



SGHS NEWSLETTER

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Week 7A Term 3 2018

Upcoming Events

Term 3

WEEK 7

- **Sept 3**— Year 7 English Incursion
- **Sept 6**—Year 10 Mental Health Speaking Challenge
- **Sept 6**— Year 12 Graduation Rehearsal– Assembly & P5
- **Sept 7**— Bligh Zone Badminton & Table Tennis
- **Sept 7**— Year 10 English Incursion
- **Sept 7**—World Literacy Foundation—Dress Up Day (Book Character)

WEEK 8

- **Year 11 Final Examinations**
- Sept 14— 'Our Stories' Book Launch
- **Sept 14**—Year 9 and 10 Visual Design Excursion

WEEK 9

- **Year 11 Final Examinations**
- Sept 17 -Year 12 Modern History excursion to Sydney Jewish Museum
- Sept 21- Kanyana 2018 Workshop

Next P&C Meeting

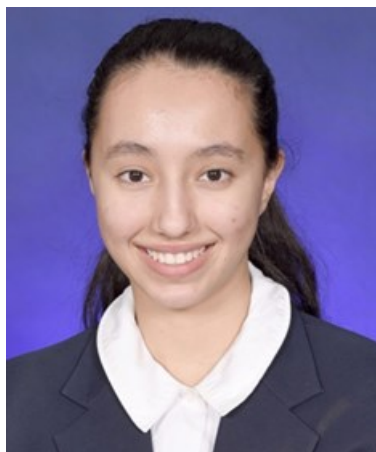
**Staff Common Room,
Monday 10 September, 7pm**

Minister's Awards for Excellence

SGHS Takes TWO

On Wednesday, 29 August, we had the pleasure of attending the Minister's and Secretary's Award Ceremony at the Sydney Town Hall to watch two bright, shining SGHS stars receive their Awards for Excellence from The Honourable Rob Stokes MP.

Clarissa Lazzaro, Year 12, had the honour of being presented with the Minister's Award for Excellence in Student Achievement. Clarissa is an outstanding student whose official citation describes her perfectly.



Clarissa Lazzaro
Strathfield Girls High School

Clarissa is an outstanding student who is a quiet achiever with a focus on perfection. She has achieved outstanding results through high school and has developed deep understanding of her HSC courses as evident by her achievement of an extraordinarily high standard in her subjects. Clarissa has outstanding leadership skills, demonstrating initiative, strong organisational skills, superior communication skills, especially in public speaking and an ability to generate enthusiasm which strengthens team work. As an exemplary role model, she inspires her peers and encourages them to strive for their best and pursue values such as respect, responsibility and integrity.



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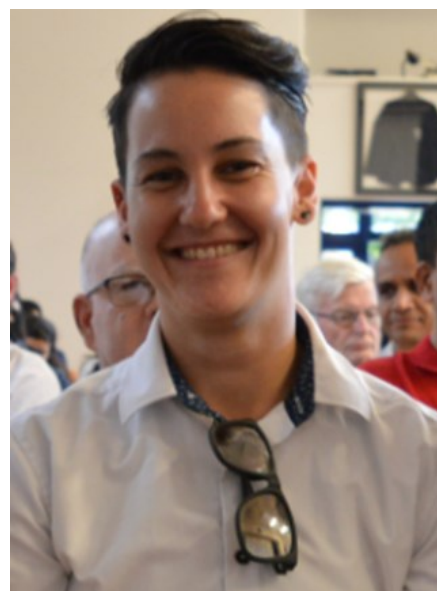


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Brydie-Kate Cullen, History Teacher at the school for nearly 3 years now, was nominated by her Head Teacher, Marina Aspridakis. She received the Minister's Award for Excellence in Teaching for her innovative teaching and learning practices with a strong focus on collegial sharing.

Brydie-Kate Cullen **Strathfield Girls High School**

Brydie-Kate has demonstrated and fostered innovative teaching and learning practices and displayed exemplary leadership qualities. As a History teacher, Brydie-Kate has implemented strongly differentiated and pedagogically sound units of work, which cater for a variety of learners and ensures that each is able to fully access the curriculum. In particular her development of blended learning environments has led to improvements in rates of absenteeism and literacy rates. She has a keen ability to adapt and innovate, a skill aided by her highly developed technological skills. Her strong focus on collegial sharing has increased teacher confidence and expertise and encourages collaboration within the school.



We are very proud of both our winners and wish that their excellent achievements continue to grow from strength to strength.



Vocational Education and Training

Our amazing VET Students from Year 12 represented Strathfield Girls High School at the Vocational Education and Training awards. Isani Cummins was nominated in the Hospitality- Kitchen Operations category, Kaylah Apps in Business Services and Vanessa Chan in Entertainment Industry.

All our nominees faced strong challengers for the award in each of their categories.

Vanessa Chan was successful in winning the VET award for Entertainment Industry. Congratulations, Vanessa!

Well done to all of our students and their teachers on their outstanding achievements in VET this year. We are all very proud of you all.

Mrs A Da Silva

It was also good to see Rose Cox, a 2017 SGHS graduate and winner of the NSW State Training Award, as the guest speaker at this event. Rose was not only mentored by Mrs Da Silva in the Hospitality Kitchen Operations course, but was nurtured and afforded many opportunities at our school from Years 7 to 12. Rose was the winner of ZONTA Citizenship and Young Leaders Award and School Vice Captain. She was also supported as a Young Carer. We are all very happy to see Rose mature into a young woman ready to take on the world, and wish her everything of the best.



A Treat for the Residents of Jesmond Aged Care!

On 28 August, the School Orchestra, Senior Vocal Ensemble, Strathfield Divas, Vocal Point and the Year 12 HSC Music students joined forces to stage a brilliant performance for the residents of Jesmond Aged Care Facility. Much to the delight of our senior citizens, our students performed some of the pieces that they had been rehearsing through the year. The value and respect of our school for senior members of our local community touched the hearts of everyone.

The highlight of the visit was the interaction and little conversations among our students and the residents of Jesmond Aged Care Home Facility. Well done SGHS! We are in the planning phase of a Christmas party extravaganza. Watch this space.



Week 6 Sports News

Grade Sport Result

SPORT	RESULTS	SCORE
7/8 Netball Team 1	Defeated Strathfield 2	17-4
7/8 Netball Team 2	Defeated by Strathfield 1	4-17
7/8 Soccer Team 1	Defeated Tempe 1	5-1
7/8 Soccer Team 2	Draw Balmain 1	0-0
7/8 Volleyball Team 1	Defeated Tempe 2	3-0
7/8 Volleyball Team 2	Defeated Tempe 1	2-1
9/10 Netball Team 1	Defeated Balmain 2	23-4
9/10 Netball Team 2	Defeated by Balmain 1	7-19
9/10 Soccer Team 1	Defeated Strathfield 2	5-1
9/10 Soccer Team 2	Defeated by Strathfield 1	1-5

Players of the Week

SPORT	STUDENT
7/8 Netball	Zaynab Ayoub
7/8 Soccer	Zahra Turkoz
7/8 Volleyball	Makayla Tomson
9/10 Netball	Usha Makkena
9/10 Soccer	Jana Soueid



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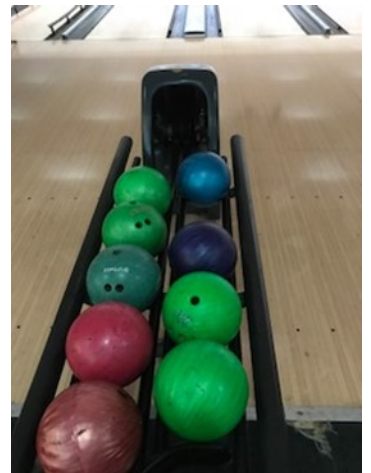
TEN PIN BOWLING

A number of students enjoy the sport of Ten Pin Bowling each week as part of the school's sport program.

What is Ten Pin Bowling?

Ten-pin bowling is a sport in which a player (called a "bowler") rolls a bowling ball down a wood-structure or synthetic (polyurethane) lane and towards ten pins positioned at the end of the lane. The objective is to score the highest pinfall by knocking down as many pins as possible. Three finger holes are drilled into a traditional bowling ball, and weights vary considerably to make the sport playable for all ages. Generally, the heavier the ball, the more pins that will topple on two equivalent shots. The pins are arranged in a triangular position by an automated machine.

Trivia? *What is the highest score you can achieve in a round of Ten Pin Bowling?*



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Trivia answer: 300 is a perfect score of bowling 12 strikes in a row

SPORT FEES

A reminder to all students that all sport fees should be paid. If not, they need to be paid by the end of Week 6.

Carnival levies should also be paid.

All fees need to be paid before choosing a Term 4 sport. Below is a list of the sports offered for Years 8, 9 and 10 for Term 4.

Instructions for Sport Selection

Available sports are indicated in the list.



You must select a sport for Term 4, 2018.

Discuss sport options with your parents as they pay your fees!

In order to select a sport, you will need to make full payment for that sport only at the front office. This allows the school to be fair and equitable in regards to student numbers in specific sports.

Please note that payments made online may take up to two days to be processed and there is no guarantee that you will secure your sport selection as sports fill quickly.

Payments can be made from **Monday, 3 September until Friday 14 September.**

Students who do not pay and select a sport, will be allocated a sport.

Please note: You do not need to select a sport if you attend a Summer grade sport as a player or a coach.

TERM 4			
SPORT	Year 8	Year 9	Year 10
BUS TO EXTERNAL VENUE			
BADMINTON	\$155	\$140	\$120
TABLE TENNIS	\$135	\$120	\$105
TEN PIN BOWLING	\$155	\$140	\$120
ICESKATING	\$155	\$140	\$120
SCHOOL GROUNDS			
GARDENING	\$15	\$15	\$15
CARDIO BOXING	\$65	\$60	\$50

TAE KWON DO	\$90	\$80	\$70
SOFTBALL	\$0	\$0	\$0
YOGA	\$90	\$80	\$70
WALK TO EXTERNAL VENUE			
GOLDEN GOAL SOCCER	\$45	\$40	\$35
TENNIS	\$65	\$60	\$55
WALK TO STRATHFIELD PARK			
BASKETBALL	\$20	\$20	\$20
CRICKET	\$65	\$60	\$55
RUGBY LEAGUE	\$65	\$60	\$55
VOLLEYBALL	\$20	\$20	\$20



STAFF NIBS

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Monday 3 September Week 7A

Day Events	Student Assessments	Reminders
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Yr 11 exams to print roomYr7 English IncursionYr7G Chinese AT4Yr 11 Legal Studies external PRACTICE examinationYear 12 Assembly HALLY12 Visual Arts Body of Work NESA Submission	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Year 12 Cluster E Practical AssessmentItalian ICT Assessment Due Date	

Tuesday 4 September, Week 7A

Day Events	Student Assessments	Reminders
<ul style="list-style-type: none">STEAM clubYr 11 students not receiving a full report to be identified and removed from reports by KKY12 HSC Visual Art Exhibition Hall all dayHSC BOW Exhibition HALL all day	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Year 12 Cluster E Practical Assessment	

Wednesday 5 September, Week 7A

Day Events	Student Assessments	Reminders
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Yr10 Drama Assessment Task 3ABW Mentor Training Workshop: Surviving the SimulationY12 HSC Visual Art Exhibition Hall all dayCluster BHSC BOW Exhibition HALL all day		

Thursday 6 September, Week 7A

Day Events	Student Assessments	Reminders
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Leadership Team MeetingYR10 Mental Health Public Speaking Challenge - Training DayMartin Lysicrates PrizeYear 12 Graduation Rehearsal HALL		<ul style="list-style-type: none">Faculty Meeting

Friday 7 September, Week 7A

Day Events	Student Assessments	Reminders
<ul style="list-style-type: none">BZ Table TennisBZ Badminton	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Yr10 Drama Assessment Task 3	