



BATHURST HIGH CAMPUS NEWSLETTER

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From the Principal's Desk

The 2017 school year started for students on Monday 30th January 2017 with our very large Year 7 group and their Year 11 Peer Support Leaders settling into classroom activities aimed at getting to know their new school. I am sure that many of these new students found their first few days of High School a daunting prospect, however, all students have settled quickly and are now focussed on learning across all areas of the curriculum. I could clearly relate to how the new students were feeling as Friday 27th January 2017 seemed like my first day of High School after taking up my new position as Principal Bathurst High Campus of Denison College. Thirty years ago I completed my Higher School Certificate at Bathurst High School aiming to one-day return as principal of this prestigious school.

2017 School Captains Eve Currie and Nick Johnson

Vice Captains Holly Davis, Ella Purser, Sam Neary and Jacob Zammitt



Pictured Left

Jacob Zammitt, Holly Davis, Nick Johnson, Mr Ken Barwick, Eve Currie, Sam Neary and Ella Purser.

Over the past three weeks I have really enjoyed my contact with both the students and staff of Bathurst High Campus. This is truly an amazing school with talented students across all areas of the curriculum, engaging in many internal and external programs which support learning and development.

I have been particularly impressed with the drive and determination of the staff to cater for students in a variety of school programs such as sport, performing arts, mathematics tutoring and reading programs. There are also many excursions being organised to supplement classroom learning, with overseas excursions requiring more than twelve months prior planning. Well done to all staff for your dedication to these activities. Another initial highlight for me has been working with the school's student leadership team with the Year 12 Advisor, Mrs Simeonidis. These impressive students take a lead role in organising all school assemblies and other key educational events which impact on all students across the school.

The first few weeks of the school year have certainly provided us with some extreme weather. Our school staff have needed to enforce our extreme weather policy on a few occasions which has allowed students to access supervised indoor areas to find refuge from the heat. I would advise all students to bring a hat to school, stay out of the direct sun and remain hydrated with water at all times.

From the Principal's Desk cont....



On Tuesday 31st January 2017 I had the pleasure of attending my first Denison College High Achievers' Ceremony at the School of Engineering CSU. I was excited to meet the quality students who gathered from both campuses and I was 'blown away' with the professional standard of the evening. Denison College has many exceptional students who are achieving at a very high academic standard. Quality addresses were delivered from both sets of School Captains and it was a really nice way for me to commence my duties as Principal – Bathurst High Campus. I would like to acknowledge and congratulate the students across both campuses in Years 10, 11 and 12 who excelled in their academic studies throughout 2016. Well done to all involved in the organisation of this amazing school event and spectacle.

Another interesting moment during my first few weeks as Principal was being interviewed by my own son Campbell, who is a Year 7 student. There have been many occasions over the past 25 years in education when students have interviewed me as part of their classwork, research or homework assignments. Thursday 9th February 2017 will be one I remember when I was asked questions about the obstacles I have overcome in my life on my journey to Principal of Bathurst High Campus. It proved to be an interesting interview with Campbell asking the questions and essentially answering them as well while Mr Power took notes. I'm sure it will not be the last time I will be interviewed as part of an English assignment.

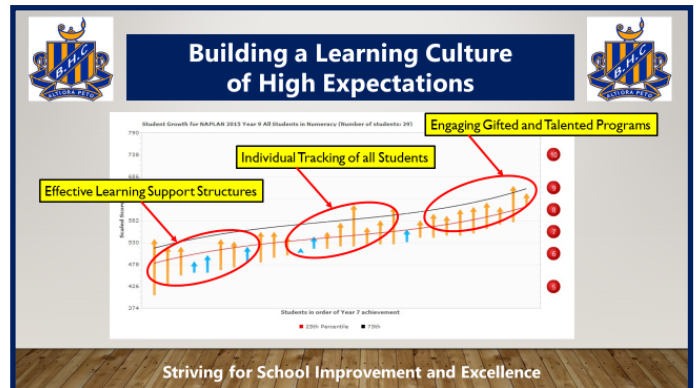
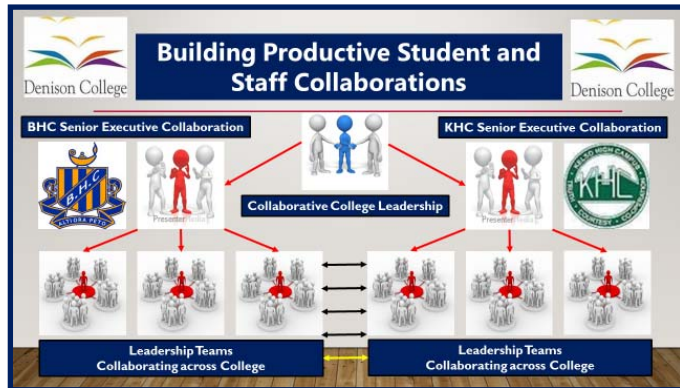


A new school year often brings new students and families to our school and the Bathurst community and in 2017 we have again welcomed many new students from all over NSW along with our Year 7 students from the primary partner schools. I would like to welcome all our new students and their families to Denison College – Bathurst High Campus. At the end of 2016 we anticipated a total enrolment of 1038 students and as some students have moved away, they have been replaced by our new students. On Wednesday 8th February 2017, our actual enrolment figures have reached a staggering 1071, a significant increase. Year 7 enrolments have soared to 228 students, and all other year groups have also increased except for Year 10 where some students have transitioned to Skillset.

From the Principal's Desk cont....

As Principal of Bathurst High Campus my aim is to work in *partnership with all members of the school community* to develop a learning culture where *all* students achieve success. I will endeavour to *support teachers professionally* in developing a generation of *confident, innovative, creative and inspired learners* who are responsible and productive global citizens.

School promotion through our school web site, Facebook, local radio, newsletters, newspapers and school magazine will continue to be improved throughout 2017, as we continue to provide our students and their families in Bathurst up-to-date information, highlighting all that is great about Bathurst High Campus.



Bathurst High Campus is extremely excited to welcome many new staff to our wonderful school. Some have been appointed permanently and others are on temporary contracts until positions can be filled. It's always great to introduce new staff to the school community and the following staff are very excited to be working at Bathurst High Campus of Denison College of Secondary Education.



New staff at Bathurst High Campus from left to right -

Mrs Rosie Weithaler – Head Teacher Science, Mr Stuart Hastings – HSIE Teacher,
Miss Chelsea Davis – Performing Arts Teacher, Miss Abbie Sevil – English and Visual Arts Teacher,
Miss Emily Maher – HSIE Teacher, Miss Bianca Garling – Science Teacher,
Miss Donalee Delahunty – Mathematics Teacher, Miss Brooke Scoffield – English Teacher and
Mr Ken Barwick – Principal.

Building Improvements at Bathurst High Campus

There have been many building improvements made throughout the school holidays and there are many more ahead over the next 12 weeks or so.

The following have been completed –

- Refurbishment of two science labs.
- Resurfacing of external exit to Keppel Street – WHS.
- Renumbering of all teaching spaces – for all students.
- Painting – Edges of all external opening doors, toilet doors

Further work to be completed

- Painting handrails.
- Safety fencing around top basketball courts.
- Installation of more handrails on both sides of stairs.
- New and improved signage.



It is very important that parents notify the school when student details change! Change of address, phone numbers and new email addresses need to be passed onto our office staff so that contact can be made quickly when required. Please contact the office if you have changed any details recently. If you have any questions about any of the programs at Bathurst High Campus, please contact the school on 02 6331 3755.

Ken Barwick

Principal

Bathurst High Campus

Denison College of Secondary Education

Phone: 02 6331 3755



College Principal's Report

February, 2017

Welcome Back!

A particular welcome to all new families and staff at both campuses of Denison College. We return to 2017 with well over 1800 students enrolled across both campuses and some significant change.

College Staffing

As advised at the end of 2016, there are a number of college positions that have changed. Mrs Chapman (Head Teacher Senior Studies, Bathurst HC) has taken leave prior to retirement and is replaced for 2017 by Des Crawford who has returned to BHC after spending 2016 at Kelso HC as Head Teacher Admin (Relieving).

Alexa Barr (formerly Head Teacher Science, Bathurst HC) assumes the role of Head Teacher Junior Studies, Bathurst HC, replacing Mrs Bertolin who has been appointed as Deputy Principal, Canobolas Rural Technology HS. My sincere thanks to Miss Burt, who was looking after this role while Mrs Bertolin was 'on loan' to Canobolas.

Mrs Murphy (Head Teacher Senior Studies, Kelso HC) was successful in her application for the position of Deputy Principal (Acting), Denison College. This is funded through an allowance that the College receives due to my position as Deputy President of the NSW Secondary Principals' Council. This position was created to support my work across the college and allows me to fulfil my other professional commitments without impacting on college operations.

I would particularly like to welcome Mr Barwick to the position of Principal, Bathurst High, following Mr Hastings' retirement. Mr Barwick brings a wealth of experience and energy to this position, and I am looking forward to continuing to work with him in this new role.

High Achievers' Reception

The Annual High Achievers' Reception was held at the Charles Sturt University School of Engineering on Tuesday 31st January. This recognises the top 10 academic achievers at each campus in Years 10, 11 and 12 (2016) and is a great way to kick off the academic year. The recipients in Years 10 and 11 are determined following a detailed analysis of school assessment and reporting information. Year 12 students are those who have achieved Band 6 (or equivalent) in the HSC or who achieved a confirmed ATAR over 90.

Shared Courses

Students in Years 11 and 12 commenced their shared courses on Tuesday 31st January. Whilst this is business as usual for Year 12, I have met with all Year 11 students involved and Mr Crawford and Mrs Murphy have given them a brief induction and tour of the campuses to ensure that they are comfortable and confident in what to do and where to get assistance. Year 11 students will receive their Preliminary Course Handbook shortly, which will further outline expectations and procedures.

It is a mandatory requirement that all Year 11 students complete the **All My Own Work** program before they can be entered into the Preliminary Course. Both campuses delivered this on Thursday 2nd February.

A Decade of Growth

2017 is the 10th Anniversary of the commencement of Denison College and we are looking forward to an exciting year.

Craig Petersen
College Principal



High Achievers Reception Tuesday 31st January 2017



News from the Deputy Principal Middle School

2017 - THE NEW SCHOOL YEAR

To all new students, teachers and parents welcome to Bathurst High Campus.

To all current students, staff and parents, welcome back.

Our wish is that the future together here is enjoyable, happy, friendly and educationally rewarding.

Our new Year 7 students are especially welcome. It is a whole new experience, I know, but don't be overwhelmed. Ask if you are confused; there are staff and peer support students to help you adjust.

Maybe start by asking your Year Adviser.

Get straight down to work in each of your subjects. Procrastinating-delaying starting is not a good idea. You will get behind and make things more difficult. Be determined to learn and achieve; you will feel good about yourself.

Mutual respect is an essential for belonging to the BHC community. Respect to your peers at all times - in the classroom, in the corridors, in the playground is a must for having a healthy and effective school. It goes without saying, respect your teachers.

We must be respectful and promote positive relationships at all levels in our school.

To see a fellow student alone, isolated, trying to cope without back-up is a real tragedy: don't let it happen. I am sure that all true-hearted students, staff members and parents want this in the interest of quality education at Bathurst High Campus.

Have a great year.

Pat Ford
Relieving Deputy Principal
Middle School



News from the Deputy Principal Senior School

It's full steam ahead for all in the Senior School. Year 10 students have settled into their electives and core classes. This is an important year as students demonstrate their abilities in their subjects. Student skills and knowledge in individual subjects contributes to their choices of courses in the Year 11 Preliminary Course, 2018. Our *Future Directions* processes, where parents and students select their senior pattern of study for the HSC, begin in Term 3.

Year 10 students have the opportunity to undertake work experience in the last two weeks of the year. Students need to start thinking about possible work sites. Well planned work experience is extremely valuable and many opportunities have arisen due to work experience. Formal notification and information will be distributed in Term 3.

Year 11 are moving to Mount Panorama on the 23rd February to participate in the Rotary Youth Driver Awareness program. Information about this essential program goes home this week.

Students undertaking a Vocational Education and Training (VET) subject, such as Kitchen Operations, or Live Production will have an induction meeting on the 9th March. Ms Waldron, the VET Coordinator and guest speakers will ensure students have a clear understanding of the course requirements and the importance of completing the work placement- a mandatory component of VET courses.

There have been students coming to see me to alter their pattern of study. Changes are only made after parents have signed the blue form. There will be no changes after the 17th February.

Finally, it is very important that students in the Senior School bring their laptop or other device with a keyboard to classes. We are all learning how to use One Note for organization and continue to use Google Classroom.

Best wishes for the rest of the term.

Gaye Dunshea
Deputy Principal
Senior School



News from our Maths Faculty

Congratulations to all parents and carers who have sent your students off for a new year in correct uniform with all the necessary equipment and devices. All of our classes have been very settled, and this makes the learning of the content much easier when we all have the right equipment.

Just in case you have not been able to purchase the necessary equipment, each student needs to bring a 5mm grid book (which is available from the Maths staffroom or front office @ \$1), pens, pencil, ruler, BYOD and a

scientific calculator to EVERY lesson. We have noticed some students are not bringing their calculators, which are essential for our syllabuses, so please help them find them if they have been misplaced over the holidays. The front office sells scientific calculators for \$25 if you have missed the 'back to school specials' in town.

We are trying something new in Years 7 – 10.

This year the Mathematics Key Learning Area is moving to digital/interactive text books for Years 7 through to 10. Bathurst High is one of the very first public schools to use these digital texts west of the Blue Mountains. These digital texts are significantly cheaper for an annual licence, at a cost of \$30 for the year so your student will get given an access code to use the textbook both in school and out of school, without breaching copyright laws. We will no longer be printing any chapters or booklets for students in these years. It is vital that your student brings their device (which carries their Maths text book) to every lesson also.

The online text book is not just a digital copy of the paper copy.

Positives for Students

eBookPLUS is an electronic version of the textbook that also includes a range of additional digital resources including videos, interactivities and links to relevant material on the internet.

Below are the different features that come with the text book for the children to use.

- 3 eLessons** — animated and video lessons that bring key concepts to life
- 4 Learning Objects** — Learning Objects are educational activities that run from your computer instead of the internet.
- 5 Interactivities** — online activities that enhance understanding through hands-on experience
- 6 ProjectsPLUS** — ICT-based projects that use an innovative research management system featuring video introductions, templates for students to build their projects, and weblinks to resources
- 7 Weblinks** — instant links to relevant, targeted content on the internet

There is also a notes section where teachers can enter important comments for students to refer to as they complete different activities. Students are able to write comments back.

Under settings, the background can be changed to different colours for students with dyslexia or Irlen syndrome (which we have a few of).

Students can download each chapter of the text book for access at home if there is trouble with the internet. (The PDF file will not be interactive)

We also have assessOn for free this year. assessOn gives student's access to a massive store of questions that they can use for review and study purposes. This is great for study for NAPLAN as well. Teachers can use assessOn for readiness, progress or achievement. When students create their own tests they can practice as much as they like.

Maths Faculty News cont....

The perfect companion to the Maths Quest series, assessON is a powerful online assessment tool that evaluates and tracks students' readiness for learning, their progress as they learn, and their levels of achievement.

So that we can start using this new, interactive text, all students who have been bringing their devices to school have been shown or given the first unit of work in their texts. However, until the full \$30 is paid, your student cannot be given the remainder of the text. Please make this payment ASAP, and call your child's classroom teacher, or Ms Sheader, if there are any difficulties which arise.

Who's new in Maths in 2017?

We would like to welcome Miss Donalee Delahunty to both Bathurst and Bathurst High. She was appointed to our school in a permanent capacity at the end of last year. Currently, we are trying to fill two vacant positions in our faculty, and while this process was being implemented, we have had the very capable Mrs McLuskie, Ms Monti and Mrs Lee filling in. It is so wonderful to have qualified, Maths trained, staff available to help when we need them. Listen out in the future to hear who these positions have been awarded too.

Looking for something to do?

Curious Minds Winter Camp 4 to 7 July Mentoring for girls with interest and skill in mathematics, science, technology, engineering. <https://www.asi.edu.au/programs/curious-minds/what-is-curious-minds/>

Look out for a new release movie 'HIDDEN FIGURES'. Be inspired by the incredible story of the women who crossed all gender and race lines to serve as the brains behind one of the greatest operations in history.

Middle School Project

This is a project/unit of work which has been developed between the staff at Bathurst High and our feeder schools West Bathurst and Eglinton.

This unit is called "Don't Get Lost" and it involves numerous mathematical processes and skills, including:

- ◆ reading maps using alphanumeric grid references
- ◆ locating points on a Cartesian number plane
- ◆ reading timetables: school, bus, train, ferry
- ◆ calculating differences in time
- ◆ following directions
- ◆ using Google maps to calculate distances

One of the aims of this transitional unit from Primary to High school is for students to not feel overwhelmed by the new content when they reach high school, as they have potentially already learnt and discussed some of these concepts. It also allows for more practical and hands-on tasks to be undertaken within the classroom amongst new peers. Next page we have included some photos of Ms Sheader's class playing a game of "Just Cruising" – look at the intense and competitive nature of some of her students!

What a wonderful start to the year!

If, at any stage, you have questions or concerns about what is happening in your child's Maths class, please contact their teacher, come to talk about it at Parent/Teacher evenings or ring Ms Sheader (Head Teacher). Thorough and constant communication is encouraged to foster success.

Maths Faculty News cont....

Year 7 “Just Cruising” in Ms Sheader’s class!



Creative and Performing Arts Faculty

2017 Extra-Curricular Program

<i>Event</i>	<i>KLA</i>	<i>Day</i>	<i>Time</i>	<i>Place</i>	<i>Coordinator</i>
Chill Factor Band	Music	Monday	3-30pm - 4-45pm	K13	Brent Dickson
Concert Band	Music	Tuesday	3-30pm - 4-45pm	K13	Andrew Smith
Drama Ensemble	Drama	Tuesday	4-00pm - 5-15pm	H38	Cassandra Burt
Swing Factor Band	Music	Tuesday	6-30pm - 8-30pm	K13	Andrew Smith
Sketch Club	Visual Arts	Wednesday	Lunch Time	K9	Anastasia Freeman
Junior Dance Ensemble	Dance	Wednesday	Lunch Time	P56	Brett Hartmann
Dance Company	Dance	Thursday	8-00am - 8-55am	P56	Brett Hartmann
Vocal Group	Music	Thursday	3-30pm - 4-30pm	K12	Veronica Manock



Bathurst and Kelso High dance students at the Seymour Centre after viewing the CallBack Performances and participating in a choreography workshop.

WSSA Swimming & Athletics



Denison College of Secondary Education



Policy for representing at WSSA Swimming and Athletics and other carnivals conducted by CHS or WSSA bodies

Students wishing to represent at WSSA Swimming and Athletics must meet the requirements for the qualifying times/distances. These will be available from the WSSA web site; http://www.sports.det.nsw.edu.au/western/trial_chp_info/index.htm Other carnivals conducted by either WSSA or CHS bodies will be governed by CHS rules for qualification; <http://www.sports.det.nsw.edu.au/nswchs/welcome.htm>

WSSA Swimming and WSSA Athletics

Qualifying times/distances must be adhered to and there will be a maximum of 2 entries for each age and event as per WSSA regulations. These entries are to be placed online by the WSSA and CHS organiser from BHC, other selection guidelines as per policy guidelines below;

Selection for all WSSA and CHS representative events will have the following procedures;

1. School Carnival times to be used as much as possible for the event that the student wishes to attend WSSA Carnivals in Swimming and Athletics.
 - Previous times/distances will also be used if these can be confirmed by governing body at club, district, regional or state level competition.
 - If sickness has been a factor, previous times from the last 12 months may be used if confirmation from the governing body can be supplied.
2. Both of WSSA Swimming and WSSA Athletic carnivals' times/distances will be used unless the above criteria can be supplied prior to the carnival date.
3. Electronic submission of entries for WSSA Swimming and Athletics to be done by the organiser of each school carnival via meet manager program and then emailed to WSSA convenor.
4. A copy of the final entries for each athlete from the WSSA convenor will be supplied to the athlete prior to the carnival date, this copied for them to take home and a master copy kept on file after student has signed for BHC records.
5. Travel and supervision to be determined by numbers of students and VOR arrangements communicated to DP Middle School.
6. Students wishing to enter events/sports not covered by school carnivals to be determined by CHS governing body and communicated to CHS organiser.
 - This information to be communicated in student notices and newsletters.
 - Cut-off dates for entry and information to be determined by CHS organiser.
 - Time frame and representative guidelines to be supplied to parents in the first newsletter of each year.
 - School notices to be used to notify students of upcoming WSSA and CHS carnivals, requesting EOI from students and seeking nomination information from interested students.

Vaccinations 2017

Each year NSW Health works with schools to offer the vaccines recommended for adolescents by the National Health and Medical Research Council (NHMRC).

In 2017, the following vaccines will be offered to all Year 7 students:

Human Papillomavirus (HPV) vaccine in a 2-dose schedule at 0 and 6 months

Diphtheria-Tetanus-Pertussis (whooping cough) vaccine (dTpa) as a single dose

Varicella vaccine (chickenpox) as a single dose

Parental/guardian consent is required for students to be vaccinated. Parents/guardians who wish to withdraw their consent for any reason may do so by contacting the school or the Public Health Unit.

Students in Year 7 will receive their information pack containing consent forms in the coming weeks ready for the first scheduled round of vaccinations taking place in the theatre foyer on Tuesday March 21st, 2017.

It was recently announced by the Minister for Health Brad Hazzard, that the NSW Government will fund a new school-based meningococcal vaccination program for all Year 11 and 12 students to combat the rise in the W strain of this potentially fatal disease. The date for these vaccinations is yet to be announced but students in Year 11 and 12 will also receive an information pack containing consent forms.

If you wish for your child to receive these vaccinations through the school, which are free of charge, please ensure consent forms are filled out as soon as they arrive home and have your child return them to the front office.

For more information you can contact Mauricia Withyman, Head Teacher, Wellbeing.

Headspace



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National Youth Mental Health Foundation

The staff at Bathurst High Campus are committed to keeping up with our long running partnership with Headspace. Headspace Bathurst is a free, youth-friendly service for all young people aged 12 to 25 years. Students can get in touch if they're having a tough time, or would like to improve their health or general wellbeing. Students can also make contact if they're not sure what's going on, or feel like they need someone to talk to.

Headspace operate the hYLITE centre which operates as a homework hub where students can access additional support for completing homework and assessment tasks. hYLITE is available for all students to access and operates between 3pm-5pm Monday, Tuesday and Thursday.

In addition to this, Headspace are trialling a new study hub at the hYLITE centre for Year 11 and 12 students to access on a Wednesday when they have their study day. This will operate between 10am-2:30pm. Students can attend hYLITE on this day to receive additional help and support with school work, assessment tasks or to access computers and the internet which may not be available to them at home.

For more information about any of these services you can contact the following people at Bathurst High Campus on 6331 3755:

Bernadette Wood (Head Teacher Welfare)
Mauricia Withyman (Head Teacher Wellbeing)

Alternatively you can contact Headspace directly on 6338 1100.

Coming Events

• 15 February 2017	• Swimming Carnival.
• 17 February 2017	• School Photos
• 17 February 2017	• Year 7 Camp Meeting for Parents
• 28 February 2017	• Year 7 Meet the Teacher Afternoon
• 1 March 2017	• P & C Meeting
• 3 March 2017	• Toyo High School Visit
• 7 March 2017	• Year 11 and 12 Parent/Teacher Interviews 4-6pm
• 21st March 2017	• Vaccinations

Please note....

P & C Meeting

Our next meeting will be on Wednesday 1st March in the Staff Common Room. 7-30pm
Hope to see you there.

Community News cont.....

Certificate II Skills for Work and Training

A course for women preparing to enter the workforce or further study.

Course Description

Two days a week 9.30 – 3.00

This course will help you to gain skills and confidence to seek employment or embark on further study. This course is suitable for women returning to study or employment after a break, or those exploring options for a career change.

Skills

- Planning for education and employment (goalsetting)
- Financial Literacy
- Communication Skills
- Digital Literacy (computers)

Please contact Cathy Martin or Jo Leahy for further information

6338 2516



TAFE NSW – Bathurst College

Panorama Ave Bathurst NSW 2795

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Email: catherine.martin5@det.nsw.edu.au

Community News cont.....



STRESS-LESS

a free course to students

The program is designed to help students in years 11 and 12 to handle the stress of exams, school work and their daily lives. It provides useful tools to help students.

The program concentrates on three broad areas:

Self care

- Handling stress and anxiety
- Maintaining a healthy head space
- Relaxation techniques

Organisational skills

- Using your time effectively
- How to read books
- Setting up a good study environment

Study and exam techniques

- Your learning styles
- Improving your memory
- Preparing for exams
- Useful note taking

When

Wednesdays 10am - 2.30pm during school terms

Where

headspace - 130 Havannah Street

Starting

Wednesday 22nd February

For any enquiries, please contact Amanda



headspace National Youth Mental Health Foundation is funded by the Australian Government Department of Health

Community News cont.....

CSU PARENT INFORMATION EVENING

Going to university is a big decision. So Charles Sturt University (CSU) is holding an event where you and your child can find out everything you need to know, including:

- > how to prepare for uni
- > study options
- > help with costs
- > pathways into uni
- > how to apply
- > key dates
- > UAC and ATAR explained.

Our team – and a UAC advisor – will be on hand to answer any questions you may have.

Thursday, 23 February – 5.30pm
Bathurst Panthers Club, 132 Piper Street, Bathurst

REGISTER NOW:

csu.edu.au/parents | 1800 334 733

*Graduate Destinations Survey 2013-15, published at: qilt.edu.au

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HIGHEST GRADUATE EMPLOYMENT RATE IN THE COUNTRY.*



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St Pats Junior Rugby League Football Club



Family Friendly, Fun Footy!

Do you want to have fun playing Footy, meet new mates and bring all your family along to watch you play each week? Then why not come and play with St Pats Junior Rugby League Football Club.

We are a family friendly club who loves to see its members enjoying their football and the fun events we have during the year. Open to children aged up to 16.

This year we also have on offer League Tag for girls – age groups 12, 14 & 16s!

Keeping with the times, registration is easy. Complete your registration ONLINE with St Pats JRLFC at the Sporting Pulse web page or at www.playnrl.com

ON the 19th February 10 until 12 noon we will be having a "registration Day" for fee payment and clothes collection, feel free to come along to meet committee members and learn what we offer!

Queries :-

Leanne Ashcroft
0404 462 614 or
Katherine Waldron
0416 153 401

Community News cont.....

ST PATS JRLFC REGISTRATION DAY SUNDAY 19.02.17

10am - Noon

At Anne Ashwood Park, Hereford St, Bathurst
(Bathurst Bulldogs Grounds)

All past, current & new players welcome

Please note that this is for payment of fees and collection of clothing only, all registrations will need to be done on-line through sporting pulse or the playnrl.com web site – registrations now open.

Contact Leanne Ashcroft on **0404 462 614** for further details

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Community News cont.....

BATHURST JUNIOR RUGBY 2017 **REGISTRATION NIGHTS**



Friday from 5pm
17th and 24th Feb 2017

Enquiries Welcome

Gerard Lang

0427 223 410

Dave Brown

0418 666 602

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25th February
18th March
29th April
20th May

Cost: \$140.00*

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or visit www.skillset.com.au

*Subsidised places available to Centrelink Pension Card Holders

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Community News cont.....

TENNIS OPEN DAY

Sunday 19 February 2017

10.00 am to 1.00 pm

Bathurst Tennis Centre, Durham St, Bathurst

FREE ACTIVITIES

Free Social Tennis

Free Hot Shot Tennis for Kids

Speed Serve Radar

Bring your racquet, bring your friends and grab a Court

NEW MEMBERS WELCOME!

BE IN THE CHANCE TO WIN CASH PRIZES

TENNIS BALL DUMP

Purchase a numbered tennis ball for \$5.00. At 10.30 am balls will be tipped from a tip truck located at the Durham Street carpark. The three numbered balls to travel the furthest distance will earn their owners a cash prize.

1st: \$500.00 2nd: \$300.00 3rd: \$200.00

Balls can be purchased at the Bathurst Tennis Centre or email bcctcinc@gmail.com

RALLY OFF

Enter our rally off draw and test your rallying skills.

\$5.00 entry fee.

Prize: Earn \$1.00 per successful return



*Community News cont.....***EGLINTON DISTRICT
FOOTBALL CLUB****REGISTRATION
DAY**

We would like to invite
you to play soccer with our club.

You can register online at:
www.myfootballclub.com.au

or come and see us in person at:
Eglinton District Football Club

Registration Day
19th February, 2017

9.00 am - 1.00 pm
Eglinton War Memorial Hall

OR

Eglinton County Fair
25th February, 2017

From 9.00 am
Eglinton Oval

For more information:
Email: eglintondfc@gmail.com

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Community News cont.....**PARENTING TEENAGERS**

Veritas House will be conducting the popular **Teen Triple P** parenting program from our premises at 106 Russell Street Bathurst soon.

**Bring the joy back into parenting
and solve problems such as,**

Over use of technology

Resistance to school

No help around the house

The program is free and begins on Tuesday 14 March 2017

Morning or evening sessions available (10-12, 6-8pm).

Please ring Graham Palmer on 6332 2277 for more information and to reserve a place.