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Hey there! Welcome to O-Week 2014 — without a doubt the one of the best weeks of the year! Now is the time for you to get out there and check out all that Arc and Uni has to offer; each club has a stall and they will all be showcasing the awesome things they do throughout the year. So, if you see anything you like or want to try, sign up! Clubs are a great way to meet new people and experience new things.

Before I tell you more, I should introduce myself. I’m Chris. I’m the Chair of Arc — your student organisation. This means I head up Arc’s Board of Directors, a board of mostly students who are elected by students just like yourself. Arc is here to make sure you get the most out of your uni life and provide resources and services to look after you outside the classroom environment.

2014 is a big year for Arc; we now run sport on campus and, on top of providing better services for the current sporting clubs, we want to push to improve the social side of sport, (because sport doesn’t always have to be competitive).

Arc is also re-siting to the middle of campus, which means that you won’t have to walk all the way to lower Campus to see us, isn’t that great? Stay tuned because you will see us up there towards the start of Semester 2.

To keep up-to-date with what the board is doing, there is a blog on the Arc website. I also write a column here each edition, so make sure you pick up a Blitz whenever you can.

I hope you have an awesome week, make sure you check out all the stalls, get involved and make the most of your uni life.

Chris Mann
Chair B Arc
chair@arc.unsw.edu.au

Welcome to UNSW 2014! If you’re new, congratulations on entering such an exciting phase of your life. If you’re returning, well, you already know how great UNSW is so just keep on having fun. Either way, your year begins with Orientation Week – or O-Week, for short.

O-Week is five days of fun social activities, workshops, tours and evening entertainment for students just like you to enhance the start of your university career. O-Week is run by a group of bright, energetic and bubbly volunteers called Yellow Shirts – feel free to ask them a question about campus, O-Week, university life in general or just stop for a chat.

Here’s three pieces of my advice to maximise your UNSW experience...

1. Get Involved. Participate in O-Week activities, go on a campus tour or hit up your faculty welcome. Not just at O-Week, either. Join a club or sign up to a volunteering program and you’ll be busy and entertained all year!

2. Try something new whether it’s sitting next to someone you don’t know on your first day of a new course or getting involved in something you never would’ve considered doing.

3. Look at university as being more than just a classroom experience, it’s a life experience so make sure you live it!

Hope to see you around campus this week – come say ‘hi’. I’m more than happy to have a chat.

Chris Antonini
2014 O-Week Coordinator
FACULTY

ARTS AND
SOCIAL
SCIENCES
Natalie Hodgson

Education and international relations, anthropology, criminology, French and
music, just to name a few. Say ‘hello’ to the Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences
(FASS) – your mothership for the next three or more years! Before you blast
off into your new degree, here are some important things you need to know.

FASS is in the Morven Brown Building, where you’ll find your lecturers and
hand in assignments. Morven Brown is also home to the FASS Student Centre:
a place to go for help with enrolment, timetabling and changing degrees.
As an Arts and Social Sciences student, you’ll be writing a lot of essays, so
take the time to get to know how the Library works and how to search for
articles online. Seminars are being run in O-Week to help you with this.

Get ready to meet a whole range of people throughout your degree – you
never know who you’ll end up sitting next to in class. And don’t forget to join
FASS’ society for arts students ArtSoc or sign up for peer mentoring for the
chance to make even more friends.

AUSTRALIAN
SCHOOL OF
BUSINESS
Arthur Chan

Welcome to the ASB, Australia’s leading business school and home to the
beloved Business Society! Joining BSoc is an amazing way to venture beyond the
classroom as they organise the revered First Year Business Camp, network
evenings, peer mentoring and amazing parties. Capital W, Corporate Strategy
Case Group, and the super-exclusive 180 Degrees Consulting are also
great societies to join and fantastic for mingling with both new and experienced
ASB students.

University isn’t always smooth sailing. What if you need help choosing your
majors? Or want to overload? Don’t worry, the Student Centre (West Lobby,
ground level) offers advice on all things admission, enrolment and graduation.

Hit the ground running and attend all your lectures and tutorials as it
always makes cramming easier when finals come around. Need academic
help? If you have any difficulties with first year courses, sign up for Peer
Assisted Support Scheme (PASS). It’s a free tutoring service run by volunteer
students who aced the subjects (pretty cool, right?!).

Also, remember to Like the ASB Facebook page to keep up-to-date with
ASB events and the latest industry news and advice.

BUILT
ENVIRONMENT
Nadia Hendryani

Welcome to BE or what I like to call ‘the faculty of the Brain’s End’ – a fantastical
place full of resources and knowledge, despite the walking dead.

Avoid the zombie virus by being smart and not leaving your assessments ‘til the
last minute. If you do fall into the trap of needing to pull an all-nighter (or two or
three), The West Wing of the Red Centre is the perfect place to hunker down for
the night. It’s one of the few 24-hour buildings on campus and will probably
be available during a zombie apocalypse. You’ll often find students unconscious
atop its high-tech dual-screen computers around assessment
deadlines, though, so get in early.
It’s a great idea to join a few clubs and societies to get the most out of your
time at UNSW. You’ll discover a whole other university if you venture outside
the confines of the Red Centre’s walls where you’re in constant contact with
the BE’s zombie virus.

All jokes aside, BE is a wonderfully creative and innovative place and if you
follow my tips you’ll not only combat your way through to graduation day,
you’ll have fun and meet lots of cool new people, too.

COLLEGE OF
FINE ARTS
(COFA)
Amanda Lu

So you finally made it to art school! Get ready for caffeinated mornings to drag
your ass out of bed to make three-hour classes. And let’s not forget the daily
struggle of deciding just how eccentric you want to look for the day on a scale
of 1 to 10 with 1 being some overnight stubble and 10 being full-blown hipster.

All jokes aside, first year at COFA is the best time to experiment with your art
and work. Be open to new ideas and be as outrageous as you want. Get to
know the art/design scene by exploring Paddington, go to as many exhibitions
and galleries as you can and really take advantage of exclusive COFA student
opportunities (visit the COFA blog! blog.cofa.unsw.edu.au).

Oh, and if you didn’t already realise that
COFA has its own campus, fear not,
COFA provides a free hourly shuttle bus
between campuses.

There are so many perks to being
an art/design student, like student
discounts at Cornerhouse Cafe on
Albion Ave, Paddington and free lunch
on Wednesdays, thanks to your student
organisation, Arc © COFA. Better yet,
kick back your lazy afternoons at the
pub next door with your exclusive Arc
discount.

For more deets on COFA student life,
visit arc.unsw.edu.au/cofa

ENGINEERING

David Phan

Sophisticated-looking hardhats and
unlimited duct tape that solves any
problem – no wonder people gasp
with excitement when they hear what
we study. Welcome to the largest
engineering faculty in Australia,
renowned for its endless list of schools,
and student body infamous for the
craziest happenings on campus.

In first year, you’ll meet all different
engineering students doing the same
subjects as you, people who will come in
handy when you need:

1. Someone to hit the Roundhouse with
during your break, and
2. A shoulder to lean on (or cry on when
your programming code isn’t working).

If you really struggle with any of the
work though, don’t stress! Tutors
and lecturers have allocated weekly
timslots for you to drop by and ask
questions.

Engineering is challenging, so attend
class and do your homework, but
remember to venture beyond the
classroom and get involved. There are
tons of cool events like First Year
Camp, Engineering Sports Day, endless
BBQs and the reputable CSE revue – a
week-long sketch show proving
engineers have as much talent on stage
as they do in the classroom!

LAW

Natalie Sekulovska

It’s no secret there are many perks
of being a Law student – you can use the
Law Library without feeling guilty, you
get a really cool UNSW Law jersey and
you’re invited to the highly anticipated

There’s also a Science Peer Mentoring
Program you should sign up to; you
can learn a lot from your mentor’s
advice and experiences and gain helpful
information and new inspiration.

It’s an exciting time to be in our field
with advancements growing faster
than the rate at which Wolverine’s
scars heal. And on that note, I’ll leave
you wide-eyed investigators with the
words of philosopher Thomas Carlyle:
“This world, after all our science and
sciences, is still a miracle; wonderful,
inscrutable, magical and more, to
whosoever will think of it.”

MEDICINE

Elaine Ng

#workhard Remember studying for the
HSC? Well, it’s time to rinse and repeat.
First Year is all about getting used
to the course, so don’t worry if your
efforts aren’t reflected in your first few
assessments. Good comes to all who
work their butt off.

#playhard Life is about balance, so
it’s no surprise the most studious of
meddies are also the craziers! First
Year is just brimming with opportunities
to play, both in and out of Medicine.
Whether it’s cheerleading or Chinese
debating, Arc is bound to have a club
or society for you. As for you party animals,
two words: AMSA Convention.

#takecare If we take care of people,
who takes care of us? The answer is
simple, and it’s not your mum.
Make time to eat, sleep and exercise
properly (otherwise, who are we to tell
patients what to do?).

#rememberwhoyouarehere It can be
pretty easy to get lost in the endless
study/surgeries/parties. Don’t give
up! If you start to doubt your place in
medicine, remember your hard work,
your role models, your raison d’être.
Most of all, remember that UNSW
Medicine chose YOU, and don’t let
anyone else tell you otherwise.
S1 WEEKLY ACTIVITIES

INSTAGRAM PHOTO COMP
Tag #unswhouse for your chance to win a $50 White House voucher

ART WARS
Submit a drawing based on a different word each day. Get the most Facebook Likes and win a $50 White House voucher

DE BORTOLI FREE WINE TASTING SESSION
What’s better than wine and cheese? Free wine matched with free cheese. Don’t miss it!

DE BORTOLI SHORT FILM FESTIVAL
Catch the best UNSW student films over a $20 De Bortoli wine and cheese platter

THE WHITE HOUSE 3RD BIRTHDAY
We’re turning 3! Come celebrate all-week long with food and drink specials, giveaways, birthday cake and more

sport.arc.unsw.edu.au

thewhitehouseunsw.com facebook.com/unswhitehouse
Livin’ the Good Life

Ben Heenan

There’s more to student life than just hitting the books [thank Superman] and, luckily for you, Arc is dedicated to making it a good one.

Far from something Noah pimped out, Arc is your student organisation and force behind mad uni parties, cool clubs and societies, volunteering opportunities, and more.

Membership is free – just find a friendly Yellow Shirt, Street Team or Arc staffer, visit the Arc tents (Main Walkway or outside the Library) or Arc Reception (G6). They’ll swap you some basic details for a member sticker (hello discounts!), bag of goodies and membership of the best student organisation in the country!

Sharon Ly

How are you involved in Arc?
I am currently the Sponsorship and Advertising Intern at Arc. My first Arc volunteer program was the Street Team and this year I am also in Yellow Shirts.

What was your highlight of being an Arc member?
Exposure to other Arc enthusiasts, which led me to be surrounded by a presence of ‘happy energy’.

What would your advice be to First Years who are thinking of joining?
Don’t think – just join, apply, sign up and get involved! Make the jump as I did.

Anuj Dhawan

How did you find yourself gravitating towards Arc?
I gravitated towards Arc after my first O-Week. They threw such a warm welcome and a huge party – I couldn’t resist!

What was your highlight of being an Arc member?
Cheap entry to Roundhouse parties, and random discounts on and off campus – you never know when you’ll get a sweet deal.

What would your advice be to First Years who are thinking of joining?
What, you don’t have five minutes to meet new people and get an all-access card to fun? Are you allergic to being cool?

Vennisa Santoro

How are you involved in Arc?
I am one of two Membership Relations Officers, also serving as the Street Team Coordinator.

How did you find yourself gravitating towards Arc?
Through a job description to work with the membership team. I got involved and started to realise what I was missing out on and what Arc actually does. One thing lead to another.

What would your advice be to First Years who are thinking of joining?
Take in all the benefits and opportunities Arc has to offer. You won’t regret it.
See new perspectives on banking

DB3D Careers Event
Date: Tuesday, March 18, 2014
Time: 6:30pm - 9:00pm
Location: Deutsche Bank Place
Cnr Hunter & Phillip Streets, Sydney

Join us at our DB3D Careers Event to explore Deutsche Bank from all angles. You’ll see some of the key sides of what we do and – more importantly – the agile minds that do it.

Places at the event are strictly limited. Please register your interest to attend by 12:00pm Thursday, 13th March.

Visit registration.db.com/DB3D

Passion to Perform
Running up those big brick stairs, flicking through that timetable and asking every person where in the world is your room in Old Main Building...

This is what will no doubt face you as a First Year as you begin your journey from a senior high school student to a fresh undergraduate. Luckily, uni also brings you face-to-face with a whole heap of fun new activities and opportunities like clubs and societies, Unigames and, of course, volunteering.

Volunteering is a great way to meet new people from a variety of degrees and backgrounds; it gives you an awesome opportunity to make friends who might become very close friends. Not only that, you can gain worthwhile skills and experiences that you wouldn’t get from going to lectures and tutorials. Also, if you complete 20 hours’ participation, you can usually apply for the Australian Government Higher Education Graduation Statement (AHEGS), which provides a description of all your special achievements and basically tells future employers how awesome you are. Winning!

There are many, many volunteering opportunities to choose from including Shack Tutoring, Student Cookbook, CONTACT, Volunteer Army, Yellow Shirts and tonnes more! There are also heaps of programs specific to your degree and faculty that you can be part of such as peer mentoring or involvement with clubs and societies.

Being a volunteer also helps to build confidence and self-esteem plus doing something worthwhile for the community is definitely rewarding. So what are you waiting for? Open the door to volunteering – there’ll always be something on the other side ready to be unlocked. Venture beyond!

Alison Yee

SHACK TUTORING
Tutor high school kids for one hour per week throughout semester.

STUDENT COOKBOOK
Help edit, promote, photograph or design the annual UNSW student cookbook.

CONTACT
Staff the student-run information and referral service office on campus.

VOLUNTEER ARMY
Participate in community service or fundraising events for not-for-profit and community organisations in Sydney.

YELLOW SHIRTS
Help run O-Week from behind the scenes to helping new students learn about campus.

WANT MORE INFO?
Visit the volunteering stand on the Main Walkway to pick up a copy of Arc’s Volunteer Handbook which lists all the different programs or visit arc.unsw.edu.au/volunteer.
DISCOVERING THE SRC & PGC

The Student Representative Council (SRC) might not have shiny badges but it does have real power to make a difference within the university. Members are students like you (they sit in your lecture theatres and hang at the UniBar), so the SRC’s mission is all about students: to campaign for your rights and defend your interests so that university is a fantabulous and accessible experience for all.

Just because you’re new to UNSW doesn’t mean you can’t get involved. Whether you’re into your education or an avid environmental crusader, the SRC wants you to be part of a collective (SRC group) or five.

How? Check out Blitz’s ‘What’s On’ page throughout semester to find out about meetings and just head along. Easy!

We also have spaces for you to enjoy (some with super-duper comfy couches).

To get involved visit arc.unsw.edu.au/src or the SRC Facebook page /UNSWSRC or email SRC president Joel Wilson at src.president@arc.unsw.edu.au

Nisa Vinandar

SRC & PGC spaces on campus

**THE WOMEN’S ROOM**
Level 1, East Wing, Blockhouse
A safe and autonomous space for women on campus to relax. No boys allowed.

**THE DISABILITY AND WELFARE ROOM**
Level 1, East Wing, Blockhouse
A place for students with a disability or welfare concerns to enjoy.

**THE QUEER SPACE**
Room 921, Level 9, Applied Sciences Building
A great place to hang, open to the LBTQ community and usually the hub for meetings.

**POSTGRAD LOUNGE**
Ground Floor, Blockhouse
The envy of all undergrads, this glass-walled postgrad utopia is decked out with a TV, lockers, fridge, comfy couches, and a workspace.

**ACTIVISTS’ SPACE**
Level 1, Blockhouse
The perfect place to plan your plan of attack for university campaigns and improving UNSW student life.

The PGC was created by the Arc Board in 2010 to provide support, representation and services to the increasing number of UNSW postgraduate students. And considering every third person you see is statistically a postgraduate student, it plays an important role by ensuring they get the same support as every other student. The purpose of the PGC is to provide an unparalleled student experience to all UNSW postgrads by advocating for issues important to postgrad students such as support, professional networking opportunities, legal representation and the provision of classy social events like cheese and wine nights.

Those that serve the PGC are democratically elected, passionate people who believe that the rights and welfare of fellow students should be taken seriously.

To get involved, visit arc.unsw.edu.au/pgc or the PGC Facebook page /UNSWPGC or email the PGC President Sharangan Maheswaran at pgc.president@arc.unsw.edu.au
From photography (Photo Club) to juggling (CircusSoc) and even My Little Pony (PonySoc), Arc’s student-run clubs and societies have all your random interests covered.

Walking up the Main Walkway during O-Week, there’s one thing that’s guaranteed - you’ll be bombarded by people waving flyers in your face, offering you freebies and inviting you to join their ‘super awesome, wicked’ (insert additional superlatives) club.

So while you might sign up to more clubs than you can remember during the frenzy of your orientation to uni, there’s no doubt that joining a club is a great way to break out of your shell and to get into university life. It’s one of the best ways to meet new people and it provides a friendly alternative to academic life.

The diverse and unique range of societies on offer covers pretty much anything you can think of – celebrations of culture and religion, hobbies, interests or what you’re studying. Are you a connoisseur of a fine cup of tea or is exotic beer more your thing? Are you an avid baker in your spare time or secretly a circus performer extraordinaire? With more than 250 clubs and societies, there’s bound to be one that suits you. And if there isn’t, you can always start one up.

Whether you become a member of an existing group or create your own, taking part in a club or society is an essential part of university life, so get involved, share your interests and have fun!

For more info check out arc.unsw.edu.au/get-involved

Veronica Luu
THINGS I WISH I'D KNOWN IN FIRST YEAR

Switch off that post-HSC partying mode and successfully venture into the world of university with these tips!

1. FIND YOUR PEOPLE
   Doing uni work is a helluva lot easier with friends. Get social and avoid being the bitter party of one and struggles of ridiculously hard tutorial work.

2. MAINTAIN GOOD STUDY HABITS
   Future-you will definitely thank past-you if you keep on track throughout the semester. Cramming a semester’s worth of work may not be enough to get you that awesome WAM (weighted average mark) that you wanted for your internship or exchange. Avoid the brain frying and study smart.

3. VENTURE BEYOND THE CLASSROOM
   Arc offers a number of opportunities to get involved and make the most of uni life, ranging from volunteering and sporting clubs to paid internships. You’ll gain great experience and meet a tonne of people.

4. SUSS OUT WHERE THE MICROWAVES ARE
   Heating up leftovers will save you some serious coin. Head to Mathews Building, the Blockhouse, the Quad, Law Building (Level 1) or ASB and zap away my friend.

5. LEARN HOW TO TIMETABLE AKA PLAY UNI LIFE TETRIS
   There’s nothing worse than locking in two tutes in a row only to find you’ve got 200 Bassler Steps to conquer between them.

Cecilia Pham

CORNERHOUSE Café

Lauren Cammack

Only one block back from bustling Oxford St, you wouldn’t imagine finding the quietly precocious Cornerhouse Café. Hidden in the tree-lined streets of south-west Paddington, protected by the newly renovated COFA campus, this café is a delight for both your stomach and your pocket. Inside, the café is a spacious shotgun length and you can choose to sit by the picture window in dappled sunlight channeling Yeate, or you can park yourself at the back and bask in the visual creations hanging the walls while you wait for your food. Nothing on the menu is ever—wait for it—$12! You want a bacon and egg roll with coffee? $8. How about mushroom bruschetta with ricotta and parmesan? $6.50. A tender, mouth-watering chicken breast burger with crispy chips? $10. And that’s just to start. Freshly baked muffins and giant cookies line the countertops, behind which the delicious Single Origin coffee is brewed.

The staff cooking your food and brewing your coffee are always friendly and just make it to that much better, there are weekly specials to help even the poorest of poor uni students get some eats. So if you’re running late for class and need some grub, or you’re just looking for a sweet spot to eat in Pad, grab some delicious goods from Cornerhouse. You’ll get fed up to your eyeballs and still have plenty of change leftover.

Are you a COFA student? Make sure you have your student card ready because Cornerhouse does exclusive student specials, including discounted coffee. Like them on Facebook to stay in the loop.

facebook.com/unswcornerhouse
cornerhousecafe33.com
As a place to chill out and kick time, The White House holds a significant lead over the rest of campus. Upstairs boasts a large collection of vintage armchairs, along with a wide variety of board games and there's a constant war between army men and dinosaurs playing out a scene from Toy Story about the building.

Over the years I've spent countless hours lounging about playing Jenga, consuming my body weight in wedges and drinking enough coffee to power a small water wheel. The White House is an amazing place to relax with good company if you're after something slightly quieter than but just as awesome as the Roundhouse.

They also do weekly activities including Tuesday night trivia, open mic night on Wednesday and live music and DJs later in the week.

The White House is just through the Quad Arch. Like them on Facebook to keep up-to-date with daily specials, weekly activities and upcoming events or visit unswwhitehouse.com.au

Sometimes a gig venue, sometimes roller disco and always the local, the Roundhouse symbolises all things student life. It’s the perfect place to unwind when you’re on a budget – just stroll in after a long day of class, grab a cold one and chow down on some cheap, delicious grub from the Bistro. You have Happy Hour every day from 5-6pm and double Happy Hour on Wednesday and Friday from 5-7pm for double the fun. Add some free live music and DJs in the BeerGarden every Wednesday, Thursday and Friday from 5pm, and you’re set!

If you’re looking for something fun to do, the Roundhouse has free weekly activities like pool, poker and ping pong. They also do themed trivia nights – Games of Thrones last year was epic to say the least – and all the big parties including O-Week, Start of Session, Mid-Session, End of Session and Yoga Party. The dancing at a Session Party one year was so intense that they actually had to replace the floor afterwards. They’ve had some killer themes too, like ‘Hipsters vs. Hippies,’ and later this year there’s a Day of the Dead party happening for all you zombie lovers.

The Roundhouse is on Lower Campus (E4). Grab your Start of Session Party tickets from unswwroundhouse.com and Like them on Facebook to stay up-to-date with events and activities.

Dylan Vitucci
BEING A V.I.P STUDENT HAS ITS BENEFITS

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Whether you’re looking to grab a quick bite before your back-to-back lectures or meeting up with friends for a lunch break, the wide variety of food places available on campus means finding food is never a problem.

If you’re on Upper Campus, check out the Matthews Food Court — with the large range of different cuisines there’s bound to be something for even the pickiest of eaters. For the Middle Campus dwellers, the Quad Food Court is the place to go for hot food and Lower Campus loiterers should check out the Roundhouse Bistro for a gourmet Rock Dog, chilli fries or burger. There are also new outlets at the University Terraces.

If you’re looking for snacks to sneak into your lecture, check out the IGA located at the Terraces or the WHSmith stores, and if you’re in need of a coffee buzz to get through that assignment, there’s a number of cafes around campus like The White House or Cornerhouse Cafe if you’re at COFA.

For the money-savvy, consider researching different societies as many hold free or discounted food events for members. Also keep a lookout for the Arc Street Team’s weekly free food giveaways for Arc members. Free food on campus is more regular than you think! It’s all about keeping an eye out on campus, Facebook and the events section of Blitz.

Also, many on-campus food places have discounts if you flash them your Arc sticker! Make sure you check out the list of discounts in the Arc Student Diary or on the Arc website (arc.unsw.edu.au).

Nikki Pham
UPCOMING EVENTS

THUR 6 MAR - START OF SESSION - BACK TO SCHOOL
MON 17 MAR - ST. PATRICK'S DAY
WED 26 MAR - BBQ FEST
THUR 27 MAR - TÖGA PARTY
MON 31 MAR - FRI 4 APRIL - BEER FEST
THUR 17 APR - MID SESSION - JUNGLE
TUES 20 MAY - TRIVIA
WED 28 MAY - CLOTHES SWAP
WED 4 JUN - STATE OF ORIGIN
THUR 5 JUN - END OF SESSION - I LOVE 90S

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Fitness & Aquatic Centre
YMCA

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SECURITY AT UNSW

UNSW Security Services is there to protect you and your property, basically acting as a kind of UNSW Batman to ensure you’re safe on campus.

WHAT DO THEY OFFER?
- First point of contact for ANY incident or emergency on campus
- Campus information
- Pick up and drop off taxi point
- Meeting and waiting area for visitors
- Safe zone for staff and students

WHERE ARE THEY?
Gate 2, opposite the University Terraces (B8)

WHEN ARE THEY OPEN?
24 hours a day, 7 days a week, all year round. For more info, visit www.facilities.unsw.edu.au or call 9385 6000 (Or 9385 6666 in an emergency)

Arc Legal & Advocacy
HOW TO STAY OUT OF TROUBLE IN FIRST YEAR

When you’re already juggling uni, part-time work and surviving outside the family nest, the last thing you need is a hefty Centrelink fine or academic misconduct dramas.

You might not think it’ll happen to you, but if you run into troubles with Centrelink, the uni, your landlord or the police, Arc’s legal and advocacy team can help.

One of the best benefits of being an Arc member is that you can use the student legal service all year round, for free! Arc’s team of experienced lawyers and advocates have previously assisted students with employment issues, criminal charges, debt, motor accidents, academic misconduct, discrimination and more. They can also represent UNSW students under the $29 subsidised service fee.

Come visit the Legal & Advocacy stall on the Main Walkway during O-Week for a chat (and your millionth lolly) or visit arc.unsw.edu.au/legal

Want to learn more?
The Arc Legal & Advocacy team are running information sessions during O-Week on common problems you may face in first year:

How to Get Money: Centrelink and Employment 101
Tuesday 2:30-3:30pm [Law Theatre G02]

Arc Student Support Tenancy Information Session
Wednesday 2-3pm [Law Theatre G02]

Keeping Your Licence, Money and Sanity
Thursday 11am-12pm [Red Centre Theatre]
Do you have the goods to interview celebs?

We’re on the hunt for wannabe journos, mean critics, badass bloggers, photographers and online contributors for our mag. In exchange, we offer some seriously sweet perks (like freebies and media passes for festivals or even red carpet events).

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Whether you're a nature-lover, hibernator, nerd, boozer or jock, there's always a cool spot for you on campus. Here's just a few to amp up your university experience...

Forget about the hustle and bustle of the Science and Library Lawns! Arts student or not, the Morven Brown Lawn is where feng shui meets outdoor studying. Plug into the power points at the benches or munch on your lunch on a purple bed of Jacaranda flowers to the sounds of a water fountain. Chillaxing has never been better.

If you're sleepy and need a caffeine hit or just finished a two-hour statistics lecture you want to forget, head over to The White House! Shorter than a 20-hour international flight, The White House's punch bowls, pizzas and board games are renown on campus. Take a few swigs of beer and play Pictionary to reveal your utmost creativity. Or if you're feeling fancy, stretch out on the Victorian lounges with the cocktail of the month in hand.

Need to sweat out the day's learning or keen for some social sport? Stroll toward the Village Green and use the nearby futsal field and basketball court. Maybe even purposefully misjudge your kick so you fly your soccer ball to where your crush is. Who needs long walks on the beach when you can catch a romantic sunset over VG? Single or not, anyone can rock up to the Village Green and steal a sausage or two at a society's BBQ event when opportunity strikes.

Jamitha Karthigeyan

5 THINGS TO DO BEFORE CLASS

GET ORGANISED Make sure you've got your Arc Student Diary ready to plan your 'study' days and your UNSW student ID from FM Assist sorted and primed for comparing horror photos.

READ UP Take a quick flick through the course outline and at least skim those retched readings. Questions from tutorials can be extremely similar to the final exam so do the work.

SILENCE YOUR PHONE Sounds lame, but there's nothing quite as cringe-worthy as having an entire lecture theatre hear your embarrassing ringtone. Switch your phone to silent and avoid the awkwardness.

RELIEVE YOURSELF Busting isn't exactly a pleasant experience. You may miss something crucial if you're darting to the bathroom mid-class and you'll face a jaw-droppingly long queue if you wait 'til the end. The bottom line: do your business before class!

Ed's note: Some lecture hall toilets are notoriously bad, so it's always best to plan. The best toilets on campus include Dalton, ASB and Tyree Buildings.

TURN UP As Woody Allen said, 80% of success is showing up.

Jeanne Tian
MORE CONTENT... LESS KIM?

HIJACK THE CONVERSATION

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LETTER ONE,

Dear Campus Cupid,

I've just begun uni and have developed a crush on this totes quiche hipster in my tute. I didn't realise it's so hard to catch someone's eye at uni. It used to be easy; you'd see your crush every day at high school, but at uni I only see my crush once a week for an hour in tutorials. So how do I get them to write me something? UNSW Love Letters?

From Love Sick Fool.

DO make contact! Perhaps ask them what the date is or ask to borrow a pen. And ensure you bite the corner of your lip when you make eye contact - it's suggestive and sexy and everyone loves it!

DO sit with them. Make sure that you sit next to them for the first three tutorials. This part is crucial. If you don't manage this step, they'll disappear from your grasp FOREVER. It is a truth universally unacknowledged that for uni tutorials, after sitting with someone for the first three tutes, you're stuck with them for the rest of the semester. Then you'll be able to chat them up whenever the tutor is struggling to show their PowerPoint - sneaky! White House Date Maybe?

DON'T go back to theirs. If all goes well, you may be in this situation. One of you is going to have to do the walk of shame across campus in the morning. Let it be them.

LETTER TWO.

Dear Campus Cupid,

I am very interested in someone and I want to get closer to them but don't know how. I am so frustrated because you only see certain people for a few hours a week, such is uni life. How can I get closer to them?

From Forever Alone

CAMPUS CUPID TIPS

DO stalk their Facebook! Come on, it's a given.

DO find out what clubs or societies they're involved in and JOIN them. If their privacy settings are top notch, pretend like you're making polite, casual conversation by asking them what they're involved in. "Tea Society," Me: "Oh, really? Me too!" It may sound stalkerish but all is not creepy in love and war.

DO see if they are going to the Roundhouse Session Party.

DON'T go overboard on your Session Party costume, though. Because if you do have to execute a walk of shame in the morning, you almost definitely don't want to do it dressed as Baloo from The Jungle Book.

If you're still having any troubles, head to the Red Centre Theatre on Thursday at 12pm to learn about "The Psychology of Dating and Social Interaction" and the science behind why we are attracted to others and dating tips!

Yenee Saw
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HOW TO
STAY SOCIAL
ON A BUDGET

The year is 2014. Money is scarce and some UNSW students fear having to retreat to their phones as the only affordable way to socialise. The struggle is real.

Fear not, First Years. A hip and thrilling uni experience doesn’t have to be such a life-or-death situation. Just because your job pays pizz-all doesn’t mean you can’t make the most of what uni life at UNSW has to offer.

JOIN Arc
Behind a happy UNSW student is probably an Arc membership. Flashing an Arc membership sticker will get you discounted entry into Roundhouse parties, special deals on food and free food from the Arc Street Team during semester. Like Arc’s Facebook page to know when your membership can snatch you free sausage sizzles, fairy bread or cupcakes! Street Team giveaways are a super convenient and fun way to celebrate the end of your week or catch up with people before scooting off to your next class.

Oh, and it’s completely free to join!

CLUB IT UP
Forget the everyday-I’m-shuffling kind of club and get involved in a club or society right here at uni! There are over 270 clubs, so there’s bound to be something you dig and you’ll meet other peeps who share your love for photography, Quidditch or Doctor Who. Better yet, most are free to join!

GET INVOLVED!
 Getting involved with some of the revues on campus is also a great way to meet people. Whether it be Med, Law or CSE, all are equally reputable for their awesomeness, and you’re bound to be socialising with nearly 200 new friends — with no cost.

STAY ENTERTAINED
Ever heard of Tight-arse Tuesdays? Most cinemas do cheap tickets, but if it’s not a Tuesday, the Ritz Cinema in Randwick offers Arc members $8 student tickets. Tighter yet, there’s free interactive trivia at The White House for those of you who get off on knowing random stuff.

There’s also regular free live music in the BeerGarden and acoustic sessions on Thursday at The White House. And if you’re looking to really par-tay, don’t miss Session Parties at the Roundhouse or Toga Party! The Student Diary lists all the big events happening on campus, but there are also smaller weekly events and activities like free bingo and poker at the Roundhouse.

HAVE A DAY OUT
A day at the beach can be fun and cheap. Take your lunch and use public transport. Also look at your local scenic walking tracks — Sydney Harbour and the Blue Mountains have plenty of options available. Many local parks also have skating facilities, BBQ areas and gym circuits — all great ways to get out of the house, without opening your wallet.

Wendy Tran
THUNDAMENTALS

Varanya Mathanarajan

Whether it’s thunder, fundamental or just mental that comes to mind when you hear their name, it’s pretty apt when thinking about the Thundamentals who are kicking off what will surely be another epic year of gigs and parties for both them and UNSW.

The trio from the Blue Mountains – MCs Tuka and Jeswon and DJ Morgs – have all been respected figures in the Australian hip hop scene for a while now. They were listed in Rolling Stone’s ‘Acts to Watch’ and The Sydney Morning Herald’s ‘Next Big Things’ in 2010, and have toured with hip hop royalty like A Tribe Called Quest, Big Boi (Outkast), MF Doom and Lyrics Born.

It wasn’t until their A M A Z I N G cover of Matt Corby’s Brother on triple j’s Like A Version (yes, that one – ridiculously good and the cause of many an aargasm), though, that they gained the broader attention they deserve.

“People are starting to get what we’re about. We’ve been doing what we do for a while, but it’s only just now that people are catching on to what we’re doing. It’s a mad feeling,” MC Jeswon said recently. Their latest single Smiles Don’t Lie came in at #32 in the 2013 triple j Hottest 100... the people have gotten it, alright. While Smiles Don’t Lie is reminiscent of their take on Brother, the recently leaked Noodle Soup off their forthcoming album So We Can Remember is something altogether different, but equally awesome. This shouldn’t really come as a surprise as MC Jeswon has previously described their material as “pretty eclectic and very musical” which he says is a reflection of their “willingness to experiment with different genres.”

Having just completed their 2013 Smiles Don’t Lie national tour, Wednesday night is the perfect chance to catch them on a high and see what these front runners of the Aussie hip hop scene are all about. They’ve got me smiling. Honest.

Tickets are free. Grab your ticket at eventopia.co/thundamentals
SCIENTIA SPRINT

Dust off your running shoes and embrace your competitive spirit for one helluva race!

WHERE:
Sam Cracknell Pavilion (sign up at Arc Sport stall)

WHEN:
Thurs 1pm

PRICE: Free

Always wanted to participate in the City to Surf, but could never find the motivation? The Scientia Sprint promises all the glory, bragging rights and epic Facebook photos of the City to Surf in less than 500 metres.

With your loyal First Year supporters and the Main Walkway as your stage, all eyes will be on you. Compete against UNSW’s finest runners or your new friends to find out who amongst you is the fastest of them all. You don’t have to have Usain Bolt’s running skills to compete just as long as you have his enthusiasm.

THE PSYCHOLOGY OF DATING AND SOCIAL INTERACTION

Are you socially awkward? Here’s your chance to find out why you go red in the face from a smile.

WHERE:
Red Centre Theatre (H13)

WHEN:
Thurs 1-2pm

PRICE: Free

What attracts us to other people or hesitant to help people in need? Social psychology underpins our behaviour and explains why we act the way we do. Learn about the extraordinary limits of human behaviour or what influences human attraction. You can’t deny that you’re dying to know what makes that other person tick. Do you find yourself winking uncontrollably to the cute from across the room? They can’t really help with your bodily switches but the Q&A at the end is the perfect opportunity to ask those ridiculously hard (or just plain ridiculous) questions.

Still feel awkward? Just stick around the UNSW Love Letter Facebook page and confess anonymously, guilt and judgement-free.
**MON  FEB 24**

- **Free Pancakes**
  - 9-11am
  - @ Main Gate (G5)

- **Free Badge Making**
  - 9am-4pm
  - @ Creative Zone (H11)

- **Soccer Ball Juggling Comp**
  - 9.30am-10.45am
  - @ Village Green (K10)

- **Free Pottery Demonstration**
  - 10am-2pm
  - @ Creative Zone (H11)

- **Engineering Faculty Welcome**
  - 10am - 2pm
  - @ Sir John Clancy Auditorium (C24)

- **Free Fairy Floss**
  - 10am-3pm
  - @ Lower Quadrangle (E15)

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  - 10am-3pm
  - @ Library Lawn (D21)

- **Blitz Games**
  - 10am-4pm
  - @ Lower Quadrangle (E15)

  - Think, Jenga, and Connect Four fun for Hragid.

- **Sumo Suits**
  - 10am-4pm
  - @ Lower Quadrangle (E15)

  - Don a sumo suit and battle it out as a heavyweight.

- **Badminton**
  - 11am-12pm
  - @ Village Green (K10)

- **Timetable Tour**
  - 11am-12pm
  - @ Outside Newton Lawn (J11), Library Lawn (D21)

- **FAC Faculty Welcome**
  - 11am-12pm
  - @ Science Theatre (F13)

- **Museum of Human Disease Tour**
  - 11am-12pm
  - @ Samuels Building (F25)

**MONDAY**

- **3D Printing Design Battle**
  - 11am-12pm @ Quad (G048)

  - Join a team and compete in the ultimate design battle. Experience the design process all the way from conception to prototyping and witness your creation come to life with 3D printing.

**TUES  FEB 25**

- **Free Pancakes**
  - 9-11am
  - @ Main Gate (G5)

- **Free Badge Making**
  - 9am-4pm
  - @ Creative Zone (H11)

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**TUESDAY**

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  - 7.30-9.30pm @ Quad Lawn (E16)

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@ Village Green (K10)

Museum of Human Disease Tour
11am-12pm
@ Sir John Clancy Auditorium (C24)

Dodgeball
11am-12pm
@ Physics Lawn (L15)

Free Snow Cones
11am-3pm
@ Creative Zone (H11)

Taido
11:30-12.30pm
@ Village Green (K10)

Campus Idol
12-5pm
@ Quad Stage (E15)

Free Pool
12-2pm
@ Roundhouse Bistro (E6)

Free Food Sampling
12-2pm
@ Roundhouse Bistro (E6)

Hockey
12:30-1pm
@ Village Green (K10)

Ultimate Frisbee
1-1.30pm
@ Village Green (K10)

MOSoc v 02MG Dance Competition
1-1.15pm
@ Quad Stage (E15)

TimeTable Tour
1-2pm
@ Outside Newton Lawn (J11); Library Lawn (C21)

Architecture, Design and Computer Games’ by Russell Lowe
1-2pm
@ Law Theatre (002)

UN Society Film Screening and Speaker’s Panel
1-2pm
@ Clubs Space, Quad Room G032 (F14)

Museum of Human Disease Tour
1-2pm
@ Samuels Building (F25)

Baseball/Softball
1.30-2.30pm
@ Village Green (K10)

Karate
1.30-2.30pm
@ Village Green (K10)

Vision Generation Eating Competition
2-2.30pm
@ Quad Stage (E15)

Hunger Games
2-3pm
@ Quad Stage (E15)

Arc Yellow Shirts Tour
2-4.30pm
@ Sir John Clancy Auditorium (C24)

KPop Society Movie Marathon
2-8pm
@ O-Week Cinema at Red Centre Gallery (H13)

How to Get Money, Centrelink and Employment 101
2.30-3.30pm
@ Law Theatre 002 (F8)

Touch Rugby
2.30-4.45pm
@ Village Green (K10)

Bingo
3-6pm
@ Club Bar, Roundhouse (E6)

White House Happy Hour
4-5pm
@ The White House (C15)

MID SESSION JUNGLE PARTY
17 APR, Roundhouse
Free entry before 8pm, then Arc members $5, UNSW students $10, GA $15. Tickets available online, strictly no door entry.

THE WHITE HOUSE BIRTHDAY WEEK
12 MAY, The White House

THEMED TRIVIA
20 MAY, Roundhouse

CLOTHES SWAP
28 MAY, Roundhouse

DUD PARTY?
Promote your event with What's On! Go to arc.unsw.edu.au, or email blitzfliers. unsw.edu.au
Deadline
12 days before Men of Movember week.
**ALL O-WEEK**

**Roundhouse Happy Hour**
5-6pm
@ Roundhouse UniBar (E15)

Even cheaper drinks than usual. PSSST Wednesday is double happy hour 5-7pm, that’s two hours of cheap drinks.

**White House Happy Hour**
4-5pm
@ The White House (C15) through the Quad Arch.

**Join Arc**
Join Arc today it’ll cost you nothing by visiting arc.unsw.edu.au or drop by one of our O-Week stalls.

**Arc Legal Info Sessions**
TUE 2:30-3:30pm
@ Law Theatre (G02)
WED 2-3pm
@ Law Theatre (G02)
THU 11am-12pm
@ Red Centre Theatre

**Sumo Suits**
10am-6pm
@ Lower Quadrangle (E15)
@ Arc Precinct (F4)

**Arc Fina Market**
10am-5:30pm
@ Arc Precinct (F4)

**Timetable Tour**
11am-12pm
@ Outside Newton Lawn (J11)
@ Library Lawn (D21)

**Badminton**
11am-12pm
@ Village Green (K10)

**Museum of Human Disease Tour**
11am-12pm
@ Samuels Building (F25)

**‘De-Extinction of Animals’ by Professor Mike Archer**
11am-12pm
@ Law Theatre (G02)

**Science Faculty Welcome**
11-2pm
@ Sir John Clancy Auditorium (C24)

**Free Snow Cones**
11am-3pm
@ Creative Zone (H11)

**Hockey**
11:30-12pm
@ Village Green (K10)

**Kendo**
12-12:30pm
@ Village Green (K10)

**Soccer Ball Juggling Comp**
12-1pm
@ Village Green (K10)

**Soccer World Cup**
10-12pm
@ Village Green (K10)

**UNSW’s Got Talent**
12-1pm
@ Quad Stage (E15)

**Blitz Picks**

**Wednesday**

**Amazing Race**
2-4pm @ Quad Stage (E15)

It’s time to venture beyond and explore the UNIVERSIT-y. Race other teams around campus to see who can reach the finish line first! But to get there, teams must complete a series of challenges which will reward them with a clue to the next challenge.

**Thursday**

**Museum of Human Disease Tour**
1-2pm @ Samuels Building (F25)

What better way to spend an hour of O-Week than gawking at gorgeous yet diseased lungs in one of the world’s top 100 museums? With over 3,000 specimens, we imagine the only way you’d get closer to so many messed up (yet oh-so-interesting) human parts is if you were Dr Christian an Embarrassing Bodies.

**UNSW’s Blackout Party**
6pm-8pm @ Roundhouse (E61)
$10 for Arc members, $15 UNSW Students, $20 GA

Grab your whites, glow sticks and anything remotely fuzzy I borrow a 4-4 vs vest if you have one because this year’s O-Week Party is going to be totally badass! If all else fails, get your glow paint on with our makeup artists on the right then dance the night away to the awesomeness that is DJ Yoda. Direct from the UK. Yeh, man.
The Psychology of Dating and Social Interaction by Dr Lisa Williams
12-1pm @ Red Centre Theatre G001 (H13)
Free Food Sampling
12-2pm @ Roundhouse Bistro (E6)
Taiko
12.30-1pm @ Village Green (K10)
Ultimate Frisbee
1-1.30pm @ Village Green (K10)
Timetable Tour
1-2pm @ Outside Newton Lawn (J11), Library Lawn (D21)
Quidditch
1-2pm @ Physics Lawn (L15)
Museum of Human Disease Tour
1-2pm @ Samuels Building (F25)
Trivia
1-2pm @ Club Bar, Roundhouse (E6)
Karate
1:30-2pm @ Village Green (K10)
Soccer Penalty Shoot-out
2-3pm @ Village Green (K10)
Anime Society Anime Screening
2-5pm @ O-Week Cinema at Red Centre Gallery (H13)
Arc Yellow Shirts Tour
2-4.30pm @ Law Building (F8)
Final Challenge
3-5pm

Village Green (K10)
Ultimate Frisbee
3-5.15pm @ Village Green (K10)
White House Happy Hour
4-5pm @ The White House (C15)
Roundhouse Happy Hour
5-6pm @ Roundhouse Unilab (E6)
O-Week UV Party: Blackout
8pm-2am @ Roundhouse (E6)
COST: Free for Arc members before 7.30pm, $10 UNSW students, $15 general admission

FRI
FEB 28

Free Pancakes
9-11am @ Main Gate (G5)
Free Badge Making
9am-4pm @ Creative Zone (H11)
Underwater — Try scuba
9.30am-1pm @ Swimming Pool (B4)
Free Fairy Floss
10am-3pm @ Lower Quadrangle (E15)
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10am-3pm @ Library Lawn (E21)
Giant Games
10am-4pm @ Lower Quadrangle (E15)
Sumo Suits
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Museum of Human Disease Tour
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Pictionary
11am-12pm @ Club Bar, Roundhouse (E6)
Free Snow Cones
11am-3pm @ Creative Zone (H11)
Taiko
11.30am-12pm @ Village Green (K10)
'Australias Issue with Same-Sex Marriage' by Dr. Paul Kildea
1-2pm @ Law Theatre G02 (G6)
Free Food Sampling
12-2pm @ Roundhouse Bistro (E6)
Ultimate Frisbee
1-1.30pm @ Village Green (K10)
Timetable Tour
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Museum of Human Disease Tour
1-2pm @ Samuels Building (F25)
Poker
2-3pm @ Club Bar, Roundhouse (E6)
Arc Yellow Shirts Tour
2-4.30pm @ Library Lawn (E21)
Water Fight
3-4pm @ Physics Lawn (L15)

FRIDAY

‘Australia's Issue with Same-Sex Marriage’
Dr. Paul Kildea
12-1pm @ Law Theatre G02 (G6)

New Zealand, Canada and the ACT have all legalised same-sex marriage, but why hasn’t Australia? As Paul Kildea explains in a revealing discussion, it isn’t quite as easy for Australia to pass such laws compared to other countries. Afterwards, discussion will be open to the audience with a Q&A session.

FRIDAY

Acoustics and Karaoke
5-11pm @ The White House

After a long week of forgetting people’s names, getting lost on campus and unashamedly grabbing as much free food as possible, what better way to relax than with chilled-out tunes in The White House beer garden. Then, if you’re feeling game, get your karaoke on from 8pm.
MONDAY
Pompeii Movie Screening
7.30-9.30pm, Quadrangle Lawn
PRICE: FREE
ALL AGES.

Pompeii is set in the days leading up to the famous eruption of Mt Vesuvius, which destroyed the ancient city of Pompeii in 79AD. Kit Harrington stars as Milo, an ensnared gladiator, who must fight for his life in the arena every day. When Cassia (Emily Browning) enters his world and his heart, he must also fight his feelings for her - a noblewoman who can never be his. That is until all the world is changed by a storm of fire, ash and lava that will seal the city like a tomb. Now they must all fight to survive.

TUESDAY
Comedy Night
7-9pm, Science Theatre
PRICE: FREE
ALL AGES.

Spectacular line up of some of Australia’s best comedians headlined by the hilarious Matt Okine – one of the country’s most in-demand comedy acts. Joining him are Nick Cody, Becky Lucas, Sam Campbell and some of UNSW’s own fresh student talent.

WEDNESDAY
Thundamentals
7pm-late, Roundhouse
PRICE: FREE (tickets available online)
18+ EVENT

Take cover in the Roundhouse y’all; here comes the Thundamentals. This Blue Mountains via Newtown hip hop trio continue to put smiles on faces, and like they themselves say, ‘Smiles Don’t Lie’. Now is the time to catch the boys, hot off their 2013 ‘Smiles Don’t Lie’ national tour before they drop their highly anticipated third album So We Can Remember.

THURSDAY
UV Party: Blackout
8pm-late, Roundhouse
PRICE: $10 Arc members, $15 UNSW students, $20 GA (tickets must be pre-purchased from www.unswroundhouse.com or from the O-Week helpdesk near Anzac Parade),
18+ EVENT

This year’s party will be a total blacklight, UV light fest in the Roundhouse so break out your whites and fluros or get your glow paint on with our spectacular makeup artists. Featuring DJ Yoda direct from the UK, known for his outrageous audio visual show, this party is sure to be the best start to your uni life.

There’ll also be some sweet live music from 5pm in the Club Bar and Roundhouse BeerGarden plus an all ages Clubs Festival outside the Roundhouse from 7pm.

FRIDAY
Acoustic and Karaoke Night
6.30pm, The White House
PRICE: FREE
18+ EVENT

Kick back and relax on your last evening of O-Week with acoustic performances in The White House beer garden, followed by your own song dedications with karaoke on the big screen from 8pm.
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One of the greatest things about UNSW is that it unites students from all over (and outside of) Sydney. And one thing that all UNSW students unite against is 9am starts. As a self-diagnosed sleep addict, those 90+ minutes it takes me to get to Uni are not fun, so here's a quick guide to help cut down your travel time, saving it for your precious, precious sleep.

Central Station

Central is, well, central. From 8am to 2pm catch the 891 from Eddy Avenue along Belmore Park; it’s direct to UNSW and there are about two buses every minute during peak times. It’s pretty hard to miss – you’ll see literally thousands of people waiting to catch it.

Town Hall Station

After Central, this is your next best option. Particularly for those in the Hills, buses like 610X and M10 go frequently between UNSW and the city.

Eastern Suburbs

Get the 39Xs. Every one of those buses passes through Lower Campus at UNSW. L94 is another route that connects La Perouse to UNSW.

Home Sweet Home

If you’re travelling away from UNSW, the 891 runs along High Street and Upper Campus for a direct trip to Central. Or catch the 895 (direct bus), 393 and 395 from Anzac Parade along Lower Campus across the road from Uni.

For Town Hall, 392, 394, 396-9 and M10 will drop you off near QVB at any time of the day or night and buses along the University side of Anzac Parade all go towards the Eastern Suburbs.

Also, download the TripView app! It has timetables and updates you on trains and buses in real-time and will honestly save you hours of pain waiting.

Lawrence Leung

CONTACT

INFORMATION AND REFERRAL SERVICE

Think one week isn’t enough to get acquainted with UNSW? Here’s who to call when the Yellow Shirts are gone.

WHAT IS IT?

CONTACT is a free, student-run information service for UNSW students and staff. If there’s anything you need to know about UNSW, just ask these guys. And if they don’t know, they’ll point you in the right direction. Too easy!

HOW DO YOU MAKE AN ENQUIRY?

Visit: Level 2, East Wing, Quad Building (near Careers and Counselling, mid-way up Basser Steps).

Phone: 9385 5880

Email: contact@barc.unsw.edu.au

WANT TO VOLUNTEER?

CONTACT is one of Arc’s student volunteering programs and pitching in just an hour each week is a great way to build your communication skills (and flesh out your CV). You’ll meet a whole heap of people and learn everything you need to know about UNSW, too. Applications open this week and close in W2, so check arc.unsw.edu.au/volunteer if you’re keen.
WE WANT YOU!

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Starting university is an exciting and challenging experience; you have a huge new campus to find your way around (and get lost in!), plenty of new and interesting people to meet and lots of fun O-Week activities to join in on. The last thing you want to worry about is getting yourself organised for classes. Follow these UNSW Bookshop tips to take the guesswork out of finding your textbooks and make your start to semester stress-free and easy!

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Staff can search for your textbook list if you have your course codes; which you can find under the My Student Profile tab on your myUNSW page.

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YEE HO
What is your favourite sci-fi movie?
Not sure about movie...does Wall-E count? However my favourite sci-fi TV series is Fringe!
If you were to 'Venture Beyond', where would it be and why?
I would work for National Geographic and trek the globe for amazing experiences!
What is the meaning of life?
Eat, sleep, rave, repeat.

JEREMY BOGOVAC
If you were to 'Venture Beyond', where would it be and why?
I would venture into a black hole. I'd be oh-so-curious to see where it would take me...perhaps through the UNSW portal?
Is there life beyond Earth?
Yes, of course! Maybe I'll have a party with aliens when I venture into the black hole.

BENJI VELLA
What's your favourite sci-fi movie?
Not sure about favourite, but my least favourite is Blade Runner. I have HSC English to thank for that!
If you were to 'Venture Beyond', where would it be and why?
Deep under the ocean, diving for treasure!
Is there life beyond Earth?
Yes, have you met my sister?

AUDREY ALIM
Is there life beyond Earth?
Yes. I'd like to believe that Spock does exist in a universe where I am alive.
What is the meaning of life?
The condition that distinguishes organisms from inorganic objects and dead organisms, being manifested by growth through metabolism, reproduction, and the power of adaptation to environment through changes originating internally.

STEPHANIE LEE
If you were to 'Venture Beyond', where would it be and why?
I'd go to Vegas and see the helicopter shows.
Is there life beyond Earth?
Yes!
What is the meaning of life?
Life?

MARTIN IMPELIDO
What's your favourite Sci-Fi movie?
Star Wars...because of the Lightsabers.
If you were to 'Venture Beyond', where would it be and why?
To the US because I'm super keen for exchange.
What is the meaning of Life?
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