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Closing Date for Year 5 and Year 7 applications for 2017: Friday 11 March

From the Head of College

Welcome Cocktails

It was wonderful to see so many parents of the College attend the Annual Parents and Friends Cocktail Party last Saturday evening.

With over five hundred there to celebrate the start of the College year, I had the opportunity meet many new parents whose sons have begun Year 5 and 7, as well as those who have supported this function for many years.

I was honoured to welcome the Chair of the Waverley College Board, Mr Sam Hardjono, the P&F President, Mr Greg Bodkin, the Waverley College Old Boys Union President, Mr Michael Jaeger as well as members of the Board and Executives of the associations. I was pleased to congratulate, on behalf of the College, Mr Hardjono on his appointment as Chair of the Red Cross NSW Board.

This night also presents me with an opportunity to speak (albeit briefly) about the goals for our college year and some of the things which inspire me to lead this great school.

Immersion Assembly

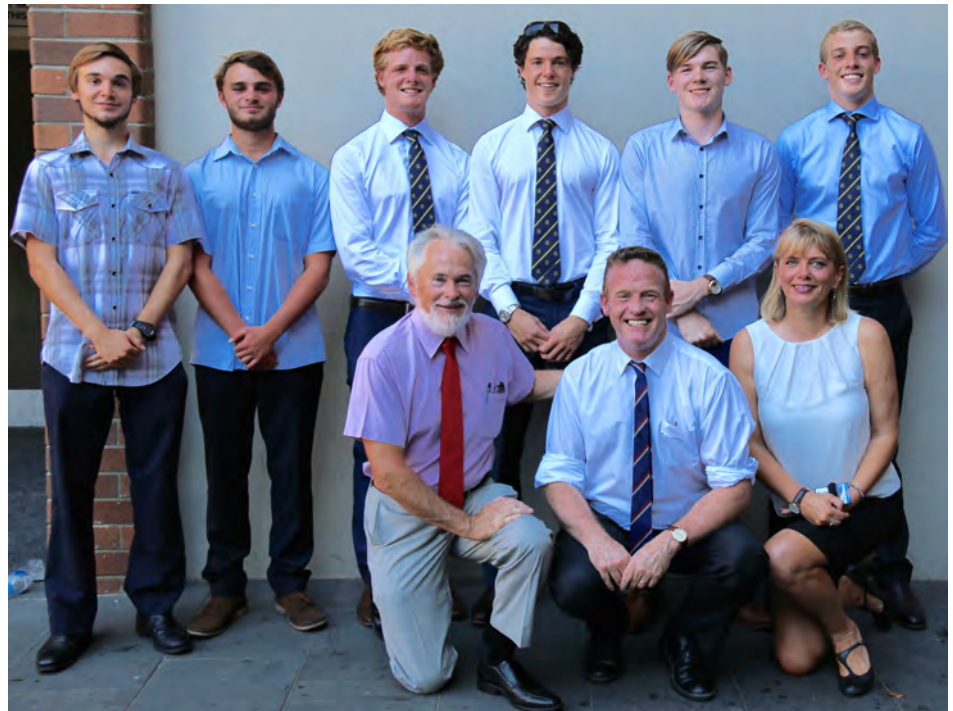
Another highlight for the week was our annual Immersion Assembly. Whilst we creatively anticipated the movement of the sun in the quad on a 36 degree day, staff and students were privileged to hear from participants in the many immersion experiences offered by the college to current students and ex-students.

Costa Fragias introduced the event with a considered explanation of the opportunities within Sydney to work with others in need.

This was followed by moving descriptions of our Walgett Indigenous immersion, our Timor Leste Immersion and our US Commercial Studies Tour.

Adam Hegedus and Alexi Piovano then provided us with an insight into their Schoolies for Schools Bondi to Byron Walk.

Our morning concluded with addresses from ex-students Hadrien Moffroid, Charlie Bodkin and



Above: A group of ex-students returned to the College for this week's immersion assembly and spoke to the entire student body about the social justice work they are doing in Australia and abroad.

Michael Boatswain about their experiences in India and Oscar Osborne on his work with Fijian micro-businesses.

I cannot fully express the admiration I feel for the way in which these students and ex-students expressed their motives, their values and their transformational experiences.

If liberation is the true goal of education, then we are certainly taking important steps on this journey.

Ray Paxton
HEAD OF COLLEGE

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From the Director of Junior School

Project Compassion

With the season of Lent upon us the boys at the Junior School have been asked to make a personal contribution to Project Compassion. Their donations to Project Compassion allow Caritas Australia, the Catholic Agency for International Aid and Development, to work towards a more just and fair world, where the basic human right for food is met and sustained.

Confirmation

The Parish Community of Mary Immaculate will celebrate their Sacrament of Confirmation on Saturday evening 2nd April (Year 6 students) and Sunday morning 3rd April (Year 5 Students).

A compulsory information evening (parents only) will be held on Wednesday 2nd March at 7.00pm in the church. The children are also be expected to turn up to the Commitment Mass being held on Sunday 20th March.

Please note this invitation is open only to those who are part of the Mary Immaculate Parish. Anyone who is not part of the Mary Immaculate Parish is required to contact their own local parish to find out more information regarding their Confirmation calendar.

Please contact Mr. Stephen Ghattas at the Junior School or Mr. Phil Davis at the Senior School for enrolment forms. All forms are to be returned completed and with payment by Monday 29th February.

Cross Country

Monday saw the boys run in the Junior School Cross Country Championships at Queens Park. On a hot and humid day the boys did well to complete the 2km course. Congratulations to the following boys who placed in the top positions for each age group.

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| Under 12 | Under 11 5h |
| 1. Ethan Smith | 1. Lucas Young |
| 2. Hamish Morrison | 2. Charles Hely-Hammond |
| 3. Louis Kitto | 3. Eddy Kelly |
| 4. Will Heffernan | 4. Jackson Macaulay |
| 5. Alex Morris | 5. Darcy Stansfield |
| 6. Leo Morgan | 6. Alex Phillips |

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| Under 11 6th | Under 10 |
| 1. Kai Puntigan | 1. Sam Davis |
| 2. Henry Kopsiaftis | 2. Oliver Neate |
| 3. Ben Finnegan | 3. Callum Penny |
| 4. Jay Palm | 4. Hugo Morgan |
| 5. Kane Sheppard | 5. Mitchell Reiner |
| | 6. John Walsh |

Special Note

Well done to Liam Kraljevic for his bowling feat at the weekend taking 6 wickets which included a hat trick – great effort Liam.

Names on all clothing and gear

Lately we have been faced with the problem of boy's misplacing their uniform after getting changed for training. Can I please ask that your check your son's uniform to make sure he has not inadvertently taken another boys clothing home with him. Thank you as always for your support.

Brothers Swimming Carnival

Good luck to all the boys who will be representing the school at the Brother's Swimming Carnival at Riverview on Friday – I'm sure they will not only do the school proud but also have a great time as well.

The squad consists of the following boys:

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| Joey Harris | Carter Hjorring |
| Kane Doull | Jake Walker |
| Callum Penny | Fynn McAusland |
| Sam Davis | Bailey Habler |
| Oliver Neate | Oliver Elliott |
| Luka Latinovic | Cade Lacey |
| Lucas Young | Isaac Dunn |
| Benjamin Finegan | Angus Anthony |
| Mitchell Gavin | Max Barber |



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From the Director of Junior School ... continued

Cricket Presentation Night

All cricket players and their parents are invited to attend Cricket Supporters Club End of Season Presentation on Saturday March 5. I understand that we are early in our season but it would be great to have a large number of Junior School families in attendance. Details are as follows: Parents and players please join us on Saturday 5th March, 2016 6.30pm – 9.00pm for

- A sausage sizzle
- Trivia, raffle and games
- Coaches awards for each team
- Presentation of the Br. Murphy Shield
- \$10 per person, including Sausage Sizzle.

Drinks available to purchase at the bar.

Please Book tickets to the event and Monster raffle with payment via the link <http://www.trybooking.com/KMRA>

Or from the link in the Events section of the Waverley College website (www.waverley.nsw.edu.au). Click on the Cricket Presentation Dinner prompt to book online.

Enquiries: jmccallum@waverley.nsw.edu.au

Honour Awards

Congratulations to the following boys who were awarded certificates at our assembly this week – well done!

Connor Andrews	5 Blue	Isacc Dunn	6 Gold
Kit Armstrong	5 Green	Callum Emery	6 Red
Jacob Choromanski	6 Gold	Gabe Fox	5 Red
Sam Davis	5 White	James Fragias	5 Green
Jasper Doyle	6 Red	Jesse Garratt	5 Blue
Max Gomez	5 Green	Lachlan Grant	5 Green
Lachlan Grant	5 Green	Ryan Harper	5 Gold
Patrick Healy	6 Gold	Charlie Hely-Hammond	5 White
Van Larkin	5 Blue	Joshua King	5 Gold
Ben Leet	5 Gold	Alex Morris	6 White
Fynn McAusland	5 Gold	Ethan Smith	6 Blue
Jake McKell	6 Red	Darcy Standfield	5 Blue
Daniel McSweeny	6 Blue	Rory Stupak-Horgan	5 Blue
Sasha Moustacas	6 White	Cooper Stynes	6 Gold
Max Pether	6 White	Vidar Sundkvist	5 Red
Axel Pinkstone	5 White	Solomon Tuqiri	6 Blue
Damian Poulos	6 Blue	Felix Turinui	5 White
Brandon Reid	6 Gold	Andreas Venning	5 Green
Conor Cahill	6 White	Carl Waterson	6 Gold
Jake Deale	6 Green	Rex Whale	5 Green
Daniel Di Paola	6 Green	Thomas Wilkins	6 Red

Weekly Prayer

Loving God,

As we continue our Lenten journey this week, we ask for your help. We want to follow Jesus but we confess our reluctance to face the stress and temptation that the journey might hold for us. We confess that we are sometimes tempted to wish for miracles which would make life easier rather than more stressful.

We admire the difficult and risky journey that Jesus took, challenging systems which put conditions on God's love, but it is sometimes difficult to cope when life is uncomfortable and we see human suffering. We ask you to bless us as we strive to have faith in you.

Let us now pray the Lord's prayer together
Our Father ...

Amen.

Blessed Edmund Rice: Pray for Us

Mary, Mother of God: Pray for Us

Live Jesus in our Hearts: Forever

Blessed Edmund Rice: Pray for Us

St Mary of the Cross: Pray for Us

Live Jesus in our Hearts: Forever

Breakfast at the Junior School Canteen

With many boys involved in morning training sessions the canteen is trialling a morning breakfast menu to ensure that all boys have the opportunity to have something to eat before school starts. The canteen will be open from 8.00-8.30am

The trial menu at the moment is as follows:

WeetBix (2)	\$1.50
Raisin Toast (2)	\$1.50
Vegemite Muffins	\$1.00
Cheese Breville	\$0.80
Cheese Melt	\$0.80
Fruit (seasonal)	
Flavoured Milk	\$2.00
Orange Juice	\$2.50
Water	\$2.00
Hot Milo (T2 & T3)	\$1.50



Anthony Banboukjian
DIRECTOR OF JUNIOR
SCHOOL



From the Deputy Head of College

Home Groups and Wellbeing

During Home Group time, key operational messages are shared with students as well as wellbeing concepts and lessons.

The theory of the Dipper and the Bucket was one of these concepts covered this week. It has a very simple message, but one that is relevant for all of us and definitely for the boys to consider as they start to develop their emotional intelligence and self-awareness. It comes from Tom Rath and Donald Clifton's book, *How Full is Your Bucket?* It also supports well our mission at Waverley of trying to live our lives by the Gospels, to love and to look for the best in people, no matter what their background.

'Each of us has an invisible bucket. It is constantly emptied or filled, depending on what others say or do to us. When our bucket is full, we feel great. When it's empty, we feel awful.

Each of us also has an invisible dipper. When we use that dipper to fill other people's buckets – by saying or doing things to increase their positive emotions – we also fill our own bucket. But when we use that dipper to dip from others' buckets – by saying or doing things that decrease their positive emotions – we diminish ourselves.

A full bucket gives us a positive outlook and renewed energy. Every drop in that bucket makes us stronger and more optimistic. But an empty bucket poisons our outlook, saps our energy, and undermines our will. That's why every time someone dips from our bucket, it hurts us.

So we face a choice every moment of every day. We can fill one another's buckets, or we can dip from them. It's an important choice – one that profoundly influences our relationships, productivity, health, and happiness.'

Uniform Change

One of the skills we want the boys to develop is their ability to adapt and respond to different stimulus and conditions. This week we asked them to carry out a pretty simple task in response to the hot conditions, wear their correct sports uniform to school and 95% of them adapted very well. We were also sending them a message, that we are responsive, thinking about their learning environment and their welfare, which are important messages for them to hear from their school.

Another skill we want our Waverley Gentlemen to possess is good sportsmanship. As we approach the CAS swimming competition (10 March) some of our boys will have an opportunity to represent their school in competition to the best of their abilities. Others will represent the school up in the stands cheering on their mates and fellow students. How we compete and cheer says a lot about us, whether we win or lose. These messages will be explored as we approach the big day

Consequences for choices made

The detention policy has been tweaked as follows: Students need to ensure they bring meaningful work along to detention that they can progress. This may include - assignment work, homework, taking notes from a source, planning an essay, writing an oral, reading an English novel and taking notes. During the week, laptops are not to be

brought along to detention. The work must involve written work or a combination of reading/writing/ highlighting. Boys may bring laptops along to a Saturday detention to assist with research over the longer period.

Once a detention has been issued, students have the ability to negotiate with their Head of Year a different day in that same week to complete their responsibilities. However, should a student not then turn up to the detention, a Saturday detention will be automatically issued. If the detention not turned up to is a Saturday detention, then two Saturday detentions will be automatically issued.

Boys need to understand consequences for not delivering or fronting up. They have an opportunity to negotiate the most suitable day, they then need to step up to the mark and make that commitment. This is good preparation for the broader world they are working themselves towards. Just like a physio appointment that is booked, you get a reminder to commit to that appointment or you will be charged for it anyway if you do not turn up. We want to be teaching and preparing boys for the world they are going to be soon independently working and living in.

Graham Leddie
DEPUTY HEAD OF
COLLEGE

Pictured: Students in sports uniform on Thursday at the Immersion Assembly.

Photos by Matt Antulov.



From the Director of Co-curriculum: Professional Photographic Skills

Media Club gets skilled up by one of the best

Renowned photographer Jason McCormack will be joining media group for the winter season to work with staff and students in honing their photography skills.

With over thirty years experience Jason has worked across corporate, editorial, public relations and in the television and entertainment industries, both in Australia and internationally.

Jason has worked with names such as Bon Jovi, Michael Buble, Keith Urban, Eminem and Good Charlotte. He has also shot for Rolling Stone magazine, Fox Sports and Inside Rugby.

Media Club has been offered as a Co-curricular activity at the College for over ten years. It has grown from a small-scale operation to a well-resourced,

integral part of the Co-curricular life at Waverley College.

The College supports students with an interest in photography who also wish to contribute to and indeed capture in photos and video various aspects of College life.

Media Club are assigned to various Co-curricular events across the season to provide an important visual record for the College archives.

These students meet two afternoons during the week and can be seen across all of our activities over the weekend.

Anyone interested in photography or taking advantage Jason's expertise please see me or the Head of Sport.

Patrick Brennan
Acting Director of Co-Curricular



ABOVE: Jason McCormack shares his skills with Media Club



Mothers' Club AGM - Postponed

The Mothers' Club AGM scheduled for next Wednesday 2nd March has been postponed. Thank you to those who expressed interest in attending, a new date will be scheduled in the coming weeks. This meeting will be centred around the 2015 Survey results and discussion on a strategy to keep a group such as the Mothers' Club or a similar parent and carer group active at Waverley College.

Cocktail Party Thank You from the P&F

Thank you from the Parents' & Friends' Association

On behalf of the P&F Association I would like to thank all of the board members, college old boys, college staff and parents who attended the Welcome to 2016 Cocktail party at the college Junior school campus last Saturday night. We had around 550 people attend the event and despite some showers mid way through the evening we still enjoyed a very social start to the school year.

I would also like to personally thank the P&F executive, Kathy Davies, Tom Denigan, Christina Fragias and Michael Jaeger for their tireless work

and in addition recognise the significant contribution that college staff members Jennifer Divall and John Kara also make to the night being able to take place.

Again, thanks to all those who were able to attend and I trust that you had an enjoyable evening.

Greg Bodkin
President
Waverley College P&F Association

Expressions of interest from those of you who may be interested in assisting or taking on Committee roles are invited. After many years Linda and I are stepping down from our Committee roles and we would encourage anyone with an interest in furthering their involvement or require information to email us at mothersclub@waverley.nsw.edu.au

Thank you
Mothers' Club Committee
Emanuela D'Urso and Linda McGuiggan

Cadet Unit News



The Reveille

On Saturday 13th February, the WCCU conducted 'The Reveille' Dining-In Night at the Stamford Hotel, Mascot. The event brought together many former members of the unit as well as guests and visitors from many generations. Some 120 guests were present for the night that is traditionally a 'reunion' of Old Boys and a welcoming to the 'The Mess' for the new Senior Ranks; the current Year 12 members of the unit. Mr Sam Hardjono, Chair of the College Advisory Board, was present as was the Head of College, Mr Ray Paxton. The Head of College is also the Sponsor of the Cadet Unit, a position that is required by Legislation, making it possible for a cadet unit to exist in a school context. Several other members of the College Executive were also present: Mr A. Banboukjian, Head of the Waverley College Junior School, Mr Patrick Brennan, Acting Director of Co-Curricular Activities and The College and Unit Chaplain, Fr Martin Milani. The support demonstrated by those present is greatly appreciated and acknowledged.

For the first time in many years a 'Piper'

entertained the Mess with a selection of tunes re-establishing a link to the Scottish heritage of Waverley! More on that score in a later edition.

Annual Cadet Field Exercise (AFX)

As indicated in the College Calendar the AFX will be conducted next month commencing Friday 11 March and concluding on Friday 18 March. The Advance Party (selected members from Years 9, 10 11 and 12) will leave on Friday 11th with the majority of the unit departing from the college on Saturday the 12th. All Year 8 cadets will depart from the college on Sunday 13th March and return on Thursday 17th March.

Members of the Cadet Unit have received preliminary notification of this compulsory activity. Printed material will be distributed at the weekly parade this Friday 26 February. All forms that require to be submitted for processing must be returned to the Cadet Unit Office **NO LATER THAN TUESDAY 1st of March.**

Please contact the Unit Adjutant; Major (AAC) Anthony Evans on 9369 0704 should you have any questions regarding the AFX.

Year 12 Mothers' Dinner

Our last catch up as mothers of boys entering Year 12 went well, the feedback was wonderful many asking when the next dinner would be held. As this is a busy year for all of us it would be great to get together and have a meal and chat. Our next dinner will be held Thursday March 17 at The Royal Randwick Hotel, 2 Perouse Road Randwick. Drinks and cocktails in the courtyard from 7 pm and dinner in the private dining room from 7.30 pm. There is an extensive menu, food and beverages purchased from the bar.

If you would like more information or would like to attend please RSVP by Thursday March 10 to donna-drew@bigpond.com

Library News: Feature Title of the Week

'Wolves of Mercy Falls Series'

'Shiver, Linger and Forever'

by Maggie Stiefvater

Shiver:

For Grace and Sam, love has always been kept at a distance. But once it's spoken, it cannot be denied. Sam must fight to stay human- and Grace must fight to keep him- even if it means taking on the scars of the past, the fragility of the present and the impossibility of the future.

Linger:

For Grace, Sam and Cole, life is a constant struggle between two forces – wolf and human – with love baring its two sides as well. It is harrowing and euphoric, freeing and entrapping,

enticing and alarming. As their world falls apart, love is what lingers. But will it be enough?

Forever:

Sam would do anything for Grace. But can one boy and one love really change a hostile, predatory world? The past, the present and the future are about to collide in one pure moment - 3a moment of death or life, farewell or forever.



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Diverse Sydney in a Day: HSC Geography field trip

Last Wednesday, Waverley College's HSC Geography Class undertook a field trip around Sydney as part of their studies of Urban Dynamics operating in a large city from the developed world.

It was a perfect day for a drive. After an early start we travelled nearly 200km over the day, visiting a diverse range of suburbs from Bella Vista and Macquarie Links to Wetherill Park, and Lakemba to Rhodes (pictured), taking in the multicultural culinary delights of Cabramatta along the way!

It was a very successful trip, consolidating students' understanding of the dynamic city we live in and its social structure, economic character and culture of place.

Brad Thompson
Geography Department



Senior Canteen Roster

WEEK 6

- Mon 29/2
Cathie Richie, Leisel Gabriel, Jeanette Marshall
- Tues 1/3
Michaelle Beckley, Jackie Gandy
- Wed 2/3
Paola Tsaousis, Nadja Paoletta, Angela Schacht
- Thurs 3/3
Marelle Sharpe
- Fri 4/3
Antoinette Sarmojay, Charise Hassey

WEEK 7

- Mon 7/3
Sam Ryan, Amanda Lane
- Tues 8/3
Mirtha Brbot, Maree Tsoukalas
- Wed 9/3
Claudine Tenellis, Martine Brenac
- Thurs 10/3
Jodie Hocking, Danielle Bingham
- Fri 11/3
Liz Donohue, Fiona Stamatelatos



WAVERLEY COLLEGE

Uniform Shop

Opening Hours Term 4

Monday	10.30 – 2.30
Tuesday	10.30 – 2.30
Wednesday	1.00 – 5.30
Thursday	10.30 – 2.30
Friday	10.30 – 2.30

The Uniform Shop stocks all of the required uniform items for both the Junior and Senior Schools.

Contact Us 9369 0709 or uniformshop@waverley.nsw.edu.au

Winter Uniform Purchases: Special Uniform Shop Saturday Opening

To assist year 5 parents, in particular, with purchasing Winter Uniforms we are going to open Uniform Shop on Sat March 19th from 9am to 1pm.

Junior School Canteen Roster

WEEK 4

- Mon 29/2
Nikki McAusland, Mila Palacio & Angela Varvaressos
- Tues 1/3
Louise Moran & Carla Roberts
- Wed 2/3
Antonella Marmotta & Alison Morgan
- Thurs 3/3
Nora Shahinian & Karen Roach
- Fri 19/2
Marianne Larkin, Nora Crotty & Stephanie Schofield

From the Head of Senior Sport

As we move towards the end of the summer Season it is a great time to reflect on the achievements and challenges of the season. Like our other northern Sydney rivals Barker, this week we are up against an always-strong Knox. Regardless of the result we need to continue to play with the dedication, tenacity but always in a positive spirit. The patience shown by our players, coaches and parents during the building works, which has impacted on our co-curricular program, has been tremendous and I know that the finished product will be worth the wait. I also want to thank all students for their efforts with the summer sports photos this week which ran very well. I want also make mention of and congratulate Patrick Veron who represented CAS this week in Tennis at the NSW CIS trials.

With only 2 rounds, including this week, to go all students and parents need to be aware of upcoming presentation venues, days and times. We are also rapidly moving towards the CAS Swimming and diving Championships on Thursday March 10th. This is a compulsory event for Years 8 and 12, as well as some of the 2016 year 11 leaders. The swimmers and divers will be bused out from 2.30pm, whereas the rest of the groups will leave at 3.30pm. All students are expected to arrive back by 9.30pm. We will also be sending buses to Hurstville and Maroubra as part of the return journey for those students who sign up before the evening. However, once each of these buses are full we cannot take any extras. Boys will be given a dinner pack on the way to the venue also. There are also canteen facilities but the prices are very high and the queues are long. As this is a compulsory event any illness or non-attendance for those Year groups involved will require a medical certificate as per policy of the College please.

We had our swimmers and divers compete last week at the CAS Invitational at Homebush. We had a couple of great performances including Peter Cassimatis with a National qualifying time in Breaststroke for the U14's, Lucas Swann in Year 5 who competed with the 12 and 13 year olds and recorded some impressive times, Ben Shires in Year 7 was also another notable good performer. We have the annual Christian Brother Carnival at North Sydney this Saturday at 7pm and we need to reclaim those shields we normally have from this event!

Special mention also to Ryan Helm who competed last weekend in the Bondi Bowlarama Skate Competition with some of the world's top skaters. Ryan secured 1st place in the Junior U16 Division. Ryan has also demonstrated that it is still possible to fulfill his co-curricular commitments whilst balancing his work and training for skating. Please see link below:

<http://www.bowlarama.com.au/blog-australia/saturday-results-are-in>

Next week we have our Winter Sports check. Boys will be given information regarding their season then, however, those students not in the swim squad who want to play A/B levels in Rugby, Football and Tennis will commence trials from Monday March 7th.

Good luck to all teams this weekend and 'Go the Waves!'

Mr Steve O'Donnell
Head of Senior Sport



Football Supporter Group AGM

7pm, 16 March
Queens Park Pavilion

Parents and friends interested in getting involved in the Waverley College Football Program in 2016 are invited to attend.

All positions in the club are available.

[All are welcome!](#)

Parents unable to attend but interested in assisting are encouraged to register their interests with the Convenor of Football, Mr Stephen Wilmot E. swilmot@waverley.nsw.edu.au

Water Polo News

Presentation Day

The presentation day for Water Polo will be held following the final fixture of the year against St Joseph's College, 5 March 2016. The event will be held at the Waverley College Pool with the door opening at 3:00pm for a 3:30pm start.

Admission will be \$30 per family or \$10 for individual students, with all funds raised going towards the funding of the event and further support of Water Polo initiatives.

Trybooking is being used for this event.

Please follow this link to pay and confirm your attendance <http://www.trybooking.com/182857>

Please note that this event is compulsory for all members of this year's teams.

Call for Donations

The Water Polo Supporter Group are also looking for donations of items that can be placed in a raffle to be held during the Water Polo presentation day.

The funds raised from the raffle will all go directly into the funding of the day itself and further Water Polo initiatives.

All those with items that they wish to donate are encouraged to email James Horrocks (Convenor of Water Polo) at jhorrocks@waverley.nsw.edu.au

Thank you and I look forward to seeing you on the day.

James Horrocks
Convenor of Water Polo

Water Polo Presentation Day 5 March 2016

Waverley College Pool 3.00pm for 3.30pm.

Admission \$30 per family or \$10 for individual students.

To book visit

<http://www.trybooking.com/182857>

From Behind the Stumps - Waverley Cricket Report

With 2 rounds of Cricket remaining, all Waverley teams will be looking to finish the season really strongly, and continue their skill development. There has been a strong focus over the last 3 weeks in improving the core cricket skills of batting, bowling and fielding, and the boys and their coaches should be congratulated for the dedication shown towards these goals.

Many of our teams have benefitted from some additional specialist coaching from a new partnership Waverley College is developing with the elite Coaches from Pro Performance Cricket. Their coaches of David Dawson, Josh Connolly and Waverley Old Boy Charlie Wakim are all NSW Blues Squad members, and Charlie also made his debut this year for the Sydney Sixers. They have provided high quality sessions to assist team coaches in improving the confidence and technical skills of the game. Many of the school's fast bowlers also were treated to a coaching session by legendary Australian fast bowler Geoff Lawson, who is currently the NSW and Sydney Sixers Fast Bowling Coach. It was great to see boys challenging themselves and asking great questions of Geoff, and we hope to continue these additional resources more in upcoming seasons. These sessions have been funded by the Cricket Supporter's Group, who continue to do a fantastic job in assisting our cricket program, and have also organized what will be a great Presentation Evening on March 5.

The Cricket Presentation Evening is going to be a twilight Sausage Sizzle and plenty of games, trivia and Cricket awards from each side from both our Junior and Senior Schools. It is from 6:30pm on Saturday March 5, in the Performing Arts Centre, and all boys and their families are warmly invited by the Cricket Supporter's Group. Please see the flyer included in this bulletin for details, with tickets \$10 per person and able to be purchased via a link in the Events section of the Waverley College Website or on the link <http://www.trybooking.com/KMRA>

This will be a fantastic way to celebrate the achievements and friendships from the season, and there is a **MONSTER RAFFLE** to be drawn on the night – with the major prize including the **ULTIMATE** parents pack; comprising:

- A nights stay at the Darling Hotel, including a \$250 dinner voucher and Valet parking
- 18-hole Round of Golf for 4 at St Michael's Golf Course
- An indulgent Blo Bar treatment.

Tickets for the raffle are open to anyone in the Waverley Community, and can be purchased now from the try booking site at <http://www.trybooking.com/KMRA>

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*Pictured at right -
Top: Ben O'Sullivan on the attack against Barker.
Middle: Geoff Lawson and the fast bowling club.
Bottom: Geoff Lawson and Harry Whiteman discuss seam positions.*

From Behind the Stumps - Waverley Cricket Report

On the field last week, the 7A and 7D teams certainly had the most exciting of finishes...both going down to the last ball. The 7D team won after stopping a boundary in the outfield, leaving them victors by 4 runs. This team has amazing enthusiasm and team spirit, and did well batting first to score 102 runs, with Oliver Kerr starring in a great innings of 44. Saia Afeaki was inspirational to his team mates with his consistent left-arm bowling that captured 3 key Barker wickets to help put Waverley in a great position. The 7As were unlucky to go down by 4 runs after needing to hit a six from the final ball to snare victory. Waverley's opening bowlers for Waverley were outstanding to have Barker 5 for 18 at drinks, with Harry Schultz 1 for 7, Jake Simcocks 1 for 7, Jackson Dodd 2 for 3 off 4 and James Hoggett went on to achieve the final figures of 4 for 1 off seven overs. Barker fought back after drinks with some good hitting to finish on 78. The Waverley batsmen fought hard in their run chase with Conor Boyd-Bowland and Dylan Brown contributing 15 runs each but the boys just fell short.

The 9Cs had a very strong victory over Barker, set up from a fantastic team total of 8/202. Ridley Owens hit 90 runs, with balls disappearing to all parts of Queens Park, and they backed it up in the field with a great team bowling display, with improved fielding and wickets shared between bowlers. Ridley Owens was one of a number of boys who filled in at late notice for boys sick or injured last weekend.

It shows fantastic school and team spirit for boys to willingly play in a second game for another side, and often in an older and more challenging age-group. Thank you sincerely to these boys, which included Lachlan Forrest, Darcy Mullins, Mark Andre, Ben Webster, Sam Connolly (who starred with 2 early wickets in the 9As) and young Connor Andrews from Year 5, who fielded with amazing confidence for the 9As - 4 years above his own age group!

Best of luck this week for all teams, and photos are as usual courtesy of www.facebook.com/waverleysport, with many more great pieces of weekly action.

Mr J McCallum, Convenor of Cricket

1st XI Cricket v Barker

Waverley won the toss and asked Barker to bat on a wicket that looked as though it would give some assistance to the bowlers. This proved correct when in the 1st over James Mahony-Brack claimed the 1st wicket with a good catch at point by Jack Hardwicke-Owen. Waverley was unlucky very next ball to have an LBW appeal turned down and again unlucky to lose Mahony-Brack to a side strain after just 2 balls of his 2nd over. Over number 5 produced what Waverley and all spectators believed to be the 2nd wicket with a catch to cover only for the umpire to rule a bump ball at the batting crease. Tight bowling from Ben O'Sullivan and Ryan Connolly restricted the scoring as edges fell just short of fielders. At the 25 over mark Barker was 2 for 75. From this point they pushed ahead with some luck and the 3rd wicket didn't fall until 140 was on the board. A further 2 wickets and Barker was 5 for 160. However the tail did a great job and at the completion of 50 overs the Barker total was a very good 6 for 215.

The Waverley innings was in tatters by over number 4 with both openers and the number 4 back in the



Waverley College Cricket End of Season Presentation

Saturday 5th March, 2016

6:30pm – 9pm

Venue: Waverley Performing Arts Theatre, Birrell St

Parents and players, please join us for

- *A sausage sizzle*
- *Trivia, Monster raffle and games*
- *Coaches awards for each team from Years 5-12*
- *Presentation of the Br. Murphy Shield*



\$10 per person,
including Sausage Sizzle.

Drinks available to purchase at the bar.



Huge Monster Raffle, with prize pool valued at over \$3,000:

1st Prize includes A Night for 2 at the Darling Hotel, including a \$250 Restaurant Voucher and valet parking; a 4 person Round of Golf at St Michaels Golf Club and a Blo- Bar Hair and Beauty Package.

Please Book tickets to the event and Monster raffle with payment via the link <http://www.trybooking.com/KMRA> Or from the link in the Events section of the Waverley College website (www.waverley.nsw.edu.au). Click on the Cricket Presentation Dinner prompt to book online.

sheds. A good partnership between James Mahony-Brack and Ben O'Sullivan looked to be bringing Waverley back into the game with 45 now on the board after 17 overs. After the drinks break, the game changed again with both losing their wickets. Barker bowlers were very clinical with the lines they bowled and Waverley succumbed to a very solid, controlled attack to be all out for 75. This makes it very hard to defend the CAS title with just 2 games remaining but cricket is a very strange game with many twists and turns.

Mr J Boyd, Coach

Basketball Report

From the Captain of Basketball

Waverley 1st V and 2nd V had our first games at our new home court – the Basketball Factory at All Sorts in Alexandria, and Barker was the first team to contest on our home court. The 2nd V, sitting at 2-5 and facing a record-breaking season, a win would put them ahead of any other Waverley 2nd V team for almost the past 15 years. However, the team suffered two blows before the game as Miguel Joson and Johnny Pawle were both out, meaning that George Hatzandreou and Matthew Miller from the 3rd V were promoted to make their first appearance for the 2nd V. The 2nd V started strong from the outset, competing every second of the game and taking it to the top-ranked Barker side, who came into the game with a 5-2 record. Strong play came from every player, who was determined to beat the record. A 2-minute period of nervousness surfaced as Waverley, up by 12 points, was pressured by Barker, who were able to haul in Waverley's lead to as little as 4. Fortunately, Waverley persevered and with an extremely impressive performance from Angus Mattick, the 2nd V rejoiced as they took down one of the best teams in the competition. The 1st V ran out on the new court looking for a different result, as they looked back on the last time they played Barker, which was one of the closest they had been to obtaining a win all season. The first half was very competitive, as both teams never gave up. Waverley capitalized on their 'small ball' game, as we looked to run every possession, grabbing numerous baskets in the open court on the fast break. However, the second half told a different tale, as Barker overwhelmed the mostly inexperienced 1st V team, and even though Waverley had moments of good play, Barker dominated through their big men. By the end of the game Waverley had lost 8 straight games and now look to salvage as many positives as possible out of the last two games of the season.

Fred Pawle

Captain of Basketball

From the Convenor of Basketball

In the 2nd V game last week, coach Mr Jovine reports that the players managed to achieve a great win against Barker, despite being dominated by the height of the opposition. The 2nd V made sure they focused on rebounding throughout the week at training, as this area was lacking in previous games. The players managed to pull together and mostly keep Barker from getting any second-chance points. The 2nd V was still timid running our sets late in the shot-clock, but having Angus Mattick and Brendan Morrissey shooting confidently from the field late in the second half helped propel Waverley ahead to beat a very capable Barker side 32-27. Jasper Howell shooting a cracker from the deep with the shot-clock sounding off was a great way to complete a historic win for the Waverley 2nd V, who now move to three wins for the season and are full of confidence moving into the last two rounds of CAS competition.

Waverley 1st V went down to Barker in a hard fought battle between size and speed. According

to coach Mr Carlos, the first quarter saw Waverley's full-court pressure defense disrupt Barker's flow on offense. Shots went in for both teams as a result of constant ball movement. The second quarter displayed a similar pattern, tough defense and great offensive execution. The game also highlighted the battle of the bigs with both Ryan Lewis and Lachlan Trowell holding the fort against the twin towers of Barker. The third quarter saw Barker employ a full court press on Waverley and from there a 10-0 run went in Barker's favour. This was the biggest turning point in the game. The fourth quarter saw Waverley employing a full court trap, which was effective in forcing Barker to commit turnovers, which lead to easy baskets for the Waverley 1st V. Unfortunately it was not enough as the deficit was too big to overcome in the time that remained and Barker eventually prevailed 78-53. Another tough game against competition contenders Knox awaits the 1st V this Saturday. For our Year 12 players, it will be their penultimate game for the College, so we are encouraging as many spectators as possible to make it to All Sorts, Alexandria to support the 1st V and 2nd V.

Waverley teams to win on the weekend included: 9Cs (35-24), 8Cs (27-26), 8Ds (30-27), 7As (27-24), 7Cs (52-9), 7Ds (31-13), 7Es (26-18), 7Fs (10-9) and 7Gs (16-15) while the 8As drew 39-all. The 9Bs (25-20), 8Bs (32-31), 8Fs (25-17) and 7Bs (34-30) all lost close games.

With the loss to Barker, the 10As now have a 5-3 win-loss record for the season, while the 9As (4-4), 9Fs (4-4), 8As (4-1-3), 8Cs (4-4) are still travelling well. The 7As (2-1), 7Cs (3-0), 7Ds (3-0), 7Fs (2-1) and 7Gs (2-0) are also doing very well.

The end-of-season awards ceremony for basketball will once again be in a different format than usual this year due to the ongoing building works and lack of appropriate facilities at the College. Only players from the 1st V, 2nd V, A and B teams and departing Year 12 players will participate in a short presentation from 5pm in the College Canteen on Friday 11th of March. Light food and drink will be provided for the players. All other award winners will be presented with their certificates during the last round of the season, either at training or after the game against St Aloysius on Saturday 5th of March.

Good luck to all teams against Knox this weekend.

Mr A Gibbs

Convenor of Basketball



Music Notes

Waverley College Choir

Rehearsal for the College Choir is held on a Monday morning from 7.30am-8.30am. New members welcome.

Concert Band and Jazz Band

Students interested in joining the band please contact Mr Dan Williams, Director of Bands email: dwilliams@waverley.nsw.edu.au.

Upcoming Events

Wed, 2 March 6.30pm Meet the Music at Sydney Opera House Yr 11 Music 2 & Yr 12 Music 2

Fri, 18 March 3.40pm Senior Concert Band Performance, Royal Easter Show

Private Music Tuition

Private music lessons are held in the Performing Arts Centre by external tutors on specific days and times. Instruction is available in a large range of instruments, theory, voice and composition. The College views the study of music as an essential part of each student's development. The extension of this study through private tuition on an instrument is strongly encouraged because of the flow on benefits to performance in other academic areas.

Parents can complete the online enrolment form : Private Music Tuition Form. Click on the link.

<https://waverleycollege.wufoo.eu/forms/music-tuition-fee-schedule-2016/>

Attendance at Lessons

It is the responsibility of the student to ensure he attends his music lesson. In the event of a student or teacher absence, excursion or examination commitments, the following guidelines apply:

1. Student Absence

A student will forfeit the lesson if the tutor has not been given at least 24 hours notice of an absence. Make up lessons can only be provided when 24 hours notice has been given.

2. Tutor Absence

Where possible, pupils will be notified in advanced of a tutor's absence. A new lesson time will be negotiated in the case of unforeseen illness which cannot be notified in advance.

3. Excursions, Examinations, Class Tests

A minimum of 48 hours notice is required to reschedule a lesson. A student's failure to notify the Music Faculty / Tutor will incur the cost of the cancelled lesson.

Cessation of Tuition

Private lessons cannot be cancelled during term. Students must be committed to learning the instrument for the entire semester. In the event of a student wishing to cease tuition, one full term's notice is required in writing.

If you require any further assistance please contact Mrs Kossenber, PAC Administrator on Ph: 9369 0623 or email: kkossenber@waverley.nsw.edu.au.

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Junior Chess

Latest news

Chess class

The chess class at Waverley College runs on Tuesday lunch from 12:30 pm - 1:30 pm. If you are interested in enrolling your child, please call the Sydney Academy of Chess on (02) 9745 1170 or email enrol@sydneyacademyofchess.com.au

Upcoming chess event

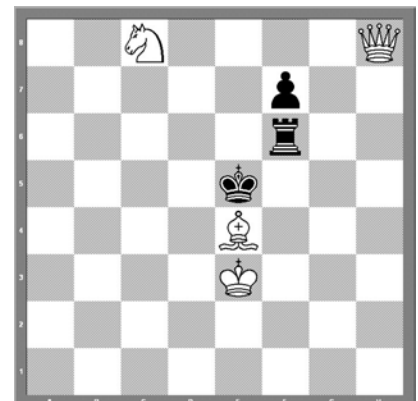
6th March: Inner West Sunday Fun Tournament

More information on events and coaching can be found on: sydneyacademyofchess.com.au

2015 Solution puzzle #17

1. Nc7+, Qxc7 2. Qf7#

Chess puzzle



Puzzle #1: White to play and checkmate in 2 moves.

Tennis Report

Tennis Report - Round 8

Last Saturday Waverley came up against a tough opponent in Barker. Barker proved to be a strong side throughout all age groups, with Waverley finding it difficult to take a set. Fortunately for Waverley we had standout performers coming from the 9B's, as doubles pair William Durkin and Marko Dundovic took out a well-fought set, winning 6-4. This pair then brought their skills to the singles proving to be a strong force, resulting in two convincing wins of 6-0 for William and 6-1 for Marko. There was another strong team with Alistair Jensen and Harry Karakatsanis who won their doubles, holding out for the nail-biting win of 7-5. Year 9 produced another highlight performance in 9C's with player Hugh Marshall, who managed to seal another convincing set for Waverley, taking down his Barker counterpart 6-2. The Year 9 team is strong unit, with many promising players emerging this season.

Bouncing back from a defeat in the doubles set was Waverley's 1st player, Patrick Veron. After going down in both doubles sets, CAS representative

Patrick displayed his skill set and persevered to win a close 7-6 match; producing the only win in the 1st team. Patrick Veron furthered his achievements this week, representing Waverley at the CIS competition at Kings School on Wednesday. He brought some fine form to the courts, coming up against difficult opponents. Patrick came home with 1 win from 3 close sets. Patrick will now go on to represent the CAS against GPS on Wednesday 9th March in Homebush. We wish Patrick the best of luck and congratulate him on his achievements.

Overall, round 8 proved to be a difficult one for Waverley, however with hard work and dedication on the training courts, we can continue to improve and hopefully display the quality tennis that we are more than capable of. With only 2 rounds left of the summer season, I hope all boys make the most of what's left and show Knox and St Aloysius that Waverley can be a strong team. Good luck to everyone this week against Knox and hopefully we can see some positive results come through in the concluding fixtures of the summer season.

Marcus Prestianni, Captain of Tennis



Waverley College End of Season Celebration and Fast 4 Tennis Competition



It was with great disappointment that despite the Tennis Supporters Committee's best efforts the Fast 4 Competition was cancelled on Sunday February 21st due to bad weather.

Parents and players from Years 5-12 please join us for our new event:
The End of Season Celebration and Fast 4 Tennis Competition



Waverley College Tennis Courts
Sunday 6th March
3pm-6pm
\$25 per person



Includes your games of tennis, table tennis and a sausage sizzle.

Drinks and other snacks available for purchase

We welcome everyone if you're just coming to show your support you can get a sausage sizzle \$5.00.

(If you paid previously and wish to attend, you will not be required to re-register and pay again. Please let us know you are coming by emailing tennis_supportersgroup@waverley.edu.au)

Buy a raffle ticket or two to win some great prizes, with all proceeds going towards the development of Tennis at Waverley College

Please book your tickets and pay via the link:

<http://www.trybooking.com/>

Or from the link in the *Events* section of the Waverley College website (www.waverley.nsw.edu.au).

Enquiries: tennis_supportersgroup@waverley.edu.au

We look forward to seeing you there!

Free US Study Seminar

A Free Information Session for students interested in Studying in the US Sessions Run by US College Connect

Date: Wednesday March 23, 2016

Time: 4pm and 7pm

Venue: Mansfield Room (located in the Cranbrook Building), Cranbrook School
5 Victoria Road Bellevue Hill
Please enter via the Victoria Road main gates.

RSVP: Cranbrook asks that every student that is planning on attending register for the event on trybooking.

<http://www.trybooking.com/KNVP>

Any Questions please contact

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From the Careers Desk

Plumbing Apprenticeship Eastern Suburbs

Eastern Suburbs Plumbing Company requires full time 1st or 2nd year trainee/apprentice for immediate start.

Please email expression of interest to nmoore@mbps.com.au include resume and referees.
University of Melbourne: Interstate Info Day
Mon 11th April, 9am – 4:30pm

This information day is for interstate students and their families who are considering studying at the University of Melbourne.

Contact: Lois Carlton – lcarterton@unimelb.edu.au or 03 8344 8809

http://futurestudents.unimelb.edu.au/explore/events/victoria_and_interstate/victoria/interstate_student_and_family_information_day_2016

UNSW: Built Environment Parent and Student Information Session

16th March 2016, 6pm to 8:30pm, UNSW Built Environment Ground Floor Gallery

The information evening is aimed at high school students and their families and those who have already completed the HSC, are studying at TAFE, in a gap year, bridging course or already commenced work. Information will be provided on admission options, career pathways and an opportunity to speak to current students.

<http://www.be.unsw.edu.au/events/information-night-prospective-students-and-their-families>

Scholarship opportunities for future teachers

The NSW Department of Education offers presentations via video conference to groups of students interested in teaching. To register your interest please contact: emma.vandermoezel@det.nsw.edu.au.

<https://www.teach.nsw.edu.au>

Academy of Information Technology

Information Night

1st March 2016, 6pm to 8pm

15th March 2016, 6pm to 8pm

Information Night will enable prospective students to discover different career options, have a campus tour and learn about AIT's \$8,000 scholarship for domestic students.

<http://www.ait.nsw.edu.au/information-night/>

Academy of Interactive Entertainment Events

Industry Experience Days 6th & 20th April

<http://www.aie.edu.au/ied>

Open Day 21st May

<http://www.aie.edu.au/openday>

Online Experience Day 26th May

<http://www.aie.edu.au/oed> UMAT 2016

UMAT is a test that is used specifically to assist with the selection of students into the medicine, dentistry and health science degree programs at undergraduate level at the universities listed on the website.

Registrations for UMAT 2016 are now open and close 5:00pm (AEST) 3rd June 2016.

The test takes place nationally on Wed 27th July 2016.

<https://umat.acer.edu.au/>

NSW HSC Online

HSC Online provides helpful resources for year 12 students, with notes sorted by subject and then by syllabus to help students understand where the

resources fit within their courses.

<http://www.hsc.csu.edu.au/>

Health Graduates' Statistics

Starting salaries & employment rate.

<https://www.myhealthcareer.com.au/health-industry/employment-and-starting-salaries-2015-gradstats>

University of Sydney: Introduction of Mathematics Prerequisite

The University of Sydney will introduce a mathematics prerequisite for some courses in 2019. The courses that will have the prerequisite will be listed in UAC's 2016 Year 10 guide.

<http://sydney.edu.au/news-opinion/news/2016/02/01/mathematics-to-become-a-prerequisite-for-university-of-sydney-ad.html>

ADFA Education Award: Applications Close 28 February

The Australian Defence Force Academy (ADFA) Education Award is presented annually to Year 12 students in recognition of leadership potential, and academic and sporting achievements exhibited during Year 11. You need to submit an application prior to 28 February in the year you undertake Year 12. However, you are encouraged to apply in Year 11. Applications open for this year's Year 11 students on 1st May.

<http://www.defencejobs.gov.au/education/adfa/howToApply/educationAward.aspx>

Whitehouse Institute of Design Workshops

2 Short Street, Surry Hills, NSW 2010

Whitehouse Institute of Design offers workshops for school students, which are beginner classes and may be held on campus or at the school. Areas offered include drawing for fashion, interior drawing techniques, creative direction, textiles and design. These are suitable for students from year 7 to 12.

To book or for enquiries, Email: enquiry@whitehouse-design.edu.au or Phone: 02 9267 8799 or 1300 551 433

<http://www.whitehouse-design.edu.au/courses/school-studios-workshops-for-schools-in-nsw-and-vic>

Experts predict jobs of the future

<http://this.deakin.edu.au/careers/experts-predict-the-jobs-of-the-future>

ATO Tax File Number Applications

A tax file number is a unique nine-digit number issued to individuals and organisations to help administer tax and other Australian Government systems. Students need a TFN before they can start any type of paid work.

For information on how to apply visit: <https://www.ato.gov.au/Individuals/Tax-file-number/>

Job Guide Website Offline

The Job Guide Website was permanently taken offline last week. Fortunately, all information and data can still be accessed on The Good Universities Guide website:

<http://www.gooduniversitiesguide.com.au/career/search>

Surviving Year 12

Think Education have produced a free eBook with tips on how to master your final year of school.

<http://beyou.think.edu.au/surviving-year-12>

HSC Survival Guide

The School for Excellence (TSFX) have put together a 36 page guide to help year 12 students achieve the best possible marks in end of school exams. The guide has advice about goal setting, managing stress and procrastination, time management skills, effective learning techniques, planning study timetables and more.

Download it here: <http://www.tsfx.com.au/hsc-survival-guide-edge-teachers>

Half Yearly Exam Revision

Enrolments Open

5th and 6th March 2016

The Revision Lectures are for year 12 students and subjects offered include Biology, Business Studies, Chemistry, Economics, English Advanced, English Standard, Mathematics, Mathematics General 2 and Physics.

<http://www.tsfx.com.au/?hsc-program=mid-year-exam-revision-lectures>

Mastering the Exams

June 2016, University of Sydney

The program is for year 11 and 12 students with information on skills and strategies that can be used during exam periods.

<http://www.tsfx.com.au/category-hsc-program/exam-strategy-lectures/>

5 things I wish I knew about exams when I was in high school

This page provides a few study tips and ways to reduce stress around exam time.

<http://learningfundamentals.com.au/blog/5-things-i-wish-i-knew-about-exams-as-a-student/>