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Never fear! Bitzgers, I have my zombie apocalypse plan down pat. If anything happens, you've got my email. I'll take care of you. There are a couple of things about how a zombie apocalypse is likely to start, but my money's on the government.

Speaking of The Man, when An Inconvenient Truth was released back in the day, then US Vice President Al Gore scared the shit out of everyone and made us all feel pretty hopeless about the state of the environment. Not a good message. At the week our boy Henry looked into silly ways we can all make a difference and feel good about ourselves.

You know what didn't make you feel good? Winning a double pass to the Italian Film Fest! This week we're also launching our wonderful Octoberfest competition - head to p18 for details.

Week 10, turn-out time! Maybe in class, but there's a lot happening outside this week, so pay attention you!

This Wednesday evening your International Collective will be hosting the International Night Market. This one big event brings more of the amazing cultural diversity present at UNSW together in one place than any other. With heaps of music, dancing, food and fun, you may even just forget you're in Kensington!

In other news, election season is here! (We act more excited - democracy is fun!) From Tuesday to Thursday this week, elections are happening for the SDC - that's the committee that governs clubs and volunteering. Every affiliated club gets to vote for their representatives in 2013, so if you're on a club exec, make sure your club's voice is being heard. Check the Arc website for more info.

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Community's Senior Chang

WHAT WOULD YOU CHANGE ABOUT UNSW?

"For one semester, swap all the Law lecture theatres with the Science lecture theatres, so that Science students will stop complaining about how far they have to walk from Unilbar to class." - Aly Ross



Channeling your inner Carmen Sandiego at the International Night Markets this Wednesday night.

HIT



Making your friends presents at the Pottery Studio in the Blockhouse. The mulah you save can go towards Happy Hour instead.



Holy smokes Batman, Yellowcard are playing at the Roundie on Saturday - this takes us back to listening to 'Ocean Avenue' on Winamp in high school.



SHIT

Realising that all of your security settings changed when Facebook updated to Timeline.



That the Mayan calendar ends three days before Christmas this year! What's worse, world ending or no presents?



Forgetting your new zPass five minutes after changing it. Damn it.

bitz & pieces

MEME OF THE WEEK

Thanks to the mavericks flying high at Facebook.com/LawSchoolMemes.



Procrastl-PIRATING

No, we don't mean your run-of-the-mill isohunt.com-ing, we're talking about Talk Like a Pirate Day this Wednesday. Take some time out of that busy study timetable to channel your inner Captain Jack Sparrow, and pillage and plunder for profitable procrastination.

UNSW BroCode:

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Bros must make movie quotes in class as often as possible.



overheard on campus

Guy 1: "So whose WAM is lower than 60? That's f*cked."
Guy 2: "I don't let my WAM get lower than 80. May as well drop out if it does."
- On the bus home after a late one at the Roundhouse

UNspirational Message of the Week

"By working faithfully eight hours a day you may eventually get to be boss and work 12 hours a day."

- Robert Frost

Got your own hilarious bitz and pieces? Email it to blitz@arc.unsw.edu.au with "Bpz" as the subject and we may just put them in the mag.

Candidates for the Affiliated Clubs Student Representative

The Student Development Committee (SDC) is responsible for the management of clubs and societies, student volunteer programs, leadership development programs, grants, and relevant student events at both Kensington and COFA.

FOR 2012 CANDIDATE STATEMENTS VISIT

arc.unsw.edu.au/elections

For further information, please visit the Arc Website or contact the Returning Officer, Nitasha Prasad;
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Help steer student life at UNSW

a quickie with

ELLIOT FROM THE RUBENS

• Henry Cornwell

Reaching the Triple J Hottest 100, recording your first album and selling out shows around the country is a lot to achieve in your first year out of high school. So much for the humble Gap Year! But after a failed attempt at cracking it as a solo artist in England, when Elliott Margin's (organ - 19) brother Sam (vocals and guitar - 23) came home to Menangle on the NSW coast and suggested they jam with their other brother Zaac (lead guitar - 21) and childhood friend Scott Baldwin (drums - 23), it was a thought that crossed neither of their minds.

By the end of 2011 though, and with the recent release of their self-titled album *The Rubens*, that thought has become a reality. We thought we'd 'Lay it Down' with Elliott to take stock of an incredible year.

So along with the rest of the female Australian population, my girlfriend has a huge crush on your brother Sam. Let's just keep that to ourselves, we wouldn't want it getting to his head.

First up I'd love to know how it is that you've been brothers your entire lives, but only formed as a band last year... I don't know! We've been asked that a lot lately and it's strange to think about. It's almost like our parents set us up to be in a family band but we denied them until February last year.

How did it come about? Sam was pursuing a solo career overseas, right?

Yeah, he was over in London. When he came home and quit, Zaac was working and I was still at school. They were bored at home

one day and decided to put some tracks down. I came home from school and helped out, and that's really just how it happened.

Not a bad way to kick off your adult life!

Yeah it's pretty ideal. I mean, I wish I was at uni, learning things and writing things down.

Sarcasm aside, is that what you'd be settling into after your gap year if you weren't off touring the world and recording albums? I wanted to study Drama, but this happened and I thought, "you know what? This is a pretty good alternative."

So did you have in mind what *The Rubens* would sound like before you started?

Yeah, from the very start we knew exactly what it was that we were going for. Because we're brothers and good mates, we're able to tell each other if something sucks. If I have an idea, I'll show it to Zaac or Sam and they'll tell me if it's crap or not going to work, and it goes each way.

Do you find that through that process, the family dynamic is closely reflected in the dynamic of the band?

Definitely. Even though Scotty is not related, we all get along really well. The dynamic is perfect. While we're on tour, we're always able to joke around and take the piss out of each other and have fun. The same goes for the live show: as brothers, it feels natural to read and work off each other.

And you know what? It sounds pretty natural, too. Keep an eye out for their little brother Jethro (17). He's been known to crash their sets on the bongos and hi-hat.



The boys are currently on tour with the beautiful Bertie Blackman
When: 21 Sept - Sold Out / 18 Oct - On sale (at time of print)
Where: Metro
\$5 - \$25 + b.f.i.d ticketek.com.au / metrotheatre.com.au
Facebook: com/therubensmusic

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WORLDWIDE ENVIRONMENTAL ACTION

It's pretty amazing to think that in the 21st Century, one of the harshest things we're doing to our environment is still cutting down trees to write on them.

Can't finish that 3000 word essay? It's not the end of the world... or is it?

• Henry Cornwell with the help of Arc Environment Officer Luke Marshall (Renewable Energy and Software)

With 21 December 2012 just around the corner, the end of the world is conclusively nigh – according to the Mayans that is. Here at *Blitz*, we've dedicated countless productive hours to contemplating how the end might come. While our man Jake Burkett has settled on the *Zombie Apocalypse* theory, my money's on environmental catastrophe. But, ever the optimist, I say it's not over til head Mayan God Ah Pekku sings. I believe we can still turn things around with the right habits and efforts, and that we can save the world through green living. Here's the *Blitz* guide to subverting December's environmental doomsday.

Recycling Rambos

After years of hard work from students and staff, last year saw the final charge of the UNSW Enviro Collective's campaign for recycling bins. Let's just hope it's not too late! Much of what we consume and throw out on campus is perfect fodder for these giants of environmental salvation.

Paper Pirates

Every year UNSW goes through more tonnes of paper than you could burn it down with. It's pretty amazing to think that in the 21st Century, one of the harshest things we're doing to our environment is still cutting down trees to write on them. If you're already using a laptop or iPad, you might as well read and write your notes on them. Remember: Every piece of paper recycled is a tree left standing to hold the ground together, process our carbon and please our eyes with their green goodness. Do it for the planet!

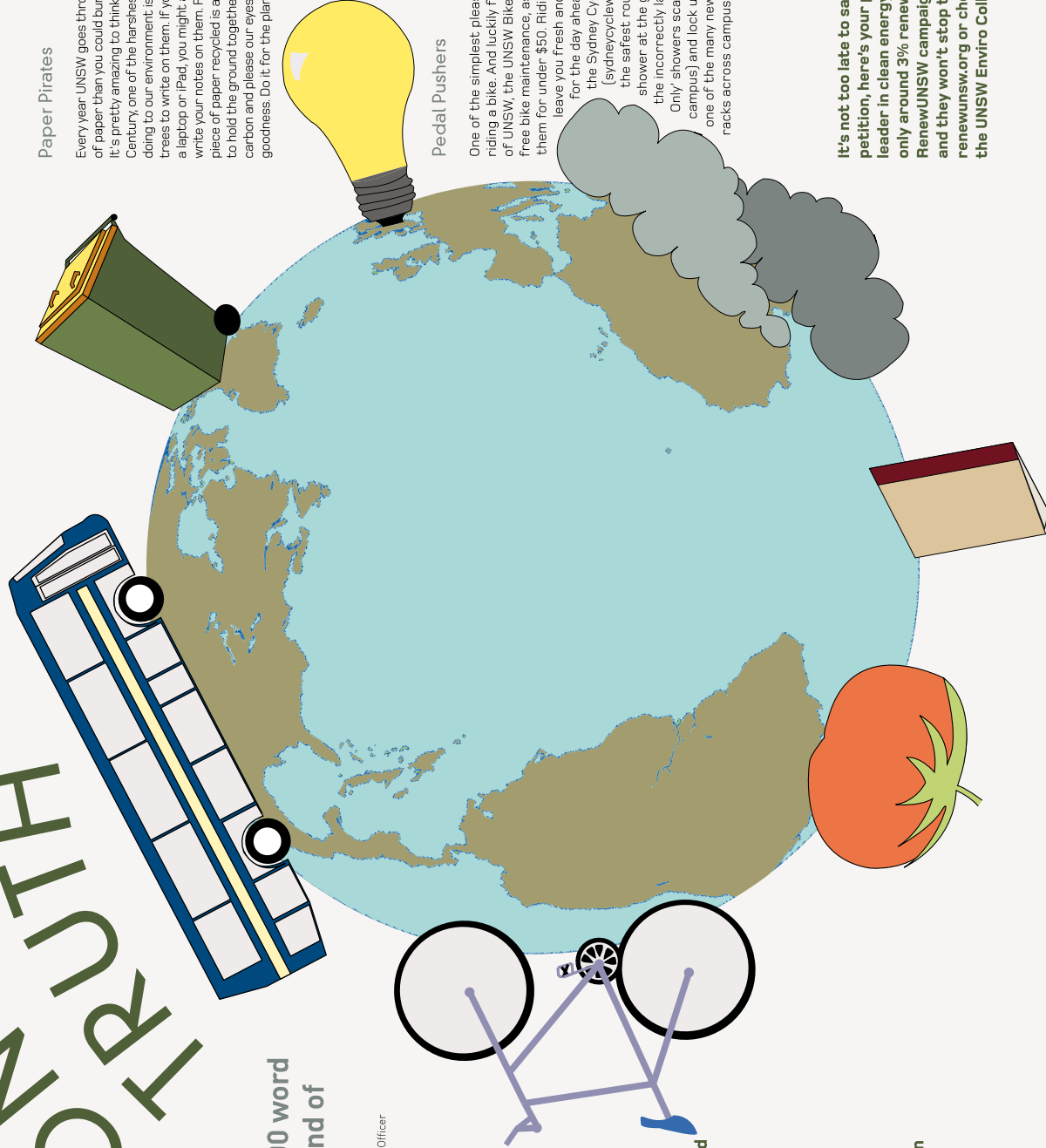
Power Down

One of the greatest consumers of energy in our households and lecture theatres alike is lights being left on. While it seems simple, a quick flick of the switch is one of the boldest strides you can take towards reducing the energy intensity and carbon footprint of our buildings and spaces.

Sustainable Study

When it comes to environmental technologies and climate research, our university is one of the best in the country. UNSW offers stacks of general education subjects tailor made for the student who wants to make an impact (or minimise it) but doesn't know where to start. For starters, check out Sustainable Renewable Energy Technologies (SOLA 2053) or Introduction to Climate Change (CLIM 1001).

It's not too late to save the world! If you've never been one to sign a petition, here's your perfect chance to start. Although UNSW is a world leader in clean energy technologies and research, our campus uses only around 3% renewable energy. The highly charged and ambitious RenewUNSW campaign is pushing for 100% renewable energy on campus, and they won't stop til their goal is met – sign the petition at renewunsw.org or check out enviro.arc.unsw.edu.au for more info about the UNSW Enviro Collective.





INTERNATIONAL NIGHT MARKETS

Shopping under the stars

UNSW is Australia's most multicultural uni so, like Michael Jackson sang, "We are the world".

Every year the Arc Precinct hosts the biggest and best night markets in town. Come along this Wednesday night and celebrate how international UNSW is at one of the biggest events on campus and guzzle some delicious gozleme under the stars. This is a night when local and international students come together for an evening of

eating and excellent entertainment. This year there'll be a zillion market stalls, performances and appearances from some of our favourite clubs and societies and a selection of delicious international food. Our advice: Try not to eat too much during the day to save room for yumme international treats.

WHEN: Weds 19 Sept 5-9pm
WHERE: Arc Precinct
VERDICT: Nom nom nom



YELLOWCARD + HEROES FOR HIRE

Punk is back!

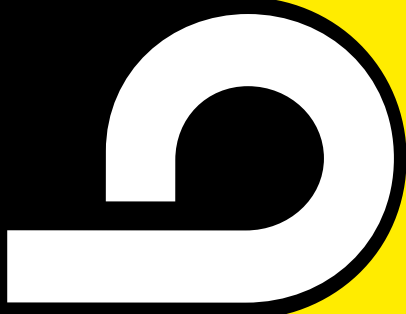
Kenso campus is so close to Coogee beach one might say we're on 'Ocean Avenue'. (Was that drawing a long bow or what?)

The Roundhouse often hosts the best punk bands - a highlight being Blink 182 appearing there earlier this year - but this time the party people at the Roundie have really outdone themselves. Relive your teenage angst to the sweet Lights and Sounds of Yellowcard and Heroes for Hire this Saturday night. Yellowcard are the big draw for us

at Blitz HQ. YouTubing their greatest hits makes us feel young again - plus their drummer looks like Predator and there's that random violinist!

Also please don't forget to wear your Converse, your ripped jeans and your long sleeved shirt with your short sleeve t-shirt on top.

WHEN: Sat 22 Sept 7pm
WHERE: Roundhouse
PRICE: \$61.60 + BF



WHAT'S ON UNSW 17TH SEP - 23RD SEP

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Week 10

Ball Park Music

Weds, 26 Sep 7pm
@ Roundhouse
COST: \$23.50 + BF
Come chillax to the sounds of the 2011 Triple J Unearthed Artist of the Year.

Turisa Pitt Fundraiser

Thurs 27 Sep
@ Roundhouse
Help raise money for a wonderful former UNSW student and ballerina. There'll be bands, raffles, drinks, games and prizes!

Labour Day Long Weekend

Sat 29 Sep - Mon 1 Oct
@ Not at uni

Week 11

Arc Volunteer Ball

Thurs 4 Oct
Been part of the magic that is Arc this year? Head to arc.unsw.edu.au for more deets on your evening Underella.

PGC Spring Ball

Fri 5 Oct 7pm
@ Roundhouse
This is the real reason you came back for more studies. Dig out your fancy dress and your bowlie!
COST: \$66 Arc/\$76 other or table booking: \$60 Arc/\$70 other

Week 12

Outdoor Cinema

Wed 10 Oct
@ TBC
Open air cinema is so vintage.

PGC Social White House Sessions

Wed 10 Oct
@ The White House
Take a break from your PhD/ Masters/Thesis/Scary Postgrad stuff and meet some students in the same boat.

OKTOBERFEST

Thurs 11 Oct
@ Roundhouse
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Sometimes the only thing that'll get you through the day is a cheap lunch.



The White House Happy Hour

4-5pm
All week
@ The White House
If only there was a 'happy' hour in the actual White House.



Arc Store Happy Hour - 10% Off

4-5pm
All week
@ Arc Stores
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Stationery Reuse Centre

10am - 4pm
Monday - Friday
@ L1 of the Quad building, East Wing next to Quad 1001.
Sadly they don't have laptops



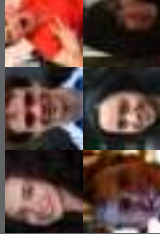
Roundhouse Happy Hour

5-4pm
All week
@ Roundhouse
The best time to meet cool peeps on campus.



Pottery Studio

8am-4pm
@ L2, Blockhouse
COST: FREE FOR ARC MEMBERS
There's just one rule in the pottery studio at UNSW: No 'Ghosting'.



SDC Online Elections

Tues 18 Sept - Thurs 20 Sept
Take control of your destiny and vote for your preferred Student Reps in 2013! Head to arc.unsw.edu.au/sdc to cast your vote.

REGULARS

MON SEP 17

Don't Assume: Racism is not an issue - Word Slam Event
12.15-2.15pm
@ Marsh Room, Roundhouse
Come along to a free slam workshop with professional spoken-word artist, Miles Merrill and turn your story into a work of art.

Bingo

1pm
@ Roundhouse
Hold every Monday for kids who incorporated lunch breaks into their timetables.

QueerSoc

2-4pm
@ Querspace, Rm 9.20 Chemical Science

Poker

6pm
@ Roundhouse
Shifty Pelican Comedy Night
12-2pm
@ Quad Lawn
COST: FREE FOR ARC MEMBERS, DONATION FOR OTHERS

Disease Discovery Evening - Understanding Arthritis

7-9pm
@ Museum of Human Disease, Samuels Building

Serving as a Scientist in God's World

7.30-9.30pm
@ Main Common Room, New College

BLITZ PICKS

Fit & Frisbee Practice



5-8.30pm

@ Marsh Room, Roundhouse

You'd be surprised at how many girls and boys are interested in climbing the pole - the view from the top is that good! Apparently interest in the sport has increased since the release of *Magic Mike*, go figure.

Pottery Studio Intro Lesson

2.30pm
@ L2, Blockhouse
COST: \$15

Trivia

9pm
@ Roundhouse
COST: FREE FOR ARC MEMBERS

Kudos Gallery Opening: Tim Olsen

Drawing Prize
5-7pm
@ Kudos Gallery

Pole Fitness Practice

6-8.30pm
@ Marsh Room, Roundhouse

WED SEP 19

Free Breakfast

9-10am
@ Outside the Library

Arc Flea Markets

11am
@ Arc Precinct
Hit up the last flea markets of 2012 and bag a bargain!

International Talk Like a Pirate Day

12-2pm
@ Venue TBC, go to facebook.com/ArcUNSW
Impress the Arc Street Team with your pirate costume or impression and score some free food and love.

Veggie Soc

12-2pm
@ Arc Precinct

Women's Collective Meeting

12-2pm
@ Womyn's Room, Blockhouse

Pottery Studio Induction

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

COFA Film Screening

1pm
@ E002, COFA

Where's Wally Wednesday

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

Stitch 'n' Bitch

3-4pm
@ COFA Common Room
Bring your needles and your gossip!

COFA Hot Tips: Meet the founders of Kind-of-Gallery

4-5pm
@ COFA Common Room

PokeSoc Meeting

4-6pm
@ Quad G040

Mid Week Social

5-7pm
@ COFA Common Room
Booze, food and games - all to get over the hump!

International Night Market

6-7pm
@ Arc Precinct

Roundhouse Degrees: Candle Making

5-7pm
@ Roundhouse
Every now and then the power goes out and you're trapped in perpetual Earth Hour. Take this opportunity to stock up on supplies for when we run out of coal. RSVP to n.downward@arc.unsw.edu.au.

UNSW Film Society Film Screening

6pm
@ Webster Rm 327

Yoga

1-2pm
@ E101, L1 E Block, COFA
COST: FREE FOR ARC MEMBERS, \$5 OTHERWISE

Australia Ensemble Lunchtime Workshop

1.10-2pm
@ Leighton Hall, Scientia

THU SEP 20

R.O.C.K.E.T. and COFA SRC Present: Healthy Breakfasts!

9-9.45am
@ COFA Common Room
Come and get free green smoothies and raw breakfast treats.

FRI SEP 21

10am
@ The White House

Advances in Public Health and Health Services Research - Annual Symposium

12-1pm
@ F408, Level 4 F Block, COFA
@ Scientia

Pottery Studio Induction

12.30pm
@ L2, Blockhouse
COST: FREE FOR ARC MEMBERS
Win a \$50 voucher to spend at, you've guessed it, The White House.

Pottery Studio Intro Lesson

1pm
@ L2, Blockhouse
COST: \$15

SAT SEP 22

12pm
@ The White House
Grab a copy of *Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde* and get ready to discuss the duality of human nature.

Volunteer + Bonus For Hire

3-4pm
@ Roundhouse
\$61.60 + BF

Australia Ensemble Subscription Series Concert

8-11pm
@ Sir John Clancy Auditorium

FRIDAY



DR. JEKYLL & MR. HYDE

12pm
@ The White House
This week's discussion of my man Robbie's *Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde* will also help students with rage and personality issues. There is a darkness at the heart of man, like the goey dark centre of a chocolate éclair.

FRIDAY



Feeling Like a Bit of British post-hardcore metal?

7.30pm
\$51.70 + BF
@ Roundhouse
Need some music that matches your internal rage? Sometimes you just need to wear your angry clothes, put on a heap of eyeliner and bang your head until the anger leaves your body and you can just enjoy the music.

WEDNESDAY



There'll be food, drinks, dancing, market stalls and a heap of other international excitement. Bring your friends (yes, even if they don't go here) and celebrate how multicultural UNSW is.

THURSDAY



Fit & Frisbee Practice

5-8.30pm

@ Marsh Room, Roundhouse

You'd be surprised at how many girls and boys are interested in climbing the pole - the view from the top is that good! Apparently interest in the sport has increased since the release of *Magic Mike*, go figure.

UNSW - THERE'S ALWAYS SOMETHING GOOD GOING DOWN



13TH ANNUAL LAVAZZA ITALIAN FILM FESTIVAL

• Jacob Burkett

La vita è bella

Pizza, pasta, red wine - is there anything more to Italian romance? Well Lavazza's Italian Film Festival is out to prove there is, and with the tagline 'Rediscover Romance' they are well on their way. Stretching across 20 days and nights and three venues, there's no excuse for missing this movie masterpiece. To make the experience all the more European, be sure to put Norton St Cinema on a pedestal and make it your preferred destination. Make a night of it and visit Bar Italia for a hit of pasta just the way nonna makes it, topped off by the best gelato the country has to offer.

BLITZ PICKS:

The Cricket

When I first saw this title, I assumed it would be the Italian's take on the Australian sport, but instead it's on the insect. Already selected for the Short Film Festival, *The Cricket* tells the story of a labourer inside an airport terminal who becomes increasingly frustrated by the sound of a cricket he can't locate.

Terraferma

Don't be thrown off by the unpronounceable title, *Terraferma* has won more awards than you own textbooks. The acclaimed Emanuele Crialese directs this multi award-winning gem starring Donatella Finocchiaro about a broken family confronting great changes on a small fishing island near Sicily.

If you have been putting off the film festival experience and your significant other says you need to spice things up a little, boy have you just read the right article. With prices starting at \$11 for students and package tickets also available, head down to Norton St and beyond for a taste of Italy.

See italianfilmfest.com.au for full listings.



For your chance to score 1 of 5 Double Passes to the Fest email blitz@arc.unsw.edu.au with 'Bonjourno Principessa' and tell us what you love about Italy.

THE FAST AND THE FURIOUS: KENSINGTON DRIFT

One of the most common topics students write to us about here at Student Support is traffic fines. Whether you get one for vehicle offences or on public transport, a fine is the last thing that broke uni students need.

Obviously the easiest thing to do is to avoid getting the fine in the first place. One of the biggest things to avoid is using your mobile phone while driving. Even ignoring the fact that it's dangerous, more than 60% of driving fines are given for mobile phone-related offences, carrying a \$265 fine and three demerit points. Make sure you weigh that up next time you decide to send a quick text at the lights.

If you do get a fine, you have the option to pay, to send the fine back for review, or to take the matter to court. If you want the fine reviewed, the first thing you should do is go to the State Debt Recovery Office's website and download the review guidelines, which will tell you exactly what circumstances will be considered, and what documentation is needed (keep in mind that "Oh I didn't know that was a rule", most definitely does not work). One Arc staff member got his fine down from \$350 to less than \$100 with our help, so the system does work!

You also have the option to take a fine to court, where you can argue your case to hopefully get a reduced fine or avoid it all together. Keep in mind that while you can definitely get a reduced fine, you can also get a more significant one, as well as court fees to pay on top.

If you do get a fine and you think you're in a decent position to contest it contact us first:

• Matthew Cooper
Student Support and Advocacy Intern
Drop us a line at sadvice@arc.unsw.edu.au or ring (02) 9385 7700.

DEAD POETS SOCIETY

Australian Poetry Slam Competition 2012

Thurs 20 Sept, 7pm (Registration at 6.30pm)
@ Hurstville City Library, Corner of Queens Rd & Dora St, Hurstville
COSTS: Free

Got a lot of pent up rage and an extensive vocabulary? After smashing the International Night Markets Poetry Slam, take your slam to the Australian Poetry Slam National final in December! Head to facebook.com/AustralianPoetrySlam for more deets.

DEER HUNTER

Deer Republic EP Launch

Fri 21 Sept, 8pm
@ Oxford Art Factory
COSTS: Free

Here at Blitz we love free music and the convenience of partying on Oxford Street. Catch a 397 from Anzac and head to OAF to support young guns Deer Republic as they launch their debut EP. They've invited some of their friends from The Last Dinosaurs and The Sleepy Jackson to help out, so get excited to rub shoulders with some indie champs.

THAT'S TOTALLY RÜFÜS!

Art and About Launch Party

Friday 21 Sept 6-10pm
@ Martin Place
COSTS: Free

Enjoy a mad night of live music from Rüfus - one of our Oktoberfest headliners - Van Ska, The Bamboos and Jingle Jangle. There will also be pop-up bars and fancy food trucks.

WE'RE GOING STATE!

Design After Dusk Market

Friday 21 Sept, 6-10pm
@ Galleries, State Library of NSW
COSTS: Free

These were inspired by our fancy International Night Markets (or are really just part of the Art and About celebrations) so head on down to the State Library for a kitschy unique artisan market. There'll be art and home wares for savvy students who want to start Christmas shopping early.



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Every year for the Oktoberfest, you Oktoberfest party will out faster than a turkey when you're a head in the crowd. Thousands of students and fans from all over the world are looking for a place to celebrate Oktoberfest. This year the first allocation of Double Pass tickets will be out in under five hours - drink!

Never fear! Through our social media you can win a massive Facebook comp, and this year we've gone a bit crazy with this prize. These lucky readers will win a VIP DOUBLE PASS to this year's Oktoberfest festivity.

In keeping with Oktoberfest traditions, your challenge is to upload a pic showing us how Oktoberfest is to win a VIP DOUBLE PASS to Facebook.com/oktoberfest for your chance to win!

Here's a look at last year's Oktoberfest competition with a double pass to the 2012 festivities.



Good luck!

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COLLEGE CONFIDENTIAL CLIMATE CHANGE

Captain Planet is a badass. I mean, who else can rock green hair AND make enviro education enjoyable for children? College life can be less than environmentally friendly at times, but if we follow the wise words of our favourite blue-dressed hero, we can all do our bit to save the planet.

Prevention

Deforestation is a serious issue. Do your part to save the trees, and don't bring materials and waste to class. While you're at it, avoid the library - that place is just a graveyard for trees!

Water is also a precious resource, and Australia is often in drought, so shower in pairs whenever possible. Or if you're a true environmentalist, shower in groups of three or more!

Recycle

Continue your water-saving crusade, and only do your laundry when it's absolutely necessary. Wear your jeans until they're so beat-up that the laser-aim ratio is approximately 1:1.

Why buy new things when you can get creative with what you've got? Reuse milk crates, and fashion them into bookshelves, tables, bookshelves, rabbit hutches... the options are endless!

Re-use

Check your beer bottles in the recycling bin just, just, just. Be a true Planetamer, and make sure that other people recycle too. If something has been left lying around and looks like it may be broken out (i.e. anything that looks like a construction site) then it's your moral duty to bring it back to college to recycle it. The more we reuse the better - who doesn't want a gift pile with a flashing light outside their bedroom?



- Mr. McGroovy

THE STUDYING DEAD

JEALOUS OF YOUR FRIEND'S AMAZING BRAIN? WHY NOT EAT IT!

Jack Bunker, Commander of the Bunker Brigade

Whether you're studying for an exam, doing off in a lecture or looking for a spot in the Library, certain fears will always be in the back of any student's mind. What if a zombie apocalypse hits UNSW? Where will I hide? Will I kill my best friend if they're bitten? Does this mean there's no test next week? We've taken into account all variables and come up with a list that is sure to keep you safe and zombie free.

2. GRAB AN UNDEFEATABLE VANTAGE POINT

You will need to be high up and have limited access points. Straight away I'm thinking the top floor of the Roundhouse or White House. Plus the Roundhouse has a maze-like balcony that will give you the advantage of knowing where those bloodthirsty monsters are coming from and with beer on tap, you will be able to numb your pain and forget about the world's inevitable end.

3. BE SURE TO KNOW WHO'S A ZOMBIE AND WHO JUST APPEARS TO BE

You have managed to fall asleep once or twice during your Advanced Psychology seminar, but is that because the lecturer is boring, or that they're in fact a fleeing zombie?

4. WEAPONS, WHAT HAVE YOU GOT? WHAT CAN YOU GET YOUR HANDS ON?

You're going to have to get imaginative here because unfortunately this university hasn't properly prepared for this predicament, and you will be left with next to no weaponry. Hit the Cream Bar and Old Man tap for European burners and build yourself a flamethrower or mix chemicals and come up with tear gas, smoke bombs, and deadly grenades.

5. SUPPLIES - I'M TALKING FOOD, DRINKS AND LIBRARY BEANBAGS

If you took point 2 seriously you will be set up for at least a week, both the White House and Roundhouse have drinks on tap and beanbags full of the finest cushions. Yet you want to be able to relax at a time where stress levels are higher than your final exams, the Library's beanbags will do just this, but there's a good chance the zombies will already have their hands on them, so tread carefully.

Okay so while it's getting real, but think of the positives - you're at one of the best universities the world has to offer and there are a range of students who specialise in subjects that will finally come in handy. Plus don't act like you wouldn't be just a tad excited by a fully lethal zombie apocalypse.



Would you survive? Have a trial run over at UNSW with Morty from Courtyard Station at the Human vs. Zombie 0.5kpc battle for more info, rules and a map of the battlefields at www.humanvszombie.com.

REVIEWS

Watching old people rediscover their mojo with prescribed 'sexercises' is awkward.

Hope Springs

• TV SERIES

PASS

• FILM

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SPARTACUS: VENGEANCE

Remember back in Rome when they hadn't invented clothes yet? The New Zealanders do, and they're ready to prove that their latest offering, *Spartacus: Vengeance*, is more than just a loosely historical gore-fest - it's also a soft core porno.

The third season of this camp-ish tribute to the gladiator picks up after the slaves have escaped and are amassing an army in the sewers. Those who missed the first season may find the learning curve steep at first. Fortunately, you can't take one step in Spartacus's world without seeing a man's face speared in close-up or someone taking their clothes off, just because...

Squealing rock guitars serenade lustfully violent battles, where blood spurting onto the screen is legitimized as a scene cut; panoramic orgies run the gamut from garden-variety missionary to leather strap-on.

The script fuses unequal parts Shakespeare and *Jerry Springer*, in a manner that is either playfully tongue-in-cheek or an impressive feat of unintentional humour. In any case, it entertains.

WIN: For your chance to score a copy of *Spartacus: Vengeance* on Blu-ray email blitz@arc.unsw.edu.au with 'I Am Spartacus' as the subject and tell us what your gladiator name would be.

• Chris Long



HOPE SPRINGS

A couple lie on a bed in a hotel room. The woman nervously bites her lip as she runs a trembling hand up the man's thigh. Feeling a little hot and heavy? Now picture the couple in their 60s, in all their sagging, wrinkled glory. Such is a scene from *Hope Springs*.

Thirty-one years together has turned the marriage between Kay (Merl Streep) and Arnold (Tommy Lee Jones) into a stale, uninspired routine and separate bedrooms. With the hope of spicing things up, Kay persuades Arnold to attend marriage counselling.

Watching old people rediscover their mojo with prescribed 'sexercises' is awkward. However, with the film industry obsessed with youth, *Hope Springs* provides a refreshingly brave insight into how ordinary people love, change and eventually drift apart.

But, if you are looking for a light and frothy romantic comedy, this movie will leave you disappointed and slightly repulsed.

• Anna Paton



NIGHTFALL

Will Elliott

"At first, he knew only that he was dead." From the opening line of Will Elliott's *Nightfall*, you'll be hooked. In this dark and twisted fantasy world, our protagonist Aden struggles to ascertain whether his experiences are real, and whether the real world has ever existed.

Aden shares his journey with a slew of grotesque and bizarre characters; amongst them the monstrous Gorr family, the deadly assassin Slythe and the irresistible wood nymph Charm. Together they must find a way to curtail the 'Forgetting' - a wall of nothingness enveloping the land of *Nightfall*.

Will Elliott is a highly acclaimed author who blends surrealist horror with dark humour and fantasy. He has described his writing as medicinal, since being diagnosed with schizophrenia at the age of 19, *Nightfall* is another of Elliott's 'slipstream' genre novels, in which he creates a nether-world reality and throws a real person into it. Pick this one up and see what happens.

UNSW Bookshop Blitz Deal

Thanks to the lovely people at the UNSW Bookshop, *Blitz* readers get 20% off *Nightfall*, so grab a copy for \$18.59 between classes.

• Basia Radlinska

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• FILMS

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FIVE ENVIRO-DISASTER MOVIES IT WOULD BE THE END OF THE WORLD TO MISS

2012

Pretty soon we will find out if this movie was more than just a movie. If the world ends when the Mayan Calendar finishes this December 21, we can say in our afterlife that this movie was the most accurate bit of film created. If it doesn't, well come December 22 we can all have a laugh at John Cusack's film choices.

The Day After Tomorrow

If global warming ever hits us like this movie supposes it will, everywhere apart from Australia is apparently screwed.

Volcano

Released in 1997, *Volcano* tells the story of a volcanic eruption in downtown LA which threatens to swallow the entire city. Only almost making more money than what the film actually cost, the world must have found it hard to believe LA could house a deadly volcano without anyone in the city being aware.

An Inconvenient Truth

Al Gore, who will never get tired of introducing himself as a past American Vice-President, scared the shit out of all us with this documentary about global warming.

Avatar

I'd like to think that if we discover life on another planet, we don't simply go visit it to steal their magic tree supplies. James Cameron's masterpiece remains the highest grossing film of all time, so it's hard to dispute it - plus the main character's Australian, so be proud.

• Jacob Burkett

student SOUNDS

STUDENTS BY DAY, MUSOS BY MOONLIGHT

• Sam-Ella Kraemer

MEET: Arms Attraction

HAILING FROM: Sydney
Lead single 'Fall in Love Again' was released Sept 7.

WEB:

BAND MEMBER: Facebook.com/ArmsAttraction
DIARY: Performing alongside Nine Sons of Dan at Sydney's live at The Brewhouse at King Street Wharf this Sunday Sept 23.

- UNSW
Arky Kalittrakas (drums)
Stephen Kalittrakas (lead guitar)
- TAFE
James Georgiou (bass - Macquarie)



Q&A WITH MITSUHASHI

'Arms Attraction' is a very catchy name, where did it come from?
I made a list of possible band names, most of which were just random and had my favourite words in them. Actually 'Arms Attraction' was the one that I thought was going to be the least likely to be picked!

How would you describe your sound to someone who hasn't heard you before?
Our sound would be classified as 'alternative rock' and 'pop punk', but we try to incorporate different characteristics of other genres into our songs such as 'heavy metal'. And in terms of vocals our songs are heavily influenced by Japanese music.

What is your best memory so far with Arms Attraction? The studio sessions when we recorded 'Fall in Love Again' and two other bonus tracks. We were still looking for 'our sound' then, and the songs that came out of those sessions reflect on us developing as a band. We also bumped into Tonight Alive at the studio, which was definitely a memorable experience for me.

What is the best thing about being in a young band? The fact that we are still young and we're giving all we've got now to what may possibly be a career.

So you're originally from Hong Kong. Do Arms Attraction aspire to future gigs in the Asian music industry? Definitely. We've got our eyes set on Asia and will most certainly have gigs around Asia in the future. On top of that, I'm actually half Japanese and we've got plans to record Japanese versions of a few of our songs to lead us into that market.

Want to get your band featured in *Blitz*? Shoot us an email at blitz@arc.unsw.edu.au with 'Student Sounds' as the subject and we'll be in touch.

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YOU ARE AS SMART AS
YOUR PARENTS TELL YOU.**

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jobs & ops of the week

SUNNY SIDE UP

Missed out on tix to the big fest on October 11? No worries! We've got a way to get you in!

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OKTOBERFEST CASUALS NEEDED

If you are interested please fill in the form, at this link: <http://tinyurl.com/8u5d8af>.

Q&A GREENSOC

Where are you going to put this *BizItz* magazine when you're done with it? Frame it and put it next to your degree? Or recycle it? This week *BizItz* has turned green, and who better to speak to about the dos and don'ts of the Greens lifestyle than the Lauren McCracken (PR and Advertising), the UNSW Greens Society Co-Convenor.

I have to ask, so are you all pro-active hippy types?
Some of us are, but we're a pretty diverse group of young people. What we share is that we're keen to make a positive difference, so questionable hygiene habits and a penchant for drum circles is certainly not a prerequisite.

Should we all be concerned about global warming?

The scientific consensus tells us that, if things keep up, our generation will face diminishing fresh water supplies, the loss of fragile eco-systems, and an increase in extreme weather conditions. Some of the world's most beautiful coastlines will be underwater, and the world's most vulnerable citizens will struggle to cope with such drastic changes. That sounds pretty terrible, but there's still time to do something about it!

So what do the UNSW Greens get up to?

Many students are passionate about environmental, humanitarian and social issues. Our aim is to inform people about these issues and get them actively involved in campaigns. We organise events on campus, and provide students with information about all sorts of rallies, talks, social events and volunteering opportunities.

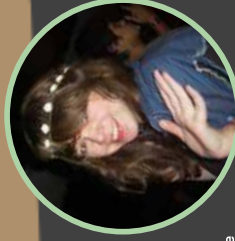
And what's on the event calendar for the rest of semester?

Hopefully we'll be holding a film night on campus before the end of semester. We also have our regular Wednesday afternoon drinks at The White House, which are a really good way to meet other members and discuss further schemes.

- Jacob Burkett

Want to go Green? Drop the UNSW Greens a line at unswgreens@live.com.au or keep an eye out for upcoming events on the UNSW Greens Facebook group.

CLUB LOVER: DAISY LAWRENCE JOHNSON
NUTS
(Music/Arts)



So, we heard you're pretty into the theatre scene?

Yep! Last year I got to play the revolution-crazed mother of the hero in *Urinetown* and earlier this year I directed a production of *Alice*, an adaptation of *Alice in Wonderland*. Performing in Elton John's *Aida* at the NIDA Parade Theatre in Week 2 was also a huge deal.

Given that NUTS are all students you must have some unusual experiences putting shows together

Definitely! When we were putting the set together for *Alice*, my tech director Michael Saul and I found an old washing machine on the side of the road and we had a lot of fun removing the middle of it, so that we could get people to climb through and make it look like they were coming out of a washing machine during the show.

What's the best thing about NUTS?

The fantastic people you get to meet! It makes for a really fun environment to spend time in, and theatre people are very entertaining. The performances are also really rewarding - and then there are the after parties....

Feeling a little bit NUTS? Head to facebook.com/groups/nswuts/ to get involved!



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VOXPERS

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• Jacob Burkett

SAVA
Commerce/Law

Do you believe in global warming?
I do! I'm scared for my future children and grandchildren.
Which type of student would you pick to join your zombie wrecking crew?
Any Greek student because I find them very amusing.
Which student's skills would be pointless in this scenario?
Engineering students would be such a bore in this awesome situation.



CHRIS
Economics and Law

Which type of student would you pick to join your zombie wrecking crew?
You would want the advocates on your side because they'd have no fear.
Which student's skills would be pointless in this scenario?
Arts students.
Do you believe in global warming?
No, a Tony Abbott article convinced me it's all nonsense.

SAM
Law

Which type of student would you pick to join your zombie wrecking crew?
A Med student. They would be able to heal me after I spent the day killing zombies.
Where would you set up base for the zombie apocalypse at uni?
The underground tunnels - so sneaky.
Do you believe the ice caps are melting?
They are, incredibly quickly! It's a disaster and we are all going to die.



AMIR
Science

Where would be the best vantage point if a zombie apocalypse hit uni?
Level 10 of the Library.
Which type of student would you pick to join your zombie wrecking crew?
Engineering students - they would be able to build equipment to push the zombie's back.
Do you believe in global warming?
I do, Al Gore convinced me a few years back.



MEL
Arts Education

Are you scared of global warming?
Yes, because we're the closest to the hole!
Which type of student would you pick to join your zombie wrecking crew?
A Science student - I feel as though I'd need one, seeing as I have no science skills whatsoever.
Which student's skills would be pointless in this scenario?
A Law student, everything they've learnt is pointless now.



SARAH
Juris Doctor

Which type of student would you pick to join your zombie wrecking crew?
A Biochemical Engineering student whose degree is being paid for by the Australian Defence Force.
Which student's skills would be pointless in this scenario?
A Psychology student or Commercial Law student.
Do you believe in global warming?
Yes, my friend who works for the UN filled me in on what's really going down.



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