



NEWSLETTER

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23rd November 2018

Term 4 - Week 6

FROM THE PRINCIPAL

On behalf of the Model Farms High School community, I would like to welcome Kerrie Kennon to the Deputy Principal role. Kerrie joined Model Farms from The Hills Sports High School and comes to us with great regard and an outstanding background in educational administration and provision.

I would also like to thank Mrs Julie Elliott for relieving in the Deputy Principal position since May 2018. Mrs Elliott has worked tirelessly to deliver educational outcomes for our students and her efforts have certainly been recognised and appreciated.

Student Success

Congratulations to Melissa Blume of Year 8 who has again demonstrated her outstanding sporting talents.

The National Cyclo-cross Series is an eight race series across NSW, QLD, VIC and SA. Melissa competed in enough rounds to qualify her for the National Series Podium where she placed first in the Cyclecross National Series (having won the gold medal in all five of the U15 women's races that she entered). In addition, in the one off National Championships race, Melissa took out first place in her Age Group beating the second place rider by over 5 minutes. Congratulations, Melissa!



Year 7 2019

On Tuesday 4 December, we look forward to welcoming our incoming Year 7 students for 2019 as part of their Orientation Day. Student leaders and staff will assist on the day in welcoming our new families and providing learning experiences about high school and life at Model Farms.

Recognition Assemblies

Each semester, student effort and achievement is recognised at formal assemblies including Graduation Night, Presentation Evening and our Recognition Assembly program.

I had the pleasure of attending the Year 11 Recognition Assembly on Tuesday 20 November and seeing first hand, the array of students identified for their collective effort and drive to succeed. Congratulations to all award recipients, performers and production crew for making this assembly such a success.

A reminder that the remaining recognition assemblies occur as follows, with greater detail being published in the coming weeks.

Year 7 and 9: Early Morning, Tuesday 11 December
Year 8 and 10: Mid Morning, Tuesday 11 December

The MFHS Website

As you may be aware, the school (along with all DoE schools) underwent a website redesign late last term. We are now starting to provide greater functionality to our community and I ask that you do revisit the website over the coming weeks as more material and information is uploaded to this platform.



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P & C

Our P and C meets on the first Wednesday of each month and at Model Farms High School, we are extremely fortunate to have a dedicated team that work together towards bettering the experiences of your children in their high school years.

However, there are always opportunities for new people to join the group, especially as we are losing some long time members as their children complete Year 12. Please feel welcome to come along as many hands make light work and you will be working with an excellent group of individuals. The

next P and C meeting is to be held on Wednesday 5 December at 7pm in the school Common Room.

Year 12

Year 12 students have now completed their HSC Exams and were able to dress up and relax on Thursday 15 November at their Formal. The event was held in the beautiful surrounds of Lachlan's within Old Government House Parramatta. The students looked fantastic and everyone had a very enjoyable evening. Thank you to Ms Jones and the formal committee for their outstanding organisation of the evening and the staff who were able to attend and support our students.



Have a wonderful week,

Mark Grady
Principal

FROM THE DEPUTY PRINCIPAL – MS PLEDGER

Year 11

On Tuesday we celebrated the success of Year 11 students with a recognition assembly. It was a fantastic morning and it was great to see so many parents, grandparents, friends and other supporters cheering on our Year 11's.

Year 11 is a strange year for the students; as the year draws to a close they cannot start relaxing as they have done in previous years as majority of their subjects will have an assessment task due that counts towards the HSC in the last few weeks of term. It is important for Year 11 to continue working right up until the last day of term.

All Year 11 students have been issued with their HSC assessment calendar and the rules and procedures for the HSC. Please take the time to sit down with your child and go through their schedule of tasks so that they are aware of any busy periods in 2019.

In week 4 Year 11 had our In Focus Evening. The PowerPoint presentations from that evening can be found on our school website.

<https://modelfarms-h.schools.nsw.gov.au/school-years/year-12.html>

Senior Student's and Cars

PLEASE stress to your student the importance of driving safely when leaving school of an afternoon. While I can appreciate their desire to race home and study (or attack the fridge) it is essential that driving is very careful around school zones.

All students who drive a car to school should have returned the "Permission to Travel to and from School by Private Vehicle". A copy of this form can be obtained from the front office.

Pre-loved Uniforms

If you have any preloved school shorts (both sport and boys grey shorts) please have your student drop them into my office. It is surprising how many kids tear their pants, get mud on shirts etc. and need a quick change of clothes. We also have other families that are really struggling financially at the moment. While we do our best to use the small amount of Student Assistance money allocated to us, uniforms are a significant expense. Thanks in advance for your donations.

Have a wonderful week,

Jennifer Pledger
Deputy Principal

FROM THE DEPUTY PRINCIPAL – MS KENNON

It is with excitement that I write this, my first newsletter as the Deputy Principal of Model Farms High School. I am highly honoured and grateful to be given this opportunity to be a part of the leadership team at Model Farms High School. I look forward to being a part of this great school and working with the students, staff, parents and community to develop a strong partnership to deliver a high quality of teaching and learning for all the students.

For the past 12 years of my career I have been the Head Teacher of Teaching and Learning at The Hills Sports High School. I bring with me many skills and experiences that I am keen to apply to contribute to Model Farms High School to support all students to achieve their personal best.

I would like to thank Mrs Elliot for performing the Deputy Principal role prior to my commencement. Her hard work, thorough organisation and communication has contributed to a smooth transition and enabled me to take over where she left off with minimal disruption.

Congratulations to the 2018 Year 12 students who last week completed their HSC examinations. We now all wait in anticipation for the results which are due to be released on 13th December. We wish the students success in all their future endeavours.

Years 8 and 10 students have been advised of their subjects for 2019. The majority of students would have received their first choices. Students have been advised that if they wish to make any changes they need to see Mrs Munroe in the CAPA staffroom in Week 8. Sometimes these changes are not possible due to classes being full. It is important however to have these classes finalised to ensure a smooth commencement of the 2019 school year.

Plans are well underway to celebrate the successes of the year. The Recognition Assembly for Years 8 and 10 will be held on 11th December and the Presentation evening is on the 12th December. I look forward to meeting many of our successful students along with their parents, carers and families at these events.

We are closing in on the end of the school year but much is still to be achieved. I encourage all students to continue to work hard in class, completing final assessments to finish the year off on a positive note. I am looking forward to meeting you all.

Have a wonderful week,

Kerrie Kennon
Deputy Principal

TERM 4

Week 7

| | |
|-------------------------------------|--|
| Monday 26 th November | Aeronautical Engineering Yr 11 Dance Performance Task Yr 10 Sydney Uni visit |
| Tuesday 27 th November | Multicultural Day Yr 10 Sydney Uni visit |
| Wednesday 28 th November | Yr 9 Camp |
| Thursday 29 th November | Yr 9 Camp |
| Friday 30 th November | Yr 9 Camp Yr 7 Skyworks Planetarium Incursion |
| Saturday 1 st December | Yr 6 Pathfinders Extension History Excursion |

WEEK 8

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| Monday 3 rd December | Yr 6 Pathfinders Ancient History Task 1: Source Analysis Yr 10 UNSW visit Yr 11 HSC Assessment Task 1 Yr 11 Industrial Technology: Multimedia/Timber Planning Folio and Presentation |
| Tuesday 4 th December | Yr 6 Orientation Day Combined Drama Ensemble Production Yr 12 Business Studies – Task 1: Operations Case Study Yr 10 UNSW visit |
| Wednesday 5 th December | Combined Drama Ensemble Production |
| Thursday 6 th December | Yr 9 My Digital Thumbprint Yr 8 Science Gifted and Talented Day Yr 11 Modern History HSC Assessment Task 1 |
| Friday 7 th December | Yr 8 – A Case of Identity Incursion 11SAC Task 1 Research Methods Yr 12 Engineering Studies Task |

Wellbeing News

What Is Anxiety?

Anxiety is becoming a prevalent mental illness and accounts for 70% of the mental health issues presenting in our young people.

Firstly, it is normal. Everyone experiences anxiety in situations that are scary or out of our comfort zone. Think of the anxiety you may have had with starting school, the assessment tasks piling up, exams, the job interview, the electricity bill....But there are some of us for whom anxiety takes control of areas of life and it is not to be taken lightly.

Anxiety has three components;

- Body - our heart rate increases, adrenaline surges, breathing becomes shallow and fast
- Mind – our thoughts race “what if I don’t succeed” “what if something bad happens”
- Actions – “get me out of here!”

If we have experienced fears and trepidation before and survived, the brain is more likely to have developed the coping mechanisms to see the situation for what it is. It doesn’t stop the body or the mind from racing, but we don’t let our thoughts get away from us. Perspective and experience are everything.


Avoiding scary situations interrupts the experience and the “survival” feeling afterwards. It doesn’t make the situation any less scary, but your mind learns to see that despite the heart rate increase and sweaty palms, you will come through.

For a person with an anxiety disorder, often resulting in panic attacks, these scary experiences happen more frequently and can seem to the outsider as irrational. You may not have a fear of needles, but to someone who does, it is an all-encompassing fear at vaccination time.

Some things to think about;

- Targeting anxiety early can improve the adult life down the track, with reduced likelihood of depression. Intervene early – raise it with the school – take on board the school raising it with you about your child.
- Students rarely present with just one type of anxiety. There are multiple pathways for students to develop anxiety. It isn’t so much the “how” but the “what” that keeps it going which should be focused on.

Danger of AVOIDANCE - The more you stay away from the situations that make you anxious, the more problematic. The neural pathways in the brain which grow throughout your childhood, into adolescence can become like “streets” or “highways” to the feelings of anxiety and fear, the more they are used. If left “unpoliced” during development, they become the superhighways of thought. An unavoidable thought process or pattern every time we face something difficult or unfamiliar.



The benefit of APPROACH - Developing strategies to help our students “approach” the fears and trepidations rather than “avoid” situations gives them a better understanding of reality and helps them in the long run. There are some students who will need professional help in the short term to gain cognitive control in the long term. The school Counsellor, Year Advisers or Head Teacher Welfare can help students and their families facing this challenge.

(Notes adapted from Webinar by Jennie Hudson – Director of the Centre for Emotional Health, Macquarie University)

FROM HSIE FACULTY

Start Smart Program for Commerce

This year our Year 9 Commerce students participated in the “Start Smart Program” for secondary students, designed and delivered by the Commonwealth Bank.

The Start Smart Secondary program offered a set of workshops developed for students in Years 7 -11. Each workshop focused on a different topic in depth and explored financial concepts such as understanding the impact of financial choices, getting your first job and managing your mobile phone as well as basic investment principles, savings goals and budgeting. This program was an interactive learning experience, designed to engage students and empower them to make confident financial choices.

Tess Dobre, who was an outstanding facilitator, delivered Start Smart sessions this year. She had her own individual style of teaching and engaging students and she equipped our students with money management skills for life. Students thoroughly enjoyed this program. Thank you Tess and the Commonwealth Bank, for this initiative.



Swati Dey
HSIE Teacher

FROM THE MATHEMATICS FACULTY

From the Faculty that Counts!

Congratulations to the following Maths merit recipients:

Year 11

Jacob W

Yearly Examinations and Reports

All year groups have completed the Yearly Examinations for Mathematics and now teachers are completing reports. Students are reminded that the work that is now being completed in class is important and is preparing them for their studies next year.

Year 11

Year 11 have now started their HSC courses. We request that ALL students in Standard 1 and 2 Mathematics have a textbook to work from at home and in class when required. Five Senses offers a 10% discount for Model Farms High School students. They will complete their first HSC assessment tasks for all levels of Mathematics in the next few weeks. Please refer to their assessment booklets for details.

| <i>Level</i> | <i>Assessment Task Date</i> |
|----------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Advanced Mathematics (2 unit) | |
| Extension 1 | |
| Extension 2 | |
| Standard 2 Mathematics | |
| Standard 1 Mathematics 1 | |

Calculators:

Please make sure that all students have their own calculator. The Casio fx-82AU PLUS II is sold at the uniform shop for \$35. Different brands of scientific calculators have different layouts and it is important that everyone in a class has the same calculator. Students need this calculator from Year 7. It is vital for their progress that students are familiar with their calculator and know how to use the different functions.

**Have a Mathematical week,
Ms Kellie Lumley, Head Teacher Mathematics
and the Maths Faculty Staff**

FROM THE SCIENCE AND AGRICULTURE FACULTY

Spectacular Science

The Spectacular Science excursion will be running again this year on Wednesday the 21st of November, with 54 Year 7 students from the GAT class and Science Group receiving the first invitations. The excursion takes place at Sydney University where students will participate hands-on science activities such as catching creepy-crawlies amongst the scrub, use a microscope to see the animals in the finest detail and map the relationships between these tiny animals. Also students will learn the chemistry of making slime, and will freeze a range of materials in liquid nitrogen and smash them. They will also meet real scientists who'll share what they are discovering about the world around us.



Past group that have attended Spectacular Science at Sydney University

Australian Aerospace coming to Model Farms



On Monday the 26th of November a former high school student Harrison Papagianis, who is the NSW Outreach Manager of the Australian Youth Aerospace Association, will be speaking and giving students an insight into the Australian Aerospace industry. Year 11 Engineering and Physics students, Science group in Years 9 & 10 and Year 9 stem will be attending.

From the Science Faculty

Sculptures by the Sea

Dillo D.S

Recently, Year 9 art students went on an excursion to Sculptures by the Sea. Sculptures by the Sea is one of the world's largest sculpture displays which consists of many intriguing and beautiful artworks from around the world being displayed at Bondi Beach. After a few interviews with some of the art students, we were lucky enough to get an insight on their thoughts and opinions of the exhibition.

Maya Lim

Maya said she really enjoyed the sculptures and loved the excursion. She found the sculptures interesting and felt that most of the Bondi setting fitted well with the sculptures.

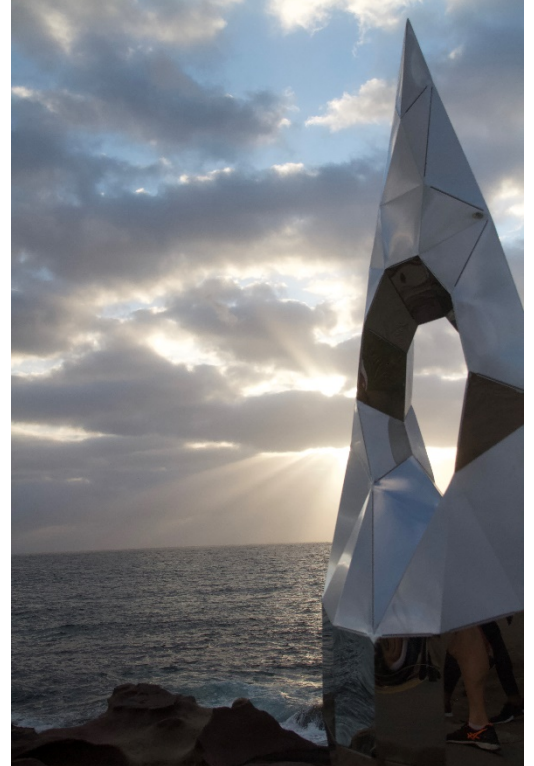
Ryan McGukin

Ryan really enjoyed the excursion and in particular, a large statue of a buddha like figure. He said that Bondi Beach was a good area to showcase the sculptures and it was a good visual experience.

Claire Giffin, Tahlia Powell and Felicity Herrera

Claire, Tahlia and Felicity also enjoyed Sculptures by the Sea. They would like to see more interesting sculptures next year with lots of meaning. Some pictures of the amazing showcase are shown below.

Photo Credit: Dillon D.S.



FROM THE ENGLISH FACULTY

English Extension 2 Excursion



On Friday, 16 November, our three Extension 2 students (Amy B-T, Nikita B and Jane K) attended a study day organised by the English Teachers Association at the University of Sydney. The day included a range of helpful sessions, such as: managing their Major Work, a focus on form, how to conduct rigorous research, as well as talks from previous Extension 2 students. The girls found the excursion to be highly valuable and it gave them some motivation and inspiration to begin their own writing journey. I'm very much looking forward to working alongside these girls in the completion of their Major Works.

Miss Estacio



MODEL FARMS HIGH SCHOOL



| GRADE SPORT | vs Greystanes VENUE | Snrs Away ROOM | Round 7 TIME | 28/11/18 STAFF | HT |
|-------------------------------|-------------------------|--|-----------------|---|------------------|
| BOYS GRADE | | | | | |
| Open Baseball | Training | 1UW4 | 12:15 – 2:40 | Stevenson | MC |
| Open Cricket | Darling St | 7U4 | 12:15 – 2:40 | Jimenez | JB2 |
| Open B'ball a/b | GRHS | 8UCR5 | 12:15 – 2:40 | Wood | VL |
| 15's Basketball a/b | MFHS | 6UL2 | 12:15 – 2:40 | Villagran | FH |
| Open's Touch a/b | Bathurst St | 1UW3 | 12:15 – 2:40 | Skala | MC |
| 15's Touch a/b | Gooden Res | 7U2 | 12:15 – 2:40 | Keen | JC |
| GIRLS GRADE | | | | | |
| Open Oztag a/b | Bathurst St | 5G1 | 12:15 – 2:40 | Attenborough | JB |
| 15s Oztag a | Gooden Res | 8G3 | 12:15 - 2:40 | Unicomb | JB2 |
| Open V'ball a/b | GRHS | 6GL2 | 12:15 – 2:40 | Edwards | FH |
| 15's Volleyball a/b | MFHS | 3MU1 | 12:15 – 2:40 | Gregory | JM |
| Open Netball a/b | Bathurst St | 8G2 | 12:15 – 2:40 | Brown | JB |
| 15's Netball a/b | Gooden Res | 7U6 | 12:15 – 2:40 | R.Puleo | JC |
| REC SPORT | | | | | |
| Rock Climbing \$7.50 + bus | The Edge Castle Hill | | 12:15 – 2:40 | Forrest, Luttringer | KL |
| Ten Pin Wondabowl | AMF Castle Hill | | 12:15 – 2:40 | Murdocca, Sabel | JB2 |
| Flipout \$8 + bus | Castle Hill | | 12:15 – 2:40 | Pappas, Nguyen | MC |
| Anytime Fitness (16yrs +) | Winston Hills | 8U2 | 12:40 – 2:40 | M.Dawson, Snell | KL |
| Tennis Olympus \$5 | Winston Hills | 6GL1 | 12:40 – 2:40 | Owen, Kabbara | FH |
| Theatre sports | MFHS | 3UDR4 | 12:40-2:40 | Merton-Simons | JB |
| Table Tennis | MFHS | TLC | 12:40 – 2:40 | Middleton, D'Souza/Manson | JB |
| Rec Walking | Around | 8G1 Year 8 A-H 8U7 Year 8 I-Z 8U3 Year 9 A-J 8U4 Year 9 K-Z 4GL2 Year 10 4GL3 Year 11 | 12:40 – 2:40 | Toovey, McNamara Burnand, Cole John, Myers, Rawat , Walsh O'Reilly, Vella (A) | SB ER (DH) |
| House Sport Touch | MFHS | 6UL1 | 12:40 – 2:40 | Bugo/Gardener, Moore | JM |
| House Sport Netball | MFHS | 7G6 | 12:40 – 2:40 | Medina, Peet | KL |
| House Sport Soccer | MFHS | 7G5, 4GL4 | 12:40 – 2:40 | Tiedemann, Wawrzyniak | VL |
| Communication s | MFHS | 7U7 | 12:40 – 2:40 | Letherbarrow | JC |
| NON SPORT | School | 8G3 | 12:40 – 2:40 | Dey | DD |
| SPORT DETENTION | School | 7U1 | 12:40 – 3:00 | Jideh | DD |

Greer, Munro



UNIFORM SHOP



Trading Days and Hours
Monday, Wednesday and Friday
8.10 am until 9.00 am

Payment Options
Cash - Eftpos - Visa - Mastercard

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## **PAYMENT OPTIONS**

Please note that **CHEQUES** are **NOT** accepted as a form of payment for purchases from the Uniform Shop.

Acceptable payment options are:  
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VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

PLEASE

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Do **YOU** have a spare hour to volunteer please ?

~~ Even one day per month - especially in Term 4 and Term 1 ~~

We can guarantee lots of laughs and smiles.

Please come in and see me or ring the office and leave your details.



A huge  to our current
Amazing Volunteers

Di Mayer
Kathy Doherty
Marta Irvine
Ann Simmonds

Fiona Bennetts
Sarojini Subramaniam
Cathy McMillan

**Your dedication, hard work, friendship and laughs
is always appreciated !!!**

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# YEAR 10 STUDENTS

PURCHASE YOUR  
**SENIOR** UNIFORM  
NOW

We recommend you purchase your Senior Uniform as soon as possible. Don't leave it until the last minute

# MODEL FARMS HIGH SCHOOL

## UNIFORM PRICE LIST

### TRADING DAYS and HOURS

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| <b>ITEM</b>                               | <b>PRICE</b> |
|-------------------------------------------|--------------|
| <b>BOYS</b>                               |              |
| Shirt - Blue (Junior) / White (Senior)    | \$35         |
| Shorts - Grey                             | \$35         |
| Long Trousers - Grey                      | \$45         |
| <b>GIRLS</b>                              |              |
| Blouse - Blue (Junior)                    | \$25         |
| Blouse - Blue (Junior - New Style)        | \$40         |
| Blouse - White (Senior)                   | \$40         |
| Skirt - Check (Junior) / Grey (Senior)    | \$65         |
| Long Pants                                | \$40         |
| <b>JUMPERS</b>                            |              |
| Fleecy                                    | \$45         |
| Wool - (Australian Wool)                  | \$85         |
| <b>SPORT</b>                              |              |
| Top                                       | \$40         |
| Shorts                                    | \$35         |
| <b>TRACKSUIT (By Order only)</b>          |              |
| Jacket Only                               | \$75         |
| Pants Only                                | \$50         |
| Complete Set                              | \$120        |
| <b>MISCELLANEOUS</b>                      |              |
| Apron                                     | \$15         |
| Calculator                                | \$35         |
| Tie - Junior / Senior                     | \$20         |
| Blazer                                    | \$200        |
| Exercise Books - ie. maths, music, normal | \$various    |

2018/2019 - Prices subject to change without notice – includes 10% GST



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Monday, Wednesday and Friday  
8.10 am until 9.00 am

**Payment Options**  
Cash - Visa - Mastercard

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Last Day of Trading 2018

Friday - 7th December

Extra Trading Days

2018

Saturday - 24th November

9.00 am - 1.00 pm

2019

Saturday - 12th January

9.00 am - 1.00 pm

The Uniform Shop Re-opens

FRIDAY 1st FEBRUARY

For Normal Trading

PLEASE NOTE:

SHOP WILL NOT BE OPEN ON FIRST DAYS OF
SCHOOL

UNIFORM SHOP



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TRACKSUITS

Please be advised that

ALL ORDERS

for Tracksuits

CLOSE

FRIDAY

22 FEBRUARY 2019

SPORT BUS PASSES CAN NOT BE PURCHASED ON WEDNESDAYS

Please indicate preferred pass:

- A 5 trip pass for \$37.50 No. of passes _____ Total \$ _____
- A 10 trip pass for \$75.00 No. of passes _____ Total \$ _____

Name of Student/s _____ Year/s _____

Payment by: CASH

CHEQUE

**CHANGE OF CONTACT INFORMATION
MODEL FARMS HIGH SCHOOL**

Name of Student: _____ **Year** _____

New Address: _____

_____ **Postcode:** _____

Correspondence: _____

_____ **Postcode:** _____

Email Address: _____

New Home Phone No. _____

Mother Mobile: _____

Mother Work: _____

Father Mobile: _____

Father Work _____

Emergency Contact if changed: _____

Phone No. _____

Any change in Medical Condition e.g. Allergy, Asthma etc.

Details _____

Bus Pass: YES / NO

SCHOOL NEWS

Sarina Russo
Apprenticeships



NOVEMBER 2018

Introducing Felicity Zeiher –Youth Engagement Officer

Felicity has joined our New South Wales and ACT team and is looking forward to working with schools and youth agencies.

Felicity has a diverse working background; starting many years ago in the shearing sheds of rural NSW as a Roustabout, right through to most recently in the Children's Court as a Youth Worker. Through her experience, Felicity has developed a strong social justice focus in her approach to working with youth and she is passionate about guiding and supporting young people to identify and achieve their goals.

"I have a genuine desire to create opportunity and independence in the lives of young people by promoting and encouraging engagement with jobs, education and training".



KICK START YOUR 2019!

Considering a School Based Apprenticeship next year?

To get an advantage starting your career, School Based Apprenticeships are a great way to go. You can continue your schooling and complete Year 12 and begin your career at the same time; working and studying for a trade or occupation part time from age 15 years or older. When you leave school at the end of year 12 you will have completed the first part of your trade qualification. What a great head start to your career. What's even better is you are getting paid while you are doing your School Base Apprenticeship.

Want to know more? Contact your Youth Engagement Officer and they can tell you more or they can assist you to link-up with current School Based opportunities.





FINISHING YEAR 12? WHAT'S NEXT?

If you are completing Year 12 this year and want to start an apprenticeship or traineeship, go straight to our Jobs Board and see what is available. We have about 200 jobs available all the time and towards the end of the year our employers begin looking for even more new apprentices and trainees.

Jump straight in and register (if you haven't done so already) and then begin applying for the jobs we have available at:

<http://srajobs.sarinarusso.com/>

TERM 4 TIPS / REMINDERS

With the end of term 4 only weeks away, students completing a School Based Apprenticeship (SBAT or ASBA) and will be moving from an SBAT/ASBA arrangement to 'Full Time Employment' with their current employer, may need to take action to affect the transition. These actions vary from state to state.

VIC: A 'Variation Form' is required in order to update the 'Employment Type' to Full Time Employment. Variation Forms will be issued directly to the Employer upon request. For those who will not be continuing their SBAT, a 'Cancellation Form' is required.

ACT: Contact your Apprenticeship Provider (Sarina Russo Apprenticeships) to notify them of your change to Full Time Employment and they will make the change for you.

NSW: No action is required.

Please contact your YEO for assistance, and support your students with communicating this process to their employers.

SRA CHRISTMAS CLOSURE PERIOD

From all the staff at Sarina Russo Apprenticeships we would like to thank you for a GREAT YEAR and look forward to all the fabulous things 2019 has to offer our new students!

Please note our offices will be closed between the following dates:

Friday 21st December 2018 and will re-open Wednesday 2nd January 2019.



YOUTH ENGAGEMENT OFFICERS

Got a question or need help with an apprenticeship or traineeship for one of your students?
Contact one of our Youth Engagement Officers:



NSW & ACT

Felicity Zeiher

E: ZeiherF@sarinarusso.com.au



VIC

Kathy Bakopoulos

E: bakopoulosK@sarinarusso.com.au



Goulburn Valley, North East
Victoria and Southern NSW

Ben Watts

E: WattsB@sarinarusso.com.au



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Apprenticeships



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Tailored advice and support for your Apprentices.

Model Farms High School **P&C**



Floral Expressions

We have registered with Floral Expressions, Northmead, and every time anyone purchases from their store, the school will receive **10%** of the purchase price as a donation.

If you are purchasing flowers, please consider using Floral Expressions, and don't forget to tell them you are from Model Farms High School.

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Term 4 Tuition:

- K-9: Preparation for Yearly Examinations
- Year 10: Preparation for Yearly Examinations and get a head start on Year 11 courses FOR ANY SUBJECT AREA
- Year 11/12: Start of the 2019 HSC, get a head start on content and skills for ANY SUBJECT AREA

WHY HIRE A TUTOR?

- Some children need individual attention. In today's over-crowded classroom atmosphere, teachers will not be able to provide this.
- A tutor will prepare the child well for class tests and final exams.
- Working with a tutor will help the child to develop a study schedule.
- While studying, children easily get distracted with videogames, TV and other activities at home. A tutor will help in minimising these distractions.

CONTACT Tim Fragogiannis on 0403 293 665 and visit my Facebook page:

www.facebook.com/onetoonetuition