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Tom Morrison Chair of the Arc Board E chair@arc.unsw.edu.au W arc.unsw.edu.au/ board-blog

All Arc members will receive an invitation to vote on the election of four directors to sit on the Board of Arc, the UNSW student organisation. This election is special as it is the first time that two of the elected directors will be required to be women, a proud step Arc has taken to reflect the value of diversity in our governance.

I encourage all of you to consider the vision of the candidates who have put themselves forward for election and to participate in the democratic process. The students you elect will have a substantial impact on the future of the organisation as we embark on a significant redevelopment of the Roundhouse and look to align our organisation with the new vision and strategy of the university.

Best of luck to all candidates.



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Hip-hip-hooray!

During week 10, the classiest café on campus turns five. It's a birthday bash that promises more than just goodie bags and cake, there'll be awesome deals running all week (see p.17 for more).

We've got your dose of magic and music in the mag. There's an interview with Australia's leading magician, Adam Mada and chats with Violent Soho and RÜFÜS from p.8.

If you just want to rock out and get angsty now that sem is looking serious, head to UNSW's Band Comp, or hit up Ciderfest to unwind (p.17).

Rock on UNSW and blow out those birthday candles. (And enjoy these throwback pictures from our fifth birthdays).

Cheers,

Eden, Lydia and Antonio



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What are you getting your mum for Mother's Day? I want to be thoughtful, but I'll probably get mum some hand cream or those smelly sticks you put in a room.

What would you get a five-year-old for their

I used to have a big loader when I was a kid so I'd get them one of those. I feel like they're a pretty accurate representation of the construction industry. If those don't exist anymore then I'd get them a Bionicle.

ALEX MCRAE SURVEYING/CIVIL ENGINEERING

Favourite Whitehouse memory?

Just hanging out the front with my mates during Happy Hour.

Which is better: music from the past or music of

I prefer the sound of old music but the new stuff has much better lyrics, like Rihanna's 'Work' really speaks to me personally. My favourite part is when she says 'work'.

Do you use Spotify?I'm kind of scared of Spotify because of how accurate their suggestions can be. It's like they know I want to listen to 'Wasabi' by Lee Harding before I do.

ANNIE DAVIDSON COMMERCE/ARTS

What are you getting your mum for Mother's Day?
An infinity scarf.
What would you get a five-year-old for their

birthday?
If they still exist, a pair of Heelys. They should really have them for adults.

Favourite Whitehouse memory?
Obama's dogs.

conversation.
Which is better: music from the past or music
of today?
Music from the past, I have so many throwback





What are you getting your mum for Mother's Day?

Actually bought my Mother's Day gift already! This year I got her a ceramic coin bank that has illustrations from the children's book 'The Gruffalo', it's one of her favourite children's

What would you get a five-year-old for their birthday?

I would get a five-year-old one of those massive art sets. You know, the ones with the pencils, textures, crayons and water paint.

SRESTHA MAZUMDER PSYCHOLOGY

Favourite Whitehouse memory?

When I went on a date with my now boyfriend back in first year. It was his birthday that day so I decided to pay and when he got the coffee it was half a cup of foam with barely any coffee in it. We still joke about getting cappuccinos from there on

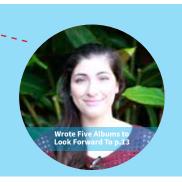
What's your favourite magic trick?

The one where the magician "cuts" a person in half and then puts them back together.

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birthday?
Well I'll tell you what I won't — clothes or socks. Unless they're funky socks with dinosaurs or slippery socks so they can slide around the house.

What's your favourite magic trick?
When magicians pull things out of thin air like flowers or doves. Can they pull out chocolate, concert tickets and money to cover my uni fees?



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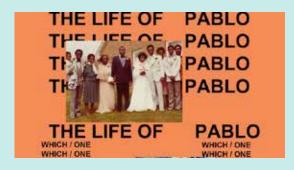
VIRAL



People still can't stop arguing about Batman v. Superman, but we also can't stop watching Ben Affleck's priceless reaction to a question about the film's mixed reception. But don't worry, Captain America: Civil War is right around the corner to give us some new watercooler talk.



Taylor Swift falling off a treadmill while listening to Drake's 'Jumpman' is too much goodness for one video. It's easy to forget that she's promoting Apple Music; after all it is 'Distractingly Good'.



It's hard to believe that after 250 million streams on Tidal and many more on Apple Music and Spotify, that the album still doesn't have a physical release. Blame Kanye's huge ego but the fact remains – we are still talking about *T.L.O.P.*



BITZ

By Liam Luangrathrajasombat







Dangerous Woman, Ariana Grande's latest album is due for release and something



Fifth Harmony's second album, 7/27 will hit Spotify and shelves worldwide. I wonder if they can top their single 'Work From Home'. I



Bono, the lead singer of U2 was born May 10, 1960 In their own words, "It's a beautiful day."



because winter is coming Whip out your coats, it's about to get chilly.



Captain America: Civil War is out, whose side are you on?



Angry Birds: The Movie comes out. I wish this was a joke, but it isn't.

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SELENA GOMEZ-BIRTHDAY	I'm still undecided as to whether I like Selena Gomez or not but at least we have a song to sing for The Whitehouse's fifth birthday.
KATY PERRY-BIRTHDAY	I can't escape Katy Perry's infectious pop vibes and ability to turn any track into gold.
KIDS HITS PROJECT- Happy Birthday	It's the classic birthday song, but not as you know it

expecting him to pay you back. Simply cause you know he's gonna spot you some time in the future.

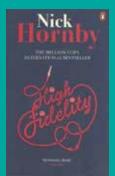
Homie1: Damn this steak is 20 bucks! I only got 10. Homie2: I got you. Don't worry about it, just put it on the homie fund.

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PIEGES

BOOKNOOK

High Fidelity by Nick Hornby



Music isn't what it used to be, man. We used to go into the store to buy our records, these huge, thin vinyl discs .Now all you need is a computer, but can you feel the music? CAN YOU?

From its music obsessed, egofilled characters to its central love story, *High Fidelity* is equal parts touching and nostalgic.

If you have any interest in music,

before the era of Bruno Mars, Justin Bieber and Kanye West, then this novel is for you. And if you aren't interested in any music before the year 2000, get educated.

RANDOM FACTS

– 🗕 🖊 Most toilets flush in E flat.

Chewing gum while peeling onions will keep you from crying.

More people speak English in China than in the United States.

UNSW LOVE LETTERS ← - -



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Do you think arc would approve the establishment of a friends with benefits society?

I don't think it goes against anything or breaks any policy - it simply joins like-minded people for the purposes of social (and sexual) interaction.

Like if you would be interested in joining...

SOCIAL STALKER

YouTube: 1 Million Dance Studio



Do you like to watch other people dance better than you? '1 Million Dance Studio' has daily videos of Koreans popping and locking to hip hop, RnB and pop.

Facebook: Tech Insider



Want to learn how to supercharge your iPhone in five mins? Tech Insider doesn't just have the down low on the latest gadgets – they dish out great tips on how to make your life a hell of a

Facebook: Pigeons and Planes



With weekly hip hop lists, RnB and EDM, Pigeons and Planes has the latest on popular figures like Kanye West to underground hip hop artists whose names you can't even fathom.



ADAM MADA

Adam Mada is Australia's leading illusionist and a resident magician for ABC3. He's famous for levitating tables, but he amazed Blitz by turning a scrunched napkin into an origami swan and winding back a watch, placed in another person's hands.

Adam, your name is a palindrome, is there a story behind that?

There is. Like any good entertainer I have a stage name, my parents aren't that cruel. Adam Mada is obviously a palindrome, the whole thing is totally conceited. A few years ago I thought 'I need a stage name, what am I going to call myself?' I put the question out to friends and family and canvased a whole bunch of names and this process took about six months, creating an identity is very hard. A friend of mine suggested I reverse my name and I thought it was stupid but a week later it grew on me. Some people get it straight away but for others it takes years and years. I've worked with people who have called me up and said "I've just realised your name is not your name, who are you?"

Lots of magicians are sceptics. What are you sceptical about?

A lot of people think magicians think

they are real which is not the case at all. Magic doesn't come from some higher being it comes from the artist, it comes from our skill. That's one of the greatest frustrations being a magician, it's like a watch face where you see the hands ticking around but you can't see any of the craftsmanship or the genius that has gone into the mechanism itself. All of our craft is hidden behind closed doors, we can only really celebrate it with other magicians or we ruin the magic. When I was young I believed a lot of things that aren't true like palm reading and naturopathy, clairvoyance, firewalking. My parents went through a divorce, my mum went to all these evangelical selfhelp presentations. When I was about 14 or 15 I pedalled the same things and got bullied for it. Through magic I discovered it was all tricks. I realised everything I thought was real was not real. I'm a sceptic but not a cynic.

What draws people to magic?

Wonder and curiosity. I get a real buzz being a magician, you get a great sense of satisfaction exciting an audience by knowing something they don't and seeing them enjoy the show. There's a great quote that I often open with "A magician may be the only honest profession left because he promises to deceive you".

What piques your curiosity? What gauges your wonder?

I obsess over how everything works. There's so much wonder in the world. One of the downsides of being a magician is that wonder pool gets smaller, you know how a lot of things work, tricks and secrets and illusions, all the bullocks that comes with the health industry and spiritual industry. The longer you're a magician in the industry, the harder it is to find that wonder. Some old magicians do become cynics because they've lost their sense of wonder. I love going to a show, that feeling of being enchanted, being fooled. I need to remind myself to suppress my inner magician and feel what it's like to not know how that amazing trick works. If I'm selling wonder to my audience I have to know what it feels like.

> Want to be fooled or get caught up in some magic? To see Adam perform his amazing tricks head to blitz.arc.unsw.edu.au.



Blitz radio sat down with James Tidswell from Violent Soho to talk about their 'WACO' Tour which kicks off in May and features DZ Deathrays and Dune Rats. James shared some funny touring stories and the concept behind their new album 'WACO'.

Your new album is named 'WACO' after a Texan town where a Christian sect shootout took place in '93. How did you pick the name? Was there any input from your fans?

Nah, that's definitely not the case. It was an album track name and it was really Luke's choice to name it *WACO*. This is by no means a concept record but at the end of recording, listening back to it, it was the best analogy to use to describe where the lyrical content is coming from. It's coming from living within the culture of make-believe.

There are definitely some similar themes on 'Hungry Ghost'. How would you separate it from your earlier work or is it more of an extension of your earlier work?

In *Hungry Ghost* we were saying how we view the world. We're

spiritually malnourished, if that makes sense? Our souls are starving for a true connection rather than a Tinder-like approach. Whereas WACO is sort of digging a bit deeper and going 'well we know whatever we're eating is leaving us feeling this way, so what's making us continue to eat this?' So we don't have answers and we're not trying to get out there like Propagandhi (a band that we love). We're just sort of explaining how we feel and why we are continuing to buy into this stuff when we know it's not okay.

There are so many good examples of what you were talking about like the lockout laws. Do you think that might give a reason as to some of your recent success?

Yeah that's rad. If people are getting that connection, that's awesome for us. As a band we are pretty happy-go-lucky, we enjoy ourselves and have a good time but at the same time, if you listen to the lyrics and what we're putting across it's explaining how we feel.

You've got a tour coming up starting May 10. You're playing alongside Dune Rats and DZ Deathrays, do you have any tour stories from playing with those guys in the past?

I've got a good story with Dunnies, we were playing Manning Bar in Sydney. For some reason they thought it'd be funny, bringing out fruit platters, bananas, beers, basically everything that we had out there onto the stage. Henry picks up the kettle and decides to pour it onto his face during the second song. We heard a girl in the front row scream "Oh my god!" and as he does it, I just see steam come off his face. Henry pegs the kettle at Dune Rats, grabs water and is just pouring water over his face, trying to cool it. He plays the whole set and spends the rest of the night in hospital. He had to keep applying this burn gel to his face and he looked fucked up for a while but the best part was he got through the whole set!



RÜFÜS

By Serena Dong

'You Were Right' ARIA, we really cannot get enough of RÜFÜS. In the midst of their world tour, Blitz caught up with the drummer James Hunt on their new album and their success.

Are you excited to be going on tour?

Yes! It's kind of this yin and yang situation where we've been home long enough but we have a bit of a travel bug again and we're itching to get back on the road. We've been rehearsing newer songs from the album so it's kind of reinvigorated the whole show for us.

What's the process like when creating the music that you produce?

Sometimes it will happen really organically and the song will just form in just a couple of hours and happen really naturally but like 'You Were Right', the basis of the

song came about in a three-hour jam which is really quick for us but then some other songs took several months for us to find the best version of that song. Songs can sort of take their own life form and you know you can get pretty decent vortex.

I heard that for your album 'Bloom', you stayed at an Airbnb room in Berlin to write the music, is that right?

Yeah we did. We actually played in Berlin a few times before that writing period and we've always thought that we would love to move somewhere else to write a second album just to reinvigorate that sense of flotation and that sense of space. We all agreed that Berlin is the perfect kind of mecca for electronic music and know we all thought a song connection to a lot of the musical choices were being made over there and music that was resonating over there.

Are there any sources of inspiration you look to when you make music?

We actually have some less conventional sources of inspiration on this album, like more visual based inspiration and things. We have this obsession with underwater animals that shows in a lot of the albums and I guess that kind of informs some of the choices we were making throughout writing music like making things sound like little jellyfish floating around. I guess that was a funny little decision to spark up the process.

Was it really exciting to know at the ARIA Awards you received the best dance release for 'Atlas' and now 'Bloom' has placed #1 on the ARIA charts?

Yeah it's crazy! It's actually pretty surreal, these sorts of accolades and number ones. It's a really nice gesture to receive something like an ARIA award, especially given the feel of that award. All the other artists and nominees that are killing it internationally from Australia, so it's a massive achievement.

You'll be performing at Coachella in April. Do you have a specific artist that you really want to see or talk to at Coachella?

I'd love to see LCD Sound System. Mano Le Tough, I'm obsessed with them and Beach House. I could rattle off names for 20 minutes. It's also going to be be our manager's birthday on the first weekend we are there so we're going to celebrate there.

RAPID FIRE

JENNIFER LAWRENCE OR AMY SCHUMER?

Jenifer Lawrence.

SPIRIT ANIMAL? Unicorn.

ACOUSTIC OR ELECTRIC? Electric.

SHOWER SONG?

I don't have one... well maybe all the new songs on the album.

RÜFÜS are heading to Sydney on May 4 as a part of their world tour. Head to ticketmaster.com.au/Rufus-tickets/ artist/1275482 to get tickets

Beerfest has just passed so you might be concerned about what you're going to drink next and what it says about you. With Ciderfest fast approaching, Blitz is here to help you navigate the transition.

If you're a bloke you might be particularly concerned since cider is a fairly new concept amongst Australian men. Previously, it was considered a little too 'fruity'. You can't

imagine David Boon quaffing a glass of pear cider on a flight to London.

As cider becomes more accepted, beer has lost its traditional appeal with the proliferation of microbreweries. While it's true drinking has decreased in the last 50 years, it's also true that within this period the prevalence of liver disease has also diminished. I'm certainly no doctor, but I have an inkling these trends are related.

The only downside of boutique beer/cider is the increase in dull conversations with dull people, who define their 'individuality' by what they drink. It's not enough to drink a tasty beverage, it also must demonstrate how much of a flog you are.

Ask any 18-year-old if they enjoy the taste of beer and they'll either say no or lie. Most people only stomach beer at first because it's cheap, however now cider is often just as inexpensive.

Overall it doesn't matter what you choose – as long as you avoid fruity lexia. But if you are really concerned with the cost of alcohol you could probably just drink a little less.



WORDS

In the works of J.R.R. Tolkien, there were five wizards (Saruman, Gandalf, Radagast, Alatar and Pallando).

The five basic tastes are sweet, salty, sour, bitter, and umami.

'5' is a character in the Peanuts comic strip.

The Torah contains five books: Genesis, Exodus, Leviticus, Numbers, and Deuteronomy, collectively called the Five Books of Moses.

According to ancient Greek philosophers such as Aristotle, the universe is made up of five classical elements: water, earth, air, fire, and ether.

SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

On almost all devices with a numeric keypad such as telephones and computers the 5 key has a raised dot or raised bar so that blind people can feel the keys.

On most telephones, the 5 key is associated with the letters J, K and L.

Five is the most common number of gears for automobiles with manual transmission.

Five is the atomic number of boron.

Five is the number of appendages on most starfish.

Remember when you were five? No taxes to pay and your only responsibility was making sure you were home in time to watch Angela Anaconda. High-fives, The Famous Five and The Jackson Five, let's face it all good things are five, including The Whitehouse!



By Charlotte Goodsir

The Whitehouse sure hasn't been without it's growing pains, throwback to 'WE'VE GOT TOO MUCH LEMONGRASS WEEKEND' in 2011 and 'Thank Gandalf It's Friday' but it's a big kid now, head on over in week 10 to say 'Happy Birthday'.

MUSIC

Maroon 5 were originally called Kara's Flowers.

The Jackson Five were inducted to the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame in 1997.

5ive is a boy band from the UK, Band member, Scott, won Best Haircut three years running.

'Mambo No. 5' stayed number 1 in Australia for 8 weeks.

Hilary Duff has released five studio albums.

RELIGION

In Discordianism, there is the Law of Fives as well as in the Pentabarf, which contains five rules.

The book of Psalms is arranged into five books, paralleling the Five Books of Moses.

The five sacred Sikh symbols prescribed by Guru Gobind Singh are commonly known as the 'Five Ks' because they start with letter K representing kakka. Much like the Kardashians.

Muslims pray to Allah five times a day.

There are traditionally Five Wounds of Jesus Christ.

HOLA!



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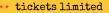
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ALBUMS TO LOOK FORWARD TO IN 2016

By Celine Habib



MAJOR LAZER Music Is the Weapon NO SET DATE

Behind one of the biggest bangers of 2015, 'Lean On', Major Lazer is coming back with their third album *Music Is The Weapon* with similar reggae and electro-dance vibes. I'm buzzing for this one.



ARIANA GRANDE Dangerous Woman 20 MAY

Behind the 2015 bangers 'Problem', 'Break Free' and 'Love Me Harder', Ariana aims to portray herself as "someone who's not afraid to take a stand, be herself and be honest". Her lead single, 'Dangerous Woman', is a smooth a cappella. 'Be Alright' is more upbeat, with a background of clicks, xylophones and house beats. The album features Lil Wayne, Nicki Minaj and Future.



NICK JONAS Last Year Was Complicated 10 JUNE

Do you remember the youngest of the Jonas Brothers? After establishing himself with big hits 'Chains' and 'Jealous', for his second solo album he'll be introducing some more soul, RnB tunes and a bit of hip hop. His recent single 'Levels' is indicative of his album's sound.

OTHER BIG UPCOMING ALBUMS

NICKI MINAJ:

Let's be honest, she's got some sick songs and she's made her mark.

BEYONCÉ:

I mean, it's Beyoncé. But yes, I'm excited if it's anything like 'Haunted' 'Flawless' and 'Partition' from 2013. No set date.

HAIM:

The Fleetwood Mac-vibed fun trio will release album #2 soon.

No set date.

LADY GAGA:

With the heart-wrenching performance of 'Till it Happens to You' at the 2016 Oscars and her previous art-pop album, who knows what the quirky singer will produce next.

KINGS OF LEON:

Album #7 is expected from the solid rock band, behind classics



Spotify is like that kid who has all the riches but you still can't bear to hate them. So in celebration of endless free music, here are five Spotify Secrets you need to make the best out of your Spotify experience.

RADIO

You've probably seen this little tab on the top left hand corner of your screen but have you clicked on it? It's intimidating to venture beyond the safe house of your personal music choices. But when you have found the courage to find out what the 'radio' button does, you'll be hooked.

Spotify Radio will fill in the blanks of your laziness and pick the next song that you'll probably love by choosing songs based on what you've previously listened to.

LYRICS

You want to rap to 'Fancy' but you don't have enough swag lyric knowledge to sing along? Spotify has a lyric feature, so forget taking the bus to karaoke night. Instead get ready for nights indoors wearing your slacks and ugg boots.

PRIVATE SESSION

If you're still obsessed with listening to a pre-pubescent Bieber sing 'Baby' and you don't need your friends judging your life choices, turn on your privacy settings and have your own private session. Go to the drop down arrow on the top right hand side of the window and click on it. The 'private session' button will do the trick to hide your guilty pleasures.

AD BLOCKER

What can you do when you feel like a premium when you're really just a basic? Welcome to the world of tricking Spotify. Turn to the Spotify web player to play music and turn on your advertisement blocker and voila, you'll be feeling like a king or queen when you're really a pauper.

THE SCIENCE EXPERIMENT

You probably already know about sharing music playlists between you and your mates. But, do you know that you can send a Universal Resource Identifier (URI) with a timestamp so your homie can start listening from that portion of the song that you choose?

Let's break it down. Right click on the title of the song and hit 'Copy Spotify URI'. If you want to skip the boring first verses of a song, add in a hashtag and a timestamp (e.g. #1:56) at the end of the copied URI and your mate will be brought directly to it when he/she puts the URI into the search bar. The copied URI will look something like this, spotify:track:3MrRksHupTVEQ7YbA0FsZK#1:56.

Now that you have all my secrets, go forth and be a better Spotify user!

ISOSCOPES J



There might be some drama brewing between colleagues. A poker face is necessary in order to run private ideas into the





TAURUS

Bull with the horns, Taurus! People may try to knock you down but I say roll with the punches.

You should listen to: Azealia Banks



Gemini, Venus wants you to break your flighty, asexual spirit and connect! So starting participating and change your

You should listen to: Phoenix



CANCER

It's time to get the stick out of your butt, Cancer. Don't get so anal that you end up sobbing in the corner, carrying the weight of the existential crisis that is your life.

You should listen to: Iron & Wine



Leo, you charmer, you. Roarrr. You'll be oozing sex appeal this time of year. Your energy is towering over everyone.

You should listen to: Barry White



You've been having some recurring dreams, Virgo. As Facebook would say, what's on your mind? You need to shoo away all the thunder in your head and get your focus as sharp as a knife.

You should listen to: Alessia Cara



LIBRA

My Libra fellas! The scales seem to be tipping and by that I mean you need watch your weight. Your career on the other hand is at its peak.

You should listen to: Olivia Newton-John



Family will be the centre of your universe, slithery Scorpio. Get enough rest and eat like an herbivore, so you'll have the energy to slip out a few sentences in conversation.



Sag, your brain is a buzzing with creative spirit! This is the time to get in touch with your art, so get your origami stick fingers back into action.



You should listen to: James Blake

CAPRICORN





You should listen to: David Bowie

Communication is key, Water Bearer. Hit up a local market, see if you can score bargain. Kick someone's butt in the tutorial. You own the world.



You should listen to: Marina & The Diamonds

Love is the air for you, little fish in a big pond. It may not be romantic (for all you single pringles), but getting involved in philanthropic projects will let feel the love

You should listen to: Hozier



Ah the mosh pit, home of love, sweat and tears - there's happy tears and the downright messy. Once you are in the depths of a mosh there is no going back prepare yourself for no bathroom breaks and to be squished AF.

FRONT ROW BARGAIN

Imagine lining up for hours, finally getting to that front spot, your fave band in sight, a perfect shot for the gram, and oh no you need to pee. The best way to make it to the front (and pee without losing your spot) is to leave during a song that is going OFF, everyone will be too hyped to notice. It's easier to go in from the corners of the crowd, if you go in towards the middle (aka the death trap) be prepared to lose the friends vou came with.

RESPECT THE ROWS

Every so often you come across unnecessary crowd pushers - we've all been guilty of this (sorry mum). When you find a gap, go for it, but be subtle. Nobody likes a pusher.

DON'T HAVE A DRINK IN YOUR HAND

If you're planning on going HAM in a mosh

please for your own sake don't have a drink in your hand, you don't want to be that person that spills their drink on someone. It's also a waste of money because drinks at gigs cost half your soul.

DON'T STAND THERE LIKE YOU HATE IT

Unless you do and you went to the show just to let the artist know you're a hater. You paid to have fun, so enjoy yourself.

JUST GO FOR IT

If you actually enjoy the music just get into it! It doesn't matter if you don't know the song or the artist or you have horrible sense of rhythm. A mosh is a judge free zone!

Quicktips

Check the set list beforehand, be prepared to get sweaty, be open to meeting new people and respect your feet by wearing comfy shoes! And don't forget to go to



& JAR OF KISSES

Who doesn't love chocolate? Perhaps you can only visit once in a blue moon. Show mama love by sending a jar of chocolate Hershey's Kisses, representing one kiss a day. Tell her to eat one a day and the fewer number of kisses she sees in the jar, the closer it is to the day you reunite.



& LOVE BOOK ONLINE

Chocolate might not be ideal if your mum is a jetsetter. Customise a booklet of love on Love Book Online. From the cover designs to the content inside, there are plenty of options to choose from that will create the perfect book for mama.



& LITTLE THINGS

Mums are the only people in the world who work 24 hours without pay. Show your appreciation by simply letting her not be a mum. Start the day with a surprise breakfast in bed, clean the house and then buy the groceries. Finish the day by whipping up dinner and place a little hand written card on the table.



Spoil Mama by sending her off to an allexpenses-paid spa trip. While she is out, decorate the whole house with helium balloons. Take her out to her favourite restaurant (reminder: make a reservation beforehand). Bring her home and hear that gasp of surprise.



BODY, DOIN' IT OLD SCHOOL

Maybe your mum needs a new bag after hers broke; buy a blank tote bag, some paint and let the brushes go. Or buy a scrapbook from Typo and collect all the things you can find, such as old movie tickets and a create a scrapbook of all the things you have done together. Even receipts of shopping trips will reflect how much you each moment with your mum means to you.



VEGAN CHRONICLES MOTHER'S DAY

By John Seroukas

It's that time of the year again where most of us fortunate enough to have our mothers with us will scramble frantically to buy a suitable present. Here are a few presents for your mum that have been made cruelty-free.

WORLD WILDLIFE FUND



These are one of my favourites – WWF do some great work promoting sustainable living for humans and animals alike. This includes anti-deforestation, encouraging sustainable practices for villages' food and water sources and saving threatened wildlife.

Their apparel is good for two reasons: 100% of the proceeds go to the organisation and you'll look bloody snazzy. Who said being vegan isn't cool?

ETSY



So maybe your mother doesn't want any more clothes but is a sucker for cool jewellery or fragrant body products. Look no further, cruelty-free reader! Etsy have a massive vegan section on their website, filled with the coolest stuff: from necklaces and soaps to mock leather and suede jackets. Like that song by The Offspring goes: the future is now, my friends.

REDBUBBLE







Hopefully your present will be accompanied by a card. So, in keeping with this cruelty-free theme, why not chuck in a cheeky message? REDBUBBLE have you sorted. They have a range of vegan-themed cards that are either funny, cute, way-too-accurate or all of the above.

CIDERFEST 2-6 MAY





UNSWROUNDHOUSE-COM

Roundhouse encourages the Responsible Service of Alcohol. 18+ only. Valid identification required upon entry.





BETTER THAN STUDYING WHAT'S ON UNSW

THE WHITEHOUSE'S FIFTH BIRTHDAY



By Sarah Wu

You're invited to the fifth birthday bash of the classiest coffee joint on campus. With plenty of prizes to be won, \$5 deals and free live music – you'd be silly to miss when The Whitehouse turns five!

Remember when you were five and food was free because your parents footed the bill? Well this will be a nostalgic reminder with a cheap \$5 menu featuring all week at The Whitehouse. Start off your Monday with a free coffee (if you're one of the first 15 customers) and a \$5 bacon and egg roll. Tuesday brings \$5 schooners and \$5 pasta.

WHERE: The Whitehouse

WHEN: Monday May 9- Saturday May 14

COST: FREE! MORE INFO:

facebook.com/UNSWWhitehouse

VERDICT: High-fives all around!

On Thursday grab a cheeky \$5 Corona or house wine and enjoy the Corona acoustic music and chill sesh from 5pm.

The birthday bash really kicks off on Saturday with a \$50 cover charge promising three hours of unlimited house beer, wine, spirits and pizza from 6pm. So grab your mates and head down to The Whitehouse for the best birthday bash of the year.

BAND COMP



By Liam Luangrathrajasombat

Everybody who is anybody wants to sit back, stare their friends straight in the eye and tell them "I was there first."

Whether you are into punk rock like Fall Out Boy, heavy metal like Slipknot or love jamming to music in general, support your friends and be the audience to the next big thing. Who knows, you may even get to witness crowd surfing gone wrong.

The Roundhouse has always been home to parties spitting out electronic music like no tomorrow, but May is a very special month for music that doesn't just go doof doof doof.

Discover the undiscovered music of tomorrow and join us for a night of drinks, music and friends.

WHERE: Roundhouse (18+ only)

WHEN: Wednesday 4 May, Wednesday 11 May, 5pm

COST: FREE!

MORE INFO: unswroundhouse.com VERDICT: Rock out to UNSW's

finest bands

CIDERFEST



By Eden Gillespie

Now that Beerfest is over, fellow cider-crazed peeps, it's our turn to take over the bar. As we enjoy Roundhouse domination, there'll be new drinks to try as well as apple-teasing pork crackly delights.

There's no need to get bitter, beer lovers, an apple a day keeps the doctor away and free live music makes life a whole lot sweeter. So push your to-do list aside, make like your favourite drink and get bubbly.

Here's some inCIDER information: Roundhouse is undergoing renovations late this semester. So now is your chance to get nostalgic and live it up at your Uni Bar before it shuts its doors for a lengthy renovation period.

Bottoms up!

WHERE: Roundhouse (18+ only)
WHEN: Mon 2 May- Friday 6 May

COST: FREE!

MORE INFO: unswroundhouse.com VERDICT: A great way to de-stress







MON

Bible Studies

11am, 12pm, 1pm and 2pm @ Quad Lawn

Free Ping Pong

2-8pm @ Roundhouse

Got the balls to challenge your friends to a game of ping pong?

Free Trivia

4pm @ Beer Garden Roundhouse

What is the largest island in the Caribbean?

Ministry of Dance Society: Dance Class

4-5pm @ Arc Dance Studio

\$5

Grab your squad and practice your routine for your next night out.

Happy Hour

4-5pm @ The Whitehouse

Cheap drinks that will make you happier than Pharrell Williams.

Happy Hour

5-6pm @ Roundhouse

Gather round your local watering hole for cheap drinks and good times.

CircuSoc: Weekly meeting

5-10pm @ Physics Lawn

Maybe if you learn to juggle, you'll be able to juggle uni work and a social life.

TUE

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KnitSoc: Knitters Circle

11am-1pm @ Quad Lawn

Get your weekly knitting hit on the Quad Lawn.

Bible Studies

11am and 2pm @ Quad Lawn

Creative Careers Fair

12-3pm @ Scientia Hall

The Creative Careers Fair is a chance for students to hear from companies in industries like Media, Advertising, Education and so many more! There will be stalls with grad programs, internships and volunteer opportunities so everyone's encouraged to come along. Enjoy free entry with a goodie bag on arrival!

Free Bible Talk

12pm @ Colombo C

1pm @ Macauley Theatre (Quad 1027)

Veggie Soc Lunch

12-2pm @ Outside Roundhouse

Chomp down a cheap vegetarian lunch which is even cheaper if you bring your own container and show the environment some love.

\$6 for Arc members, \$7 non-Arc members, \$5.50 BYO container

Ministry of Dance Society: Dance Class

2-3pm @ Arc Dance Studio

Make like Daft Punk and 'Lose Yourself To Dance'.

Happy Hour

45pm @ The Whitehouse

If you're happy and you know it.

Free Poker

5pm @ Uni Bar Roundhouse

Who has the best poker face out of you and your mates?

Happy Hour

5-6pm @ Roundhouse

After you've dealt your best hand, cheap drinks are on the cards at Happy Hour.

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MAY 4

Bible Studies

11am @ Quad Lawn

Falun Dafa: Meditation Class

12pm @ Alumni Lawn

How to survive Hump Day: meditate.

Theatresports

1pm @ Roundhouse Marsh Room

There's more to Theatresports than perfecting the essence of a tree.

Free Pool

1-3pm @ Roundhouse

Dive into a game of pool with your mates.

Social Soccer game

2:30-4:30pm

@ Alumni Lawn

Free casual games of soccer where everyone is welcome to play regardless of skill level.

D2MG Hip Hop Society: Free Weekly Jam

3.4pm @ Arc Dance Studio

Like Hannah Montana says "pop it, lock it, polka-dot it, countrify it, hip hop it"

Happy Hour

4-5pm @ The Whitehouse

There's no better end to the day.

Ministry of Dance Society: Free Dance Class

4-6pm @ Arc Dance Studio

Today it doesn't cost anything to learn some hot dance moves. So hit the d-floor without burning a hole in your wallet

UNSW Band Comp Heat 1 0 - - - - - -

5pm @ Roundhouse

Get down to the music of your fellow students. Watch them rock the house as they battle to be the best band of the night.

Double Happy Hour

5-7pm @ Roundhouse

Double the bargain, double the fun.

CircuSoc Club Cubed

4-6pm @ Physics Lawn

There's no other club on campus that teaches how to juggle knives.

MuSoc Open Mic Night

7-9pm @ The Whitehouse

It's your time to shine. There's a little bit of Christina Aguilera in everybody.

MAY 5

Bible Studies

11am and 2pm @ Quad Lawn

Yoga

12-1pm @ Robert Webster

\$100 for 6 class course, \$17.50 casually

Breathe in and out. The weekend is nearly here.

Free Bible Talk

12pm @ Elec Eng 418

1pm @ CLB1

Clubs Mashup #3: Refine and Unwind Your Mind 12-2pm @ Quad Lawn

To get rid of that uni stress and counter the exam blues, a number of health and wellbeing clubs are getting together for this awesome event. Whether it's yoga, together for this awesome event. Whether it's yoga, aerobics or relaxing tunes, you could do with some time off.

D2MG Hip Hop Society: Weekly Jam

2-3pm @ Arc Dance Studio

\$5

There's nothing hipper than a weekly jam at UNSW.





PULL ME OUT AND TAKE ME WITH YOU!

Happy Hour

4-6pm @ The Whitehouse

Get your hands some cheap bevvys at your favourite white building on campus.

Happy Hour

5-6pm @ Roundhouse

We're happy, it's nearly Friday and drinks are at their cheapest.

Sunset Acoustic Session

5-7pm @ The Whitehouse

Chill out, it's almost the weekend. Enjoy cheap drinks and free live entertainment.

NUTS Script Club 6-8pm @ The Whitehouse

You'd be NUTS to miss a chance to read and talk script with your fellow theatre-lovers.

- ■ UNSW Interclub Cruise

6:30pm @ Darling Harbour, King St, Wharf No.8

Study got you down? Join the UNSW Underwater Club, Outdoors Club, Waterski Society, Sailing/Surfing and Windsurfing Club and Standup Paddle Boarding Club for the biggest cruise of the year! Ticket are \$45 which includes unlimited drinks, food and a DJ for a 3-hour cruise around Darling Harbour. Find out more info at facebook.com/events/1061102427295662/.

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KnitSoc Advanced Class

10am-12pm @ Ouad Lawn

Sew many chances to make close-knitted friendships.

Social Soccer game

2:30-4:30pm @ Alumni Lawn

You'll have a BALL, meeting new friends and playing soccer.

Ministry of Dance Society: Dance Class

45pm @ Arc Dance Studio

\$5

Lace up those Nikes and get ready to bust some moves.

Happy Hour

4-5pm @ The Whitehouse

Cheap drinks. We're already there.

Quidditch Friday Fun Day

46pm @ Physics Lawn

It's time to ditch the uni work and play some fantasyinspired sport.

Happy Hour

5-6pm @ Roundhouse

Unwind and forget about the to-do list. The happiest hour of the day has arrived.

Sunset Acoustic Session

5-7pm @ The Whitehouse

Brace yourself for some seriously chill vibes and acoustic jams.

ALL WEEK

Mexican Week \circ - - - May 2-6 @ The Whitehouse

Hold onto your sombrero amigo, Mexican Week is back at The Whitehouse. Head to The Whitehouse on Monday for \$5 tequila tasting followed by a chilli eating contest on Wednesday, a Mariachi band on Thursday and plenty of prize giveaways on Friday. There'll be \$5 tacos all week and 3 tacos for \$10 with any Corona purchase. Tienes hambre (are you hungry?)? Grab a \$25 Corona Bucket and go in the draw to win a \$200 prize.

Ciderfest

May 2-6 @ Roundhouse

With Beerfest in the past, it's time we appreciate the fancier version of beer — cider. Keep an eye out for great deals at Roundhouse.

UNSW Musical Theatre Society Presents: 'A Man of No Importance'

May 4-7

7:30pm @ Studio One

Come along to the UNSW Musical Theatre Society's first ever musical. 'A Man of No Importance' tells the story of Alfie Byrne, a bus conductor in 1964 Dublin who has a passion for theatre. It is a tender and beautifully woven tale of love, friendship and coming to terms with who we are. Grab your tickets at facebook.com/events/160762244317389/.

Casual Chess

Monday-Friday

10am-5pm @ Quad benches

From grand master to just learning how to play, come down and have a social match.

Justice of the Peace League

Monday 11-2pm, Tuesday and Wednesday 1-3pm, Thursday 1-4pm.

@ Arc Clubs Office

See more at arc.unsw.edu.au/help/justices-of-the-peace-league.

A helpful group of volunteers are here every week of semester to witness, certify and check all your important documents. It's as easy as just turning up with your documents to be signed.

Free Live Music

Tuesday-Friday

5pm @ Roundhouse

Forget uni work. Get grooving at Roundhouse.



DRINKS SPECIAL WEEK 7







The Roundhouse encourages the Responsible Service of Alcohol
*Not available during major events

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MON

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Bible Studies

11am, 12pm, 1pm and 2pm @ Quad Lawn

Free Ping Pong

2-8pm @ Roundhouse

There's nothing wrong with getting totally into a game of ping pong.

Free Trivia

4pm @ Beer Garden Roundhouse

What is Iggy Azalea's real name?

Ministry of Dance Society: Dance Class

4-5pm @ Arc Dance Studio

\$5

Dance Monday away.

Happy Hour

45pm @ The Whitehouse

You deserve happy. Grab some champagne and relax on The Whitehouse couches.

Happy Hour

5-6pm @ Roundhouse

Cheap drinks. Why not?

CircuSoc: Weekly meeting

5-10pm @ Physics Lawn

Learn fire twirling, juggling, unicycling, acro yoga, balloon twisting and more.

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KnitSoc: Knitters Circle 11am-1pm @ Quad Lawn

Make nanna proud.

Bible Studies

11am and 2pm @ Quad Lawn

Free Bible Talk

12pm @ Colombo C

1pm @ Macauley Theatre (Quad 1027)

Veggie Soc Lunch

12-2pm @ Outside Roundhouse

\$6 for Arc members, \$7 non-Arc members, \$5.50 BYO container

There's nothing more satisfying than a cheap, healthy meal. Grab some grub.

Ministry of Dance Society: Dance Class

2-3pm @ Arc Dance Studio

\$5

Shake it with your squad.

Happy Hour

4-5pm @ The Whitehouse

Get happy in the hizouse.

Free Poker

5pm @ Uni Bar Roundhouse

Even Lady Gaga can't read your 'Poker Face'.

Happy Hour

5-6pm @ Roundhouse

Sip on a bevvy with mates while listening to some rockin' background music.

WED

MAY 11

Bible Studies

11am @ Ouad Lawn

Falun Dafa: Meditation Class

12pm @ Alumni Lawn

Feeling stressed? Take some time out for yourself.

Theatresports

1pm @ Roundhouse Marsh Room

THEATRE IS A SPORT!

Free Pool

1-3pm @ Roundhouse

Dust up your cue and sink some balls.

Social Soccer game

2:30-4:30pm

@ Alumni Lawn

Free casual games of soccer where everyone is welcome to play regardless of skill level.

D2MG Hip Hop Society: Free Weekly Jam

3.4pm @ Arc Dance Studio

You've mastered 'Uptown Funk'. Get down to some hip hop.

Happy Hour

4-5pm @ The Whitehouse

Grab a cold one or two.

Ministry of Dance Society: Free Dance Class

4-6pm @ Arc Dance Studio

Taio Cruz isn't the only one who came to "dance, dance, dance, dance".

UNSW Band Comp Heat 2

5pm @ Roundhouse

UNSW is the new School of Rock.

Double Happy Hour

5-7pm @ Roundhouse

Clear your schedule and prep for double the fun.

CircuSoc Club Cubed

4-6pm @ Physics Lawn

Like Water for Elephants but minus the elephants. Don't worry, there's still plenty of cool circus activities to get you hooked.

MuSoc Open Mic Night

7-9pm @ The Whitehouse

Belt out your favourite Britney Spears tune. We support

NUTS Shindig

6-8pm @ Roundhouse

The people nuttiest about theatre are meeting up. Join them for a drink at Roundhouse Happy Hour.

THU

MAY 12

Bible Studies

11am and 2pm @ Quad Lawn

Yoga

12-1pm @ Robert Webster

\$100 for 6 class course, \$17.50 casually

Stretch out those muscles and rock those funky yoga pants.

Free Bible Talk

12pm @ Elec Eng 418 1pm @ CLB1

D2MG Hip Hop Society: Weekly Jam

2-3pm @ Arc Dance Studio

\$5

Got 'Canned Heat' in your heels?







Happy Hour

4-6pm @ The Whitehouse

Cheap drinks. There's a reason it's called Happy Hour...

Happy Hour

5-6pm @ Roundhouse

The bar is serving cheap drinks. Why not order a round?

Sunset Acoustic Session

5-7pm @ The Whitehouse

Watch the sun go down and celebrate that Friday is just around the corner.

NUTS Script Club

6-8pm @ The Whitehouse

Chat theatre with a group of play-enthusiasts and theatre-lovers.

MAY 13

Social Soccer game

2:30-4:30pm @ Alumni Lawn

Kick it with a group of friendly people for a free game

Ministry of Dance Society: Dance Class

45pm @ Arc Dance Studio

\$5

Disco Stu approves.

Happy Hour

45pm @ The Whitehouse

The fanciest bar on campus at its cheapest.

Quidditch Friday Fun Day

4-6pm @ Physics Lawn

Harry Potter fans unite, this is your jam. Play a game of real-life Quidditch on the Physics Lawn.

Happy Hour

5-6pm @ Roundhouse

You've survived another week of uni. You deserve a

Sunset Acoustic Session

5-7pm @ The Whitehouse

The best way to unwind after a busy uni week.

ALL WEEK

The Whitehouse's Fifth Birthday May 9-14 @ The Whitehouse

The classiest building on campus is turning five! Grab a free coffee on Monday with your bacon and egg roll and then enjoy cheap drinks and food deals for the rest of the week. Saturday will be their birthday party and you're invited. \$50 gets you three hours of unlimited house beer, wine, spirits and pizza from 6pm and there will be FREE transfers at 9:30pm to Kit and Kaboodle.

May 10-12 @ Quad Lawn

With final exams in sight, this time of year is pretty stressful. Take some time for yourself and de-stress with free food and free activities all day at the Quad Lawn.

Med Revue: A Sketch Comedy Show

May 10-13

7:30pm @ Science Theatre

Tickets from \$12

Med Revue has the best medicine to help you get through the last weeks of semester. Come and watch students from various faculties sing, dance and act in a show that's guaranteed to tickle your funny bone.

2016 Uni Battle May 11-May 13 @ Gold Coast

Attracting 1,000 students from across the country in new and alternate sports, Uni Battle is set to kick start the 2016 university sporting calendar. Teams are attending from all states as they vie to be the inaugural champion of their sport. Let the games begin!

For more info go to sport.arc.unsw.edu.au





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WITH SHOESTRING FRIES & GRAVY

AROUND TOWN: WHAT'S ON SYDNEY

MOTHER'S DAY EL' CIRCO LUNCHEON



WHEN: 8 May, 12:30pm

WHERE: Slide Lounge, 41 Oxford St

COST: \$89 (bookings can be made in advance) **MORE INFO:** slide.com.au/shows/mothersday/ **VERDICT:** This gift will make you the favourite sibling!

Mother's Day has come around again and you've probably left things to the last minute. Sorry to break it to you but your mum is sick of candles and bath bombs. We've got the

perfect present for your mum that will make you the favourite child once and for all. Experience a magical moment with the lady that birthed you by treating her to a five-course menu and an impressive circus act from El' Circo. The way to your mum's heart is easy this year. Say 'I love you' with fresh and unique cocktails.

This circus act is infused with charm, talent and flavour; all from the city of Paris, encapsulating love and originality.

Boasting terrific performances including aerial work, dancing and singing, this will be a present your mum will remember for years to come.



By Rachel Lui

CHEAP A\$\$ BINGE ON

BAND WEDNESDAYS

WHEN: 9pm, Every Wednesday WHERE: Frankie's Pizza, Hunter St

COST: Free entry, \$15 all you can eat pizza (6-9pm) MORE INFO: frankiespizzabytheslice.com

All you can eat pizza, great live acts and poster art. Travel back in time with huge cheese pizzas and retro pinball machines for only 20 cents a game. Who needs clubbing?



→ LISTEN

SHAWN KIRK

WHEN: 6:30-11pm, 6 May

WHERE: The Vanguard, Newtown

COST: \$15.80 (18+ only)

MORE INFO: thevanguard.com.au

Coming straight out of Melbourne, Shaun Kirk has been hailed as "one of the most explosive solo acts" in the country. Hell, he's appeared at Bluesfest, so if that doesn't count for something, we don't know what will.

LAUGH **←**



BULLETS OVER BROADWAY

WHEN: 4.8 May

WHERE: The Domain

COST: Free

MORE INFO: artgallery.nsw.gov.au

Feel like catching some free entertainment? Step out of that pile of uni work and into 1920s New York. Witty and thrilling, this one's a must-see.

By Genevieve Gao



THE PAST SAYS ALBERT LIN

There are thousands of years of music history, of legacies and legends and masters of their crafts that knock today's music out of the park. While I have Chopin and McCartney, Coltrane and Tupac, the other side fighting for the music of today is left with Internet marvels like 'Friday' by Rebecca Black.

The soul of music has changed. Music was once about collaboration, about sharing something meaningful, about jamming and having fun with friends. But now? Songs are written and sold. Nothing much is original. No longer in mainstream pop music are iconic bands like The Beatles or Nirvana a thing. The industry has crushed the community that's inherent in music. Now it's mainly singular artists, alone like stars; seeing the light of others but being too far away to communicate.

So for the greater good of humanity, don't get down on 'Friday', listen to some throwback Spotify playlists and get nostalgic about some sweet jams.

MUSIC OF THE PRESENT

SAYS RYAN BAUTISTA

If there's one song that'll crush the opposition, it's Carly Rae Jepsen's 'Run Away With Me'. But before you dismiss Jepsen as a one-hit wonder ('Call Me Maybe' is a timeless hit by the way), we need to discuss why this song shits all over old music.

You're only a few seconds in and you hear God when the sax riff plays and the chorus has got ya feeling like you want to run and around Kylie Minogue-style through busy streets. You're slowly defecting to the #TeamMusicNow side, aren't ya?

Thanks to the final chorus, your soul is resurrected. The sax riff appears once again and you become aware of God's existence for the second time. Your wig's been snatched and five years have been added to your life span. You're already overcome with emotion. It's all you've ever wanted from a pop masterpiece.

Now, I don't mind experiencing intense flashbacks from the 90s and 00s but we've heard the 'they don't make music like they used to' argument too many times. So stop being such a music snob and admit that songs today, like Carly Rae Jepson's 'Run Away With Me', are A-grade certified bops.





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HOW TO SURVIVE GROUP WORK

By Janelle Tai

This is the bane of every uni student's existence. They might as well name this assignment 'You're gonna get screwed over by your group members, good luck'. Who needs to know how to prepare for an interview? Sign me up for any workshop learning how to restrain from hitting group work members in the face with a table. Yes, group work is that bad and here are some tips on how to survive it.

DIVIDE WORK ACCORDINGLY AND LABEL WHAT WORK EACH PERSON DID

This is so that each person is responsible for their part and you WON'T go down with the ship when you hand in the full assignment (cue 'White flag' by Dido). If the quality clearly differs across group members, at least your tutor can identify who did what.



PASSIVE AGGRESSIVE OR ASSERTIVE?

Try being being passive aggressive, because all some people need is a little reminder or coaxing to get their lazy butts to it. If they don't respond after a couple of probings, be assertive! Message them and tell them that they aren't contributing their fair share of work.

GUILT TRIP THE CRAP OUT OF THEM

Post links, post many links on your Facebook group. Be annoying and post frequently in the group, so that they'll finally answer just to shut you up. But mission accomplished, you got their attention.

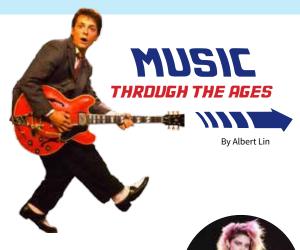
RAT THEM OUT TO YOUR TUTOR

Your group is hopeless at this point. Take matters into your own hands. This is your future! At least when you tell your tutor the situation they may be more lenient toward you when marking the assignment and grade the others accordingly. These people are weak and deserve it!

HAVE A STRESS OUTLET

Fellow friends who have fallen victim to bad group work are there to complain and make you feel better with their similar experiences. Or take it even further, go on the UNSW Rants Facebook page and let it ALL out.

If you're reading this and realise you're that shithead who doesn't communicate or contribute to your group work, get your act together.



THE 795: HIPPIES AND NAM

Woodstock in '69 started the 70s off with a bang. Along with an explosion in rock music, the 70s were also a time of tragedy, with the death of Jim Morrison, Jimi Hendrix, Janis Joplin, and Lynyrd Skynyrd. Pink Floyd became massive along with Swedish pop sensation, ABBA.

Notable songs: Bee Gees' 'How Can You Mend a Broken Heart?' and Led Zeppelin's Stairway to Heaven'.



THE 805: DISCO, DANCE AND HIP HOP

It was the decade of Madonna, Michael Jackson, Prince, NWA and David Bowie. Genres with names of euro-, and –dance grew.

Notable songs: David Bowie and Queen's 'Under Pressure', Cyndi Lauper's 'True Colours' and Journey's 'Don't Stop Believin'.

THE 50S: PDST-WAR PDP

Many of our modern genres started in this generation with pop, rock 'n' roll and blues becoming influential. It was the decade of Elvis, Chuck Berry, Johnny Cash and Miles Davis. The Rat Pack hadn't lost steam and Nat King Cole was still crooning his way into our grandparents' hearts. **Notable songs:** Dean Martin's 'Sway' Elvis' 'Hound Dog' and Peggy.

'Sway', Elvis' 'Hound Dog' and Peggy Lee's 'Fever'.

THE 905: RAP DOMINATION

Electronic music became more widespread. Artists like Green Day, Dr. Dre, Jeff Buckley and Britney Spears were huge. We also lost Kurt Cobain, Biggie and Tupac. Rap artists like Eminem came to prominence

Notable songs: Oasis' 'Wonderwall' and Coolio's 'Gangsta's Paradise'.



THE 605: THE BRITISH INVASION

This decade can be summarised by two words: The Beatles. Yes, Beatlemania had struck and the British group left their mark on the music landscape. The Beach Boys made surf rock popular and Motown started their no.1 record-making machine

Notable songs: Aretha Franklin's 'Respect', Chubby Checker's 'The Twist', Johnny Cash's 'Ring of Fire' and literally everything by the Beatles

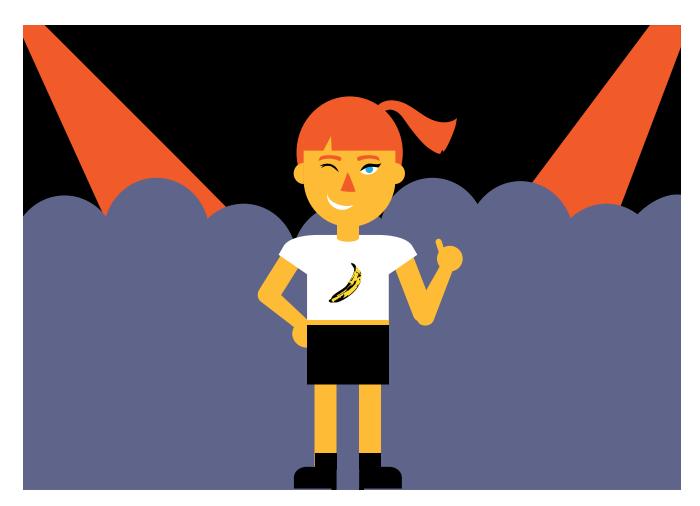


THE 005: RETROSPECTIVE CRINGE

High School Musical. *NSYNC, Christian rock. Boy bands. 'Nuff Said. **Notable songs:** The White Stripes' 'Seven Nation Army', Outkast's 'Ms. Jackson', Black Eyed Peas' 'Where Is The Love' and Daft Punk's 'One More Time'.

THE 185: TODAY

We have Bandcamp, Spotify and Soundcloud at our dispense. Explore.



HOW TO DRESS FOR A GIG WITHOUT TRYING

BY NADIA YEO

Couch potatoes, homies too lazy to look gig chic and plainly slothful peeps, I am back once again to make the best out of your concert experience!
All you have to do is to kick back, relax and laze on because this is the perfect guide to dressing concert smart, the easy way.

TOPS & BOTTOMS

The easiest and laziest trick in the book is to wear the performer's face splattered across like a Jackson Pollock painting. That immediately makes you 50-percent cooler and there's your ticket to the in-crowd. Sneaky eh?

Other than that, you have the liberty to wear a comfortable fitting shirt that satisfies the 'not too big, not too small' rule that was theorised in last issue's guide. Once that has been achieved, you will be free from looking like a potato sack or a sausage roll.

Moving onto bottoms. Yes, jeans and pants are obvious great choices but the problem arrives when you're 30 minutes into the show and it feels like your clothes got stuck in the tropics and the monsoon season of sweat just came by to say hi. That's when all the regrets come trickling in. You don't want a swimming pool of sweat under your clothes. Opt for shorts or a skirt instead.

Pockets: find an outfit with many pockets so that you can party without feeling like your sledgehammering people around you with your bag.

THE HAIR ISSUE

Short hair peeps, you have it easy. Long hair folks, put your hair up in a bun or a ponytail. You'll thank me later when you're stuck in a mosh pit on in between two overly giant people and it feels like a bad sauna. Plus side of having

your hair up, your hair will be free from soaking up dirty sweat and gross spilled drinks and you may potentially achieve the sleek back effortlessly chic ponytail look. Well, potentially.

DE-ACCESSORISE

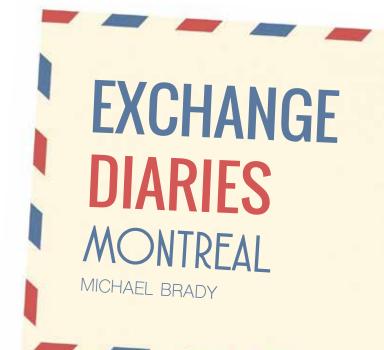
Remove all clunky accessories and random dangerous piercings because you don't want a blood bath nor a murder scene. We don't need the CSI crew involved here.

Take off your rings, over the top necklaces and other possible accessories that make you look like a Christmas tree. This ain't Christmas and you wouldn't want your favourite ring to join the rest of the fallen soldiers on the ground, ready to join the garbage bin.

FOOTWEAR

No thongs my friend. Unless you want to bid your overpriced pair of Havaianas goodbye then yes you may wear them.

Lesson here is to choose comfortable shoes. Honestly, no-one cares about feet. So wear what makes you feel good because you're swanky, cool and lazy like that!



Blitz chatted with Michael Brady about his exciting time in Montreal. Although we're not convinced that maple syrup makes a good "biscuit flavourer".

What university did you go to in Canada? The Schulich School of Music at McGill

The Schulich School of Music at McGill University

Why did you decide on Montreal for exchange?

As I'm majoring in Jazz performance, I wanted the opportunity to study music in a city where Jazz was deep in their musical culture. Combined with the challenge of working my way into an entirely new music scene and not knowing any French I couldn't refuse.

What surprised you most about Montreal?

Knowing the Montreal was a primarily French-speaking city, I was really surprised to see how bilingual the city was. An example of this is the greeting from service staff – "Bonjour-hi".

As a music student how do you find the music scene in Montreal?

I was amazed by simply how supportive the music scene was in Montreal. In regards to the Jazz scene there were three key venues with live music seven nights a week, two big Jazz schools and a steady flow of international acts visiting to play. Because the community was comparatively small to other big cities it meant that students were regularly playing at the same venues and meeting up with the same people who played the headline gigs.

What's your favourite Canadian band?

The Barenaked Ladies are a strong contender. However there were countless local Montreal artists whose gigs I really enjoyed such as Jim Doxas, Carlos Jiménez, The Liquor Store and Gas Station Mentality.

How is Montreal different from Sydney?

Well Montreal actually has four seasons as opposed to this 'usually more wet' and 'usually more hot' that we have in Australia. In my time there I experienced summer heat

of up to 35 degrees, autumn cover a city with red leaves, and left within a -27 degree winter morning. So that's different.

What do you think of Canadian food?

Poutine is phenomenal. Smoked meat is also quite good. However when eaten too much Canadian food is unkind.

Did you travel around Canada much?

Not too much. I visited Vancouver and Toronto for a couple of days each, however, I did spend some time down in New York City and Boston.

What was your favourite tourist activity?

A weekly summer festival in Parc du Mont-Royal called Tam Tams. Just imagine Woodstock but with African drum circles, circus performers and live action role play. Basically, it just smelt like Woodstock.

Any tips for students going on exchange?

Be creative and open to what exchange can mean for you. There will be so many amazing and equally unique opportunities that will come to you and taking hold of them can open up some really spectacular parts of the world.

RAPID FIRE OUESTIONS

Finish this sentence: Canada reminds me of...

Tim Hortons.

Your opinion of maple syrup?

Makes a much better biscuit flavourer

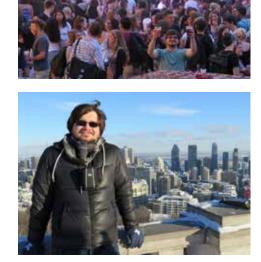
Tips for braving a Canadian winter?

Don't jump into powder snow wearing

Your favourite Canadian?

Bonhomme de Neige (the snowman at the Ouebec Winter Carnival).

Dreaming of going on exchange to Canada?
Check out student.unsw.edu.au/exchange for more info.









SPOTLIGHT

BY YAEL BRENDER

It's easy to see why Spotlight took home Best Picture at the 2016 Academy Awards. Based on true events, Spotlight tells the incredible story of how four renegade Boston Globe journalists uncovered the horrifying details of the systematic abuse of children by priests of the Catholic Church.

Spotlight's genius is in its calmly urgent take on upsetting and disturbing events. In doing so, director Tom McCarthy makes the events all the more sobering and realistic. The film resists the urge to turn its heroes into crusaders, instead relying on the innate excitement of investigative journalism.

The film is a magnificent valuation of the right and wrong of humanity, set in the volatile world of a changing newsroom; its cinematic importance in undeniable.

GRADE: HIGH DISTINCTION



DAREDEVIL: SEASON TWO

BY LIAM LUANGRATHRAJASOMBAT

Marvel and Netflix have made one of the greatest television partnerships of all time, with *Daredevil's* season two continuing the ultra-violent, gripping drama as Matt Murdock struggles to balance his two lives.

Season two unveils the Punisher, Elektra and a slew of problems. But, unlike season one's impressive balancing of both Wilson Fiske and Matt Murdock as compelling heroes of their own story, the new season is bogged down by too much action and too many characters.

That being said, few television series are as good as *Daredevil* to begin with, which is why I am so critical of this beloved series. *Daredevil* is riddled with the moral complexities as our protagonists tread the line between murder, guilt and doing what's right.

With a script, narrative and action that never ceases to impress, *Daredevil* is easily one of the best shows on television, but season two failed to top the masterpiece which was season one.

GRADE: HIGH DISTINCTION

KENDRICK LAMAR - UNTITLED UNMASTERED

BY NADIA YEO

Back off Kanye, now this is art. *Untitled Unmastered* is raw, real and a work of pure Kendrick Lamar greatness. While we were still learning the words to 'King Kunta', K. La decided to add to our lyrics to learn with a surprising new album.

Each track is untitled (as the album title suggests) and each track is like a numbered, nameless criminal. As hard as it is telling your friend which track to check out, its namelessness has an artistic appeal. The expectation of the song is stripped without the title and that's when the beauty of Kendrick's lyrics stand out.

Its plain album cover and colour scheme match the barf you made when you didn't check the expiration date of the meat and the font looks like something out of a children's picture book. But it's easy to ignore these details because of the album's poetic words and raw beats which make it a gem.

Forget his new Grammy win, Kendrick is in the game to bag one more shiny gramophone with *Untitled Unmastered*.

GRADE: HIGH DISTINCTION



REVIEWS

FACEBOOK BASKETBALL

BY ERIC QIAN

Unless you've managed to free yourself from the infinitely comforting cocoon that Facebook provides, it's likely you've been delighted/harrowed by an innocuous looking basketball game hiding in your Messenger app. Easy to play and hard to master, it has filled many a group chat with basketball emojis and score updates in the place of conversation.

The game is about quick strokes with the right angle and timing. Top tip: block out the world and see you and the ball as one. Let go of the emotional rollercoaster that comes with the game – the frustration of being unable to sink more than six hoops after getting 38, the pressure of breaking another high score, the awe at the basketball hoop moving in ways you'd never thought possible.

Facebook's created a potent combination by inserting something extremely addictive and easy to use into something else already extremely addictive and easy to use. It's not hard to imagine how app-chat integration might be used in the future. These possibilities might even harness the addictiveness of technology to make the world a better place.

Now excuse me while I go set a sweet, new high score.

GRADE: DISTINCTION



THE STORYTELLER

BY SRESTHA MAZUMDER

If you quickly glace at the blurb, you would think that this book by Jodi Picoult is about a girl who suffers from a lack of self-esteem and settles for being someone's mistress. However, that is only the tip of the iceberg.

Sage, our reserved protagonist and baker, befriends old man, Josef. As the pair get closer Josef confesses his secret of being a Nazi SS guard and begs Sage to kill him. The question of life and death plagues Sage and gets us wondering: should Sage kill evil or let it live?

Once again Jodi Picoult has written a book that makes you feel every possible feeling. She skilfully strikes a balance between action, suspense, romance and history. Consistent with her nature, Picoult ends the gripping book with an unexpected plot twist on the second last page. We won't spoil it for you, but you should get reading before someone else lets a spoiler lose.

GRADE: HIGH DISTINCTION



David O' Doherty

BY AMY KIMBALL

Irish comedian, David O' Doherty, packed a lot into his hour-long show for the Sydney Comedy Festival. We were treated to David's life lessons which were really just rhymes: "If your age is a prime number, you're allowed to steal a cucumber". He spoke about the impact of terrible Christmas presents and sang a ballad which he dedicated to the show *Grand Designs*.

O' Doherty has a fantastic stage presence, with a sharp edge of cynicism that makes for some great observations on life. I was constantly entertained not only by his hilarious ponderings and musical numbers, but by his general energy. He wandered around stage, at times lying on the floor or getting down on his knees and other times high-kicking with excitement.

This was his twelfth time appearing at the Sydney Comedy Festival and his experience shows. The show was both focused and rambling and everyone was on board for this comedy rollercoaster.

GRADE: HIGH DISTINCTION

TUNA MELT

A quick and easy lunch recipe. It's a favourite of mine when things are a little hectic! It's hard to believe that a few simple ingredients work so well together. It even convinced my friend Sabrina, who hates tuna.

PREP TIME: 5 MINS
COOK TIME: 50-60 MINS



SERVES: 1

INGREDIENTS

1/2 small avocado

1 small can of tuna

1/4 small red onion, finely chopped

1 tsp Dijon mustard

A few slices of tomato

A few lettuce leaves

2 slices of gluten free toast

Salt and pepper

DIRECTIONS

- 1. Cut avocado into a bowl and smash it with a fork until it's a smooth creamy texture. Add the tuna, chopped onions and Dijon mustard and mix well. Season with salt and pepper to taste.
- **2.** Spread the mixture onto one slice of bread, top with tomato and lettuce and cover with the other slice of bread.
- 3. Cut your sandwich in half and enjoy!





"You have brains in your head. You have feet in your shoes. You can steer yourself any direction you choose. You're on your own. And you know what you know. And YOU are the one who'll decide where to go..."

- Dr Seuss

Dr Seuss was right. Ahhh well, almost. But if you do consider yourself the Indiana Jones of Adventure, the James Bond of excitement, well Arc Goes To is for you. Formerly The Mob, this program aims to get city-dwellers reaching further than the daily commute. Anything is on the cards from making snow angels to indoor rock climbing. A snowball fight isn't out of the question either (don't say we didn't warn you).

Jump on the bandwagon for free day trips and dirt-cheap weekend trips. Grab your buds and think of this is schoolies 2.0.

It's the holiday you always wanted but we've done all the bargain hunting so you don't have too. Make new friends, have a great time and experience something new with Arc Goes To!

UPCOMING TRIPS

INDOOR ROCK CLIMBING Tuesday 24th May

THE NRCThursday 19th May

BIENNALE OF SYDNEY Sunday 29th May

VIVID SYDNEY
Thursday 2nd June

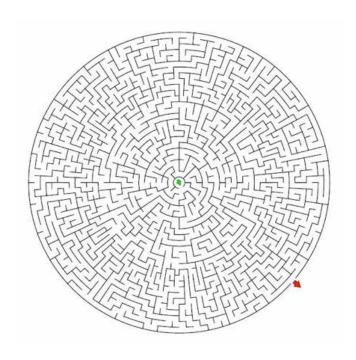
SNOW TRIP Saturday 2nd - Sunday 3rd September



Fancy yourself Bear Grylls? Looking for a bit of adventure? Head to arc.unsw.edu.au/goesto for some fun weekend activities that'll provide you with plenty of quality Insta material.

PUZZLES

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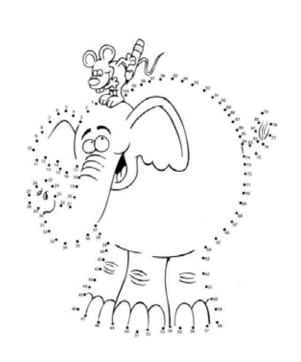
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HUB WORDS

How many words can you make from the letters in the wheel? Each word must contain the hub letter.



CONNECT THE DOTS





WHAT ARE THE BEST AND WORST PRESENTS YOU'VE GOTTEN YOUR MUM FOR MOTHER'S DAY?

Best present I've bought her was a necklace. The worst is candy, but I was five.

BEST OR WORST BIRTHDAY EXPERIENCE?

My best experience was when I was living in Argentina. All my friends, like 30 people, we gathered the night before and at midnight they all started singing 'Happy Birthday'.

ARE HIGH-FIVES COOL STILL COOL?
I think they're cool. When you accomplish something, you do a high-five.



VOX POPS



ENGINEERING/ COMMERCE

WHAT ARE YOU GETTING YOUR MUM FOR MOTHER'S DAY? That is a very good question. Probably something to do with cake decorating because she really likes baking.

BEST OR WORST BIRTHDAY PRESENT?

The worst present was when some family friends gave me an iron and I was thinking 'I'm not gonna do much ironing, I'm 9 years old'.

ARE HIGH-FIVES STILL COOL?

Yeah, high-fives are always cool.

WHAT ARE YOU GETTING YOUR MUM FOR MOTHER'S DAY?

I often buy a pot plant and it'll often have died by the next Mother's Day, so it's kind of a self-fulfilling present. I just buy one every year, haha.

FAVOURITE ARTIST/MUSICIAN AT THE MOMENT?

I have been listening to an amazing podcast called 'There's No Such Thing As A Fish'. It is so funny, you actually learn things.

ARE HIGH-FIVES STILL COOL?

WHAT ARE YOU GETTING YOUR MUM FOR MOTHER'S DAY? At the moment I'm so far away. I'm probably thinking to go into the city and get some lotions.

BEST OR WORST BIRTHDAY EXPERIENCE?

Worst experience: I was sick on my 18th so all my friends came and I couldn't do anything, I had to call off the event.

FAVOURITE CIDER?

I've only had a cider once and it was only because that was the only drink available. I don't mind it, I just think it's gotta be a hot day to drink it.



WHAT ARE YOU GETTING YOUR MUM FOR MOTHER'S DAY?
I don't do presents for Mother's Day. I send texts and call.

FAVOURITE CIDER?

Definitely Rekorderlig.

WHAT MUSIC ARE YOU INTO AT THE MOMENT? Kendrick Lamar, I went to his concert and it was awesome.

ARE HIGH-FIVES STILL COOL?



WHAT'S THE BEST PRESENT YOU'VE GOTTEN YOUR MUM FOR MOTHER'S DAY?

Tickets to this really great Norwegian singer, Susanne Sundfør.

BEST OR WORST BIRTHDAY PRESENT?

It was at work. No-one knew it was my birthday and it was a really shitty job, and I worked until 11pm.

ARE HIGH-FIVES STILL COOL?
In sports, yeah, it's cool. It's probably lost its value, it's not too cool anymore. *Puts her hand up for a high-five but her friend leaves her hanging*





BIRTHDAY

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\$5 SPECIALS FOR OUR 5TH BIRTHDAY

MON

CLASSIC BACON & EGG ROLLS All day

First 15 coffees to 15 individual customers FREE

TUES

PASTA OF THE DAY All day

> KOSCIUSKO **SCHOONERS** From 5pm

WED

CHICKEN SCHNITZELS From 5pm (limited to first 100, when you buy any alcoholic beverage)

LUCKY DRAW 5pm - 6pm Win 2 x \$50 bar tab with any vodka & Red

Bull purchased LIVE MUSIC From 5pm

CORONAS & HOUSE WINE All day

CORONA ACOUSTIC SESSION From 5pm

\$20 Corona buckets, giveaways and a \$500 Flight Centre voucher to be won with any Corona purchase

BBQ IN THE COURTYARD

From 5pm Sausage sandwiches and BBQ prawn rolls.

First 50 Kosciuscko jugs purchased get a FREE sausage sandwich or BBQ prawn roll

> LIVE MUSIC From 5pm

\$50 FOR 3 HOURS FREE FLOW HOUSE BEER, WINE, SPIRITS & PIZZA

From 6pm



DJ ANUJ IN THE COURTYARD Plus FREE transfers to a venue TBC 9.30pm