

### Multicultural/Harmony Day

Well done and a big "Thank you" to all those amazing student leaders who organised the Multicultural/Harmony Day 2021. It was wonderful to be able to have people on the school grounds again to provide our students with a rich cultural experience. I am always impressed by the commitment of our students who wore some of the most beautiful and colourful clothing. This added to the wonderful performances in the hall to make for a rewarding day of harmony of recognition of the diverse community we all make up. See photos in this newsletter.

#### NAPLAN 2021

NAPLAN 2021 will be administered through an online environment where each student will receive tailored questions based on their responses as they progress through the examination. The examination will be conducted over a two week period with students accessing the online environment at various periods throughout that time. Previously, the examination has been administered over a three day period that has caused significant disruption to the entire school. The new online method will allow the school to continue its usual smooth running and provide students longer breaks.

Can you please make sure your Year 7 or Year 9 child has a set of ear phones that are connected to their device on each day of NAPLAN.

#### Year 7 Camp

No updated information has been provided by the Department of Education in relation to the cancellation of camps at five venues across NSW. We apologise that we cannot provide an explanation at this point in time but trust that if the Department of Education issued a safety alert then it may be fortuitous that we did not attend. We have had a lot of rain this week so hopefully an alternate date will give us more sunshine. We are awaiting guidance as to whether we need to search for alternate venues. I thank parents for their cooperation.

#### **P8C**

It was great to see some new parents at last Monday's P&C meeting. Thank you to ALL parents who have paid their P&C contribution in lieu of fundraising. The agenda for this week was supporting staff initiatives and voting on the distribution of funds to enhance student outcomes.

The following has been supported:

- HSIE \$3,600 for VR Goggles, Stage 4 Excavation kits and internal display cabinets to showcase students' work.
- PDHPE \$5,000 to contribute to the cost of \$12,000 to convert the netball court hoops to rotation basketball/netball hoops. Allowing more students access at recess and lunch to basketball courts but allowing for netball when needed in the PDHPE syllabus/sport activities.
- Science \$5,000 for STELR kits- initially purchased by the P&C more are needed to cope with student growth.
- Music \$5,000 to contribute to the purchase of more keyboards and guitar equipment.
- VA/ Photography \$2,400 for extra photographic equipment to assist with Stage 5 and 6 photography.
- Debating \$950 a PA set up, catering for incoming schools, training for students to assist the debating club.
- Creative Writers Guild \$4,300; \$3,000 of this is to publish our anthology of student work. The initial book launch in 2020 was a highlight of the year.
- Academic Competitions \$2,500. The competitions approved include Write a Book in a Day where the produced books are given to patients at the Sydney Children's Hospital. Also competitions that benefit large groups of students not individuals.

Once these have been purchased an article will appear in this newsletter to show parents how the money has been invested and how it will be used by students.

The P&C has already contributed in 2020-21 to

- 1. Cooler classrooms \$10,000
- 2. Getting the Duke of Edinburgh program up and running \$5,000
- 3. Edrolo for seniors \$12,000 payable in 2022
- 4. Student sashes for graduation price TBC

We sincerely thank all parents once again who make this contribution payment to support better activities and provisions for our students.

Please come along to our next P&C on 3 May to get an update on the School 4 year plan which outlines the vision and direction of the school.







Part of the onboarding that newly appointed teachers have to do, is a process called *Accreditation*.

During Accreditation teachers collect evidence and are asked to map these pieces of evidence against professional standards.

This is usually celebrated by staff members during morning tea. In absence of our usual fortnightly whole school morning tea, we would like to congratulate Miss Sandra Lin from the Math Faculty on successfully completing her Accreditation.

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#### THE IMPORTANCE OF PERMISSION NOTES

Permission Notes allow us to take students off the school grounds and to attend excursions. Without a Permission Note, we cannot legally take your child off site. We do understand that if you pay for an event, your intention is for them to attend but we <u>MUST</u> by law have a signed Permission Note.

Your students are now in high school and we do rely on students to pass on notes to parents, and for parents to sign notes and have them returned to the school Front Office. Occasionally, we may request permission to be given for whole events via a link that we email to you.

As Permission Notes are returned by the student and payments may be made online, we do not process Permission Notes on a daily basis, we collate them until the event cut-off date and then process them. Therefore we cannot chase students who may have made payments but not returned the Permission Note in time. The responsibility for both payment and Permission Note is upon the students and parents. Please be aware that we have almost 2,000 students and cannot chase individuals.

This applies to all events and excursions.

Thank you for your assistance with this process.

#### LOST PROPERTY

Dear Parent/Carers,

We have a lot of items in our lost property 5 boxes:

Sports jackets
Sports bags with shoes x 10
Pencil cases
Plastic containers
Shoes
Checked pencil case and crown

Please ensure your children's belongings have a label with their name and write their name in the plastic containers so we can return items to your child.

If your child has lost an item, please ask him/her to ask at the Students Window in the Front Office.

Items not collected will be disposed of at end of term.



## **IMPORTANT**

## DATES

2021

TERM Week 9

**Monday 22 March** 

12Ext2 State Library & Gallery Excursion SRC Meeting Library 4:30pm

Tuesday 23 March

Sydney West Swimming TPHS Athletics Carnival

Wednesday 24 March

Junior Students Leadership Elections

**Thursday 25 March** 

Stage 6 Minimum Standards Testing Year 7 Planetarium Incursion Rostum Voice of Youth Competition Junior Students Leadership Elections

Friday 26 March

White Card Course Naplan Practice Test Open Boys Baseball Knockout

#### Week 10

**Monday 29 March** 

Bill Turner Trophy Girls Soccer R1

**Tuesday 30 March** 

**Year 7 & 12 Parent Teacher Interviews** 

Gym 3:30-7:30 pm

14s Football Dural

 $Australian \ Geography \ Competition$ 

Open Boys Cricket Knockout

Premier's Debating Challenge R1 S6

Wednesday 31 March

NSW State Library Excursion Y9+10LB

**Thursday 1 April** 

**LAST DAY OF TERM** 

Friday 2 April

**GOOD FRIDAY** 

## MULTICULTURAL/HARMONY DAY

Multicultural Day at The Ponds High School was a fun filled day. Students dressed up in national costumes some of the countries represented were: Australia, New Zealand, Samoa, Montenegro, Poland, India, Iran, Afghanistan and Korea. Students and staff were able to buy lunch from the different food trucks, buy treats and have beautiful henna designs painted on their hands. Here are some of the photographs I took on the day. The dancing and singing performances were excellent, well done to all the performers. Thanks to the Multicultural Student Leaders and teachers for organising the day. A.Tidmarsh – Newsletter Coordinator











## CROSS COUNTRY CARNIVAL

Our 6<sup>th</sup> annual Cross Country Carnival was held at Peel Reserve on Thursday 11 March. The sport events were organised around The Ponds Parklands between Peel Reserve and Jonas Bradley Oval.

The weather on the day was predicted to be rainy, however, we were fortunate to run under mostly cloudy conditions. In addition to running, students were able to participate in a number of novelty events throughout the day including: team jump rope, noodle relays, tug o' war and captain/tunnel ball. High Jump and Long Jump qualifiers were also completed for the upcoming Athletics Carnival in week 9.

Congratulations to all students who participated on the day. The top 10 from each age group will be going to the Macquarie Zone Cross Country in Term 2, Week 5. Thank you to all teachers who assisted in making it such a successful day. Our top 3 runners in each age group were:

	1 <sup>st</sup>	<b>2</b> <sup>nd</sup>	3rd	
12 years boys	Rishab 7-6	Vidyarth 7-2	Siddarth 7-3	
12 years girls	Yasemina 7-4	Makenze 7-8	Prisha 7-9	
13 years boys	Jad 8-14	Calem 7-9	Brock 7-11	
13 years girls	Khushi 7-1	Caitlin 7-7	Pakhi 8-6	
14 years boys	Ankit 8-13	Lachlan 8-2	Dylan 8-9	
14 years girls	Chloe 8-8	Aashna 9-3	Kate 8-11	
15 years boys	Sepand 9-10	Cameron 10J	Josh 9-3	
15 years girls	Sarah 9-13	Ana 9-1	Isabella 9-13	
16 years boys	Alexander 10E	Samay 10F	Maxwell 10I	
16 years girls	Taylor 10C	Riley 10F	Lauren 10E	
17+ years boys	Ryan 11-6	Gavin 11-4	Connor 11-3	
17+ years boys	Pnina 12-5	Madison 12-6	Milana 12-1	

#### Mr C Burns, Mr A Ellíott and Mr J Mondinos Carnival organisers







#### BASKETBALL - MACQUARIE CUP

On Tuesday 9 March the TPHS Boys and Girls Opens Basketball teams participated in the Macquarie Cup.

Each squad played a total of 5 games each, with the girls team winning 3 games against Glenwood, Richmond and Windsor High Schools convincingly, while the boys also managed to blow out Glenwood and Windsor, but narrowly lost to Rouse Hill, Colo and the eventual champions of the day, Kellyville HS.

While it was unfortunate that Ms Nicholls, the girls coach was not able to be with the team on the day, the girls did her and stand-in coach Mr Burns proud with their excellent team play and endless energy. I was also encouraged by the way our boys were gracious both in victory and defeat, demonstrating selflessness and team spirit as fine young sportsmen.

Congratulations to all players who represented our school so well on the day, and especially to Gemma, Keira, Arsheen and Rohan who were selected by the convenors to the Macquarie Zone team.

r C Hwang

Boys Opens Basketball Coach



Girls Team: L-R BR: Ana (Y9), Aisha (Y9), Milana (Y12), Keira (Y11) LR-FR: Manret (Y9), Jada (Y9) & Arsheen (Y9)





## **DANCE NEWS**

#### The Yard Incursion

Year 8 and selected Dance students were treated to a performance from 'The Yard' by Shaun Parker & Co.

This is an award-winning anti-bullying program about bullying, social exclusion, peer pressure and emotional resilience, especially adapted for in-school performances and workshops.

Something extra special about this performance was that our own Priyahsa (11.7) was performing after being seconded as a professional dancer for the company.













Our school felt privileged to be the first to officially experience Li Dance Workshops. The elective Dance students were not only in awe of Lauren and Isaac's talent but many students also complimented the duo's ability to comprehensively explain advanced dance technique. Lauren and Isaac trained with Sydney Dance Company and taught the students about complex body skills, safe dance practice and performance quality.

#### Miss K Duynhoven

**Dance Teacher** 













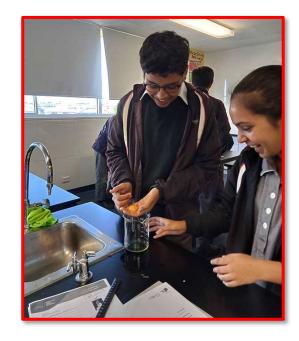
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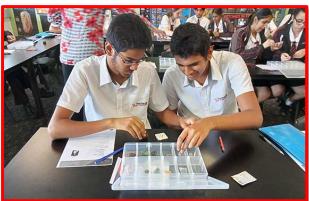
Stage 6 Earth and Environmental Science students recently participated in a Rock and Mineral Incursion provided by Australian Earth Science Education.

Throughout the session students participated in a series of hands-on activities that saw them classify a variety of rocks and minerals as well as create models to illustrate their formation under varying conditions.













#### Women in Science at the National Maritime Museum

On Friday 5 March, Year 10 students caught the Metro and train into the city to attend the Women in Science event for International Women's Day at the National Maritime Museum, Darling Harbour.

Students were given an exclusive behind the scenes tour of some of the artefacts stored in the archives as well as an introduction to the role of conservation and registration departments. They also enjoyed some hands on activities at the careers expo and explored a range of career pathways as well as collecting some free samples!

One group snuck in a quick tour of Battleship HMAS Vampire before having a look at the plankton up close under the microscope and speaking with an oceanographer from the University of Technology who helped us search the oceans virtually.

After a quick lunch break we heard an inspiring talk about 7 cutting edge STEM jobs before returning home filled with wonderful ideas for future roles.

J Wilson and R Singh Science Teachers









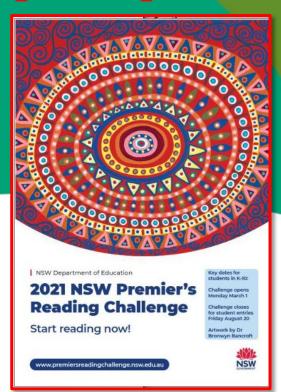




#### The 2021 Premier's Reading Challenge

The Premier's Reading Challenge (PRC) has opened for 2021! All students in Years 7 to 10 are encouraged to participate. To complete the challenge students must read a total of 20 books by Friday 20 August (a minimum of 15 books from the Premier's Reading Challenge booklist and a maximum of 5 Personal Choice books). The challenge aims to encourage students to read more widely for leisure and pleasure and recognises their efforts for doing so. Students who complete the challenge will receive a certificate with their name and school printed and those who participate from Years 3-9 are eligible for a Medal.

The Premier's Reading Challenge is usually for students in Years 7-9 but given the difficulties faced by many students and their families in 2020, the organisers of the challenge have decided to include students in Year 10 for 2021. The Learning Hub has many of the titles listed on the PRC Booklists but students are able to source these at their local public library as well. The 9Plus Booklist (suitable for mature readers) is very exciting and new titles from the list will be arriving at The Learning Hub soon.



For further information about the Premier's Reading Challenge please visit the following website: <a href="https://online.det.nsw.edu.au/prc/home.html">https://online.det.nsw.edu.au/prc/home.html</a>

#### Encouraging a Love of Reading

There are many great books about how to support children to develop a love of reading. A recent addition to this genre is Megan Daley's *Raising Readers*. This text has some great tips to help young people engage with books from the early years through to adolescence. Over the next few newsletters I will include some ideas from Daley's book. Here are a couple of ways to encourage a love of reading:

- 1. The 'read aloud' is a great way for students to engage with books. Young people (of all ages!) love being read to, so reading a book aloud together could be a fun way to connect with your teen. Reading aloud is also a great way for older children to spend time with a younger sibling.
- 2. There are many ways to create a text rich environment in the home: a designated reading nook with a comfy chair or beanbag, and a little shelf or basket in which to pop books in. Your student may have some ideas about what might work for them.
- 3. Engage in conversations about books. Check in with your student to ask them about their current read you could ask them what is happening in the story, what they think about the characters and setting, and maybe even about what they are looking forward to reading next. Conversations about books validate the reading experience and may give you insights into the interests and life of your teen.

Happy reading!

Míss Kíra Bryant Teacher-Librarian



## 2021 THE PONDS HIGH SCHOOL CLUBS as at 19/3/21

BASKETBALL Th  CAIT Team W	Vednesdays hursdays Veek A Fridays	<b>TIME</b> 03:00 – 04:00 pm	CONTACT  Mrs Jones/Mrs Clemson	CLASSROOM A.G.47
BASKETBALL Th  CAIT Team W	hursdays		Mrs Jones/Mrs Clemson	A G 17
CAIT Team W	,			A.U.47
	Jook A Fridays	03:00 – 04:30 pm	Mr Burns/Mr Hwang	Gymnasium
CHOIR	veek A Filuays	12:43 – 01:14 pm	Miss Ding/Mr Sahota	A.1.18
	Veek A Tuesday Veek B Tuesday	10:26 – 10:57 am 12:43 – 01:14 pm	Ms Petroni	D.1.08
Creative Writers Guild (CWG)	uesdays	03:00 - 04:00 pm	Mrs Caro	Library
Creative Writing Pen & Paper Th	hursdays	12:43 – 01:14 pm	Miss Bryant	Library
DANCE: Senior Ensemble Or	Inline & Wk A Thu	8-8:30am	Ms Duynhoven	D.1.03
DANCE: Junior Ensemble Or	Inline & Wk B Tue	12:43 – 01:14 pm	Ms Duynhoven	D.1.03
<u> </u>	Inline & Week A uesdays	12:43 – 01:14 pm	Ms Duynhoven	D.1.03
<b>DANCE: Bring It On Crew</b> Fr	ridays	3pm - 4pm	Ms Duynhoven	D.1.03
•	Inline & Week A hursday	10:26 – 10:57 am	Ms Duynhoven	D.1.03
DANCE: Wakakirri/ADF Ensem Tu	uesdays	8am - 8:30am	Ms Duynhoven	D.1.03
DEBATING: Stage 4 Tu	uesdays	03:00 – 04:00 pm	Ms Anwar	English Open CR
DEBATING: Stage 5 & 6 Tu	uesdays	03:00 – 04:00 pm	Ms Caro	English Open CR
<b>DRAMA</b> Tu	uesdays	03:15 – 04:15 pm	Mr MacFarlane	D.1.02
<b>ENVIRONMENTAL</b> W	Veek B Thursdays	12:43 – 01:14 pm	Ms Jay/Ms Borg/Mr Cefai	E.20
<b>GAMES</b> Fr	ridays	03:00 – 05:00 pm	Ms Borrett	Library
HOMEWORK Tu	ues, Wed & Thu	03:00 – 04:00 pm	Supervising Teacher	Library
JAPANIME Tu	uesdays	12:43 – 01:14 pm	Miss Hope	E.26
LEGO LEAGUE Tu	uesdays	12:43 – 01:14 pm	Mr Skelton/Ms Bell	D.1.15
<b>LEOs Club</b> Th	hursdays	10:26 – 10:57 am	Mrs Rumi Badger	D.1.11
Makers Hub Tu	uesdays	12:43 – 01:14 pm	Miss Bryant	Library
MUSIC: Band Th	hursdays	07:30 – 08:20 am	Mr Golotta	Music Space
MUSIC: Rock Band W	Vednesdays	07:45 – 08:20 am	Mr Kinsey	Music Space
MUSIC: JAZZ Fr	ridays	07:45 – 08:20 am	Mr Kinsey	Music Space
MUSIC: String Group	Vednesdays	10:26 – 10:57 am	Ms Muss	Performance Sp
<b>ORIENTEERING</b> M	londay A (2 p/term)	10:26 – 10:57 am	Mr Dominici	D.G.17
PUBLIC SPEAKING Tu	uesdays	10:26 – 10:57 am	Ms Caro	E.13
SOCIAL. JUSTICE W	Vednesday	12:43 – 01:14 pm	Mrs Voukelatos	E.09
SOCCER Th	hursdays	03:00-04:30 pm	Mr Cefai	Oval
STEM Club Th	hursdays	03:00-04:30 pm	Miss Ding/Ms Mathur	A.1.18

## Clean Up Australia Day

Approximately 40 The Ponds High School students took part in the Clean Up Australia Day organised by event the Blacktown Lions Club at Jonas Bradley Oval on Sunday 7 March. It was heartening to see the students demonstrate commitment and a strong community spirit by forgoing the opportunity to have an extra few hours of sleep on a Sunday morning to clean up our local park.

By the end of the exhausting 2hour session our students had picked up approximately 12bags of rubbish and the bushes



looked a lot cleaner. Our exhausted students were then treated to a delicious barbecue breakfast organised by The Blacktown Lions Club.

We would like to thank members of the community who stopped by to encourage us as well as Mrs Venayagam, Mr Harrison and the students for volunteering their time on the day.

We would also like to thank Rajaswi (from 12.1) and The Blacktown Lions Club for organising the event.









Hi All, please follow TPHS Careers Team on <u>Facebook</u> (has loads of events for you to engage with) and <u>Instagram</u>, we also have a <u>Careers Website</u> where students can make an appointment for a Careers chat. This website is full of information for students and parents.

#### Work Experience Opportunities

Please remember, all year 10 students are expected to go to Work Experience. All details and documentation needed are on the CANVAS folder, module 3. Here are just a few places where students have gone in the past John Palmer Public School, Riverbank Public School, Childcare Centres, Carpentry, Building & Construction These are open now, you must register immediately

**Academy of Interactive Entertainment** 

**GoIT Girls Program** 

**NIDA** 

**Sydney Living Museums** 

<u>UNSW Engineering High School Work Experience Program</u> opening soon, keep an eye out.

**Engineering & IT Work Experience Program UTS** 

#### Forensics Work Experience Years 9 to 11 with the Australian Federal Police

Applications are now open- Closes 9 April. **Done in the ACT**.

The work experience program is booked to run between 17 - 21 May and 29 November - 3 December 2021. Expressions of interest are encouraged by completing the <u>Forensics Work Experience program application form</u>. Students must supply all of the requested information in full before the close of business on 9 April 2021

#### **UNIVERSITY**

#### **Connect with teach.NSW**

Students can hear current teachers share their experiences of receiving a scholarship and working in NSW public schools on the teach.NSW YouTube page. Follow teach.NSW on Facebook or Instagram (@teachNSW) to be notified when scholarships for future teachers open later this year.

#### **UCAT Important Dates**

Universities use this test to select applicants with the most appropriate abilities and professional behaviours required for new doctors and dentists. Applications are now open.

#### **University of Sydney Undergraduate Guide 2022**

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## **Business Cadetships** Now open for year 12s, applications close - Wednesday 26 May 2021. Guest Speaker will be at TPHS P5, 4 May in D:1:17

As a Business Cadet, typically you combine university study in Sydney with paid work at UBS or Barrenjoey Capital Partners in Sydney. The Business Cadetships Program allows you to choose the university where you will study and allows you latitude in your choice of degree program.

#### **University Ratings and Rankings in Australia**

The ratings that appear on this site were published in the 2021 edition of The Good Universities Guide. The ratings provide independent five-star performance ratings for every university in Australia, based on student-relevant criteria such as; graduate salaries, teaching quality, learning resources, graduate employment rates and much more.



#### **Introduction to Actuarial Science by the ANU**

The purpose of the course is to provide year 11/12 students considering an actuarial career with an interactive introduction to the profession. The course is FREE for all students.

#### Webinar - All about Sydney - University of Sydney

24 March, 2021. 4:00pm

This webinar is designed to give you a good overview of what it is like to study at the University of Sydney. We will cover everything from the degrees we offer, to the student experience, and how to apply. The webinar will consist of a short presentation followed by Q&A.

#### Webinar - Admission Pathways to the University of Sydney

31 March 2021. 4pm

There are often more than one way to gain entry to your dream course at the University of Sydney. If you are interested in

exploring your options, please join us for this webinar where we will talk you through the various entry schemes and admission pathways that we offer.



#### University of Sydney Tours of the Con

Book your 1 hr tour to discover the Sydney Conservatorium of Music campus and learn more about the student experience, opportunities and other aspects of life as a music student.

#### **Job Jump My ATAR**

Search for your favourite degrees and see what ATAR you need. Year 11s & 12s, please register if you haven't already done so using your personal email. Our school password is ponds

#### **Benefits of Internships**

Internships, both a valuable add-on alongside an academic degree and a great way to explore and develop skills in a new industry. Similar to an apprenticeship but involves Uni. Work and go to Uni at the same time.

#### **Engineering Higher Degree Research Info Sessions at UNSW**

23 to 25 March. 5.30pm to 6.30pm

Interested in an Engineering research degree, how this can benefit you and prepare you for the jobs of the future in a fast-changing world?

#### Didn't get the ATAR for entry - Diploma of General Studies CSU

Would your career aspirations be boosted by a university degree? The Diploma of General Studies from Charles Sturt University is an admission pathway program offering you guaranteed entry to most of our bachelor's degrees.

#### **Western Sydney University The Academy Scholarships**

The Academy gives academic high-achievers an added edge – in study and with employers. It's free to join. Offers you the challenges and intellectual rigour you crave. Focuses on community engagement, and personal and professional development. Prepares you to be a leader of tomorrow.

#### **Ma Morley Scholarship Webinar Youtube**

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#### **ScholarshipsDb.Net**

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#### **TAFE**

#### **TAFE Career Insights** - Trades in Growing Areas

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#### **NIDA Autumn School Holiday Classes**

Run 6 to 18 April 2021

Open your creativity with NIDA's holiday classes. Designed specifically for children and young people, NIDA offers a fun and supportive learning environment that unlocks creative potential and builds confidence.

#### **April School Holiday Courses at AFTRS**

AFTRS run a variety of courses in each of the four school holidays. Their workshops are taught by industry professionals using industry standard equipment and, where appropriate, are held in AFTRS' state-of-the-art film, TV and radio studios.

#### **EA Ski & Snowboard Training**

Full training, exam, accommodation, & lift pass package provided. Download everything you need to know about becoming an instructor.

#### **ACAP Psychology Honours Information Session**

7 April, 7pm

You'll hear from an ACAP educator and Course Advisers about the various courses you could study, what it's like to be a student, the flexible learning options and pathways available, career outcomes, and more. These sessions are highly informative and include specific course information in your areas of interest.

#### **Current Sign Apprenticeships Here:**

https://www.signcareers.com.au/search-apprenticeships-nsw

#### **Police Recruitment Process**

Learn about the process and the requirements.

#### **ADF Gap Year Gap Year Videos**

No matter what part of the Defence Force you wish to enter there is a role for you in an ADF GAP Year. See any of the 20 videos showing a wide range of roles you can go into in an ADF GAP Year.

Mrs C Rumí Badger & Mrs G Hodkínson

The Ponds High School Careers Team











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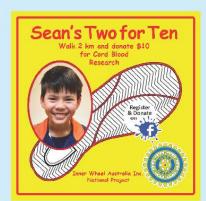


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**COME JOIN US** 

## WALK FOR CORD BLOOD RESEARCH



WHEN: Sunday 18th April 2021

WHERE: Francis Green-Blacktown Showground Precinct

Any time between 9am and 2pm

WHAT IS IT: A simple 2 km walk to save a life

REGISTER: Register and pay on the day

OR: Google search

"Inner Wheel Australia National Project"

follow the prompt, complete the registration form - donate

WHY: To raise funds for Cord Blood Research

www.innerwheelaustralia.org.au/national-project



