FAREWELL TO MARIAN MATTHEWS

Our Deputy Principal Mrs. Marian Matthews has decided to retire after a long and very distinguished career in education. She has taught with the Department for 36 years with 16 of those years at Kirrawee High School.

An expert teacher, administrator and leader she is highly regarded and respected by students, parents and colleagues for her teaching expertise, intellect, integrity, compassion and welfare expertise. What has marked her work at Kirrawee High School as Deputy Principal and Head Teacher Welfare is her unwavering belief in the importance of the role and her deep and lasting commitment to the interests of her students. Her English classes have always been places where powerful, learning environments are created with students quickly realising it was no use resisting Mrs. Matthews drive to have them achieve their personal best and that not understanding a concept, a process or English convention was simply not an option. Her students are inspired because of her teaching and her never ending faith in them to achieve something educationally meaningful. They believe it has been a privilege to have been taught by her.

Mrs. Matthews has always recognised the importance of assisting individual students since her first day at Kirrawee High School 16 years ago. She always makes the time to give meaningful one on one feedback to those who ask for help whether it be by way of reading draft essays, proofing speeches, creating study plans, applying for scholarships and special programs, university early entry or just putting the student in touch with the right school resource for their circumstances.

Her outstanding knowledge and passion for the works of Jane Austen is recognised by all as placing her among the top education experts in the country and her period dress up days for focused study days are legendary. Equally so are her abilities and commitment to student public speaking and debating. Through mentoring, coaching, adjudicating, organising and conducting local, regional and state competitions she has again been nothing short of inspirational.

Her expertise and interest in student welfare has underpinned her career as a teacher, Head Teacher and Deputy Principal with many of our students, parents and staff indebted to her for her compassion, understanding, confidentiality, ability to give good practical advice and the rare skill to find a positive way forward for people even when it may be the most dire of circumstances.

She has reminded us all of the importance of the work we do in education and the responsibilities we have towards our students. It goes without saying that she will be missed.

On behalf of all in our school community, both present and past, I wish her all the best for the next phase of her life and thank her for the sheer hard work and brilliant outcomes she has achieved for the Kirrawee High School community.
INDICATORS FOR A GOOD HSC RESULT

What would be the outward signs that your child was making excellent progress in their HSC year? Here is a list of good signs. Your son or daughter:

- would be aware of all the assessment requirements remaining for the year – the number of tasks left in each subject, their weighting, the type of task, and their approximate timing.
- would be spending at least 2 hours per night and more time at the weekend on school tasks – homework, assignments, study for tests, reviewing class work, reading and research.
- would be well-organised at home – notes filed and easy to locate, an established study space, texts and resources stored neatly.
- will already be finding time to prepare summaries and overviews of completed topics and work units in a range of subjects.
- will be using available school time (study periods) to complete school-related work.
- will be working on school tasks and studying during their holiday breaks.
- will begin at-home assignments, assessment tasks and exam preparation well before the due dates.
- will miss few school days or lessons, and will be fully engaged in all classes. Class time is seen as paramount.
- will seek assistance from the teacher readily – will see the teacher as the most important available resource.
- will use school and public libraries and other facilities to study and prepare for assessments and exams.
- will be keeping part-time work each week in Term 3 to a minimum.
- will have a healthy lifestyle, which balances school, part-time work, relationships, and social and recreational demands. But school will be a real priority.

If your son or daughter is not exhibiting many of these signs it is not too late to improve the expectation of a good HSC result but they will need to urgently implement action to change their approach before Term 3 commences.

STUDENT REPORTS – ADVICE FOR YEAR 12 STUDENTS AND PARENTS

Here is some advice and discussion points for Year 12 students and parents when they are reading reports. In fact parents could modify this information for use with a student in any year.

What can you learn from your report?
The most important function of a report is what you will do with the information it contains.

If you are happy with it, there will still be subjects or areas for improvement. If you are not happy, then your report tells you the areas you need to work on!

It's not the end
If you are disappointed with the results as compared to what you expected in your report, this doesn’t mean that your future is dashed and you have missed out on the final mark or ATAR that you want. This isn’t the end, but it tells you that now you need to buckle down and implement some strategies to improve for the Trial HSC in Term 3 and the HSC in Term 4.

Learning from you mistakes
Don’t make the same mistakes again. Learn from your errors! If you get a result that can be improved upon, you need to learn from this. Take positive action to rectify mistakes as soon as possible. Make it a priority.

1. Think sensibly about it! Remain calm, don’t get unrealistically concerned, and begin to think.
   Think about how this is an opportunity. Use the report to your advantage.

2. Find out where you went wrong. Take the time to read your report closely. Read your teachers’ comments very carefully. They will often indicate what you need to do to improve.

3. Seek expert advice from your teacher. If you ask your teacher what you can do to improve, they will be impressed with your commitment. Take your assessment tasks to your teacher and find out exactly where you went wrong.
   Ask what answers the markers are looking for.

4. Acquire the knowledge. If you didn’t do as well as expected, odds are that you didn’t have the knowledge you needed. You now need to get that knowledge. Figure out the areas or topics of weakness for you, and practise in these areas. Don’t stop practising until you have mastered the topic and you know what is expected of you. Go back to your text or do some additional research to develop your knowledge.
5. **Make your changes as soon as possible.** After you discover what you need to do to improve, go away and make the changes advised by the teacher. Re-do your essay or exam paper and seek feedback on the improvements you have made from your teacher. Do multiple practice essays or questions and seek feedback. If your teacher says you are improving, then you are on the right track to better results in the Trial HSC and HSC examinations.

All of the above points require hard work and the reality is that there are no short cuts. Keep in mind that a few months of hard work now can make a significant difference to your future prospects. The later you leave it the harder and more time consuming it becomes.

**What if I did well?**

Remember that there is always room for improvement. Don’t get complacent. Use this process:

1. Read the teacher’s comments to identify your strengths and weaknesses
2. Clarify your strengths by talking to your teacher and reading over your past assessment tasks.
3. Clarify your weaknesses by reading over assessments/exams and asking your teacher.
4. Practise, practise, and practise your exam skills by completing practice papers and writing practice essays.
5. Continue your hard work and finish your year and schooling strongly.

Having a clear and calm discussion between a student and parent about a report is always a valuable exercise. It is important to discuss the positives of the report and the areas identified for improvement.

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**ONLINE SAFETY TIPS FOR PARENTS OF JUNIOR STUDENTS AND A REMINDER FOR THOSE PARENTS OF SENIOR STUDENTS**

Worried about your child’s safety online? Here are some guidelines that can help:

- Encourage computer use in a central area of the home, not necessarily in a bedroom
- Be reasonable and try to set reasonable expectations
- Be open with your child and encourage them to come to you if they encounter a problem online – cultivate trust and communications because no rules, laws or filtering software can replace you as their first line of defence
- Talk with your child about how they use the Internet. Make sure they understand basic safety guidelines. These include protecting privacy (including passwords), never posting personal information, never meeting people they only know online and not posting inappropriate or potentially embarrassing photos.

- Try to get your students to share their blogs or online profiles with you, but be aware that they can have multiple accounts on multiple services.
- Keep your children safe online:
  - Spend time online with your children. Check out good sites together. The internet can be a fun family activity!
  - Help your kids use the internet as an effective research tool - learn about handy homework tips for students and also good searching techniques
  - Learn about the world out there. Children are communicating in a diverse range of ways including blogs. Learn how these work and what tools they offer to protect your child’s privacy
  - Be aware of online stranger danger, particularly in chat rooms. Set house rules about what information your children can give out and where they can go online.

Please contact Mrs Kenehan our Head Teacher - Welfare if you require any further advice or have any concerns with your child and the internet.

**SCHOOL COUNCIL NEWS**

Following the information in the May newsletter regarding a vacant position for a parent representative on the School Council and completion of the process I am pleased to announce that Mr David Roffe will fill this position. He will begin his tenure on the KHS School Council at the next meeting scheduled for 5 August 2014.

Bob Hollywood
Principal

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**SCHOOL PHOTOS – SPECIAL GROUPS**

We recently photographed extra-curricular groups on Thursday 5 June.

Below is the link to the online ordering instructions if you wish to purchase copies.


Thank you,
Denise Rayner
YEAR 10 PARENTS

Year 10 are about to begin the process for selecting subjects for senior school. Their reports that will go home this week should be a starting point for discussion. An email will be sent to parents and students at the end of term. Attached to the email will be a copy of the Curriculum Guide for HSC Study 2016. This outlines the subjects on offer and how they build into a pattern of study and below I have outlined the process involved:

1. On Wednesday 16 July at 7.30pm in the hall, the first week of Term 3, there will be an Information Evening to outline the options available for senior study. Head Teachers and Senior Teachers will be available to answer questions so it is important that parents and students avail themselves of the opportunity to garner as much information as possible. You will also be issued with a Lines Sheet that will indicate where subjects will run on the school timetable.

2. On Thursday 17 during period 7 they will be taken through the process of online submission and given an individual logon code. On Friday 18 July teachers will be available in the library during lunch so that students can ask questions, especially if the subject they are contemplating is one that they have not studied in junior school.

3. In Week 2 during teacher interviews, you will have the opportunity to discuss choices with your child’s teacher.

4. Students will have until Friday 1 August to complete the selection process. A number of subjects require students to discuss their choice with the Head Teacher from the faculty and get a signature. Once they have completed the choices online they will be prompted to print a form that requires your signature.

Steve Smith
Deputy Principal Curriculum

PARENT TEACHER NIGHT - YEAR 7 TO 10

2014 PARENT TEACHER NIGHTS YEAR 7 TO 10

The upcoming Parent Teacher Nights for Years 7 to 10 will be held over two nights and be held as two separate events. This year’s Parent Teacher Nights will be starting at 2.30 p.m. and be finishing at 7.00 p.m.

- **Event 1 - Parent Teacher Night for students in Year 8 and Year 10** – Tuesday 22 July
- **Event 2 – Parent Teacher Night for students in Year 7 and Year 9** – Thursday 31 July

Like previous years, Kirrawee High School will be using an online system to book parent interviews with teachers.

Parents will receive an email from Kirrawee High School (gregory.pollard@det.nsw.edu.au) with the Subject Parent Teacher Interviews. The email will contain detailed instructions and steps to follow on how to access and log into the site. Parents will receive multiple emails if they have students involved in different events.

Parents need to ensure that they have logged into the site and **requested** the interviews by the date and time listed in the email. The email will be sent to parents on **Friday June 20**. If you do not receive an email, please check your Junk or Spam folder. If you still have not received the email, please send an email to Mr Pollard (gregory.pollard@det.nsw.edu.au), requesting that parent teacher details be sent to you.

If parents do not have access to the internet and wish to request Parent Teacher Interviews, parents should contact the school with the following information; Student name and Year, availability on the date for your child between 2.30 – 7.00 p.m., priority order of the teachers that they wish to see and a contact number. This information will then be entered into the system by Mr Pollard.

If there are any problems or issues then please contact Mr Pollard on the email listed above.

Greg Pollard
Head Teacher Administration

INFORMATION FOR YEAR 12 STUDENTS

Application forms for Year 12 Graduation Medals are due by Friday June 27, no later than 3:00pm. Under no circumstances will late applications be accepted.

Those Year 12 students who do not have a Year 7 Kirrawee High photo are reminded to bring in a Year 7 photo of themselves for the graduation ceremony. Photos are to be handed to Ms Price as soon as possible. Photos will be scanned and returned to the students.

**Thankyou**
Ms Price
**HEADS UP TO MENTAL HEALTH YOUTH FORUM**

By Tahlia Morphett

Earlier this month, along with five other Kirrawee High School students, I was fortunate enough to attend a forum on Mental Health issues that affect young people in our community. These issues were discussed by a number of guest speakers, each of whom had had their own battle with mental health issues, including depression and bipolar disorder. Their insights and stories touched a nerve in all in the audience as the stigmas and preconceived ideas about people with mental illness were peeled away.

Mental Health issues can affect us in many ways, just as physical illness can impact all our lives. What we learnt from this program was how important it is to discuss any issues with either peers or one of the support networks that exist within all of our school communities.

Our Kirrawee High group came away from the day filled with the belief that it is possible to make a big difference by implementing small changes. In order to heighten awareness and to dispel the stigma associated with mental health issues we would like to involve as many of our students as we can in a program aimed at promoting wellbeing and positive connections.

Please stay tuned as our plans develop throughout the next term.

Thank you to the Kirrawee High School Musicians who entertained the forum participants on the day.

**YEAR 11 SPARKS DAY**

This term Year 11 were involved in a one day SPARKS program. This study skills program aims at enhancing skills essential for successful study, preparation and performance in senior school. The students were involved in three workshops which ran throughout the day.

Session one was titled “Stress and the HSC”. Howard Smith from the Business Concierge delivered this program. Students were entertained by a range of interactive clips and sensible proactive strategies for dealing with anxiety and stress.

Session two focused on time management, goal setting and taking notes. Students were put through their paces and given opportunities to think about what they are doing with their time and how they could maximise their potential study hours. It was a little frightening to see that some students had in excess of 50 “free hours a week”. Fortunately they were instructed on how to utilise this time more efficiently for study. Students were also shown how to be more effective in their note taking. They had a university note taking style demonstrated to them and performed tasks which allowed them to practise these skills.

Session three was invaluable. Mrs Matthews demonstrated the art of essay writing. She reminded students that they must always answer the question, not just write what they know. She managed to help make essay writing easy by employing the analogy of cake making to allow students to see the importance of using the right ingredients when creating an essay. The chocolate biscuits she gave students were the “icing on the cake”. Students also enjoyed interactive presentations on creative study techniques and examination techniques.

Mr Olovich spoke with students at the end of the day, highlighting ACCESS and scholarship opportunities for universities. He stressed the need for students to be involved in all aspects of school life and to start planning now for the future.

It was a really enjoyable way for students to complete the mandatory SPARKS Welfare program. Many thanks to Ms Farmer, Ms Kinnaird, Ms Stanborough, Mr Simpson, Mr Olovich and Mrs Matthews for the enormous amount of time and preparation they put into making the sessions so engaging and successful.

**Melissa Kenenhan**

Head Teacher Welfare
It has been an especially busy semester for both students and staff, with many incursions, excursions, public speaking and debating competitions, not to mention the “usual” classroom learning experiences.

The excellent *Poetry in Action* group presented performances to four different Years, providing entertaining, informative and engaging insights into various aspects of poetry. For Year 7, “Poetry at Play” reminded students of the basic elements and techniques of poems, while Year 8 experienced how poetry is an art-form which reveals your soul, an asset in romantic contexts. Finally, Year 12 Standard English, who had been studying the war poetry of Wilfred Owen for HSC Module B, were presented with a highly engaging and valuable synopsis of Owen’s poems, delivered dramatically.

Zeal Theatre presented the topical issue-based performance “King Hit” to Year 9 students. Performed by two highly skilful actors, who ingeniously transformed through a range of characters, the play examined alcohol-fuelled violence and attitudes to this in teen culture.

Year 12 English Advanced study of Module B *Hamlet* was considerably enhanced by their experience of Bell Shakespeare’s *Actors at Work “Hamlet: Out of Joint”* program.

Zeal Theatre who specialise in playbuilding presented *King Hit* to all Year 9 students, also leading a stimulating workshop for Year 12 students, to further refine and develop their concepts and performance techniques. The outcome of Year 12’s efforts will be presented early Term 3, in combination with Year 11 performances. Years 9 and 10 will be presenting on Tuesday evening in the Performance Space, in the last week of Term 2.

Experience of a variety of live theatre is essential in developing drama student’s knowledge and appreciation of the artform. As a Term 2 experience all Drama students were invited to the NSW Public Schools’ State Drama Company’s production of Alana Valentine’s *Cyberbile*. The Company, like other DEC Arts Unit ensembles is derived from students across Sydney and beyond, who have successfully auditioned from a highly competitive field and attend Drama classes and rehearsals at Erskineville each week. Kirrawee High School is represented in 2014 by Year 12 student Aaron Gobby. Alana Valentine’s "Cyberbile", performed by the NSW Public Schools State Drama Company, is a highly relevant drama about the ongoing effects of cyber bullying on high school students. On the Tuesday evening of June 5 Kirrawee High Drama students from Years 10-12 travelled to the Australian Theatre for Young People venue in Walsh Bay to watch this “verbatim theatre” production, which referenced real events in a documentary-style narrative. "Cyberbile" consisted of various interview-type scenes and monologues, linked by interesting ensemble moments which revealed a good perception on teenagers’ struggles today. Our very own Year 12 student, Aaron Gobby was a cast member and delivered a moving monologue in one scene, engaging the audience. The play’s design using projections and a dynamic lighting
design effectively reinforced the “technology in our lives” theme. Added bonuses of the excursion were catching a glimpse of Sydney’s “Vivid” lights festival, KHS students singing their way home from the theatre, and an unscheduled stop at McDonalds to finish off the evening. Overall, everyone had an enjoyable night, as well as learning about staging issues effectively.

By Zoe Ioannou and Jordan Thompson

DEBATING COMPETITIONS 2014

Debating is a competitive and invaluable activity which gives our students an array of skills for life after school.

Due to the overwhelming student interest in debating (40 students), we have now entered two main debating competitions, the Premier’s Debating Challenge and the Sutherland Shire Debating Competition. These competitions allow students from Years 7 & 8 and Years 9 & 10 to develop their skills whilst competing against other schools.

In the Premier’s Debating Challenge, we have two teams just about to debate Sylvania High School in the Year 7/8 competition. In the Year 9/10 competition our two teams were narrowly defeated by Caringbah High School.

In Sutherland Shire Debating Competition we have 5 teams registered comprising of 3 junior and 2 senior teams. The two junior teams and one senior team have progressed to Round 2.

Historically Kirrawee High School is very strong in its debating tradition, having developed some formidable teams in the past. This rich tradition is continuing and students are to be commended on their efforts thus far.

Cathy Barden, Barbara Alston
Emma Farmer and Wayne Towler
Debating Co-ordinators

DEBATING WORKSHOP

Recently a group of students from various years, met in the library and spent the day participating in a debating workshop run by one of Kirrawee high schools former school captains, Micaela Bassford. Many of the students that had come to the workshop were new to the world of debating and her knowledge really helped us get a better understanding.

At the very start of the day, all of us were spoken to by some of our own Year 11 peers that had just competed at UNSW in a debating competition. After they had shared their experience with us, Micaela went through the basics of debating. Her simple way of explaining how and what to do in debating made everything seem a lot clearer.

After recess, Micaela had organised for us to play a debating game. We were split up into two groups (AFF and NEG) to discuss our ideas on a particular subject, I’m sure that most people would agree that was the highlight of our day. For the remaining time left in the day, we planned and performed an actual debate. We were given a topic and a team that we had to debate with. It was very interesting in the planning room, to try and organise what everyone was going to say. When our planning time was complete it was time to listen and do our debates. It was a great experience, listening to the year groups and their opinions.

Overall, the day was an amazing learning experience. It expanded our vocabulary listening to the older years’ speak, it also taught us how to do a proper debate. It also helped us bond with other members of the student body and most of all, everyone had fun.

A special thanks to Mrs Barden, Mrs Farmer, Mrs Alston, Mrs Balderston and Micaela for organising the day.

Written by Jade Bridgeman 8P

PUBLIC SPEAKING

Kirrawee High School is extraordinarily proud of its long track-record as a school of excellence in Public Speaking. We have previously had a wide range of students compete in competitions at a high level and it is impressive to see that this strong tradition is being carried out by our current junior and senior students.

Our school is currently participating in both the Premier’s Public Speaking Competition and the Sutherland Shire Public Speaking Competition and we have thus far has some stellar results.

Senior students Maddie Gilholme and Cameron Gullick were selected as competitors in the finals of the Premiers Public Speaking Competition, where they spoke honourably in competition against some of the most proficient speakers from public and private schools across the Sydney region. A huge congratulations goes to these students, who show-cased their wit and skill in this competitive arena. A big thank you also goes to Rachel Wilton and Charlotte Kenna, who acted as Chairperson and Time-Keeper on the day.
Students competing in the Sutherland Shire Public Speaking Competition are also to be highly commended on their efforts so far. From the initial rounds, Kirrawee High saw five students make it through to the semi-finals. Ethan Crawshaw, Maddie Gliholme, Denver Gannon, Charlotte Kenna and Jordan Sabbagh performed extremely well in this phase, with Ethan Crawshaw and Charlotte Kenna making it through to the prestigious finals to be held at the Sutherland Shire Council Chambers on the 22nd of July. Congratulations to all students who participated in this competition as the calibre of speeches was extremely high and students showed themselves to be admirable competitors.

We are extremely proud of our students and their performances so far. We look forward to yet another thrilling round of speeches from students next year and encourage any student who is interested in public speaking to see Mrs Farmer for further information.

Emma Farmer
Learning Support

YEAR 9 COMMERCE VISIT ABC STUDIOS

On Thursday May 8th, Year 9 Commerce students visited ABC Studios and participated in a live broadcast of ABC's 'The Splash' to learn and ask questions about being a television news reporter.

The Splash is a live broadcast over the internet that can be viewed by the whole of Australia. This episode of The Splash consisted of three famous broadcasters, Jeremy Fernandez, Del Irani and Jane Hutcheon, who focused on the topic 'Making The News'. This part of the excursion was a great experience as it was a once in a lifetime opportunity and gave us a real insight into what is involved in being a television news reporter both in front of the camera and behind the scene.

We also had the not to be missed opportunity of a hands-on tour of the ABC complex. This special tour gave us the chance to see many studios which are not usually included in the standard ABC tour. We even role-played being weather presenters, news readers and were able to see all of the studios through our own eyes and not through TV or media. This was a wonderful opportunity and one that we will remember for a lifetime, particularly for students who have this career path in mind.

Robert Beattie had the opportunity to be interviewed by Jeremy Fernandez about being a soccer player. I interviewed Robert about this experience that was streamed live across Australia.

Hannah: How did you react when you were given this great opportunity?

Robert: My feelings were mixed, I was very excited but also very nervous because it was live so I couldn't make a mistake and it was going to be viewed by several schools all over Australia.

Hannah: How did you feel being interviewed by one of ABC's main newsreaders?

Robert: I was very nervous about being interviewed by one of Australia's top newsreaders as he had done this a thousand times and this was my first. I was also very excited because he was famous and people watch him every night on television.

Hannah: Did you learn anything about being a reporter?

Robert: Yes, I did learn a lot of things about being a reporter. I learnt that interviews are not just off the top of your head, you have to brainstorm with the interviewer before the actual interview takes place.

Overall, our excursion to the ABC Studios was a fantastic experience and I am sure that everyone would agree that it was one of the best excursions they have been on.

By Robert Beattie and Hannah Espie - Avantin
YEAR 9 COMMERCE, YEAR 11 BUSINESS STUDIES AND ECONOMICS

ASX Schools’ Sharemarket Game

Year 9 Commerce, Years 11 Business Studies and Economics classes participated in Game 1 of the Australian ASX Schools’ Sharemarket Game which ran for 10 weeks. There were 18,413 Australian syndicates which comprised 6,405 NSW teams. The market was very volatile over the course of the game with Kirrawee High achieving most impressive results in all Years. The following students were the winners of each subject area.

MAJOR PRIZE WINNER - 2ND IN NSW AND 11TH IN AUSTRALIA

Kye Rigby of Year 11 Economics was placed 2nd in NSW and was ranked 11th in Australia. Kye’s exceptional performance has been acknowledged by the ASX with a trophy. Aaron Dennis of Year 11 Business Studies final ranking was 239th in NSW and 674th in Australia.

Robert McBeattie of Year 9 Commerce achieved 630th position in NSW and was in the top 10% of syndicates in Australia. All these students should be congratulated on such a commendable achievement.

Please read Kye’s report below on the strategy he used to great success.

Christine Doherty
Head Teacher Social Science

The original selection of stocks I chose were two mining companies, a wine company and a freight company. I decided to spread my investment funds over a wide range of sectors in case one industry had a large overall drop in share value. Two of the companies share prices rose significantly from the very first day and soon I was sitting in the top 40 rankings in Australia. They continued to rise until I hit 2nd in Australia in which my portfolio value leveled out and didn’t move for a week or so. In one afternoon it dropped from $52,000+ to $47,000, which had me fall to a ranking of 13000 in Australia. After this large fall in value I decided to sell all of my non – performing shares and reinvest in an energy company and a holdings company whilst still keeping the mining company and the wine estate. The share price of these shares rose massively over a short period and took me to the number one spot in Australia at $55,900 just a few weeks out from the close of the competition. I then decided to sell all my hostile shares and sit on two safer shares in Cash Converters and Coca-Cola Amatil. Cash Converters had been rising steadily for 6 months and looked like it was going to continue on this path. Coca-Cola Amatil had just fallen 20% in one day and had hit “rock bottom”, I suspected it would recover as it is a big transnational company. Unfortunately my portfolio value didn’t increase whilst others in the game had selected companies whose share prices had risen so I slipped back to 9th spot in Australia and 2nd in New South Wales.

MOCK TRIAL REPORT

On Friday May 23 a group of Year 11 students participated in round 3 of the NSW Law Society Mock Trial Competition against Wollongong High School. It was a criminal case, where Kirrawee was the prosecution.

Our team consisted of Julian Bonser as first barrister, Maddison Turansky as second barrister, Jessica Hards as solicitor, Courtney Anderson as the first witness,
Stephanie Kemp as second witness and Merrin Curry-Howie as Court Officer.

Each member of the team did an outstanding job, however, special mention to Julian (who stepped in at the last moment to fill in for Eliza Parker who was ill), who was consistent and well-spoken and to Stephanie, as a first time witness was cool under cross-examination.

The team were clear, confident and courteous when addressing the mock court. They were able to prove their points through a very effective cross-examination.

The team had to prove beyond reasonable doubt that an act of larceny had been committed. The defendant (Wollongong High) was accused of stealing multiple cosmetics from a Kmart store in Woy Woy. Both teams presented strong arguments but inevitably the magistrate decided that the defendant had no knowledge of the goods in her bag, therefore did not commit larceny.

Despite the loss, the team performed admirably. They showed a great work ethic and teamwork, which didn’t go unnoticed by the magistrate Laurie. The trial ran smoothly thanks to cooperation between Ms Fellas and other students. Unfortunately we lost by just 3 points, which is the equivalent of 1%. It was incredibly close and both teams did extremely well.

A special thank you needs to go to Alex Robinson and Monica Kostadinoski for their input and assistance in the pre-trial preparation; and to Ms Fellas for organising another successful mock trial. Better luck next time Kirrawee!

**Maddison Dhu and Madeleine Dolheguy.**

**YEAR 8 FOOD FIESTA**

On Wednesday March 19 all Year 8 Geography classes held a cultural food fiesta. Every group had around 4 people in it and we were given the task to research and learn about a country. Some of these countries were the USA, Italy, Mexico, Taiwan, Indonesia, and Belgium.

It was lots of fun learning about the countries’ food, lifestyle, celebrations and fun facts. On top of learning a lot about the chosen country we had the opportunity to bring in food and decorations to create a cultural presentation about our chosen country. We all gave a short speech about what we learnt about our country and enjoyed some cool music, drinks and different foods. Some teachers joined in on the fun.

There were lots of yummy foods such as fried rice, waffles, tacos, hot dogs, lasagne, lollies and cupcakes.

It was such an awesome idea and we recommend it to all classes, a special thanks to Ms Fellas and Mrs Halar for organising it for us. It was great!

**By Hannah Johnston and Cameron Field**
THE REUNION ISLAND VISUAL ARTS CLASS

The students from Reunion Island participated in a Visual Arts lesson when they recently visited Kirrawee High School. Students spent a double period being very skilful and imaginative, creating postcards that they wrote a message on and then posted home to their family. They were encouraged to focus on an “Australian” theme for their postcards and painted or drew their individual postcards using a variety of mediums. They were enthusiastic students and demonstrated very good artmaking ability. I really enjoyed taking this lesson and look forward to meeting and teaching other students from future exchange trips!

Below are some of the beautiful postcards created by our talented Reunion Island friends.

M. Veljanovski
Head Teacher Visual Arts/Music
JANE GOODALL
On May 30, Kathleen Craine, Chase Mercer, Michael Roffe and myself, attended the Youth Forum at Taronga Zoo, accompanied by Mrs Falconer. We attended workshops about how to create an Environmental Group at either school or in the community. We discussed how to make it successful and why conservation is important, both in Australia and overseas.

We were also incredibly lucky to have our own seal show, where once again the message was about conservation and the environment.

The session after lunch, was the highlight of the day as the guest was Jane Goodall. She is a very inspirational speaker, and received international recognition when she discovered that chimpanzees actually use sticks as a tool to remove termites from their nest to eat.

When we were leaving we saw Jane Goodall and she came over to us, to ask our views on our government and global warming, which really topped off an amazing day. She is such a lovely person and has done amazing work during her life for both the human race, gorillas and chimpanzee.

Sarah Greenstein, Year 11

YEAR 9 PAINTING - WATER
Our resident artist Ken Tucker gave a demonstration to 9VA6, who are currently learning how to paint waterscapes.

Ken began with using water soluble artist quality spray cans, to quickly begin the background. He then worked back into the painting with brushes and paint to create a scene from a photo of Kangaroo Valley.

Mrs Falconer

Jane Goodall

Chase Mercer, Kathleen Craine, Michael Roffe and Sarah Greenstein
Music Showcase was unbelievable!

158 Kirrawee High School students performed to over 400 audience members on a magical night. With very few hiccups on the night, Grace Walker and Camille Hall entertained our guests with their witty repartee ascomperes. The showcase featured all 8 ensembles along with the four songs created by Year 11 in the Songmakers Project and an African Drumming Presentation by Year 11 Music 1 candidates.

The music night began with a rousing performance of three works by the Wind Orchestra. The highlight was the Wind Orchestra arrangement of Skyfall, sung by Rachel Wilton and arranged by Liam Mulligan in Year 11.

The surprises certainly didn’t stop there. Kaleidescope (Senior Acapella) presented a six part arrangement of Viva La Vida that left the audience speechless and wrapped up with their version of Geronimo by Australian band Sheppard.

The biggest applause of the night was attributed to the Junior Band students who presented three wonderful songs from the Music Elements Series. It was brilliant to see 35 students in this particular group looking so professional.

The Angels in Disguise (Female Acapella) kept the night going with their interpretation of Say Something by A Great Big World. The Intermediate Jazz Ensemble got the crowd excited with their version of Living on a Prayer.

The Kirrawee Strings, ably led by Hamish Gullick and Gabriella Bulloch of Year 12 left a glow in hearts of the guests after their set.

The biggest surprise of the night went to Secret Mens Business (Male Acapella) who only formed two weeks prior to the concert. Their rousing version of Lean on Me certainly got the crowd pumping.

It was left to the Senior Stage Band to bring it home in grand style. They certainly did not disappoint. With the largest band seen in many years, Dane Laboyrie led the students to grand heights in their final set. Special mention must go to Liam Mulligan who had the chance to sing his first solo with the ensemble.

Congratulations need to go to the Music Department Staff – Kerri Lacey, Linda Fawer and especially to Ellie Moroney. As a new teacher, it was part of Ms Moroney’s development plan to be the producer of this event. She handled herself with an ease and calmness well beyond her years. Her troubleshooting skills were amazing. Well done Ms Moroney.

SECONDARY CHORAL CONCERT – MONDAY MAY 19 2014

Congratulations to all students and staff involved in the Secondary Choral Concerts at the Town Hall on Monday May 19. Kirrawee students were part of a 900 voice choir which filled the entire top seating at Town Hall.

In the morning the students had an incredible workshop with the Idea of North learning all about how to control twang and blend in the songs they were singing. Later in the afternoon Ruby Coulston and Liam Mulligan had the opportunity to be part of a private workshop with the Idea of North. I know they thoroughly enjoyed the experience.

The students performed their repertoire to a full house at the Town Hall. At the end of the concert, there was a little time left for the Idea of North to announce the Acapella Festival for September 2015 and perform the Manhattan Transfer classic “A Nightingale Sang in Berkley Square”. It was a magical experience.

The Arts Unit have some wonderful applications and workshops available. For further details, go to www.artsunit.nsw.edu.au/enews

2014 ARTS INITIATIVE BOYS VOCAL WORKSHOP - EXCITING VOCAL OPPORTUNITY FOR BOYS

The Arts Initiatives Boys Vocal Workshop is a project specifically designed to introduce boys to various musical styles and engage them in the enjoyment of singing in a group. All boys of all ability levels are welcome to participate. During the workshop, students will have the opportunity to work with industry professionals, experienced vocal coaches and conductors.
Students will take part in warm up activities, learn vocal techniques and performance strategies, as well as learning a variety of songs involving part singing.

The workshop is open to individual students as well as student groups from schools, accompanied by teachers. For further information, please contact Therese Doyle on 8512 1190 or 0412 770 867 Therese.doyle4@det.nsw.edu.au

SOLO VOCAL CAMP APPLICATIONS OPEN - CLOSING JUNE 25
Along with their application, students will need to submit a YouTube video of themselves performing a piece of their choice. All students should submit a video of at least two songs. Students may submit more if they wish. This video may be either of a performance, or may be a dedicated audition video (such as one created to audition for the Schools Spectacular).

These YouTube videos will help the team place students into the correct workshops and sessions at the camp. They will only be used as an audition if the number of applications received exceeds the number of applications at the camp. Students will be informed if this is the case and will have the opportunity to submit additional or alternative videos if they wish.

NSW STATE CHOIR NOMINATIONS - CLOSING JUNE 25
Sutherland Shire Youth Music Awards
This annual competition is open to 13 to 18 years old and must reside or attend school in Sutherland and St George areas. Judging criteria include presentation and professionalism, atmosphere and visual impression, music selection and performance quality, creative ability, audience appeal and music accuracy. Kirrawee students have always participated in this event and we are pleased to announce that some of our present and past students have reached the finals. Thirteen finalists were chosen in the Performance section and they will compete at the Finals Concert on Friday June 27 at 7pm in the Sutherland Memorial School of Arts.

We would like to wish these students the best of luck:
- Dana Alison – Year 11
- Liam Mulligan – Year 11
- Jordan Delany and Lucy Valley

Both past students Prizes will also be announced for the Young Composers section with the winning entry being played on the night. This year’s theme was La Perouse and his discovery of Botany Bay. We would like to wish Liam Mulligan of Year 11 luck and hope that he is successful in this category. In keeping with the French theme, Monsieur Eric Berti, Consul-General of France in Sydney will present the composition prizes.

Sutherland Music Club and Sutherland Shire Council
Present the Sutherland Shire and St George

YOUTH MUSIC AWARDS
FINALS CONCERT - PERFORMANCE
A recording of the Winning Composition will be played and results announced for the

YOUNG COMPOSERS AWARDS

TICKETS: $15 Adult, $10 Concession, $5 Students, Children under 12 free

COME AND HEAR A WONDERFUL CONCERT

Friday 27th June 2014 at 7.00 PM
Sutherland Memorial School of Arts, East Parade, Sutherland

Bookings: 9528 8294 or 9521 7170, or available at door ALL WELCOME
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GIGS FOR THE ENSEMBLES:
- 70th Birthday Party – Friday June 27
  (10 Piece Senior Stage Band Group)
- Jeans for Genes Day – July 27 (Senior Stage Band)
- Gymea Bay Fair – August 30 (Senior Stage Band)
- Cronulla Spring Fair - September 13 (Senior Stage Band)
- Yr 12 Graduation – September 18
  (Year 12 Music 1 and 2)

EXCURSIONS
- Meet the Music 2 – July 16
- Meet the Music 1 – July 17
- Meet the Music 2 – August 20
- Meet the Music 1 – August 21

CLASSROOM ASSESSMENTS:
- Yr 12 Music Extension Group Assessment – Week 9
- Yr 12 – Music 2 – Elective Assessment – Week 9
- Music 2 Trial – July 28
- Music 1 Trial – August 5

HSC Music Practical Examinations – 1-13 September.

As always, it is a pleasure to let you know what is happening within our department. Please continue to forward your good news to the Music Co-Ordinator Kerri Lacey. (kerri-ann.lacey@det.nsw.edu.au).

This department is blessed to have incredible staff both in and out of the classroom. This news has been brought to you by Linda Fawer, Ellie Moroney and Kerri Lacey.

Music Department

KHS P&C SCHOOL BUILDING FUND

Let’s improve & enhance the learning environment and school facilities for all our children.

Contributions can now be made

Our target for the 2013/2014 period is $50,000.00

Donations to the Building Fund are generally tax deductible

We thank you for your ongoing and valuable support

WHAT ARE WE LOOKING FORWARD TO?

Long term project of PE Classroom/ Health & fitness Laboratory next to the COLA

Kirrawee High School P&C Association
SPORT

Term 2 is wrapping up and sport at KHS has been taken to a new level. We have a number of brilliant individual and team performances that have occurred. To find out more, check out what’s been happening below:

SUTHERLAND ZONE ATHLETICS CARNIVAL

Congratulations to the 100 Kirrawee High School students who represented the school at the Sutherland Zone Carnival on Monday June 2 at the Sylvania Waters Athletics Track. What started out as a cold, wet day quickly turned into a clear sunny day with some outstanding performances from our students.

Kirrawee High School had many top 3 placings and finished 1st on the point score after the day’s events. 11 of our 12 relays finished 1st or 2nd and will now progress through to the Sydney East Carnival along with all individual students who finished 1st or 2nd in their respective events.

Congratulations to Sutherland Zone Age Champions and Runner Up Age Champions

- Sarah Archer - Sutherland Zone 12 Girls Age Champion
- Melissa Chambers - Sutherland Zone 12 Girls Runner Up Age Champion
- Christopher Hatzimihali - Sutherland Zone 14 Boys Age Champion
- Harrison Brierley - Sutherland Zone 15 Boys Runner Up Age Champion
- Ben Tsui - Sutherland Zone 16 Boys Runner Up Age Champion

Full results are available on the Sutherland Zone Website but a few results to highlight include:

- Sarah Archer - 1st 12 Girls 800m, 2nd U14 Girls 1500m run, 2nd 12 Girls 100m, 2nd 12 Girls Long Jump, 3rd 12 Girls 200m
- Christopher Hatzimihali - 1st 14 Boys 100m, 1st 14 Boys 200m, 1st 14 Boys Long Jump, 1st 14 Boys High Jump

In 16 Boys 1500m, Kirrawee HS took all three placings

- 1st Jarrod Herrmann
- 2nd Daniel Watchorn
- 3rd Liam Thomas

In many events Kirrawee HS placed 1st and 2nd. These events include 13 and 16 Girls 100m, 14 Boys and 15 Girls 400m, 12 Girls 800m, 13 Boys High Jump and 16 Girls Shot

- 100m 13 Girls 1st Emma Gidney
- 100m 16 Girls 1st Brooke Dobeson
- 100m 13 Girls 2nd Madison Reynolds
- 100m 16 Girls 2nd Molly Black
- 400m 14 Boys 1st Sebastian Plunkett
- 400m 15 Girls 1st Josephine Chabi
- 400m 14 Boys 2nd Kail Glenn
- 400m 15 Girls 2nd Brittanie Northey
- 800m 12 Girls 1st Sarah Archer
- 800m 12 Girls 2nd Melissa Chambers
- HJ 13 Boys 1st Kurt Picken
- HJ 13 Boys 2nd Noah Watson
- Shot 16 Girls 1st Madeline Bird
- Shot 16 Girls 2nd Libby Holloway

Sutherland Zone Relay Champions

- 13 Girls and 13 Boys
- 14 Girls
- 16 Girls and Boys
- 17 Boys

A special mention must also be made to our Yr 12 students who took time out from their busy schedules and study commitments to represent Kirrawee HS in athletics one final time. Many of these students have represented our school proudly for the past 6 years and I would like to acknowledge their efforts and performances at this carnival but also their representation in athletics throughout their years at Kirrawee HS.

The Yr 12 students who competed this year were:

Jack Robertson, Nick Fox, Lace Temana, Toni Anderson, Alex Chang, Aaron Hooker, Taylah Bisshopp, Layne Holloway, Jasmine Hutchinson, Madison Dunn and Angus Dibley.

Jack, Nick, Lace, Toni, Alex, Taylah, Layne and Madison all placed 1st or 2nd in their respective events and will now progress onto the Sydney East Carnival and Represent Kirrawee High School and the Sutherland Zone.

The Sydney East Regional Athletics Carnival will be held at the Sylvania Waters Athletics Track on 31 July and 1 August. Permission notes for this event will be handed out in the first week next term.
Sutherland Zone and Sydney East Cross Country Carnivals

Sutherland Zone Results - Monday 19 May at Heathcote High School

Congratulations to the 60+ students who represented KHS at the Zone Cross Country Carnival at Heathcote High School. All students ran exceptionally well with 41 students qualifying for the Sydney East Regional Cross Country. A special mention to the following students who were crowned zone age champions for their respective age group:

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A special mention also to the 16yr Boy runners who filled 7 places in the top 12 with Kirrawee High students occupying the first 5 placing’s.

- 1st - Daniel Watchorn
- 2nd - Liam Thomas
- 3rd - Luke Delany
- 4th - Jarrod Herrmann
- 5th - Matthew Griffiths
- 7th - Angus Fallins
- 12th - Lawson McGuiness

SYDNEY EAST REGIONAL CARNIVAL RESULTS

Wednesday 11 June at Miranda Park

41 runners braced the wet and ankle deep mud track to compete in the Sydney East Regional Cross Country Carnival at Miranda Park. All runners made a fantastic effort in overcoming the conditions and competing to the best of their ability.

Congratulations to Emma Brown who was age champion in the 17 years girls division.

Congratulations to the following runners who have qualified for the NSW CHS Cross Country at Eastern Creek on:

- Sarah Archer 12 yrs Girls (6th at Sydney East Cross Country)
- Daniel Watchorn- 16yrs Boys (2nd at Sydney East Cross Country)
- Liam Thomas 16yrs Boys (3rd at Sydney East Cross Country)
- Luke Delany 16yrs Boys (6th at Sydney East Cross Country)
- Jarrod Herrmann 16yrs Boys (8th at Sydney East Cross Country)
- Emma Brown 17yrs Girls (1st at Sydney East Cross Country)
- Maddison Dunn 18yrs Girls (School Team qualification)
- Cody Dunn 18yrs Girls (School Team qualification)
- Lauren Fulcher 18yrs Girls (School Team qualification)
SPORT continued

KIRRAWEE CUP - STAFF V STUDENTS

Game 1 - Ultimate Frisbee - Staff (10) defeated Students (9)
Teachers now lead the series 1-0. GAME ON!!!

STUDENT SPORTING ACHIEVEMENTS

Kaitlyn Walker (Year 9) was selected in the NSW U/15 All Schools Netball team. She will now compete in the School Sport Australia Netball Championships in Melbourne, Victoria from July 19 to 25, 2014.

Jordan Baker (Year 12) was a part of the winning Sydney East Football team that won the CHS carnival in Armidale. Jordan was also selected in the NSW CHS 1's.

Toni Anderson (Year 12) and Jazmin Tweedle O’Donnell, both selected in the NSW Open’s Netball team.

KHS FOOTBALL SOCKS

The KHS Sports Socks are officially OUT OF STOCK. When more stock is available, you will be notified ASAP. Sorry for the inconvenience.

KNOCKOUT TEAM RESULTS

Open Girls Softball Team - Coach Mrs Anderson

Congratulations to the Open Girls Softball team who competed in the NSW CHS Knockout Competition. The girls defeated St George Girls in their opening match 10-7, which qualified them for the Sydney East Central Venue Day.

The girls played Cronulla High School in the opening round of the Central Venue but were defeated 14-4.

The girls then played Woolooware in the 2nd game and defeated them in a close match. A great effort by all girls involved and a big thank you to coach Mrs Anderson.
SPORT continued

OPEN BOYS AND GIRLS HOCKEY
Coach Mrs Baxter

Boys
Round 1 - KHS (18) defeated Sylvania High (0)

Girls
Round 1 - KHS (4) defeated Sydney Girls (0)

The boys play Heathcote High School in Round 2 while the girls play Port Hacking High School in Round 2.
If both teams are successful in their Round 2 matches, they will both qualify for the Sydney East Finals to be played on Monday June 23.
Best of luck to both teams.

U/15 BOYS AFL
Coach Mr Olovich

Swans Cup Knock Out Round 2
KHS (66) def Caringbah High School (48)

Well done to all boys and Mr Olovich.

OPEN BOYS TENNIS
Coach Ms Rider

Competed in Sydney East Central Venue Day Knockout High.
Round 1: Defeated by Caringbah 5-1
Round 2: Defeated Dulwich Hill 5-1
Round 3: Defeated Rose Bay 4-2
Quarter Final: Defeated by Port Hacking 4-2
5th/6th Play Off: Defeated by Menai 4-2

The boys played very well in the opening round and were unluckily beaten in close match in the Quarter Finals.

Well done to Ms Rider and the boys.

Team: Adam Zheng Yr 10, Luke Bevan Yr 7, Pericles Mitzenitis Yr 10 and Evan Chakma Hill Yr 8

OPEN GIRLS FOOTBALL
Coach Ms Carter

Round 3 - KHS (12) def St George Girls HS (0)
Goal Scorers: Jordy Baker 5, Taylah Bishopp 3, Rosin Collier 3, Sienna Pigna 1

Round 4 - Sydney East Regional Final - KHS (10) def Kingsgrove HS (0)

REGIONAL CHAMPIONS FOR THE 3RD YEAR IN A ROW!
Congratulations to the girls and Miss Carter. The girls now travel to Lambton, Newcastle to take on Lambton High School for a spot in the final 8 in the state. Best of luck to all girls.
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**U/15 GIRLS FOOTBALL - BILL TURNER PLATE**
Coach Ms Carter

**Girls**
Round 1- KHS (4) def Inaburra (0)
Round 2- KHS (3) def Port Hacking (0)
Round 3- KHS (3) def Menai (0)

**U/15 BOYS FOOTBALL - BILL TURNER CUP**
Coach Mr Whitaker

**Boys**
Round 1- Bye
Round 2- KHS (2) def St Patricks Sutherland (1)
Round 3- KHS (3) def Port Hacking High (2)
Round 4- KHS (3) def Menai (1)

Best of luck to the both team who both now take on Endeavour Sport High School in the Regional Finals.

**OPEN BOYS BASEBALL**
Coach Mr Hunt
Sydney East Regional Final
KHS (10) def Woolooware (3)

Congratulations to the boys and Mr Hunt. Sydney East Champions for the 3rd consecutive year. Best of luck in the next round of the NSW CHS Knockout Competition.

**SCHOOLS WATERPOLO CHAMPIONSHIPS**
Congratulations to Pip Cooper (Yr 12) and Rhys Holden (Yr 11) who both represented NSW All Schools at the Australian Schools Waterpolo Championships in Noosa.

Both players were part of teams, which took home the Gold Medal with the NSW girl’s side defeating QLD 11-8 in the final. The NSW boys defeated WA 15-12 in a close encounter to claim a double victory for NSW.

Pip Cooper was also named MVP for the tournament and named in the Australian School team to compete in the Trans-Tasman Series with New Zealand in December. Rhys was named a reserve for the boy’s team.

Well done to both players on their performance.
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WATERPOLO PAIR SET TO FACE THE BEST AT WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS

Congratulations to Rhys Holden (Yr 11) and Lena Mihailovic (Yr 12) who have both recently been selected in the Australian U/18 Waterpolo teams to compete in the FINA World Youth Championships.

Rhys will be competing in Istanbul, Turkey in August, while Lena will be competing in Madrid, Spain.

This is a fantastic achievement for both students. Best of luck Rhys and Lena.

AUSTRALIAN KARATE FEDERATION CHAMPIONSHIPS

Congratulations to Anthony Franco (Year 10) who competed in the Australian Schools and University Championships and the AKF Australian Open. Anthony competed in 2 events and won a bronze and silver medal.

Congratulations Anthony. A fantastic achievement.

Australian Schools and University Championships
Kumite Individual Male Juniors - Bronze Medal

AKF Australian Open
Kumite Individual Male Juniors - Silver Medal

KHS SPORT ON SOCIAL MEDIA NOW ON “INSTAGRAM”

Keep up to date with all the latest Kirrawee High School Sport news on Facebook and now on Instagram. Photos will be posted from KHS sport events on the news feed when they occur.

News and information about what’s happening with KHS sport will be posted daily on the “KHS SPORT” Facebook page so make sure you follow this page to receive all information.

UPCOMING SPORT DATES:

NSW CHS Cross Country Carnival
Friday 18 July at Eastern Creek Raceway

Regional Athletics Carnival
Thurs 31 July / Fri 1 August at Sylvania Waters

NSW CHS Athletics Carnival
4 - 6 September at Sydney Olympic Park

For up to date information, results, photos and more, like “KHS SPORT” on Facebook:

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Mr Scott
Sports Co-ordinator
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Seasons For Growth
An eight week program for Children aged 6 to 12 years that have experienced grief and loss in their lives due to a significant change — such as death, separation of parents or change in location.

When: Wednesday afternoons 16th of July and 3rd of Sept
Time: 4pm to 5pm
Venue: Interrelate Family Centre
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Cost: $50 per child

The program is held in small groups and assists young people to:
- Understand and talk about the normal range of emotions experienced during major change, grief and loss.
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- Participate in a caring and confidential network of peers and adults.
- Explore the skills needed for resiliency.
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