

Cootamundra High School Newsletter

PRINCIPAL: Mr Neil Reaper
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Respect, Responsibility, Excellence

STATE CHOIR SUCCESS

On 19 October Penny Loiterton and Tamara Taylor travelled to Sydney to represent the Riverina region for the State Choir in Sydney. The girls had their first full day rehearsal on Sunday, 20 October with students from 39 other schools throughout New South Wales which was held at Lewisham Performing Arts School. This was the first time singing the repertoire as a group and they then had practice all day Monday and Tuesday in the afternoon at the Opera House. Sally Whitwell and Chantelle Duffield were the conductors for the concerts which were held on Monday and Tuesday night.

The girls had a great time, met lots of great people and were honoured to be given the opportunity to represent Cootamundra High School at a state level.



ALL THINGS CAREERS

University of Wollongong Discovery Day

Year 11 students are reminded that they can register for Discovery Day now. Details on how to do so are available from Mrs Alderman. It is an overnight excursion held on 4 and 5 February 2014.

Cootamundra A Team

The Cootamundra A Team is recruiting for 2014. If you are in Year 8 or 9 and wish to find out more or trial for the Team please contact Mrs Alderman or Mr Pepper. Both boys and girls are required. The A Team is currently laser levelling a site outside D Block in preparation for the construction of some new herb gardens. Footings will be dug before 'Brick and Block' arrive to brick up the beds.



Brick and Block

Any students interested in a career in bricklaying or building are encouraged to register for this program with Mrs Alderman. A bricklayer will supervise students and work with them to create some hard land-



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CALENDAR	
Week 5, Term 4	
4-7 Nov Fri, 8 Nov	Year 9 Exams Year 6 into 7 Transition
Week 6, Term 4	
11-14 Nov Tues, 12 Nov Wed, 13 Nov 13-15 Nov	Year 10 Exams ESSA (Year 8) Year 12 Formal Year 11 Geography Excursion
Week 7, Term 4	
18-20 Nov 18-22 Nov	Year 7 Exams Brick and Block

scaping—in this case, some garden beds. The program is free and during school hours. Numbers are limited.

\$10,000 SCHOLARSHIP

Students interested in a career in digital media, IT programming, mobile apps or game design are invited to apply for a \$10,000 scholarship to study at the Academy of Information Technology. AIT is hosting an information night on 20 November for students or parents interested in learning about careers and study options in the IT and creative fields. All ages welcome. Register at www.ait.nsw.edu.au/events/

HOST FAMILIES NEEDED

Volunteer to host an international high school student through Southern Cross Cultural Exchange in February 2014 for 3, 5 or 10 month programs. This is a rewarding and unique opportunity that can help your family become closer and see the world in a new light. Our international students from France, Germany, Italy, Austria, Finland, Canada, USA, Colombia, Mexico and Japan will live as a local, attend a local secondary school, arrive with their own spending money and comprehensive insurance cover — all arranged by Southern Cross Cultural Exchange.

Visit us at www.scce.com.au, email sccaust@scce.com.au or call us toll free on 1800 500 501 to request our international student profiles, and capture the spirit of family and friendship!

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Appearing at :

MR SNACK AND THE LADY WATER TANUTALIS FROM MILOST YEARS

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Cootamundra Library

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Friday 8 November 11.00am

A collection of darkly funny and unexpected travel writing

