Ms Janes is on long service leave for term 4 and will return for term 1 next year. Please feel welcome to contact Mr Blake who will be acting as Carers Advisor for Ms Janes this term.

To contact Mr Blake please come to Careers office in SRC, call 9414 4310 or email dblake@stpiusx.nsw.edu.au

➢ UNIVERSITIES

Visit Notre Dame at Twilight!
Busy from 9-5? Come and visit Notre Dame during the evening!
Following the HSC exams, we understand that some of your students (and their parents!) may still be searching for the right place to study. The Prospective Students Office will remain open until 7:00pm on Tuesday 18, Wednesday 19 and Thursday 20 November 2014, to assist anyone unable to get to the university during normal business hours. We will be available to help with any questions you may have regarding tertiary study options, admissions information and campus tours. Bookings for consultations and campus tours are available now at www.nd.edu.au/events/2014/still-time-twilight2, or contact us on 02 8204 4404 or sydney@nd.edu.au.

Scholarships
If any of your students are applying or have accepted an offer at Notre Dame please encourage them to apply to the Academic Merit Scholarship for Commencing Students before 31 December 2014. This scholarship is open to all applicants seeking to enrol in an undergraduate or postgraduate degree. Students who receive an Academic Merit Scholarship are entitled to fee remission on tuition fees for one year full-time equivalent of a single degree program.

Upcoming Events

UNSW Parent Information Guide

UNSW: Minerals Summer School
Mon 19th January – Thu 22nd January
Applications close Fri 17th October
Students in Year 10 or 11 who are interested in science or engineering can take part in this four day residential summer school. Students will learn about study, careers, lifestyles and opportunities in the Australian minerals industry.
Contact: mining@unsw.edu.au
http://www.engineering.unsw.edu.au/mining-engineering/unsw-minerals-summer-school
**UTS Engineering Bonus Points 2015**

Questionnaire closes Fri 28th November  

Engineering’s Year 12 Bonus Points Questionnaire could give students bonus points towards their application to a UTS engineering degree. Early round offers will also be made on the basis of this questionnaire.

http://www.uts.edu.au/future-students/engineering/essential-information/year-12-bonus-scheme-questionnaire

**The University of Sydney Science Experience**

Wed 14th January – Fri 16th January  

Get a greater understanding of the reality behind a lot of popular forensic television shows through hands-on lectures and presentations. Students perform tasks such as blood typing, DNA analysis, identifying fibres from a crime scene, cleaning a digital photograph and undertaking fingerprint analysis to collect evidence against six suspects.  

For students about to begin year 10 or 11  

Contact Jessica Morris: (02) 9114 0825 or science.alliance@sydney.edu.au  


**UTS Discover Architecture Summer School**

Applications close Mon 5th January  

Summer school runs from Mon 12th January – Thu 22nd January, UTS School of Architecture, 702-730 Harris Street, Ultimo  

The UTS Discover Architecture Summer School is aimed at students who are considering a career in architecture.  

Students will get to explore the Sydney CBD, make models and drawings using advanced digital equipment, meet and work with architects working at a variety of levels, and more. The course costs $599 and does not cover day-to-day costs such as meals, flights or accommodation.  

Contact: Joanne Kinniburgh on 02 9514 884 or Joanne.Kinniburgh@uts.edu.au  

http://www.utsarchitecture.net/discoverarchitecture/

**Southern Cross University Main Round Scholarships**

Applications close Sat 20th December  

Southern Cross University offers a range of scholarships to undergraduate students commencing study in 2014. Applicants can apply online and will be considered for all scholarships that they are eligible for.


**UNSW High School Physics Competition**

Paper submissions open on Fri 21st November with the Student Experiment Symposium to be held on Fri 12th December.  

High school students from years 7 – 11 across Australia are invited to investigate a physical phenomenon of their choosing and report their findings to the UNSW Student Experiment Symposium. A maximum of five students are allowed to participate per paper submission.

https://www.physics.unsw.edu.au/high-school/experiment-competition
Consider an exciting Career in Commercial Cookery at Sydney TAFE
Do you have a flair for food and entertaining? Would you like to work in a fast-paced industry? Do you have plenty of energy, self-motivation and organisational skills? Sydney TAFE Commercial Cookery prepares you for an exciting career with opportunities within hotels, restaurants, cafes and catering.
Graduate with Commercial Cookery Certificate III, part-time or full-time from Sydney TAFE, and you could be working in the industry during your course or at the end of your course as a chef. Not only do our teachers know the latest industry standards and practices, they know employers in the industry. The networks you make with the help of your teachers at Sydney TAFE can set you up for a great hospitality career ahead.
For more detailed information on 12161 - Hospitality Commercial Cookery Certificate III please contact:
Head Teacher Fiona McLean 9217 5544 fiona.mclean@tafensw.edu.au
Head Teacher Scott Wilson 9217 5538 scott.wilson@tafensw.edu.au
Teacher Patrick Southon 9217 5583 patrick.southon@tafensw.edu.au

Northern Sydney TAFE
- New TVET Stage 1 Human Services class opening on a Wednesday 4-8PM ....very attractive to your ATAR students who have a clash on a Tuesday.
  2 units year 11, 4 units year 12, 6 units in total 2 units contribute to the ATAR and the optional HSC exam.
- Attached Certificate 3 in Fitness Pathway for our TVET Cert 3 and post school students.
- Taste of TAFE ....currently we have 63 years 9 and 10 students enjoying our one day a week TAFE courses....love any feedback you might receive.

All Meadowbank TVET courses have vacancies for 2015
2015 TVET Course information is on SharePoint.
http://sp.nsi.det.nsw.edu.au/1477/tvet/College%20Course%20Offerings/Forms/AllItems.aspx
- TVET 2015 Applications due now. Please email or fax to 99423021
- Term 4 ends week beginning November 23
  Students must be 15 yrs of age at the time of enrolment for a TAFE course

Some 2015 Dates for the Diary.
- NEW 2015 TVET Tuesday Enrolments, Tuesday February 3, 2015
- Monday classes will enrol in their first class Monday February 2
- Wednesday classes will enrol in their first class Wednesday February 4
  All Continuing students will go straight to their class week beginning Monday February 3 except Hairdressing continuing....Feb 10.

Career Advisers Meeting from October 27....everything you may have missed is at this site: School Partnerships & TVET Program Sharepoint:

Mr D Blake - Acting Careers Adviser