

ASHFIELD BOYS HIGH SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

TERM 3 WEEK 7 2019

The next three weeks for your diary

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
09 - 13 Sept	 Year 11 Bio - depth Studies due all week Year 9R Fieldwork Pyrmont Year 10 Science at UTS Year 11 Captain Election 	 Year 11 Bio - depth Studies due all week Year 10 excursion - 'BeStreetSmart' 	 Year 11 Bio - depth Studies due all week Bushcare Year 9 	• Year 11 Bio - depth Studies due all week	 Year 11 Bio - depth Studies due all week Year 10 Science at UTS CGHS Year 9 RU- OK Day
16 - 20 Sept	 Year 11 Exams 9Q/W Geo Field Work 	 Year 11 Exams 9H/T Geo Field Work 	• Year 11 Exams	 Year 11 Exams Maths Competition 	• Year 11 Exams
23 - 27 Sept	• Year 11 Exams	• Year 11 Exams	 Year 11 Exams Bushcare Year 9 	 Year 12 Graduation and Formal Year 11 Life Ready 	• Year 11 Life Ready

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

Congratulations to the Year 8 debating team who are the zone champions. The team consisting of Owen Hunt, Alfie Jellet, Ben Kabanoff, Thomas Crawford, Atreiiu Arvidssen and Jacob Tran will now progress to the NSW State competition.

Over the past week every boy in Year 12 has had an individual meeting with either Nicole Pool or Janina Longman to develop an individual study plan leading up to the HSC. Nicole and I are also meeting with the group weekly to keep them on track. This is now the business end of the HSC and it is vital that every boy sticks to his study and revision plan.

Every year we participate in the Tell Them from Me Survey with every boy in the school taking part. The survey gives us really important information about the boys' wellbeing and engagement. The survey also has a parent component. It would really help us if you could complete the parent section of the survey. It can be accessed at the following link: <u>http://nsw.tellthemfromme.com/w5xq9</u>

Dwayne Hopwood Principal

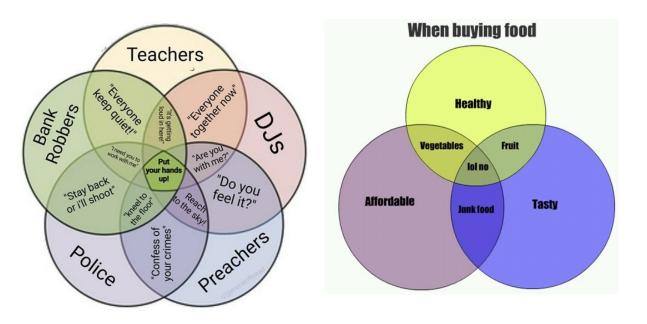




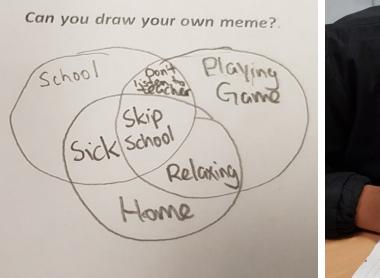
VENN DIAGRAM MEMES

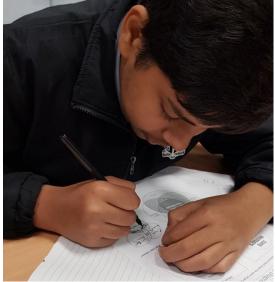
8 Eccles is learning how to draw Venn diagrams in mathematics class. In a Venn diagram, circles that intersect show common characteristics.

Venn diagrams are not only used in mathematics. Their depiction of relationships has been widely used in pictorial memes, such as the following:



Students in 8E participated in making Venn diagram memes of their own.





Ms W Wei - Maths Teacher





TOURNAMENT OF MINDS 2019

Ashfield Boys High School participated in the 2019 Tournament of Minds in the Sydney East Division. The event was held at St Scholastica's College in Glebe on Saturday 30th August. The boys participated in the Social Science division of the tournament and created an imaginative performance based on the concept of "A Legacy of Inclusion".

The performance was well received by the judges who provided the boys with positive feedback. The boys also participated in the Spontaneous Challenge during the competition.

The students who participated are to be commended for their efforts and their creativity concerning meeting the requirements of the tournament.

The 2019 Ashfield Boys High School Tournament of the Minds Team are:

Silas Newton (Year 10) Oliver Bauer (Year 9) Dominic Shapiro (Year 9) Trey Pohe (Year 8) Nathaniel Liu (Year 7) Chris Valassis (Year 7) Samuel Macbeath (Year 7)





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29th August 2019

Information note - Life Ready

Dear Parent/Guardian

A series of workshops have been organised for Year 11 to attend on Thursday 26th and Friday 27th September 2019.

Life Ready is a **mandatory 25-hour course** designed to prepare and support senior students as they encounter situations related to health and safety as they become more independent and gain more responsibilities. It focuses on offering opportunities for students to build the functional knowledge and skills for life post school. The Life Ready course content is focused around issues such as:

- Independence
- Safe Travel
- Drugs and Alcohol
- Sexuality and Sexual Health
- Relationships
- Mental Health and Wellbeing

The following details are provided for your information:

Date:	Thursday 26 th and Friday 27 th September 2019.
Venue:	Ashfield Boys High School
Travel:	Regular travel to school
Time of Departure:	All presentations will be at ABHS. Presentations will be conducted all day on Thursday and Friday. Students attend regular roll call.
Time of Return:	NĂ
Cost:	NA
Money Due:	Nil
Equipment:	Nil
Clothing:	ABHS sport uniform (for practical activities) or ABHS Senior School uniform
Lunch:	Students to supply their own lunch
Teacher attending:	T Brown and D Jovicic

Yours sincerely

Mr D Mopwood Principal

Ms T Brown Head Teacher Welfare







On Tuesday 10th September Year 10 students have been invited to attend the "bstreetsmart – safer drivers" event at Qudos Bank Arena. Your permission note is due back to Mr Phillips, please be sure to hand it to him to avoid missing out. Below is some important information regarding the day – more information to come.

Qudos Bank Security

A reminder, due to new anti-terrorism laws, Qudos Bank Arena will not allow any school bags or back packs be brought into the arena. Mobile phones are permitted & lunches should be brought in a plastic bag. All other bags will be inspection and checked in. Teachers may have a bag 30cm by 30cm only.

Student Eating

Please ensure students eat breakfast prior to arrival to prevent fainting during the crash scenario. We have created an outside courtyard off the Main Foyer that will be available for students to eat their lunch. The Club Level will also be an "eating only" zone during the lunch break.

Please encourage students to bring their own lunch to avoid queues at food outlets and to allow time at interactive displays.

Also please advise students **NO UBER EATS** are permitted into the Qudos Bank Arena. Any food delivered will be refused entry and destroyed.

Ms T Brown - HT Welfare





SMASHING THE STOCK EXCHANGE



Year 9 Commerce has been playing the stock market. They have been enrolled in the ASX Share market Game and have been making real-time stock trades. The game gives participants a simulated portfolio of \$50 000 cash and allows them to buy and sell shares on the Australian Stock Exchange. Game prices exactly match real world conditions.

By Thursday Hunson, Jake and Suleiman had surged \$6000 forward to second place, before ending ranked tenth at close of business. This is a stunning result as they are competing against 14 000 teams nationally. With a month of play to go the stock market is anyone's game but Hunson, Jake and Suleiman are running with the bulls.







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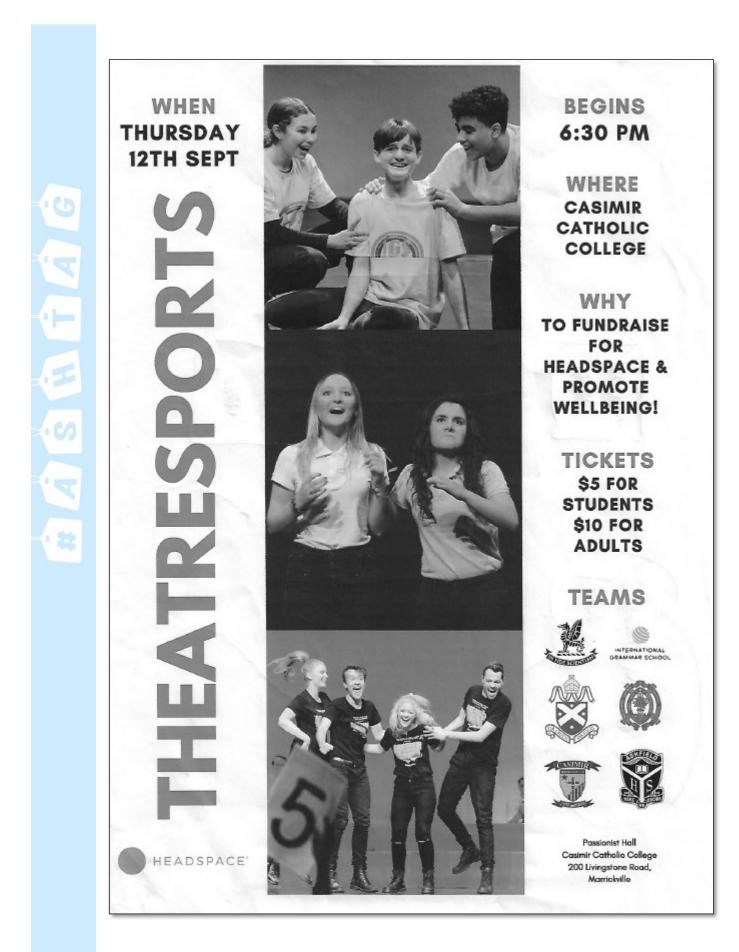


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CHESS CLUB

Thursdays 2:30pm in the Library



All chess players welcome

Join school tournaments and inter-school team competitions

Experienced chess coach

FUN and FREE

Collect your permission note from Mr McCusker at the Library

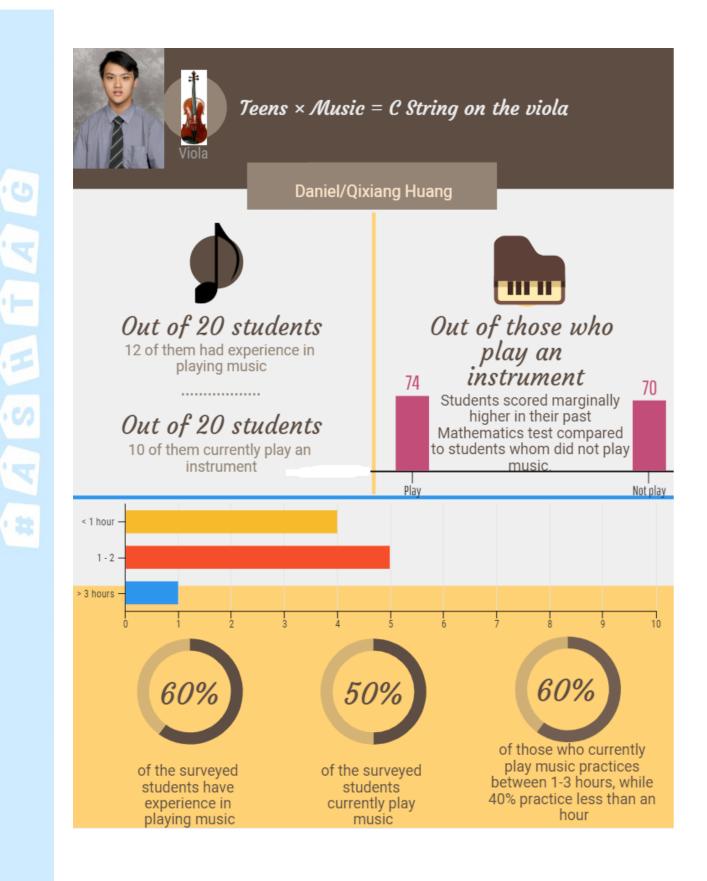


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THREE MATCHES, THREE WINS, THREE FANTASTIC INDIVIDUAL PERFORMANCES!

Our senior and junior futsal teams have started a new summer season with a bang by scoring 14 goals in three matches played.

U15's A match

Our captain, David had the privilege of kicking off the ball to start the new season. He led his team from the front by constantly pressing Homebush's defenders. Despite his great endeavor the nets remained intact for the first ten minutes of the game. Then, Obinna stepped in, making an instant impact. He scored twice within minutes to secure the commendable 2-0 half time lead. Then multiple missed opportunities were punished by Homebush's team. Led by Dilhan our team regained composure and scored another 2 goals (Obinna and Dilhan) to secure a memorable 4-3 win.

U15's B match

As our team is made of players who won the recent football U13's championship they were motivated to continue their winning run. We started strongly by dominating possession but failing to score goals. Then our best striker, Tanakorn moved from defence into attack, scoring straight away





from a brilliant Magnus pass. Imran was rock solid between the posts while Elyas and Alec controlled the Centre of the field. Jee Cheung, Jee Jun and Stanley brought necessary freshness from the bench. Homebush scored an equaliser only three seconds before the end of the first half.

The second half can be described by just one word "Elyas". He took it upon himself to make a difference and win a game for his team. He scored a breathtaking three goals by defeating 3 Homebush players on each occasion. Final score, Ashfield 4-1 Homebush.

2nd Grade match Both teams started slowly, patiently waiting for an

opponent to make a mistake. As a result, both teams scored from defensive mistakes. Then, all of a sudden the Homebush's team pressed hard in attack. Our players succumbed to this pressure and conceded three quick goals. With three goals down, our joker player, Placido entered the game. He worked tirelessly the entire second half making the difference on the field. Firstly, he set up Adam to score two goals, before scoring a gem by himself. He was instrumental in defence and clinical in attack. He assisted Adam on two more occasions, securing a well deserved 6-5 win.

Mr Calic - Sport Coordinator







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WESTS MAGPIES U14S



Congratulations to Alex Hamilton, Alex Seymour, Christian Mangan and Hal French Jenkins of Year 8 who are all members of the Wests Magpies AFL u14s team. The team won the Sydney Harbour u14s Division 2 Premiership on Sunday 1 September. In a very hard match, they won 56-31 against the top of the ladder team, Canada Bay Cannons.







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INFORMATION ABOUT UPCOMING YEAR 7 CAMP 2019

Dear Parent/Guardian

A two night camp has been arranged for our Year 7 students to the 'Sydney Academy of Sport and Recreation' at Narrabeen.

Attending the camp is an extraordinary experience that builds our boys' self-confidence, teamwork and leadership skills and strengthens rapport with each other and their teachers. The boys are given many opportunities to participate in challenging activities which give them a powerful sense of achievement and a chance to discover new skills, build empathy, determination and independence. Attending the camp is an excellent chance to take part in a wide range of recreational activities and an opportunity to strengthen friendships and make new friends.

When:	Term 4, Week 4 (Wednesday 6 th November to Friday 8 th November, 2019)						
Cost:	The total cost will be approx. \$350						
Deposit:	A non-refundable deposit of \$150 is payable by Monday 12th August 2019 (Week 4 of this term) to confirm your son's attendance at the camp and to allow us to finalise numbers.						
Payment Schedule:	To help pay for the camp over a period of time the school will accept the following payments to be made.						
Schedule:	Week 4 Friday 16 August, 2019	\$150	Deposit				
	Week 7 Friday 6 September 2019	\$100	Second payment				
	Final payment						
	Payments can be made online via Ashfield Boys High School's website <u>\$ Make A Payment</u> tab. POP reference no: 455505 Description: Year 7 Camp 201 Or at the payments office by cash, cheque or Eftpos. Please note: All monies paid are non-refundable						
Travel:	A private bus charter will pick up from ABHS on Wednesday morning and return to ABHS on Friday at approximately 3pm.						
Meals:	All meals are provided beginning with lunch on Wednesday and finishing with lunch on Friday.						





We enthusiastically encourage all Year 7 students to attend camp as it is such a worthwhile experience.

If you have any questions regarding the Camp or any of the arrangements please contact the Year 7 Adviser, Ms Sianne Durand on 9798 6620 (Voice mail extension 215).

As well as the payment arrangements and permission note, further details on camp activities and other relevant information will be forwarded to you in the coming weeks. In the meantime, you may like to look at the website: <u>https://sportandrecreation.nsw.gov.au/facilities/sydneyacademy</u>

Kind Regards

Mr D Hopwood Principal

Ms S Durand Year 7 Adviser



DONATIONS NEEDED OF JUNIOR TIES

If any families have a junior tie sitting in a cupboard we have boys in need of second hand junior ties. If ties could be donated to Ms Gorton in her office in G Block that would be fantastic!

Ms Gorton





ADMINISTRATION INFORMATION UPDATE

Dear Parent/Carers,

For your convenience we have included several forms on the <u>Ashfield Boys High School Website</u>, for you to download.

Please click on the <u>Notes</u> tab to find :

- Absence notes
- Late notes
- Early leavers note
- Student change of address form
- Leave application

Please complete these forms where necessary and return to the Administration Office.

PAYMENT OFFICE HOURS-STUDENTS

Before School Recess Lunch

<u>2.00pm</u> is the cut-off time for both students and parents, to enable end of day processing.

Our preferred method of payment is online via School Bytes or the school website. We ask that you consider online payment before you send cash, cheques or credit card payments to the school office.

Online payment provides you with an immediate receipt for payment.

Students are to carry their ID cards with them at all times when dealing with the Administration Office (**Rolls Desk**) and the **Library**.

We will soon be implementing a new photocopying system. Students will not be able to photocopy at school without a card. Details to follow.

Lost cards incur a replacement fee of \$10.





11 th September - Grade Sport Organisation - Round 2							
Assembly Point (quiet area)	Sport	Venue	Opposition	Coach	Leave class at:	Assemble and Sit at: :	Game Time
А	Basketball 1 st & 2 nd	ABHS Gym	Asquith	Tyler		12:34	1:00
В	Basketball U15's and U14's	Waitara PCYC	Asquith	Tenefrancia	11:23	11:25	1:00
С	Cricket U15	Bressington Park	Homebush	Richardson Payne	11:40	11:42	1:00
D	Cricket U14's	Mills Park	Asquith	White Keating	10:53	10:55	1:00
E	Futsal 2 nd	Olympic Park	Asquith	Kucheruk		12:34	2:00
F	Futsal U15's A	Olympic Park	Asquith	Bason	11:43	11:45	1:00
F	Futsal U15's B	Olympic Park	Asquith	Stitt	11:43	11:45	1:30
G	Oztag 1 st	Ashfield Park	Randwick	Burford		12:20	1:00
н	Oztag U15's A	Ashfield Park	Asquith	Chatwin		12:20	1:00
Н	Oztag U15's B	Ashfield Park	Asquith	Curran		12:34	1:45
I	Volleyball 1 st and 2nd	Ashfield BHS Canteen 1 st grade BYE *	Asquith	Ahearne		12:34	1:00
J	Volleyball U15's and U14's	Ashfield BHS Canteen U15's – BYE *	Asquith	Arnold		12:34	1:45
к	Tennis 1st & U14's	Pratten Park	Homebush	Longman		12:25	1:00
L	Tennis 2nd & U15's	Strathfield SC	Homebush	Pool	11:53	11:55	1:00

* practice session to be held at outdoor basketball court

			Start	Finish
E 3	Injured or sick with note	Executive/Skelton	12:34	14:31



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	RECREATIONAL SPORT - WEEK 6					
Assembly Point	Sport	Venue	Coach	Assemble and Sit in Year 7 quad at:	Finish Time	
А	Badminton	Olympic Park	Pearce	11: 45	14:31	
с	Futsal	ABHS Oval	Morris	12:34	14:31	
E	Table Tennis	ABHS Quiet area	Lu	12:34	14:31	
G	Basketball Years 7-8	Centenary Park	Atkins	12:34	14:31	
к	Basketball Years 9-10	Bill Peter's Reserve	Karagiannidis	12:34	14:31	
0	Lawn Bowls	Ashfield Park LBC	Ма	12:34	14:31	
Q	Q Multi Sport Years 7-8 Ha		Pieterse Chu	12:34	14:31	
S	Multi Sport Years 9-10	Hammond Park	Mahmud Wang	12:34	14:31	
U	Power Walk Years 7-8	Local Area	Jones Durand	12:34	14:31	
U	U Power Walk Years 9-10		Belle - Page Dobrowolski	12:34	14:31	
w	Ultimate Frisbee	Centenary Park	Lam 12:34		14:31	
Y	Y Theatre Sport D11		Whitting	12:34	14:31	
14/15	14/15Outdoor FitnessAshfield ParkPhillips Prasad Couchi		12:34	14:31		

Badminton - Olympic Park NSW Netball Futsal – Olympic Park Table Tennis- Olympic Park Sports Quaycentre Hall booking times: booking times: booking times: 7,14,21,28 August 7,21,28 August 7,14,28 August 4,11,18,25 September 4 September 4 September – Sports Hall 16,23,30 October 16,23 October 25 September 6,13,20,27 November 6,13,27 November 16 October 4,11 December 4,11 December 6,27 November NBA - December All played on Court C



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