

Cromer Courier

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From the Principal

We are pleased to announce that the Uniform Shop will reopen on Thursday next week, under the management of Mrs Kym Dobby and Daylight Sportswear. Welcome Kym to our school community. The new, longer opening times are outlined later in this edition of the Courier.

P & C MEETING
Tuesday December 8th 2015
7.00 pm in the Staff Common Room

Parent volunteers are needed to help man the Uniform Shop in January, and all volunteers will be given a \$20 credit, per hour of service, to use for the purchase of uniform for your child or children. For more details please call Adam at Daylight Sportswear by email to adam@daylightcorp.com.

I am very much looking forward to meeting many more members of our community at our 6th Annual Golf Day next Tuesday. Please see the information on page two of the newsletter if you would to play or attend the dinner. Thanks to the P&C for their brilliant organisation of this event.

Mr Justin Hong Principal

Relieving Deputy Principal Years 7, 9, 11

I would like to take this opportunity to introduce myself to the parent community of Cromer Campus. I am extremely pleased to be the Relieving Deputy Principal for this term at Cromer. I have had many years in the position of Deputy Principal and Relieving Principal over my 32 years of teaching and believe that I have a lot to offer the students, teachers and wider community.

Within the short time that I have been at the school I have observed that Cromer is a wonderful school with very committed teachers and friendly, polite students. I look forward to meeting more students and their families in the time that I have at Cromer.

Some of the activities undertaken over the past weeks have been:

Year 11

I had the pleasure to meet many Year 11 students at their recent interviews. They presented as very mature young people who had a clear focus and goal for the future. I now encourage all students to concentrate on their studies for their Higher School Certificate, to plan for their assessments and to use their study time at school and at home wisely.

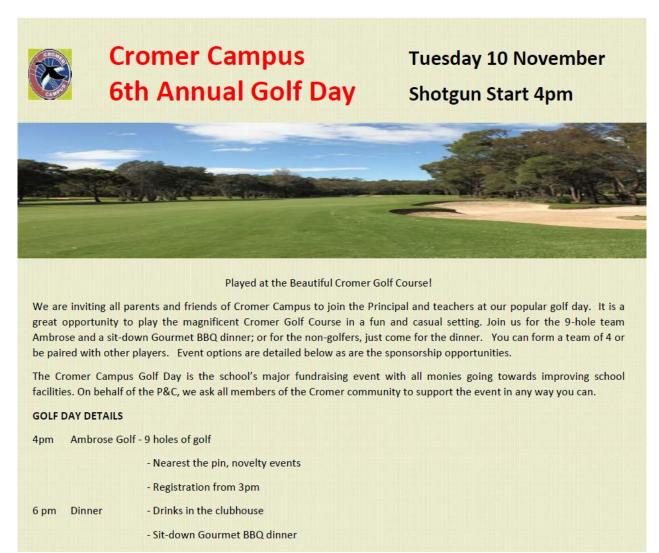
Year 9

Year 9 is now half way through their Stage 5 courses and need to be reminded of the importance of applying themselves with diligence and sustained effort. Some N Award Warnings have already been issued to some students. If your child receives a warning letter they must ensure that they complete the work that is written within that warning letter, otherwise they may be putting their Record of Student Achievement (RoSA) into jeopardy.

Year 7

This is a very busy term for Year 7 with Swim School and their approaching exams. I would recommend to all Year 7 students to plan for their upcoming exams by drawing up a study timetable and preparing summaries for each of their subjects.

Mrs Jane Dean Relieving Deputy Principal (Monday, Thursday, Friday)



GOLF & DINNER \$60 DINNER ONLY \$30

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or just turn up to pay and play on the day.

CROMER CAMPUS UNIFORM SHOP

PLEASE NOTE: The Uniform Shop will re-open under the management of Daylight Schoolwear from next week with opening times as follows:

Week 6 Thursday November 12th 12.00 – 4.00 pm

Weeks 7-10 Every Tuesday 8.00 am – 12.00pm

Every Thursday 12.00 – 4.00 pm

Week 11 Tuesday December 19th Hours TBA

Last day of operation 2015

Girl Talk with Mrs Stevens

On October 20th and 21st I had the pleasure of taking a group of Year 11 girls to the head office of Fossil Australia in Brookvale. During the two day Work Inspirations experience the team at Fossil (Vanessa Miles, Linton Davey and Frank Burke) guide the students through a series of activities and workshops to gain a real insight into the world of business. The most valuable part of this experience is when the girls get to talk to employees about their careers and this experience gives students a real insight into the world of work.

Once again our girls were amazing and I have to thank Kaitlyn Smith, Brooke Harris, Alisi Kanongataa, Alisi Pulu, Elouise Fawcett, Gemma Butler, Lipeti Baranyi and Sharon Assubuje for their positive participation in the program. The girls asked lots of questions, were engaging, gave excellent feedback and were dressed for work. I was so proud of them, they were great ambassadors for our school.





Again, I cannot thank the staff of Fossil enough for participating in the Work Inspirations program with our girls, and in particular Frank Burke for helping to establish the program last year. Also, special thanks go to Linton Davey and Vanessa Miles in the Human Resources team who gave up two days out of their busy week to run the program. It has been a pleasure to work with you again, and I look forward to next year!

Student Leader News INSPIRE INFLUENCE IMPACT

The Leadership Team, during our Thursday meetings, have been discussing our core values and what we believe leadership is all about. *INSPIRE INFLUENCE IMPACT*.

On 15th October, our leaders had the opportunity to attend the annual NBSC leadership conference where all five schools in the college participated in a range of activities that brought us together as one college. Throughout the day, we discussed what we as leaders can achieve and improve. We were assigned in mixed groups in order to build relationships with others, to discuss new ways of thinking about leadership and how we can all make a positive impact on the community.



Together we are working towards not just improving our individual schools but also improving the connections between the five colleges. For us, the leaders of Cromer Campus, we are working towards engaging in relationships with students to unify the school community.



Cromer Campus Leadership Team 2015/16



NBSC School Captains - 2015/16 Annual Leadership Conference



NBSC School Leaders 2015/16

GLOBAL DIGNITY DAY

YEAR 10 STUDENTS MARINA NOORBERGEN AND PAUL ROSE REPRESENTED NBSC CROMER AT PARLIAMENT HOUSE WITH YEAR ADVISER MS BROOKS FOR GLOBAL DIGNITY DAY ON FRIDAY 23 OCTOBER.

Marina Noorbergen reports:

Global Dignity Day first started in 2006 and involves countries from all over the world. This was the first time Australia has been involved. As part of Global Dignity Day, students from Year 10 in public and private schools all over Sydney were encouraged to recognise dignity as



an important right for themselves and others, and to tell their own stories of living a dignified life. The main speaker was the former High Court Judge, The Honorary Michael Kirby, who told us that everyone has the right to lead a dignified life and spoke about how even though we are all different, we need to recognise the importance of dignity in our lives and the lives of others. If there was one thing we took away from the experience it would be that we all need to embrace and celebrate diversity in Australia. Paul Rose agrees that we need to find a way to improve the dignity of all Australians. The concept of global dignity includes the following five principles:

- 1. Every human being has a right to lead a dignified life.
- 2. A dignified life means an opportunity to fulfil one's potential, which is based on having a human level of health care, education, income and security.
- 3. Dignity means having the freedom to make decisions on one's life and to be met with respect for this right.
- 4. Dignity should be the basic guiding principle for all actions.
- 5. Ultimately, our own dignity is interdependent with the dignity of others.

Marina and Paul were true ambassadors of NBSC Cromer Campus at Global Dignity Day, displaying respect, enthusiasm as they actively participated in the events of the day, well done to you both!



Sport at Cromer

The year is flying by and as we approach the end, we still have plenty of students achieving in their sports. Please read on to find out more.

CROMER STUDENTS AMAZING ACHIEVEMENTS

Lachlan Charlie – CRICKET: Congratulations Lachlan on successfully gaining selection into the second trial for the Sydney North Cricket Team. Best of luck in gaining selection into the team!

Sophie McGovern – ATHLETICS: Sophie recently competed at the NSW All School competition. She came 1st in 16yrs 100m Hurdles which now qualifies her to compete in the 18yrs 100m Hurdles at the Australian All Schools in December in Melbourne. Sophie also achieved 2nd places in the 100m and 200m Sprint events. Congratulations Sophie on your outstanding results and best wishes for Melbourne!

YEAR 7 SWIM PROGRAM

Just a reminder to all year 7 to ensure you bring your swimmers and towels every Monday week B to participate in the Swim Program at the WAC. There are three sessions to go.

YEAR 8 LIFESAVING

Year 8 will be participating in Surf Awareness and Lifesaving during week 9 of this term. The program caters for all levels of swimming ability from Water Discovery for non-swimmers up to Bronze Star for advanced swimmers. This is a very enjoyable program and teaches students how to stay safe at the beach and at other waterways as well as a variety of rescue methods and resuscitation. Notes will be going home this week. There is a small cost involved to cover buses and equipment needed for this program to be successful.





STAFF ACHIEVEMENTS

Mr van der Wallen - Surf Lifesaving: Congratulations to Mr van der Wallen (PDHPE) on receiving a Meritorious Individual Certificate of Merit at the Surf Lifesaving National Awards of Excellence. Adriaan was recognised for his heroic rescue last year up the coast. Here are links to 2 videos of Adriaan being interviewed and also him receiving his award. Congratulations Adriaan, you have done us all proud.

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=i1L-FBmIuFI&app=desktop

https://www.facebook.com/devora.lieberman.3/videos/1012481912108515/

Adriaan is coordinating the Year 8 Lifesaving program in week 9.



Miss Crawford – Contribution and Service to School Sport: Congratulations to Miss Crawford on receiving a State Award from NSW Premier's Sporting Challenge, which recognises the valuable contribution that she has made to student outcomes in school sport in NSW Public Schools. Miss Crawford has been instrumental in the

management and organisation of Sport at Cromer Campus as well as building the network of schools involved in the Northern Beaches Premiers Sporting Challenge. We are proud to acknowledge Miss Crawford's dedication and valued service to local school sport and recognise her as a vital member of the PDHPE Team.

Miss Bonello - Excellent Service to School Sport: Congratulations to Ms Bonello on receivina the most prestigious award supported by NSW Premiers Sporting Challenge, which recognises the outstanding achievements and contribution Ms Bonello has made to school sport over the past 15 years. Ms Bonello's experience in Zone Sport is reflected in her organisation of the structure of the Warringah Zone Sports Association. She has updated Zone policies and has initiated

the planning of the future direction of School Sport for the Warringah Zone and SuperZone as well as contributing to all aspects of school sport. This award recognises these contributions as being above and beyond what might be expected of a teacher in a similar position. We value the contribution Ms Bonello has made to the PDHPE team and School Sport.



FACEBOOK is expanding to include whole school events...stay tuned for launch day...

SPORT IS ON FACEBOOK



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SYDNEY NORTH TRIALS/RESULTS

http://www.sports.det.nsw.edu.au/syd_north/welcome.htm

Please check the website for trial dates, information and entry forms and results or speak to your School Sport Coordinators.

Here at Cromer Campus we do our best to report on and acknowledge our Student's sporting achievements. Please email alexandra.bonello@det.nsw.edu.au or private message NSBC Cromer Campus Sport with your child's results and achievements and any good action photos.

CROMER CALENDAR

Week 6B

Mon 9 – Friday 13 November YEAR 8 EXAMS and YEAR 10 EXAMS

Library Stocktake

Week 7A

Mon 16 – Friday 20 November Library Stocktake continues

Week 8B

Thursday 26 November Music Showcase Performance – Matinee and Evening performances

Week 9A

Mon 30 Nov – Friday 4 Dec Year 10 Work Experience Program Tues 1, Thurs 3 & Fri 4 Dec Year 8 Lifesaving

Week 10B

Mon 7 – Fri 11 December Year 10 Work Experience Program continues
Mon 7 – Wed 9 December Year 9 Camp
Tue 8 December P&C Meeting 7pm

Week 11A

Monday 14 December PRESENTATION NIGHT 7pm in the Gym Wednesday 16 December Last school day for students

GUIDED SCHOOL TOURS

Please contact the school on 9981 1155 to book a place in the next available tour.



Help your community become more inclusive

We are looking for volunteers to support our Social Inc. Groups in local High Schools for one lunch hour each fortnight.

Bring your spark and help students with and without disability to find theirs. Training and support provided. Visit socialinc.org.au/volunteers.html to apply,

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