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Quidditch Olympian
Beth Crane

GREEN POWER

Changing gears with
UNSW Para-cyclist
Alex Green

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COURT, CHALLENGES AND CAR POOLING AT
THE 2012 EASTERN UNI GAMES



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welcome

The only reason I ever attended high school athletics carnivals was on the off chance I'd get to see someone to drop the baton in the relays. I know, I'm a terrible person; but come on - it's hilarious. However it's Week 12 guys, and with one more sprint to go do not drop the baton.

This week's *Blitz* is an homage to the sporting heroes of UNSW. The main event is the DL on Eastern Uni Games (p8), so that no unsuspecting UNSW fan heads up to Tamworth unprepared. Uni Games are an essential uni experience, and when I look back through the revolting pictures from my first games last year I have no regrets, only chuckles.

Some of our UNSW peers are heading even further than Tamworth chasing their sporting ambitions. Check out our interviews with Quidditch wizard Bath Crane (p7) and Paralympic cyclist Alex Green (p17) who are both heading over to London chasing dreams and gold. Go you good things!

Let's get physical!

It's Week 12 kids and the pressure's possibly starting to get to you with exams on the horizon. One of the best ways you can cope with the stress is to get involved with Sport & Rec at UNSW. Studies have shown that a healthy body means a healthy mind; I started my health kick a few weeks ago now and I haven't looked back since!

Arc has a number of sport related clubs that adrenalin junkies have set up - think FootySoc, NewSki and even the Quidditch Society. These are great ways for you to get into shape and make sure that you're not being a hermit during stuvac.

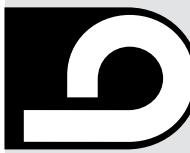
So get involved, get active, and read *Blitz* for your season pass to the hottest sporting activities on the planet this winter break.



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ART MEETS SCIENCE



6PM WED 30 MAY
A RELAXING NIGHT OF DRINKS,
NETWORKING & LEARNING
GUEST SPEAKER PHD CANDIDATE FM GRANDE
EARLY BAR TAB ~ MUSIC ~ ART ~ MORE
CLUB BAR ROUNDHOUSE LEVEL 1



SHIT

There's only 2 more weeks until exams! AHHHHH!!

Regretting not dropping a course before the Census date. It's too late sucker, you've made your bed.

The Bacon Tax announced in this year's Annual Budget.

HIT

There's only 2 more weeks of semester 1 to go—freeeeeeeeeedom!

Eurovision grand finals are on this Saturday night! We could meet the next ABBA or Celine Di—oh God.

Submitting a piece of your artfully amazing writing to the *UNSweetened Journal* and winning fame and glory.

MEME OF THE WEEK



bitz & pieces

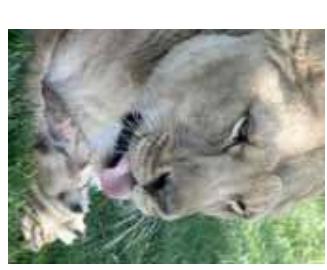


"To sport would be tedious as to work," — William Shakespeare
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BEST UNSW FACEBOOK

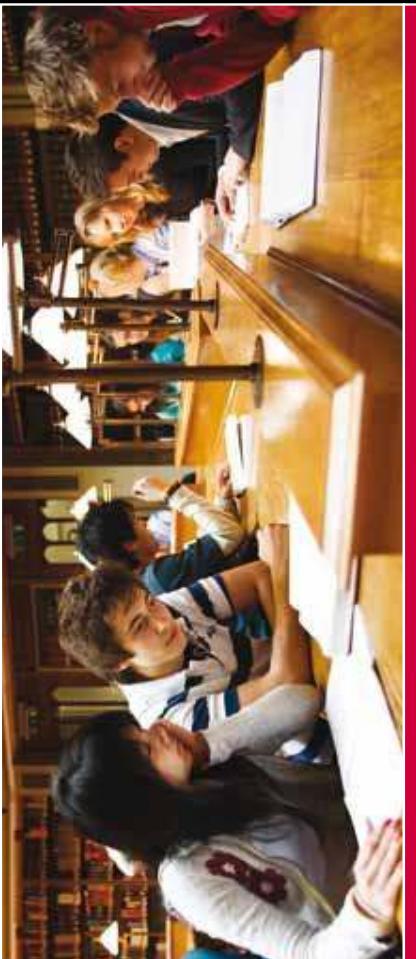


World War II...
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beyond the means of war
more than ever
organisations".
Gift 2: "But what about when the First
World War II...
open windows" ... I'm not sure the
psychiatrist course, seeing the "assess
the room for escape routes such
as home for the first time in 4 years
feels super confident about this term";/
Alan Glass left his phone at home
for the first time in 4 years
feeling unloved."

bitz & pieces

Gif 1: "...
in the line 'Tropical Green...'
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to give all the money to grassroots
organisations. F*ck the First World
War II...
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on campus
overhead



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College
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University of London

Distinguish yourself

Study in London Presentation

Shangri La Hotel (CBD), Sydney Tuesday 12th June at 7pm

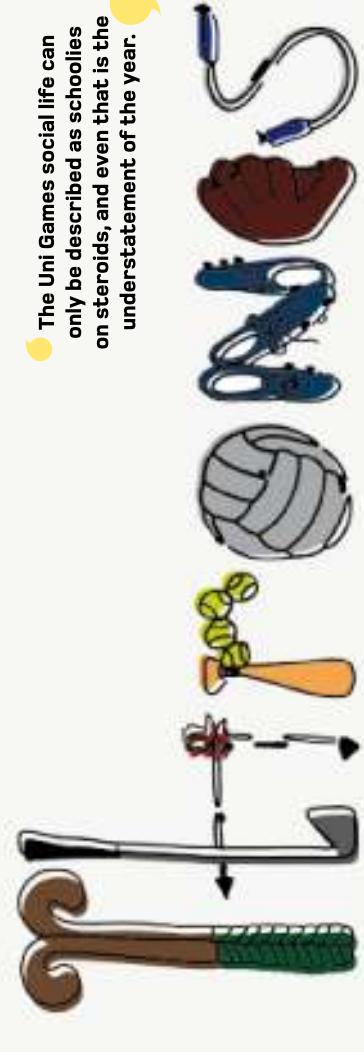
This presentation will provide information on programmes of study, the application process, Australian scholarship opportunities and life in London.

King's College London is one of the world's top 30 universities.*

Places are limited, please register by Monday 4th June via the web link below

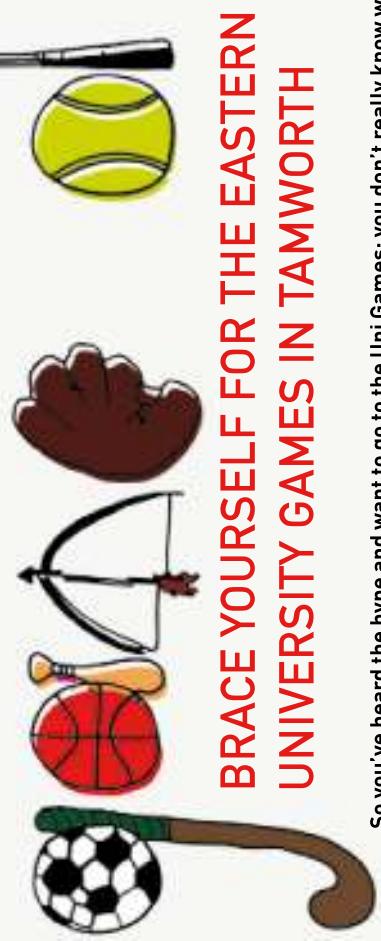
*QS World University Rankings 2011

The Uni Games social life can only be described as schoolies on steroids, and even that is the understatement of the year.



BRACE YOURSELF FOR THE EASTERN UNIVERSITY GAMES IN TAMWORTH

So you've heard the hype and want to go to the Uni Games; you don't really know what to expect, but you're hoping to learn as you go? You could also complete your thesis the night beforehand, forget to bring your calculator to your Physics exam or walk down the Bassett steps blindfolded... Blitz outlines the essential, insider info derived from previous experiences of five frantic days of sport, court, partying and recovery.



COURT

Court is the madness which occurs each night in a designated hotel room before you hit the organised social events. It also gives all involved seniors and freshmen the opportunity to speak up and give their two cents on the day's events. If you performed well on the field, expect to be given the privilege to designate challenges. On the other hand, if you were below par in the day's games, prepare to be punished - don't worry, it's a good kind of pain.

COURT COVERAGE

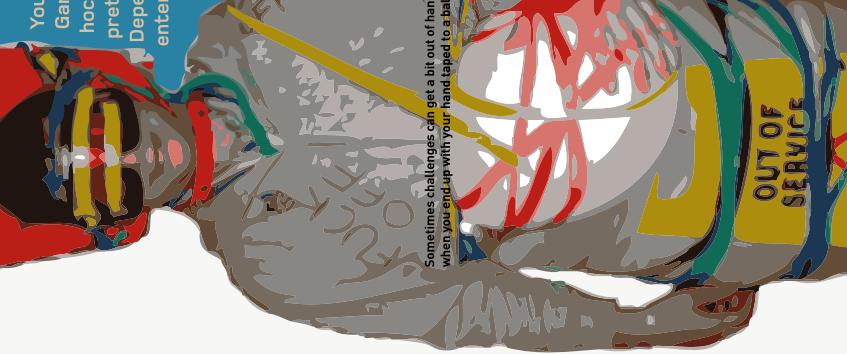
Thousands of sports/parties/desperados from universities across NSW and the ACT will descend upon trusty Tamworth this July 1-5 for the 2012 Eastern Uni Games. Team building exercises begin with carpooling to Tamworth, sharing hotel rooms and putting in for drinks and food for dinner and court. As a team they'll hit the field/court/bowling alley by day and can join the organised social events by night. They wear UNSW colours by day and some crazy costumes each night, depending on the provided theme.

THE FRESHMAN

It would be wrong to say every team has one Freshman, because every team will have about six - so know that you won't be alone in your Freshman struggles. If you're thinking about attending your first Uni Games, I'm here to tell you to brace yourself. Senior members of your team will use your naivety and rookie innocence against you in the harshest of manners. On top of this, you're expected to take on the toughest of challenges whilst receiving next to no sympathy.

THE CHALLENGES

Challenges are dished out (or made up) by the most senior members of each squad. Most challenges are part of the sport's tradition, and, believe me, you don't want to fail. 'Punching Above Your Weight' is probably one of the most notorious... Dares can be completed during the game or during the night, but there must be proof in the form of a photo or a witness.



THE RELATIONSHIP

If you happen to join a team that doesn't have a gam start, you have dodged one mean, fast-penetrating bullet. The early morning kick-off, bow-off, throw-off, or whatever it is that starts up your sport is that much harder when heads are spinning and your ears are ringing. Only at Uni Games will you see more morning strungiers than the day after Oktoberfest.

THE RIVALRY

Blitz is not here to re-appropriate the old Vegas saying but in some instances it's true that, what happens at Uni Games, stays at Uni Games. Many who have travelled to past games have had a partner waiting back home and many to come will be taken. By all means come along, but know that the Uni Games social life can only be described as schoolies on steroids.

If you take anything from this article know this: Sydney Uni (and UTS, but mostly Syd) is our number one enemy - and when it comes to Uni Games, it's personal. The rivalry has gone on for years, and seniors will proudly pass on to you tales of their arrogance that one day you will tell as a senior member to your Freshman. It's never hard to point out the Usyd bunch from the lot - look for the overdressed posse who will stress that history is more important than the present, as they know just as well as we do, this is our year...

After your week at Uni Games you'll have at least 23 new Facebook friends and 1 or 2 mysterious bruises.



Now that you have some knowledge of what awaits you I bid you good luck in your trials and may your selection bring you your greatest ever university (non)memories.

• Jake Burkett & The Blitz Team

WHEN: Sat May 26
WHERE: Roundhouse
PRICE: GA (non skating) \$10 / BDO Skates \$22 / Skate Hire \$28

They see me rollin', they hatin'

ROLLER DISCO

• Details: See above

Let's us, get down and wheel it around - Roller Disco is back in town.

Hating a roller disco is like watching Winter Olympic figure skaters on crack - except you don't have to worry about someone getting a finger sliced off! The party people from Rollergirl Promotions have warmed up with the cool crew from the Roundhouse to bring you a night of wheels and wonder. There'll be a bunch of DJs to get you groovin' as you're rollin', a photobooth and the disco will be open until 1am for all the night owls in Sydney. Just an FYI there is an 18+ event - we don't bring your little brother or sister who loves roller skating along. Check out rollerdisco.promotions.com.au for more info, faq and ideas for crazy costumes.



Nom nom nom

Arc BIGGEST MORNING TEA ON CAMPUS

WHEN: Tues May 22 9am
WHERE: Library and the Arc Precinct
PRICE: The more you spend, the more you help.

Help raise money for cancer research and enjoy a nice warm cuppa with a cupcake! Bliss!

Arc, The Volunteer Army and CONTACT have all teamed up for a fundraising bananza. Every year, The Biggest Morning Tea raises money for research for The Cancer Council, and this year we have High hopes. If you're not on campus on Tuesday, then head over to DCA on Thursday to get involved with their fairies!

WHAT'S ON UNSW
21ST MAY - 27TH MAY

UNEAR SPECIAL 14.95
\$4.95 ea.
The Household Goods section
is the most popular section of the store.



TUE 22 MAY
AUSTRALIA'S BIGGEST MORNING TEA ON CAMPUS

PROCEEDS GO TO VOLUNTEER ARMY AND CONTACT INC.



WHEN: Tues May 22 9am
WHERE: Library and the Arc Precinct
PRICE: The more you spend, the more you help.

ARC @ UNSW
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FREE BBQ & DRINK*

5PM THURS 24 MAY
UNSW ROUNDHOUSE

THIS THURS

*Free BBQ and drink voucher (conditions apply)



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SAVE THE DATE

Week 13

Shitty Pelican Comedy Night
Mon May 28 6:30pm
@ Club bar
COST: \$5
Your last chance to have a good chuckle before the laughter is murdered forever by exams.

Student Cookbook Launch
Tues May 29 12pm
@ Roundhouse

The ultimate device for delicious procrastination during the study break.

Art Meets Science
Wed May 30 6pm
@ Club bar

Get in early for a bar tab and celebrate being a Post Grad student in style.

End of Session Backyard Party
Thurs May 31
@ Roundhouse

You've earned this guys. Bring along your tongue and tomato sauce. It's bbq time. Roundhouse style.

SAT MAY 26
@ The Cabin Club Book Club Latina
7pm

SUN MAY 27
@ The White House

UNSWeetened Submission Deadline
Fri June 1
Visit www.arc.unsw.edu.au/

Don't stop movin' and bring it all back now. Get it? Boom!

S Club and Big Brovaz
Fri 1 June 8pm
@ Roundhouse

COST: \$6.50 + bf (+ Booking Fee)
Don't stop movin' and bring it all back now. Get it? Boom!

DUD PARTY?
Promote your event with What's On
Go to arc.unsw.edu.au/,
or email bitz@arc.unsw.edu.au

Deadline: 12 days before Mon of relevant week.

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\$8.50 Bistro Specials

From 12pm
All week
@ Roundhouse
Sometimes the only thing that'll get you through the day is a cheap lunch.

UNSW - THERE'S ALWAYS SOMETHING GOOD GOING DOWN



The White House Happy Hour

4-5pm
All week
@ Arc Stores
It's like a sale!

UNSW STUDENTS/ADULTS \$15

It's not their birthday anymore, but it's still the happiest place on campus.



Arc Store Happy Hour – 10% off:

4-5pm
All week
@ Arc Stores
It's like a sale!

UNSW – THERE'S ALWAYS SOMETHING GOOD GOING DOWN



Pottery Studio Induction

12.30pm
Tuesday, Wednesday
@ L2, Blockhouse
COST: FREE FOR ARC MEMBERS

UNSW STUDENTS/ADULTS \$15

Come sample a new one-woman show for anyone who has ever met another person.



Studio Four Presents: Am I Good Friend?

Monday - Saturday 7pm
@ Studio One
COST: STUDIO FOUR \$5 / ARC \$10
STUDENTS/ADULTS \$15

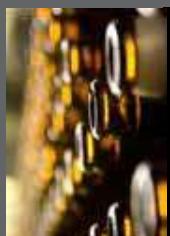
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Fatum Dafa Free Meditation Class

8am Every day
@ Science Theatre Lawn Opposite The Red Centre
Come and find Nirvana while relieving stress through methods banned in China. You look like you need it.

REGULARS



Roundhouse Happy Hour

5-6pm
All week
@ Roundhouse
Get happy, responsibly. On Wednesdays Happy Hours twice as happy, running from 5-7!

REGULARS

Where's Wally Wednesday

2-4pm
@ The White House
Find Wally for a secret prize
Limit one per person

Studio Four Presents: Am I Good Friend?

7pm
@ Studio One
COST: STUDIO FOUR \$5 / ARC \$10 / UNSW STUDENTS/ADULTS \$15

UNSW Quiditch Tournament

3-5pm
@ UNSW Physics Lawn
The UNSW Quiditch Society is holding a tournament towards the House Cup - come along to join in the fun, watch through your omnoculars, grab some food and feel pretty, like a mugger! COST: \$7 FOR MEMBERSHIP

Mid-Week Social

5-7pm
@ COFA Common Room
Pizza, beers, prizes and... CIDER!
12-2pm
@ L1 E Block, COFA
Come sample the cheapest and most delicious food on campus.

Studio Four Presents: Am I Good Friend?

7pm
@ Studio One
COST: STUDIO FOUR \$5 / ARC \$10 / UNSW STUDENTS/ADULTS \$15

Friday Card Draw

6pm
@ The White House

Win a \$50 voucher for The White House

Disease Discovery Evening - Cystic Fibrosis

7-8pm
@ Museum of Human Disease
If you get there early there are free drinks and nibbles!

Studio Four Presents: Am I Good Friend?

7pm
@ Studio One
COST: STUDIO FOUR \$5 / ARC \$10 / UNSW STUDENTS/ADULTS \$15

2012 Utzon Lecture Series - Professor James Weirick

6-8.30pm
@ Lecture Theatre M17, Chemical Sciences
Follow the people not wearing sensible covered shoes

Studio Four Presents: Am I Good Friend?

7pm
@ Studio One
COST: STUDIO FOUR \$5 / ARC \$10 / UNSW STUDENTS/ADULTS \$15

Art House Classics

7pm
@ L2, Blockhouse
COST: FREE FOR ARC MEMBERS

QueerSpace, Rm 9.21 Chemical Science

12-2pm
@ Quad Lawn
COST: FREE FOR ARC MEMBERS, DONATION FOR OTHERS

Pottery Studio Induction

12.30pm
@ L2, Blockhouse
COST: FREE FOR ARC MEMBERS

Trivia

5pm
@ Roundhouse

Come sample all - as long as you have activated your Arc membership. There'll be discussions, voting and (possibly) most importantly free food and drinks.

MON MAY 21

Soccer training

11-12am
@ Moore Park
Meet in Moore Park and train up for the Ant School Cup against NAS and SCA in Semester 2!

TUE MAY 22

Arc Biggest Morning Tea On Campus

9am
@ Library and the Arc Precinct Start off your day with a good deed, presented by The Volunteer Army and CONTACT.

Free Pool

12-2pm
@ Roundhouse
Held every Monday for kids who incorporated lunch breaks into their timetables.

Wednesday Nights: Section

Victory or death! Places are limited; email nawdward@arc.unsw.edu.au to sign up.

K-Pop Soc Dance Workshop

5-7pm
@ Studio One
COST: \$10 / NON-MEMBERS \$15
\$22 / SKATE HERE \$28

SATURDAY

Studio Four Presents: Am I Good Friend?

7pm
@ The Cabin Club Book Club Latina
Bring along your tongue and tomato sauce. It's bbq time. Roundhouse style.

SUN MAY 27

Collegium Musicum Choir Concert 1

5-8pm
@ Sir John Clancy Auditorium
COST: \$10 / CONCESSION \$17

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Queenspace, Rm 9.21 Chemical Science

4-6pm
@ Queerspace, Rm 9.21 Chemical Science
Follow the people not wearing sensible covered shoes

Studio Four Presents: Am I Good Friend?

7pm
@ Studio One
COST: STUDIO FOUR \$5 / ARC \$10 / UNSW STUDENTS/ADULTS \$15

Victims.

She was more remotion than one man could bear. Come taste temptation in its purest and creepiest form with friends in a safe environment.

WEDNESDAY MAY 22

Bingo

1pm
@ Roundhouse
Meet in Moore Park and train up for the Ant School Cup against NAS and SCA in Semester 2!

QueerSpace, Rm 9.21 Chemical Science

2-4pm
@ QueerSpace, Rm 9.21 Chemical Science
What's the difference between a large pizza and a professional poker player?
A: The large pizza can feed a family of four.

MiSoC Open Mic Night

6.30pm
@ Club Bar
Come sample a new one-woman show for anyone who has ever met another person*

BLITZ PICKS

MONDAY
"A SHOW FOR FRIENDS, AM I BAD FRIEND?"
7pm
@ Studio One
The kids from Studio Four always put on a good show now; it's your job to be a good audience. Opening night always has a lot of magic to it so come along and find out what friendship is all about.

COST: STUDIO FOUR \$5 / ARC \$10 / UNSW STUDENTS/ADULTS \$15

THURSDAY MAY 24

QueerSpace, Rm 9.21 Chemical Science

7pm
@ Roundhouse
Come come all - as long as you have activated your Arc membership. There'll be discussions, voting and (possibly) most importantly free food and drinks.

SATURDAY MAY 26

"I'm Not a Slut Out Latte"

5pm
@ Club Bar
Kick back and relax after a hard week at uni with Student Development International; you'll meet new people and see international music and classics.. COST: \$3

SUNDAY MAY 27

"I'm Not a Slut Out Latte"

5pm
@ Roundhouse
Roundhouse Degrees courses teach you about life, the universe and everything. This session particularly focuses on the universe. Places are limited, email downward@arc.unsw.edu.au to sign up.

Studio Four Presents: Am I Good Friend?

7pm
@ Studio One
Show for anyone who has ever met another person*



Knights of the Roundhouse table at the Red Lounge Jazz Night



Eurosoc's parties in the Club Bar, heal the world

SESSION ONE SHENANIGANS



New College romance in Leave it to Psmith



Is there a doctor in the house? Pokemon and patients in Med Revue 2012



Feather Boa fun times at The Roundhouse



Red Lounge Roundhouse revelry. Who doesn't love smooth jazz?

LET'S TALK ABOUT SEX

Black & White & Sex Screening

Monday 21 May 7pm
@ Hoyts Entertainment Quarter
Cost: \$15

Black & White & Sex takes you behind the scenes and into Angie's very special world – the question is: who is Angie? Well, you'll have to come along to find out. At the same time you'll discover (apparently) everything you didn't know had to know about what men and women want. This should also be really interesting as Fiona Paton, founder of The Australian Sex Party, will be introducing the film.

THIS MEANS WAR

State of Origin Game 1
Wednesday 23 May 8pm
@ The Roundhouse

Keeping with the sporting theme of the week, why not grab some mates and head to The Roundhouse or your local to watch the first battle in this epic yearly war. This is the week when you start giving anyone from Queensland a shifty look. Other options for viewing include calling up that friend who has the massive fat screen TV – your choice, just don't forget to wear blue for NSW.

RESPECT THE PAST, CHANGE THE FUTURE

National Sorry Day
Saturday 26 May
@ All around Sydney

This day gives people the chance to come together and share the steps towards healing for the Stolen Generations, their families and communities. The Stolen Generations refer to Indigenous Australians who were forcibly removed from their families and communities. There'll be bbqs, fundraisers, marches and public talks. There'll be lots of marches and keep an eye out for deets.

NOM NOM NOM

Anatolian Turkish Festival
Sunday 27 May 10am until 11pm
@ Darling Harbour

You already love Turkish bread and Turk from Scrubs, now prepare to fall in love with Turkish music, wrestling, dancing and catch some dramatic re-enactments of battles and scenes from Turkish history.

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CHEAP A\$\$ SYDNEY

A Play for Voices

UNDER MILK WOOD

Antonia Shuttleworth

It's almost the end of first semester and Blitz thinks you've worked sufficiently hard and matured just enough to enjoy something fancy at the Sydney Opera House.

We highly recommend you go down to the woods today. Milk Wood that is. Come and enjoy the Sydney Theatre Company's outstanding production of Dylan Thomas' much loved poem, opening this week at the Opera House.

While it will be difficult to top the particularly pleasant pairing of Elizabeth Taylor and Peter O'Toole in the 1972 film version, Kip Williams has created a vivid and engaging portrayal of the eccentric community living in the small Welsh town of Llaregub.

Throughout the course of one day, from pre-dawn to nightfall, Under Milk Wood examines the power and passion found in relationships within a small town through a series of sketches, caricatures and devastating moments of human fragility. There are excitement, achievements and disappointments galore, and if you thought that living in Sydney was a bubble then come along and experience the microcosm that is found Under Milk Wood.

For your chance to score a double pass to see Under Milk Wood on Tuesday June 5 at 8pm
WIN email blitz@arc.unsw.edu.au with your favourite poem.



MASTERCHEF UNSW

The Arc Student Cookbook is hunting and gathering for people to attend the 2012 Student Cookbook Launch (see the beautiful ad below for details).

Food is an essential part of our everyday life. We all cook it, shop for it, complain about hunger (especially during four hour lecture blocks) and enjoy when a mouth-watering meal hits the spot. This year the Student Cookbook is all about heart-warming meals that'll fill you up on a tight student budget.

But the most important thing to remember about food is that we can make a big impact with the timeliness of food choices. Did you know that buying local and seasonal fruit is reducing your impact on the environment? Or that there are foods made negatively impacting on the livelihoods of people that make them?

Well if not, it is time to start a food conversation and understand the complexities of the current food system. Why are there so many with little food and so few people eating a lot of food? Famine and obesity side by side doesn't paint a pretty picture of modern society.

What does look pretty however is the 2012 Student Cookbook, which is your Food conversation starter, so come along next Tuesday and collect your copy.

• Lucy Murrie

GREEN FOR GOOD

Think you're cool for riding your bike to uni? Well UNSW Engineering student and world champion Alex Green is riding her bike for Australia at the 2012 Paralympics.

She took a breather from her intensive training schedule for an exclusive chat with Blitz about sports, study, and how to thrive in the face of a challenge.

So what's the deal on para-cycling from someone on the inside track?

There are four events for para-cyclists: on the track, there's the 300m individual pursuit and the 500m time trial; and on the road there's a road race and a time trial. My best is the 300m individual pursuit - I'm the world champion in that event. I'm not much of a sprinter though, so the 500m kinda fail at - I just do it for fun.

And how do they measure disabilities to ensure a fair race?

Everybody who competes has to be classified by an international board of physios and doctors (and) they have criteria for measuring how your disability affects you on the bike. Mine's quite low, affecting only one of my legs, which puts me in the C4 category.

Was cycling always your dream career?

I was actually originally a rower on the Australian Adaptive Rowing Team, competed in the '09 World Championships, then got into cycling as cross-training and the head coach saw me at a training session and wanted to try and get me into cycling. It was an easy choice - I love cycling.

I was riding for about six months before I made the team in 2010, and won bronze in my first World Championships; this year I went again and won gold. Scoring a World Championship jersey and being selected for the Team for London have been the proudest moments of my life.

It all happened so fast! Has it been hard to suddenly balance your studies and a cycling career?

It's pretty hard! I've had to defer on this year in the lead-up to the Paralympics. Doing Engineering you're constantly in the labs, which obviously you can't do when you're overseas - last semester, I was away for six out of 12 weeks. But the Engineering Faculty's been so supportive; it's really good going to UNSW.

So apart being part of a good faculty, what's your advice to other students looking to overcome a disability and get the most out of life?

Don't let disability hold you back - you can do anything you want to, as long as you put your mind to it. My coach and having such good people around me really helps - my family's wonderful. And it's not hard to get on the bike when you live in a beautiful city like Sydney. And I thought it was an achievement to pass Contracts... With only two months to go, it's not far to London - especially if you're on a bike. We'll be with her all the way.



SPORTS THAT AREN'T REALLY SPORTS

Jacob Burkett

Chess
Boy do I hate fishing. As much as this may come across as biased, it also comes across as completely true. In fishing your bait lures the fish, you sit on a wharf wishing you had reception while your over-excited dad talks to you about the wonders of nature. Go for a run old man, fish have feelings too.

Fishing
To prove this point all I have to do is tell you to look at a world darts championship on YouTube, where you'll see overweight, bearded men wearing gloves that supposedly stabilize their hand. Plus the sport is generally played in a pub, hardly a sporting haven. Oh please, you darts players aren't fooling anyone.

Darts
Poker
Poker is a game, not a sport. Yes you can bet, yes there are tournaments, so what? That doesn't define what a sport is. You can play poker for 10 hours straight all whilst remaining seated in a chair - how does that show physical prowess? So you work up a sweat when you decide to raise - try cliff diving my friend.

Tenpin Bowling
It annoys me when I see tenpin bowling on TV and the participants are taking themselves so seriously. I went bowling for my seventh birthday and remember getting a strike countless times, so unless I am some sort of bowling prodigy, I can't even rate this game as challenging.

Agree or disagree? If there are any other fake sports that grind your gears shoot us an email at blitz@arc.unsw.edu.au or post on facebook.com/blitzmag

• Lucy Murrie



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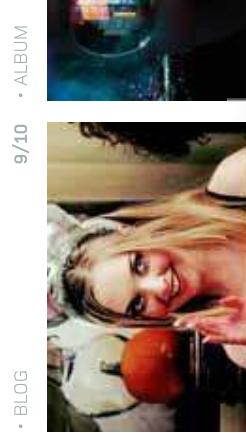
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REVIEWS

Once you consider that such lyrical gems as "every day she want to bite my pillow, every day she want to sweat on window," could only have been written by an online poem machine.

Electronic Earth, Labrinth



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• ALBUM
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• BOOK
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• EXHIBITION
9/10

7/10

HARD LIVING IN THE EASTERN SUBURBS

overprivileged.tumblr.com

When I found this new blog just a couple of weeks ago already I'd missed some kind of mad bi-grade Sydney media storm about bullying. Whatever - this shit's hilarious and I'm overjoyed that I'm finally gonna be able to contribute to tumblr just by going through the Facebooks of kids I went to school with.

Hard Living in the Eastern Suburbs' content consists of photos submitted by readers, and the curators themselves, of people they know partying, wearing fake tan and raising their hands in a position they've dubbed disco arms. I'm sure that not everybody who appears comes from the Eastern Suburbs. But stereotypes are fun, particularly when enjoyed at the expense of the rich and the orange. Some of their best moments come from attempts at defending themselves when accused of bullying: "Is it possible the rich and tanned take themselves too seriously?" Keep up the humour.

Chris Long

Henry Cornwell



• EXHIBITION
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ARMAGEDDON RAG

George R. R. Martin

For *Game of Thrones* fans, this is not Westeros.

Armageddon Rag seems at times rather self-reflective, as Martin writes from the heart of the lost 80s movement and its music, with a touch of the occult.

Disillusioned novelist and former hippie Sandy Blair escapes his writers block by accepting a journalistic assignment to cover the brutalistic death rock promoter Jamie Lynch. Lynch's death opens the door for a reunion tour of the Nazgûl, a band contracted to Lynch for life.

As the band rehearses, Blair becomes their press agent, even though he suspects their new manager has sinister motives for this reunion. The end of the world and rebirth may be at stake, and Blair must choose a side. A rippling yawn and Martin's sense of the music is captivating. I've been happily singing along to Black Sabbath in my head all week.



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For more of Chrissy's concert adventures check out her bombastic blog at sydneyjigview.wordpress.com.

• Adam Kelly

• Vanessa France



GROOVIN' THE MOO

University of Canberra

As *Groovin' The Moo* continued its way to Canberra, not even the arctic conditions swayed 15,000 punters from gathering together to celebrate, dance and literally chill to a truly outstanding lineup.

The day began with a set of soulful melodies from Matt Corby, including his live rendition of 'Brother' and hence had the entire venue grooving and clapping along to his heartfelt performance.

The rest of the day was well spread-out between the two main stages (Channel V, Triple J) and the Moo-in Rouge tent which comprised of more dance-able tunes.

Kaiser Chiefs was the definite standout of the year which brought the Moo home with Rick Wilson the lead singer, performing an entire song midair from the ride next to the stage where the band continued playing. He continued to get the crowd going as he climbed scaffolds and crowd-surfed whilst simultaneously belting out unforgettable choruses that left satisfied punters grooving all the way home.

WIN Blitz

• Christine Su

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PUZZLED?

GO Clubbing with EVROSOC

• Henry Cornwell

WORD SEARCH

Find as many words as you can in the square. Each word must be at least four letters long and include the middle letter, plurals allowed. Each letter can only be used once.



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Holis are coming up and it's time to either head to Europe or kick around in Sydney on your own while everybody else does - your call. Top of your list of things to do is a) work out where you wanna go, b) bone up on European culture through an encyclopaedic understanding of Eurovision, and c) join a society to facilitate your drunken European celebrations, ruminations and salutations. Allow me and 2012 Evrosoc president Ben Soroka to help.

First up, Euro or Euro? And why?

Our name is Evrosoc because Europe is known as Europa in a lot of European languages, plus if we used "Euro" it would sound like the currency and we're not really about the money.

So Europe is great – no question, but why should we join a society dedicated to it?

There's a lot of culture-based societies on campus, from The Hellenic Society to the Korean Sista Study. We noticed that even though there are many clubs they are pretty diverse and have a small range of people who might be interested. We also noticed a distinct lack of groups with a European focus, so we decided to create Evrosoc to bring European students and Europe enthusiasts together.

We're assuming you have some clues as to the best way to travel through Europe on the cheap?

Stay in hostels – it's super cheap and you meet a lot of like-minded young tourists to have a good time with. A lot of these people are Aussies too so you won't get homesick. Go for smaller hostels run by locals rather than chains, as the locals always have much better knowledge on where to go and what to do – plus they're much more fun. And scrap flying though Europe! Riding trains and buses is cheaper and you get to experience so much more.

On the subject of trains and buses, where and when does Evrosoc meet?

We have events at uni, the beach, the pub, European restaurants – pretty much anywhere that fun and a lot of drinking is to be had (this drinking can include regular Russian vodka). We hold regular barbecues, beach days and outings with European themes – we even went to a Russian comedy night not long ago.

Do you have to pay for membership, like joining the European Union? If so, what do proceeds go towards (ed – hopefully not the EU)?

It's \$5 for Arc members and proceeds go directly into funding events for our members, keeping money available to damage members' livers. We're also famous for our Roundhouse Eurovision parties!

Speaking of, it's the Grand Finals this weekend – who's gonna win Eurovision this year?

Russia of course – go the grandmas!

SO WHAT ARE YOU WAITING FOR? GO BOOK YOUR TICKETS TO EUROPA! BUT HURRY UP BEFORE THEY GET TOO EXPENSIVE. IN THE MEANTIME, JOIN EVROSOC, GUARANTEED TO MEET YOUR 'EVO' NEED.

SEEKING A SALARY

BISTRO SUPERVISOR

The Bistro Supervisor is responsible for the day to day operations of the Bistro and to maintain Arc operational practices and maintains set customer service levels. They'll need to have proven eating, managing and cafe experience.

After checking the website email Jared Neal (mailto:jarc@arc.unsw.edu.au) if you have further questions or send your application to jobs@arc.unsw.edu.au by Thursday 24th May 2012 at 5pm.

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BLITZ SAYS, EVROSOC SAYS:

Which European country is the best place to go for... Hot chicks: Serbia – you'll see. Hot dudes: Russia, of course! Good Food: Austria, especially Vienna. I gained 15 kilos in six weeks – amazing. Beaches: Italy, Bulgaria! Very cheap and lots of fun. Skiing: Austria – Awesome ski fields, perfect powder. Not much else to ask for. Nature: Germany for its beautiful forests. Art: France or Russia. The world's two biggest museums are in these countries. History: Check out Istanbul. The former city of Constantinople has so much, it's incredible.



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- 01 What's the only Olympic sport where you're not allowed a beard?
- 02 How many holes are there in a tenpin bowling ball?
- 03 When did Switzerland allow women to vote?
- 04 Where can you get free condoms and tampons at UNSW?
- 05 How many years was the premiership drought before the Sydney Swans won in 2005?



» Voice of the peeps

Jake Burkett

JORDAN

International Studies

The best way to deal with a bad exam result is?
Ring up the lecturer and ask for a better mark - nine out of ten times they'll give it to you.

Have you ever had an enemy in class?
Yes! This young Liberal who wouldn't stop defending North Korea, it took up the whole tutorial.
Best and worst sport ever invented?
Best would be women's European handball; men's iron Man challenges are by far the worst.

DAVID

Social Science

The best way to deal with a bad exam result is?
Go and tell your mum all about it.
Best and worst sport ever invented?
Best: Motor Derby Worst: NASA! 30+ laps of a circular track – boring!
The best way to approach an exam is...
Wink at the lecturer as you walk in.



WILLIAM

Commerce Arts

Best way to deal with a bad exam result is...
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Best and worst sport ever invented?
Cricket
Have you ever had an enemy in class?
Yes – for no reason, a standing competition went on for the whole tutorial; I hate that person.



AABIR

Information Systems

Best way to deal with a bad exam result is...
Look over your answers and see where you went wrong, or go Unibar.
The best way to approach an exam is...
Meticulous Planning! Time is of the essence so make sure you allocate your tasks.
Best and worst sport ever invented?
The best is cricket and the worst would be polo.



LAUREN

Media

The best way to deal with a bad exam result is?
Run out of the room and stamp your feet.
What have you heard about uni games?
That not much sport goes on? Minimal activity with an abundance of alcohol.
Have you ever had an enemy in class?
Not yet, but I know it's bound to happen, who doesn't love a heated debate?



CJ

Journalism

Best way to deal with a bad exam result is?
Go for an extended run
Best and worst sport ever invented?
Best is running, the worst is skiing because I hear it's dangerous.



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