

# DARANNEWS

5 November 2021



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## Upcoming events

5 - 12 November

Senior Exam Period

15 November

Year 11 AST

16 November

Year 10 AST Trial

26 November

Last day Academic Classes Year 10  
Daranews emailed to families

29 November

Year 10 Mass and Awards Ceremony  
Year 10 Social

30 November

Year 12 Graduation Dinner

1 December

Year 12 Mass and Awards Ceremony

8 December

Years 7 - 9 Mass and Awards Ceremony  
Last day of School Years 7 - 9



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## From the Principal



**Dear Parents/  
Carers, Staff and  
Students,**

It has been wonderful to have all of our students back onsite this week for face-to-face learning. This week is the first time since 11 August that we have had our entire community together. Having all year groups onsite has not been without its logistical challenges. Key Health directives in place for the return to school this year include the need to minimise the amount of time that students from different year groups are mixing at break times and also the mandatory wearing of masks indoors. I would like to thank our students who have followed the Covid-safety measures that we have in place. Our priority is maintaining the health and

safety of our community, and with this, ensuring that we minimise the likelihood of returning to online learning due to the College needing to close due to the identification of a positive case.

As we return to face-to-face learning, can I reiterate that should your student be unwell and experiencing cold and flu symptoms, they should not be attending onsite, face-to-face, learning. Likewise, if a student or member of their immediate household has visited a listed exposure site, please ensure that the advice of ACT or NSW Health in relation to testing and isolation is followed.

I continue to encourage families to monitor the ACT Covid-19 website <https://www.covid19.act.gov.au/> and for those who reside in NSW please also consult the NSW Covid-19 website <https://www.nsw.gov.au/covid-19> for updated information.



Chevalier Day 2021. Fr Kimi, Ms Davies, Miss Hamill and College Leaders



## From the Principal

The current Health Directives have meant that many of our usual Term 4 events are not able to go ahead in the format that we had originally proposed or at all. The directives for schools, including functions, are very different to those for the general ACT public in relation to density requirements and the number of adults who can be in attendance both onsite here at the College and at external venues. I would like to thank our families for their understanding in relation to what we can and cannot have in place under these guidelines. As I have mentioned previously in my Covid Updates, this year the directives the College must follow come from ACT Health, rather than guidance from the Education Directorate.

### Year 12 2021

Last Wednesday 27 October, the College held its final whole school assembly for the year, be it virtually through a live streamed event. This assembly provided the broader community the opportunity to farewell and acknowledge our Year 12 students. As I mentioned at this assembly, we have been privileged to have had such impressive student leaders guiding the student body through such a disruptive and uncertain year. No matter what has been thrown at our College and Portfolio Captains, **Patrick, Maya, Sophie, Lisa, Asha, Isabella** and **Andrew**, they have risen to the challenge, adapted and inspired new initiatives, both here onsite at the College or virtually when we have all been at home in lockdown.

Our Year 12 students begin their exams today. We all wish them well as they move towards a new and exciting point in their lives. I would like to state how impressed I have been with the way they have managed the range of disappointments they have experienced over the past two years due to the Covid-19 lockdowns and restrictions.

The past few months of 2021 have not been an easy time for most of us, but the students have remained positive and

understanding about the changes that have had to be made and I thank them for this. They have shown themselves to be very resilient and optimistic – excellent attributes which will stand them in good stead for the future. Thank you and congratulations Year 12, 2021.

### Chevalier Day

Like so many of our other major events this year, our Chevalier Day Liturgy was celebrated in an online format. It was lovely, however, to be able to share a community lunch with the Year 11 and 12 students in their respective courtyard areas. I hope that our Year 7-10 students were able to make the most of their reset and refresh day and were able to nurture their hearts in the spirit of Jules Chevalier.

### Missions fundraising

October and November are traditionally the months where we raise money for MSC Missions, particularly through events on Chevalier Day and Melbourne Cup Day. The College has run some alternatives, including an online escape room that raised \$500. Congratulations to our Social Justice and Mission Captains, **Sophie** and **Lisa**, and the Social Justice Group for coming up with this unique fundraising opportunity. This year we are directing the funds to a very special project the purchase of PPE (in particular, masks and gloves) for Catholic Church Health Services who run health clinics in Papua New Guinea. Through **Fr Roger Purcell MSC**, the head of MSC Missions we are aiming to get funds to **Sr Geraldine Arua OLSH**, Health Secretary of the Diocese of Port Moresby, to pay for badly needed PPE equipment. As you may be aware Papua New Guinea is struggling under the pressure of Covid-19 cases at the moment and currently only has 1.2% of its population fully vaccinated. Fr Roger has been liaising with Sr Geraldine and the equipment they need can be purchased in PNG for just under \$1,000. If you would like to assist with this specific MSC Missions Project, donations can be made via the QKR App.



### Fashion and Textiles display

Many of our usual events have not been able to take place this year due to the lockdown restrictions, including the annual deGAFF exhibition. It has been wonderful to be able to view the final projects of the Year 11 and 12 Fashion and Textiles students over the past week which have been displayed in the College entrance area and the Staff Irwin Lounge. Thank you to **Judy Bruce** for facilitating the displays of student work. It is wonderful to be able to recognise the diverse talents of our students in such a way. Images of some of the projects are included on page 11 of Daranews.

### Student Achievements

Congratulations to **Ruby Holden** (Year 7) who was one of the finalists in the Canberra Hospital Foundation's CAN GIVE DAY virtual singing competition. Whilst Ruby did not win the competition, she did raise over \$5000 for the charity. Well done Ruby!



**Isobel Olivier** (Year 8) has qualified to compete in the Australian Equestrian Championships in January next year. We wish her much success in the competition.



Congratulations to **Tom Ryan** (Year 11) who is representing NSW at the National competition of the Tetrathlon and Mounted Games from 3-8 November. Best of luck, Tom.



### 2022 Enrolments

We have a significant number of families seeking places in various year groups for 2022 where there are currently no vacancies. If your child is currently in Years 7-11, and will not be returning to Daramalan next year, we ask that you let us know as soon as possible so we can assist other families. Please do this by notifying the Registrar, **Damaris Brown**, via the email [enrolments@daramalan.act.edu.au](mailto:enrolments@daramalan.act.edu.au)

### School Fees and Financial Support

At the October Board meeting, Directors made the decision to increase the School Fees and Levies for 2022 by a small amount as per the table below. There will be no increases to the P&F Levy or the Building Fund.

I wish to remind families that if you have a concern about your capacity to pay the school fees, especially if you have a change in work status due to Covid-19, you should contact the College Office and Fees Manager, **Corrine Kelly**, [corinne.kelly@daramalan.act.edu.au](mailto:corinne.kelly@daramalan.act.edu.au) and ask for a Concession Form to be sent to you, or alternatively, you may wish to contact the Business Manager, **Hugh Boulter**, [hugh.boulter@daramalan.act.edu.au](mailto:hugh.boulter@daramalan.act.edu.au).

### Scholarship Fund

On behalf of the College Scholarship Committee, I would like to thank all of those families who have supported our fundraising activity, the Dara Dozen. The funds raised from this activity will help to support the provision of financial scholarships to students of families within our community who are in need of financial support. Donations to the College Scholarship Fund can be made at any time. Please contact the College Accountant **Rachael Axford** [Rachael.axford@daramalan.act.edu.au](mailto:Rachael.axford@daramalan.act.edu.au) should you require more information or would like to make a donation.

### College Board

From time to time the College Board seeks suitable candidates to fill vacancies that may arise.

If any parents or former parents wishes to submit an Expression of Interest for a voluntary position as a Director on the College Board, please contact [principal@daramalan.act.edu.au](mailto:principal@daramalan.act.edu.au) to receive further information.

I wish our Senior students much success in their examinations over the coming week. For our Year 7-10 students, I encourage you to make the most of the coming weeks of face-to-face learning opportunities with your teachers and peers.

Best Wishes

Rachel Davies

Principal

5 November 2021

## Annual Parent Survey

Each year the College seeks feedback from our community through our annual surveys. On Wednesday 3 November all students and staff completed a survey to collect feedback. The College values feedback and to supplement the voices of our students and staff we ask that all parents and carers give feedback through the Annual Parent Survey.

[CLICK LINK TO SURVEY](#)

Responses to this survey will help us to determine areas for improvement across the College as well as provide useful feedback on particular areas of focus. The survey should take approximately 10-15 minutes to complete. You may exit the survey when it is partially completed and complete the survey at a later time using the same link.

Year Level	Fees increase per term	Levy Increase per term	Total Increase per year
Year 7	\$56	\$32	\$352
Year 8	\$58	\$37	\$380
Year 9 - 10	\$63	\$39	\$408
Year 11 - 12	\$67	\$45	\$448



## STUDENT LEADERS

### 2022 College Captains



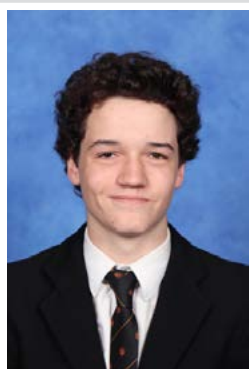
Lani Di Petta



Jack Wunsch

**Congratulations to our 2022 Student Leaders who were announced at the College Leadership Assembly. We will formally commission our Year of the Heart Leaders at the Opening Mass in February 2022.**

### 2022 Portfolio Captains



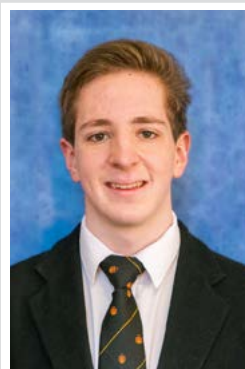
Arts and Culture  
Benjamin Philp



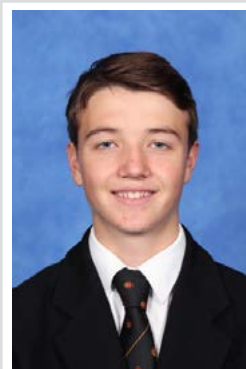
Environment  
Breana O'Toole



Mission  
Antonela Simunic



Social Justice  
Isaac Jaensch



Sport  
Thomas Dau

House	Captains
CUTHBERT	Claudia Bowditch
FARRER	Lucinda McGilvray
GOOLAGONG	Paige Musial
LAWSON	Franko Soriano
LYONS	Tom Randall
MERRICK	Scarlett Kenna
O'BRIEN	Grace Read
PHILLIP	Patrick Osborn
	Kasey Saunderson
	Laiken Tuadles
	Emily Erwin
	Charlie Carey
	Lauren Steinman
	Isabella Macor
	Janaya Abbott
	Edward Field-Wilson



# Chevalier Day



## What students got up to this Chevalier Day





## MATHS

### Thank you to our Senior Maths Tutors

Last week we celebrated another year of successful (albeit a little disrupted) Maths Tutoring. Our most capable Year 11 and 12 students tutor students in Years 7 to 10 before or after school once a week. Students have access to some one-on-one support and the opportunity to practice work learned in class. This often translates into more confident and willing participation in the classroom setting.

The morning tea for the Tutors is a way for us to thank these Senior students for their mentorship of students in junior years. We wish the departing Year 12 students all the best for their future, and offer them the opportunity to remain on our list of 'outside tutors' whilst they continue their studies.



## POETRY

Earlier in the year, students from across the College put their creative writing skills to task participating in the 'Poem Forest', a free nature writing competition created by Red Room Poetry in collaboration with The Australian Botanic Gardens. The project challenges students to deepen their connection with nature by writing poems inspired by the natural environment. For each entry, a tree will be planted at Mount Annan to help heal habitats and created a 'Poem Forest' for future generations to enjoy.

A special mention must go out to students in Year 7 and 8 O'Brien who contributed many poems under the guidance of **Ms Willimott**, **Mr Liang** and **Mr Keeley**. There were over 5000 entries from across the country and two students, **Sophie Neighbour** (Year 8) and **Sebastian Abbondante** (Year 8), have had their poems shortlisted for the lower secondary prize! Winners will be announced on 23 November and we wish these students the best of luck.

<https://redroompoetry.org/projects/poem-forest/shortlist/>

### Everywhere

By Sebastian Abbondante

From the craters on the Moon to the forests here on Earth,  
It is easy to overlook how nature is at work.  
Fagradalsfjall volcano and the Great Barrier Reef,  
These are all examples of nature doing it's thing.  
We mustn't interfere too much with this complex cycle,  
For it sustains us, the world, and universe as well.  
Nature is everywhere, when rocks collide with Mars,  
When vines climb the faces of walls and black holes start.  
It's not always perfect and doesn't have to rhyme,  
Nature is everywhere, in all the places, all the time.

### Remember

By Sophie Neighbour

Miniscule, compared to the hard withered oak.  
Giants, compared to the scuttling ants.  
Twin to the sharp, dew covered blade.  
The old, withered oak knows.  
Much like the scuttling ant.  
The dew covered blade has withstood a great deal.  
Memories of the people, the world, history.  
They remember the song that brought two together,  
the letter that brought tears to the eye.  
They remember that shots that drove into the heart,  
of the loving people not willing to fight.  
There is one thing they do not know, do not remember...  
The brain of the people,  
who intruded their city.  
The cold icy eyes of the monsters.  
The stone hearts.  
This is the unknown.  
Miniscule, compared to the hard withered oak.  
Giants, compared to the scuttling ants.  
This is memory.

## Daramalan Triumphs at the 2021 SEAACT Science Fair

This year students achieved 7 Gold CREST and 7 Silver CREST awards (see the October Daranews for details and the photo below). All were entered in the ACT Science Fair, along with 4 other projects:

**Thomas Neighbour** (Year 7) - The effect of temperature on the reaction time and brightness of glowsticks

**Jack Smith** (Year 10) - The effect of tyre pressure on the speed of a mountain bike rolling downhill

**Esmari Swanepoel** (Year 10) - The effect of different piano notes on C2 sympathetic vibration

**Duncan Nutt** and **Sam Worsnop** (Year 12) - Tornado simulator

All 18 entries received an award (1st, 2nd, Highly Commended or Encouragement) and cash prize (in fact an old-fashioned cheque: \$250 for 1st to \$50 for an Encouragement award). These awards were announced this week in an online ceremony at <https://seaact.act.edu.au/science-fair/>. Following is a list of the students and their awards.

The entry system into the National BHP Foundation Science and Engineering Awards has changed with the Covid-19 pandemic and each state/territory can only enter their best five students and their projects. The 40 projects entered will then be judged and 20 finalists and 20 semi-finalists chosen. From the 20 finalists - 1st, 2nd and 3rd in Engineering and Investigations will then be chosen, based on the report, a poster and a 5-minute presentation.

In a remarkable result, 4 of the 5 entrants from ACT are from Daramalan: **Abbey Curran**, **Ella Harries**, **Kenneth Le** and **Thomas Konarski** (all Gold CREST students). Abbey, Ella and Kenneth had ANU-based investigations while Thomas designed a solely solar powered quadcopter and was mentored by **Ryan Locke**, now in his 4th Year Aeronautical Engineering at UNSW ADFA.

To top it all off, Daramalan College has won the ACT Science Fair Secondary Schools shield as the school with the highest quality and most numerous award winners. Daramalan won the shield in 2017-19, lost it to Lyneham High School in 2020, and we have won it back!

Student	Prize
<b>Abbey Curran</b>	1st Biology
<b>Breana O'Toole</b>	2nd Biology
<b>Chloe Parkinson</b>	Encouragement Biology
<b>Marc Brozinic</b>	Encouragement Biology
<b>Ashlee Humphrey</b>	2nd Chemistry
<b>Sophia Bissell</b>	Highly Commended Chemistry
<b>Thomas Neighbour</b>	Encouragement Chemistry
<b>Kenneth Le</b>	1st Earth & Space
<b>Sophie Wade</b>	2nd Earth & Space
<b>Ella Harries</b>	2nd Earth & Space
<b>Aurelia Duncan</b>	Highly Commended Earth & Space
<b>Georgina Keane</b>	1st Physics
<b>Esmari Swanepoel</b>	2nd Physics
<b>Astrid Pekarsky</b>	Highly Commended Physics
<b>William Gledhill</b>	Encouragement Physics
<b>Jack Smith</b>	Encouragement Physics
<b>Thomas Konarski</b>	1st Engineering
<b>Samuel Worsnop</b>	Highly Commended Engineering
<b>Duncan Nutt</b>	Highly Commended Engineering





# International Chemistry Quiz

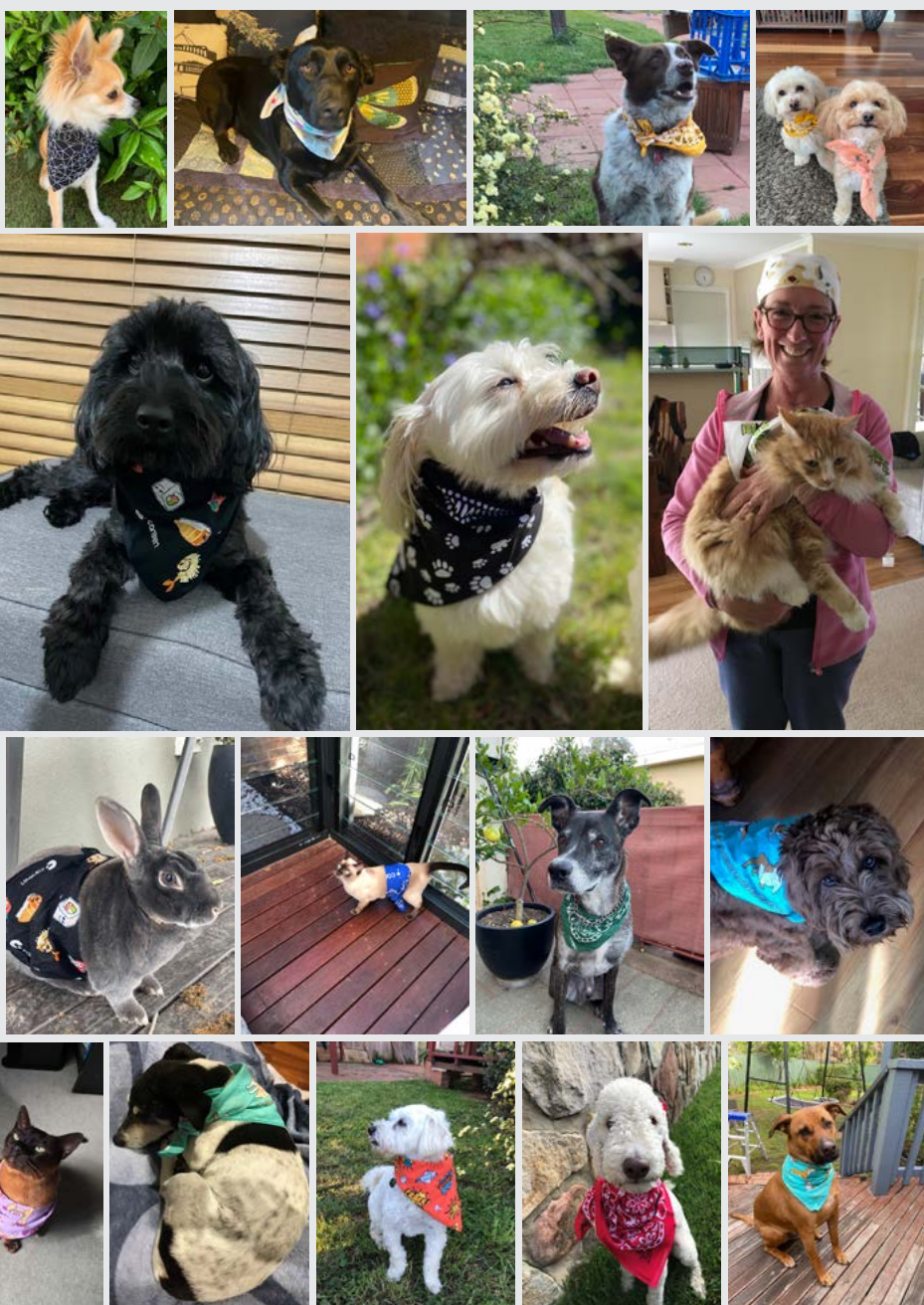
<b>High Distinction</b>	Year 10 - Kenneth Le
	Year 11 - Andrew Bridgart
	Year 11 - Breana O'Toole
	Year 12 - Ruben Hinton
<b>Distinction</b>	Year 7 - Sean Loney
	Year 8 - Isabella Jarrat
	Year 9 - Daniel Baraniecki
	Year 9 - Chloe Parkinson
	Year 10 - Thomas Konarski
	Year 12 - Shaun Harris
<b>Credit</b>	Year 12 - Patrick Phillips
	Year 8 - Ewan Gregson
	Year 8 - Callum Millea
	Year 12 - Sophie Gibson

Daramalan had 31 students take the International Chemistry Quiz at the beginning of term 3. Here are the results from our very talented students. Congratulations to these students and to all students who participated.

# Bandana Day

This year for Bandana Day we held a competition to thank our pets for their loving devotion, especially during lockdown. We photographed them wearing a bandana to earn House Points. It looks like Farrer might have taken this one!

<b>Farrer</b>	<b>8</b>
<b>Lawson</b>	<b>4</b>
<b>Lyons</b>	<b>4</b>
<b>O'Brien</b>	<b>4</b>
<b>Phillip</b>	<b>3</b>
<b>Goolagong</b>	<b>1</b>
<b>Cuthbert</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Merrick</b>	<b>0</b>





## Vocational Education & Training (VET) courses

### ATTENTION! YEAR 9,10,11,12 STUDENTS (& PARENTS)– ARE YOU STUDYING ANY OF THE FOLLOWING VOCATIONAL COURSES IN 2022?

- Year 9 and 10** - Business Computing
- Year 11 and 12** - Business Skills & Practical
- Automotive
  - Hospitality
  - Fashion
  - Furniture
  - Metal Engineering

### Unique Student Identifier (USI)

The Australian Government requires all students undertaking Vocational Education & Training (VET) courses, to have a Unique Student Identifier (USI). This ten number and letter identifier will allow students to access their VET training records and results as a transcript from their online USI account. This transcript will be useful when applying for a job or undertaking further study.

It is important that all VET students apply for a USI. If a student does not apply for a USI and register this with Daramalan College, we will not be able to certify this student with any of the vocational competencies they may have achieved.

### What will happen to my USI?

Firstly, Ms Waddleton will verify the USI as being correct, and the Daramalan College Registrar will enter the USI into our student management system. It will also be accessible by the ACT Board of Senior Secondary Studies who issue Vocational Certificates and Statements of Attainment for all ACT Colleges, and report to the Australian Government on vocational outcomes.

### How do students apply for a USI?

#### 1. Have at least one form of ID ready

- Birth Certificate (Australian)
- Driver's Licence
- Medicare Card
- Australian Passport
- Visa (with Non-Australian Passport) for international students
- Certificate of Registration by Descent
- Citizenship Certificate
- ImmiCard

#### 2. Go to the USI website ([www.usi.gov.au](http://www.usi.gov.au)) and follow the steps under Student-Get a USI.

When your USI has been created it will appear on the screen. Beneath this there is box whereby you can type my email [jane.waddleton@daramalan.act.edu.au](mailto:jane.waddleton@daramalan.act.edu.au) and a copy will be emailed to me directly. If you send it to me yourself, please include your Year group and your Date of Birth.

**3. If you think you may already have a USI Go to the USI website ([www.usi.gov.au](http://www.usi.gov.au)) and follow the steps under Student-Check if I have a USI and email to [jane.waddleton@daramalan.act.edu.au](mailto:jane.waddleton@daramalan.act.edu.au)**

If you have any questions, please contact Jane Waddleton on 6163 6533 or via email.

N.B. Students may take a photo of the family Medicare card, including expiry date on their phone and bring to Ms Waddleton who will help them set up their USI.

### AUSTRALIAN SCHOOL BASED APPRENTICESHIPS (ASBAs)

Australian School Based Apprenticeships (ASBAs) help practical minded students start in their chosen career path whilst studying for a Year 12 Certificate. When the student finishes their Year 12 studies, the ASBA is converted into a full-time apprenticeship with their employer. The types of industry may include carpentry, plumbing, electrical (and refrigeration), landscaping, aged care, childcare, business services, information technology, commercial chef and many more occupations.

Year 10, 11 or 12 students who are considering an ASBA in 2022 should see Ms Waddleton for an informal chat and general information. Parents are welcome to attend a meeting.

It is highly recommended that students commence work experience with a potential employer to see if they have a good working relationship and if this is a trade they wish to follow prior to signing into an ASBA.

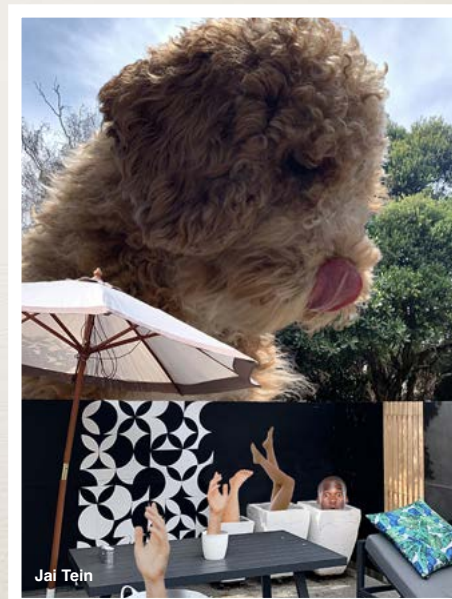
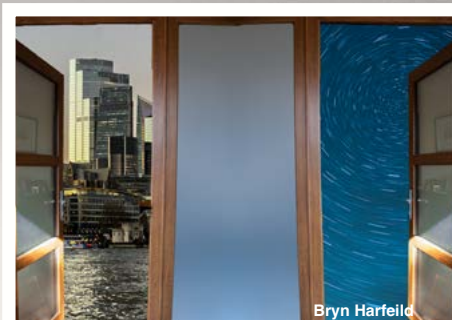
**Note:** It is recommended that students gain a **White Card** and have completed an **Asbestos Awareness Training Course**. These courses are **compulsory** for students who wish to carry out work experience in the field of construction.

Please contact **Ms Waddleton** on 6163 6533 or email [jane.waddleton@daramalan.act.edu.au](mailto:jane.waddleton@daramalan.act.edu.au) if you require further information.



## Visual Arts

During lockdown, Year 12 Photography students worked on their Adobe Photoshop skills by creating 'Mindbender' images. They used photos they had taken themselves to make weird and wonderful mindbending images, here are some of the results. Enjoy! **Jo Howard** – Visual Arts Coordinator



## Performing Arts

Last weekend I was lucky enough to be interviewed by **Kim Hyung** on The Sunday Brunch as a part of Youth Week.

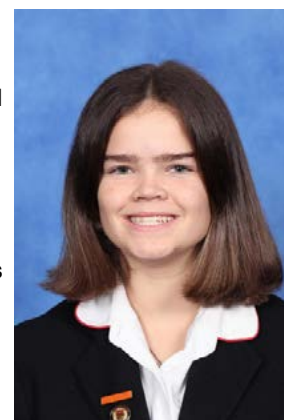
As an artist I'm always looking for ways to be creative, and lockdown was no exception. In August I applied for a global competition called World Monologue Games. Before lockdown I received news that I had been selected as a regional finalist and in late September I placed in the Global Finals with my monologue "Obsession"

Obsession is the story of a girl struggling through an eating disorder. While this isn't something I struggle with personally, the lived experience

of those close to me and thousands of others inspired me to perform this monologue and be the voice for those who might not necessarily have one. (For more information about the games head over to <https://monologues.com.au/WMG>)

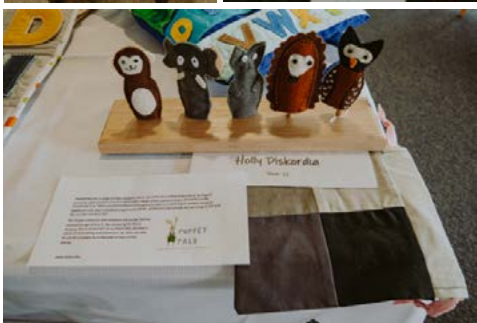
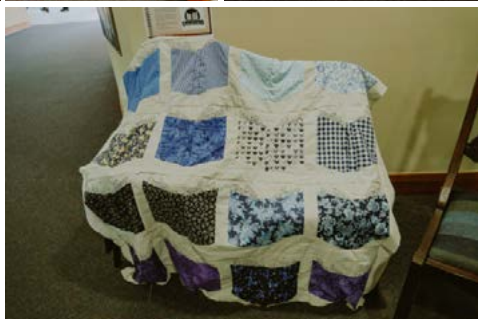
My global heat will be held on the 20th of November, at 7pm, I'd love to have some support, but strongly encourage anyone with an interest in Performing Arts to have a listen to the monologues and support your local Australian artists!

A huge shoutout to **Mr Kane** and **Kim** for the opportunity to speak about my industry and my passion - **Jade Breen**





# Design and Textiles





## DARAMALAN CAREERS WEBSITE

### A message from the University Admissions Centre (UAC)

Please see below for the confirmed changes to all offer dates for 2022 Admissions for 2021 Year 12 students.

- November round 1 SRS offers - 12 November 2021
- November round 2 SRS offers - 25 November 2021
- December round 1 SRS offers - 9 December 2021
- December round 2 - cancelled
- January round 1 - SRS offers - 13 January 2022
- Change of preference deadline for January round 2 - 21 January 2022 (midnight)
- January round 2 first ATAR based offers - 26 January 2022
- February round 1 offers - 3 February 2022
- February round 2 offers - 10 February 2022
- February round 3 offers - 17 February 2022
- March round 1 offers - 3 March 2022

**Educational Access Schemes** - A reminder that EAS applications and documents must be submitted by Friday 17 December to be considered in January Round 2 offers and to receive an eligibility letter on Thursday 20 January 2022. The EAS is for applicants who have experienced long-term educational disadvantage, including those effected by natural disasters such as drought or bushfire, or those whose parents or guardians are receiving (or have received) JobKeeper, JobSeeker, COVID-19 Disaster, Jobsaver, or Pandemic leave for at least three months.

### ANU Change of preferences

The ANU change of preference window is now open. The order of your preferences is important. **Changing your preferences will impact upon your August offer and could impact your scholarship eligibility.** If you received an early offer directly from ANU, your early offer will be honoured as long as this early offer program remains as your highest eligible preference and you complete Year 12 with an ATAR in 2021. If you change or re-order your preferences, your application will be reassessed in the order of your new preferences. If you are eligible and competitive for a preference which is higher than your early offer preference, your early offer will be replaced with the new offer in December/January, and you will no longer be able to confirm your early offer acceptance. **Please note – if you remove the course for which you were made an August offer from your preference list you will lose your early offer.**

### ANU Mandatory Maths and English from 2024

Successful completion in senior secondary Maths and English is mandatory for applications submitted in 2023 for commencement in 2024. You will need to complete:

- At least one English course/unit in at least one

Semester during Year 11 and

- At least one Maths course/unit in at least one Semester during Year 11.

### C.A.S Hawker Scholarships

The 2022 C.A.S. Hawker Scholarships open on Monday 6 December and close on Friday 7 January 2022. Each residential scholarship is valued at up to \$60,000 over three years. For more information and to download an application form go to [www.hawkersscholarship.org](http://www.hawkersscholarship.org).

### Webinar for Parents - Preparing today's learners for uncertainty

'Uncertainty tolerance' (UT), or how we process and respond to unknown or complex situations, is increasingly recognised as an essential workplace skill. Uncertainties in the workplace are ever-present and we've seen shared, global experiences of this with the uncertainties surrounding work during the COVID-19 pandemic. On Tuesday 9 November Associate Professor Michelle Lazarus will discuss the impacts of UT on students and outline some strategies to help parents support their children to improve their UT to prepare them for their futures in further education and work. Register via this link: <https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/1213662242126413580>

### Engineers Australia event - Engineering your Future program

The [Engineering your Future](#) platform is now live! Engineers working across major projects and in iconic companies have lined up in response to ongoing restrictions and their impact on our school students. They aim to provide an insight into this wide-ranging profession, and opportunities that lie ahead for our aspiring, future engineers! Every Monday between 5.00-6.00pm until 29 November, school students and their parents can join via Zoom. Students will need to register on the platform. [Click Here](#)

### CCUSA Australia – Worldwide Working Adventure Specialists

**One for our Year 12 graduates – are you interested in summer camps? Working holidays? Volunteering? Internships?** Programs are available in 45+ countries, including Australia. For more information see <https://www.ccusa.com.au/>

### Defence Jobs – upcoming events

Please find below the link for upcoming Defence Force **virtual** information sessions. Throughout these presentations, military members will cover topics such as life in the Defence Force, Avenues of entry, Job roles and ADF benefits. Questions are always welcome.

[Link Here](#)

### Academy of Interactive Entertainment – Open Day

If you're interested in game development, 3D animation, filmmaking or visual effects, there are some exciting events coming up very soon at AIE.

Open Day - Saturday 20 November

[Registrations are now open!](#)



## Careers News cont...

### Jobs Board

#### CAD drafting and engineering support

**Sellick Consultants** - 3 Junior positions available across structural, civil, and hydraulic design and drafting for individuals interested in **careers in CAD drafting and engineering support**. More information and details on how to apply can be found in an email sent to Year 12 students, or email [careers@daramalan.act.edu.au](mailto:careers@daramalan.act.edu.au)

#### AFL SportsReady Traineeships – ACT Brumbies and ACT Basketball 2022

AFL SportsReady currently has exciting positions available for someone wanting to pursue a career in the Sports & Recreation industry.

As the successful applicant, you will:

- Be employed by AFL SportsReady
- Work on-site with Plus500 ACT Brumbies or ACT Basketball
- Study for an accredited qualification: Certificate III in Business

[Click here for more information and to apply](#)

Applications for the specifically designed program for 2022 with AFL NSW/ACT **are due to open in November 2021**.

The previously advertised work experience opportunity has been cancelled.

#### AFL SportsReady Traineeships – Indigenous/Torres Strait Islander Traineeships 2022

Certis: Full time

<https://www.seek.com.au/job/54290258>

<https://aflsportsready.com.au/jobs-board/health-safety-environment-trainee/>

Applications close on 14 November 2021.

#### Australian Research Centre: Two full time positions

<https://www.seek.com.au/job/54290014>

<https://aflsportsready.com.au/jobs-board/administration-officer-trainee-5/>

Applications close on 30 November 2021.

#### Sport and Recreation Traineeship

Australian Training Company (ATC) is seeking someone with a genuine passion and interest in Outdoor Recreation for a 12 Month Sport and Recreation Traineeship. During this time, you will complete a Nationally Recognised Qualification – SIS30115 – Certificate III in Sport and Recreation. This position will be located at a Northside College in Canberra. Applicants should forward their resume and covering letter to [khunter@austrg.com.au](mailto:khunter@austrg.com.au). Closing date for applications is 5.00pm on Friday 12 November 2021.

#### Apprenticeships – Mechanics, Plumbing, Painting and Hospitality

Civil & Civic are looking for 2022 apprentices in the field of mechanics, plumbing, painting and hospitality. Contact [simone.hunter@civilandcivic.co](mailto:simone.hunter@civilandcivic.co) for more details.

#### Apprenticeships – Plumbing, Electrical and Carpentry

Are you a school-leaver looking for a full-time apprenticeship? Opportunities are available in plumbing, electrical and carpentry to start ASAP or in the new year. Contact [careers@daramalan.act.edu.au](mailto:careers@daramalan.act.edu.au) for more details.

#### Automotive Apprenticeships in NSW

The automotive industry is a great industry for any school leaver looking to start a career where technology development is a key component to everyday life.

Opportunities are available in:

- Light Vehicle
- Heavy Vehicle
- Spray Painting
- Panel Beating
- Automotive Electrical
- Parts Interpreting
- Business Administration, and
- Retail Services

Contact [careers@daramalan.act.edu.au](mailto:careers@daramalan.act.edu.au) for more details.

#### PwC Higher Apprenticeship Program – Travel Industry

Join the Higher Apprenticeship program to earn while you learn. As an Apprentice with PwC, you'll have the opportunity to build new skills in a hands-on learning environment, receive paid employment, and take study leave to earn a professional qualification. Work, Study + Play in the Travel Industry. Our [Work, Study + Play](#) partners including Daydream Island Resort and Accor Hotels are also gearing up for mass demand, meaning loads of job openings in the industry in the next couple of months, so if you're keen for a career in the travel and tourism industry, now is the time to start your study.

#### Australian School Based Apprenticeship (ASBA) – Aged Care

Australian Training Company are seeking applicants who wish to undertake Certificate III Aged Care ASBAs. We have positions both Northside and Southside. Students interested in pursuing this industry should forward their covering letter and resume to [khunter@austrg.com.au](mailto:khunter@austrg.com.au)

#### Become a Delivery Expert with Domino's

As a Domino's Delivery Expert, you will be responsible for safely hustling piping hot pizzas from the store, straight to the customers front door! It's one of the most important jobs in the Domino's business if you ask us...

#### Delivery Expert Requirements:

**E-Bike riders** must be aged at least 16 years old and have a valid Learner's Permit or Driver's Licence. Note: for the purpose of riding an E-Bike, the Learner's Permit or Licence can be for either car or motorcycle.

**Car and Scooter drivers** must hold a current and valid licence that is legally allowed by the relevant Road Transport Authority in their State.

## Sport News and Player Profiles

**Name:** Ella Randall

**Year:** 9

**Sport:** Touch Football

**Position:** Middle

**Pre-game ritual or superstition:** I always listen to music and it has to be pump up songs.

**Best thing about your sport:** Friendships and working with different coaches.

**Who got you into Touch:** My Dad, and he still plays. I compete with him sometimes.



**Name:** Riley Bateup

**Year:** 9

**Sport:** Basketball

**Pre-game ritual or superstition:** I like to wear my socks inside out.

**Favourite Basketball team:** Brooklyn Nets

**Best thing about Dara Basketball:** Playing with friends and before COVID I could watch my friends play.

**Favourite athlete or sports person:** Kevin Durant

**Why did you get into Basketball:** I started playing it at school in the breaks and decided to try it.

**Name:** Mr Seth Stoltenberg

**Role:** Rugby Coaching Coordinator and Sports Administrator

**Department:** Sport

**How long have you been involved in Dara Sport:** Two years

**Favourite thing about Dara Sport:** The joy it brings to everyone and of course the Rugby program.

**Favourite professional sports person and why:** James O'Connor (Rugby player) as I have always loved the way he plays Rugby and Eddie Jones (England Rugby Coach) as he's been so successful for so long and coached all around the world.





## COMMUNITY BUSINESS DIRECTORY

The College invites members of the Daramalan Family to use this Business Directory to locate businesses and services provided by the Daramalan College Community, including former students, alumni, former staff and other supporters.

If you are in business, and would like to advertise in our Directory, please contact [yvonne.turnbull@daramalan.act.edu.au](mailto:yvonne.turnbull@daramalan.act.edu.au) or phone 6245 6334 for more information. Your small fee will go a long way to supporting our Scholarship Fund and your business will be promoted to the wider Daramalan College Community.

This week we are delighted to present the following four businesses. To search all advertisers, please click this link <https://www.daramalan.act.edu.au/our-school/community/community-business-directory/>

Thank you for supporting our community!



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W: [www.bridgestrata.com.au](http://www.bridgestrata.com.au)  
C: Craig Bowditch



### Kylie Holt Sports Physiotherapy

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<b>Holly Komorowski – home.byholly</b>	Holly Komorowski	<a href="http://www.homebyholly.com.au">www.homebyholly.com.au</a>
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