher night

SECOND HAND UNIFORM SHOP

The uniform shop will be open on the first Tuesday and third Thursday of the month from 8:15am-9:30am

Next open
Thursday 18 February
8:15am-9:30am

COVID safe practices in place, please adhere to the following:

- Check in with the QR code on arrival
- Wear a mask
- Stand 1.5 metres apart while waiting in line
- Only one parent/caregiver with their child are allowed in the uniform shop at a time.

Parents are encouraged to order online where possible.

You can place an order by email at manly2ndhanduniforms@gmail.com

Donations of washed good quality uniforms are most welcome and can be left at the school office.

Proceeds go to the P&C for school improvement projects.

For second hand band blazers (buy & sell) contact Sarah Cole at sarahcole24@gmail.com

Band news on the following page...



Welcome to Band 2021

We hope you have all had a relaxing break.

The band committee and directors are looking forward to the musical year ahead and wish to extend a warm welcome to everyone, especially our new families to band.

Auditions Week 1 and 2

This Sunday marks the end of over 250 individual auditions across seven days to place band and strings students in the twelve ensembles.

Thank you to the band directors Mark Brown, Craig Driscoll and Kathryn Crossing for the care and attention they have put into the auditions.

An especially big thank you to Mel Corner (mother of Josh in Year 11) for coordinating the auditions so smoothly.

Band lists will be posted on the band notice board near the canteen on Tuesday 9 February and will be circulated to parent emails mid next week.

All Year 7 wind and jazz students will be placed in Concert Band and should attend the first rehearsal on Monday 8 February.

Strings students will be placed in String Ensemble. (i.e. violins, cellos etc., not guitars)

Please refer to the rehearsal timetable and start dates on this page.

Changed your contact details since last year?

Band lists are separate to the school contact lists. They are used for event communication, organising car-pooling and more.

If you have changes to your preferred email address/es, mobile number/s or home address since 2020, please advise the band committee of

these changes this weekend via this link

<https://www.cognitofirms.com/BoMC1/ChangeOfDetails2021>

Most rehearsals commence next week

All rehearsals are 7:20 am – 8:50 am except for Jazz Combo, Junior Jazz Combo and Covers Band which are at lunchtimes.

Wind Bands- Hall		
Concert Band (ie junior)	Monday 8 February	Hall
Wind Ensemble (ie intermediate)	Thursday 11 February	Hall
Symphonic Wind Orchestra (ie senior)	Friday 12 February	Hall
Jazz bands/– Band Room near canteen		
Big Band (ie intermediate)	Tuesday 9 February	Band room
Jazz Orchestra (ie senior)	Wednesday 10 February	Band room
Swing Band (ie junior)	Thursday 11 February	Band room
Stage Band (ie intermediate)	Friday 12 February	Band room
Covers Band	Tuesday 16 February wk 4	Band Room
Junior Jazz Combo	Thursday 18 February wk 4	Band Room
Jazz Combo	Friday 12 February	Band Room
Strings (Performance Space)		
String Ensemble	Fri 12 February	Common room
Chamber Orchestra	Mon 8 February	Common room

NOTE: Rehearsal are always on, even on carnival and excursion days, unless you have been emailed by your band liaison to say otherwise.

Information night for all new families to band

The band is planning an information evening for new band parents. The event will need to be held in separate sessions of 30 people maximum for Covid-safety. Please look for emailed invitations with a required RSVP which will be sent out by Week 4.

Dee Why to Manly Fun Fundraiser

Saturday 6 February: Huge thank you to volunteers!

75 wonderful parents and students will be up bright and early tomorrow to volunteer for this event in roles such as course marshalling and drinks stations. It's an extraordinary effort.

The band committee wishes to thank the band families for so enthusiastically getting behind this valuable fundraising event. Thank you to the event coordinators, Mel Corner (mother of Josh) and Patti de Montfort (mother of Andrew and Kristina), for their coordination of our volunteers.

The volunteer T-shirts will be handed out at the stations. Please look out for emails this evening.

Mouthpiece return

Students who still have the band-owned mouthpiece they have had on loan must clean and return it to Craig in person in the band room. They are very valuable.

Selling your school blazer? Need a larger size?

You may be a graduated Year 12 student that wants to sell their blazer?

It may be time to get a larger blazer and sell your smaller one to the incoming students for 2021?

Please contact Sarah Cole at sarahcole24@gmail.com to sell or to add your name to the list to buy a second-hand blazer in 2021.

Invoicing

Band finances are processed through the school accounts. An invoice for Semester 1 fees will be issued by the school in Term 1 when band lists are finalised.

Term One

DY-Manly Band Fundraiser

Saturday 6 February from 5:30 am

Year 7 concert band and jazz auditions

Saturday 6 February, band room (enter via near staff car park)

Strings auditions

Sunday 7 February, hall

BAND NAMES

Wind Stream:

SWO-Symphonic Wind Orchestra; WE-Wind Ensemble; CB-Concert Band

Strings Stream:

SE-String Ensemble; CO-Chamber Orchestra

Jazz Stream:

JO-Jazz Orchestra; BB-Big Band; SB-Stage Band; JC-Jazz Combo; JJC-Junior Jazz Combo; Covers band-CVB

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SCHOOL PHOTOGRAPHS WILL BE TAKEN ON:

Friday 19 February 2021 and Thursday 25 February 2021

**ORDER NOW go to www.advancedlife.com.au and enter the code
KLN C7G JBL**

Dear Parents,

School photographs are scheduled to be taken by *advancedlife*. Whilst an envelope and flyer will be distributed shortly, if possible it is our preference that ordering be completed online to reduce administration and potential security issues related to the return of cash and envelopes on photo day.

Orders for packages and sibling photographs can be placed securely online at www.advancedlife.com.au using our school's unique **9 digit advancedorder code**. Portrait and group package orders are due by photography day.

Should you wish to purchase a sibling photograph online, the order must be placed no later than the day before photography day. Sibling photographs will only be taken if an order has been placed.

Should you have any queries concerning school photographs or online ordering, please contact us at www.advancedlife.com.au/contact

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Northern Beaches
SECONDARY COLLEGE
INNOVATION • EXCELLENCE • CHOICE



The Duke of Edinburgh's International Award, Australia

BRONZE INFORMATION NIGHT 2021

Offered to Year 9 students across the
College in 2021, 6.00pm
Wednesday, February 10th
NBSC Freshwater Senior Campus,
Gymnasium

SILVER & GOLD INFORMATION NIGHT 2021

5.30pm, Thursday February 11th
NBSC Freshwater Senior Campus
Performance Theatre

More Information? Please visit
bit.ly/3pHoZsu or scan the QR Code



SCAN ME

Improvisation Program @NBSC Music

Information Night
Friday 12th February, 3:45 - 5:00PM
NBSC Freshwater Senior Campus
Performance Theatre

LEARN HOW TO IMPROVISE **and take your music to another level.**

Northern Beaches Secondary College offers an Improvisation Program (Music) like no other. Students learn how music works and how to improvise. They learn to make their own music - finding their 'voice' – by combining theoretical understanding and how to put it into practice.

Throughout the Improvisation Program @NBSC Music students learn about scales, modes and harmony and how to use these in various music styles (such as rock, jazz, blues, classic, pop). They practice basic to advanced improvisation in a small band with individualised tuition.

If your child enjoys playing an instrument in a band setting and likes a challenge, then the Improvisation Program @NBSC Music is for you!

2021 ENROLMENTS ARE NOW OPEN

Please visit bit.ly/nbscmusic to find the Northern Beaches Secondary College website for further information and to download the application form.

You can also scan our QR code:



OPEN BOYS BASEBALL

COLLEGE KNOCKOUT TEAM TRIALS



DATE:
THURSDAY
18 FEB 2021

TIME:
3:45 - 5:00pm

LOCATION:
NBSC FRESHWATER
SENIOR CAMPUS OVAL

REGISTER VIA QR CODE:



TEACHER/COACH: KRISTIE CRAWFORD (NBSC)



OPEN BOYS BASKETBALL

COLLEGE KNOCKOUT TEAM TRIALS



DATE:
TUESDAY
9 FEB 2021

TIME:
5:15 - 6:30pm

LOCATION:
NBSC FRESHWATER
SENIOR CAMPUS GYM

REGISTER VIA QR CODE:



TEACHER/COACH: JON HANNA (NBSC CROMER CAMPUS)



OPEN BOYS HOCKEY

COLLEGE KNOCKOUT TEAM TRIALS

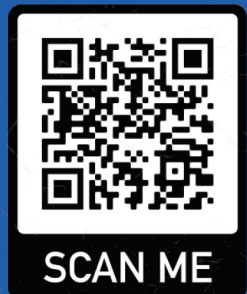


DATE:
WEDNESDAY
24 FEB 2021

TIME:
3:45 - 5:00pm

LOCATION:
NBSC FRESHWATER
SENIOR CAMPUS OVAL

REGISTER VIA QR CODE:



SCAN ME

TEACHER/COACH: SUSAN SAUNDERS (NBSC FRESHWATER SENIOR CAMPUS)



OPEN GIRLS HOCKEY

COLLEGE KNOCKOUT TEAM TRIALS



DATE:
WEDNESDAY
24 FEB 2021

TIME:
3:45 - 5:00pm

LOCATION:
NBSC FRESHWATER
SENIOR CAMPUS OVAL

REGISTER VIA QR CODE:



SCAN ME

TEACHER/COACH: SUSAN SAUNDERS (NBSC FRESHWATER SENIOR CAMPUS)



OPEN GIRLS SOFTBALL

COLLEGE KNOCKOUT TEAM TRIALS



DATE:
TUESDAY
23 FEB 2021

TIME:
3:45 - 5:00pm

LOCATION:
NBSC FRESHWATER
SENIOR CAMPUS OVAL

REGISTER VIA QR CODE:



SCAN ME

TEACHER/COACH: KRISTIE CRAWFORD (NBSC)

