



From the Principal

Open Day

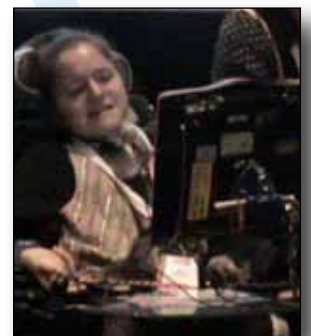
Thank you to all of the staff, students and parents who did so much to prepare for Open Day. It was wonderful to showcase our excellent programs and a great opportunity for prospective parents to look around our school. It was also great to see our community coming together for the benefit of the school. The Rowing Club provided an excellent example of community partnership – proudly showing the program and catering for visitors.

My sincere thanks go to Rosemary Wright, Trevor Stewart, Rod Smith and all of the grounds and facilities staff. The work they did in assisting us to look our best is appreciated by staff and students alike.

I was really impressed by the numbers of teachers and support staff who spent hours organising displays of student work, so that people could really understand what we teach and the quality of work we expect. Thank you to Peter Stone in Mathematics, Peter Splitek in Science, Tom Falkai in the Arts, Meredith Oliver in Health and Physical Education, Toby Watts in Technology Studies, Kathy Purvis in Languages, Sue Wendt in English and Bruce Stopp in Studies of Society, for supporting the staff in your learning areas. Thanks also to Jenni Miliauskas in the Resource Centre and John McKenzie Coordinator of the International Students Program for their excellent efforts. I had many positive comments from parents about the work they saw.

Alice Waterman's Presentation

Last week one of our Year 11 students Alice Waterman, presented at a National Conference. The Conference was the AGOSCI Conference (Australian Group for People with Severe Communication Impairments) held in Adelaide. I had the pleasure of seeing Alice rehearse her presentation to her Home Group last week. Alice, who is one of the students in our Link Program, spoke about how she uses the new communication device, Eco 2, as part of her life and study. I learnt a lot from the presentation – a lot about Alice as a person, as a student and as a user of the technology which enables her to speak through the use of a computer.



I have had feedback that Alice's talk was very well received by her audience and I would like to congratulate her for her achievement.

Susan Cameron, Principal



School News

Material and Service Charges

Fees for 2011 were due for payment at the end of Term 1. If you have not done so, payment at your earliest will be appreciated. School Card applications can still be made if you consider you may be eligible. If you require information regarding the 2011 School Card Scheme you can access it at www.dec.sa.gov.au/goldbook/ or you can phone their office on 1800 672 758. Application forms are also available from the Finance Office.

Part-payment is also an option. A signed agreement form is required and these are available from the Finance Office 8271 7576. A completed agreement must be adhered to.

Statements will be issued for all outstanding fees over the next two weeks. Failure to make payment or adhere to a payment plan will result in your details being forwarded to the DECS Recovery Team. Please avoid this by taking up one of the options above. Funds from the Material and Service Charge are applied to the delivery of your child's curriculum.

Rosemary Wright
Business Manager

International Student News

The International Student Program Coordinator, Mr Peter Trethewey, will be on Long Service Leave for the duration of Term 2. My name is John McKenzie and I will be in this role while Peter is on leave. It has been a busy start to the term, meeting the International Students and getting to know the ins and outs of the job. I look forward to the challenges the role may bring as the term progresses and getting to know the students.

You are welcome to contact me or Rhelma Stewart, International Student Officer, on 8272 1455, if you have any questions regarding the program.

WELCOME

A very warm welcome to the five new International Students who started with us this term. Forty one International Students are attending Unley High School this year. These students come from diverse backgrounds including China, South Korea, Japan, Italy, Germany and Vietnam.

STUDY ADELAIDE EXPO

The Study Adelaide Expo will be on this term during Week 4. This is a wonderful opportunity for the Year 11 and 12 International Students to see what is on offer for those going on to tertiary studies. More information will be available closer to the date.

ROTARY EXCHANGE NEW ZEALAND

Brownhill Creek Rotary is offering a short term exchange with New Zealand for Term 2, 2012. The exchange runs between families in New Zealand and Australia. A student from one country is matched with a student from the other country. Each student spends one school term living in the other student's home and attending their school.

The exchange is available to students aged between 13 ½ and 16 years on the 1 January 2012. Each student is sponsored by a Rotary Club.

Expressions of interest must be submitted by 1 June 2011. These are available from the school. If you are interested and would like more information about the exchange please phone John McKenzie or Rhelma Stewart on 8272 1455.

John Mc Kenzie
Coordinator, International Student Program

Canteen News

Many thanks to our volunteer parents for the donation of their valuable time to help us in the Canteen from 2 May to 13 May 2011.



Jenny Saint, Millie Kolovinos, Anne Ahn, Anna Chin, Helen White, Gail Dorman, Orania Hassiotis, Jenny Partoon, Alison Parkin, Kinivuai Tavui, Belinda Bosisto, Jo Gardiner, Mellisa Balla, Sharyn Finlay, Jo Donald

Thank you
Lorraine & Elaine

Open Day Biology Quiz

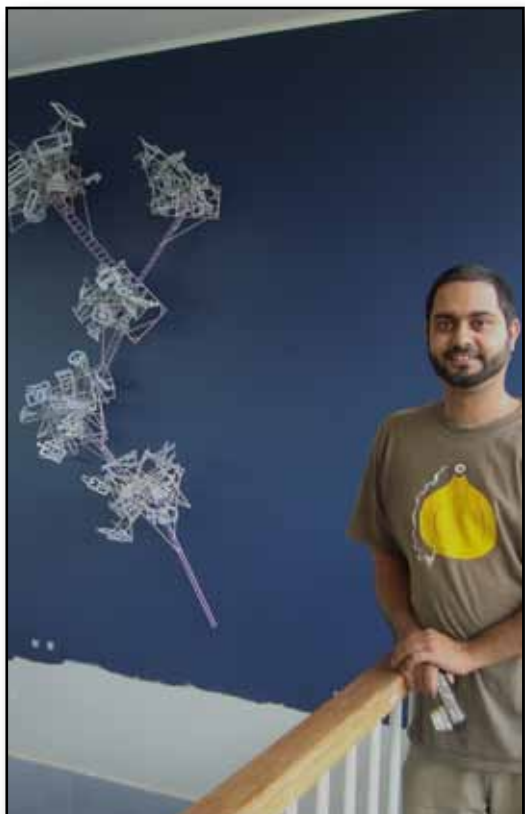
The Quiz Question: "Which famous scientist lived at 16 Carrick Hill Drive, Springfield, in his childhood?"

The answer: Lord Florey. He was the co-discoverer of Penicillin.

1st Prize Jo Verstegan of Goodwood
2nd Prize Braeden Townsend of Kingswood

Centenary Sculpture "100 Students, 100 years" - Roy Ananda

Our Centenary Sculpture has been installed and is now permanently displayed in the South Foyer Exhibition Gallery. The gallery area has recently been painted and features new display boards and a feature wall, as well as our new Centenary Sculpture, "100 students, 100 years".



Our Artist in Residence, prominent South Australian contemporary artist Roy Ananda worked with students to create a sculpture which reflects 100 ideas from our students. Over 100 students from Year 9 and 10 worked with Ananda, reflecting on what it meant to be a student at Unley High School over the past 100 years and their interests now.

Each student created their own work which was iconic and reflective of their ideas, and Ananda linked these with small ladders to make their connections.

Congratulations to all students who contributed to our sculpture.

Tours for Open Day on Sunday 15 May 2011 will be able to view the sculpture.

Terri Moore
Coordinator Performing & Visual Arts



Outdoor Education News

YEAR 10 CHOWILLA KAYAK EXPEDITION

The first day of Term 2 saw fourteen Year 10 students embark on a three day Kayak Expedition through the Chowilla backwaters of the River Murray (30 km from Renmark). The river was flowing very quickly which allowed the group to move with minimal effort, much to the delight of the students! The mud, however, was a different proposition with white socks and shoes taking a battering.

Paddling past the Isle of Man, down the Pipeclay, camping on the Chowilla, following the Monoman back to the River Murray and finishing at the headings was quite an experience. The extensive birdlife was superb, and no mosquitos!

A great group, a great trip and many lessons in outdoor living experienced by all.

Grant Henwood,
Outdoor Education Teacher.



Rowing News

On Saturday, April 9, the Unley High School Rowing Club boated eleven crews in the 'grand final' of the season at West Lakes. Competing against crews from Adelaide High School, CBC, Norwood-Morialta High School, PAC, Pembroke, Pulteney, Scotch, Seymour, St Peters, Walford and Wilderness, most crews recorded strong performances in the difficult head-wind conditions.



In particular, the Year 9A Boys crew (Angus Santostefano, Tom Edmonds, Austin Zilm, Nathan Spencer and Jared Lundy – cox) who won their race at the School State Championships the previous week, rowed a tactical race to overtake PAC and Pembroke to record a 3 second victory to take the 'Ferguson Cup'. Congratulations on a superb performance.



A special thank you to the many members of the Unley High School community who travelled to West Lakes to support the crews. Your presence and vocal support was truly appreciated.



On the evening of the regatta, a presentation dinner was held in the George Cresswell Hall. This provided an opportunity to acknowledge the season's events and performances, and also to recognise that all of our current achievements as a club are the culmination of more than 30 years of effort by many people.

Following speeches by the club's captains, vice-captains and coaches and medal presentations to all attending rowers, the Rowing Club 2011 awards were announced. The recipients of these awards were:

Matthew Draper Cup

Nicholas Henry

Senior Ironpersons

Imogen Brown and
Nathan Cartledge

Year 10 Ironpersons

Ruby Stevens and
Aaron Jones

Year 8/9 Ironpersons

Isobel Hercus and
Angus Santostefano

Senior Squad Awards

Chani-Sioux Bramford and
Hamish Straatman

Year 10 Squad Awards

Sophie Russell and
Aaron Jones

Year 9 Squad Awards

Gemma Luongo and
Austin Zilm

Year 8 Squad Awards

Verayna Zilm and
Edward Warren

Coxswain Award for the 'Most Dedicated Coxswain'

Isobel Hercus and
Jared Lundy

To conclude the evening, our Principal, Ms Cameron, emphasised some of the factors that make rowing truly a unique sport. It is these factors that foster engaging, positive and organisational objectives that assist our young people to raise personal standards, help each other to carry on and achieve the best they can.



Although regattas have now finished for the 2010/2011 season, during Terms 2 and 3, most crews will continue with a limited amount of fitness and strength training. Opportunities will also be made available for some 'Come'N'Try' sessions for students new to rowing who are considering rowing as a sporting option next season. The next major events for the club will be Open Day on Sunday May 15 and Spring Camp at Ankara, Walker Flat, from Friday, September 9 to Tuesday, September 13. If you require additional information, please contact the UHS Rowing Manager, Anita Hughes at anita.hughes@uhs.sa.edu.au

Congratulations to Laura Evans



Laura Evans is one of seven students from Mitcham Girls High School who studied Stage 2 Modern History at Unley High School in 2010. Laura achieved outstanding results, topping the state and winning the

Annie Montgomerie Martin Medal. Moreover, Laura was recently informed that she has won a full scholarship to attend the selective entry Abu Dhabi campus of New York University, where she will study Liberal Arts. We are delighted for her and wish her every possible success in the future.

Helen Jervis,
Stage 2 Modern History teacher.

Congratulations to Past UHS student

Most members of the school community will remember Tom Merrett who was a Year 12 student and Head Prefect in 2010. After a brilliant year, he was accepted into an Engineering course at the University of Adelaide.



On 25 February this year, Tom was one of one hundred and forty four students to receive a University of Adelaide Principals' Scholarship at a ceremony held in the Bonython Hall. These scholarships are awarded to students of outstanding academic merit, who have also made a significant contribution to their school and to the wider community.

The scholarship will provide an allowance of \$5,000 to assist with education/living costs for the first year of Tom's study at the University of Adelaide. The scholarships were presented by the Vice-Chancellor and President of the University, Professor James McWha in front of an audience of family, friends, principals and their representatives.

Unley High School congratulates Tom on gaining this scholarship and wishes him every success in his studies.

Jo Van der Zwaag

Christian Pastoral Support Worker News

Hi students, parents, caregivers and staff:

Term 1 is over and I thought I'd let you know what Jodi and I have been doing!

Craft Group is coming along nicely - we've made friendship bracelets and beaded jewellery and decorations. Next term we'll be moving onto hand sewn animals with wool and gloves/socks.

Animal Welfare has continued on with raising awareness about native animals with an excursion to Urrbrae to feed and pat some possums, long nosed potterooos, a tawny frogmouth, turtles and wombats. We'll soon be picking our animals of focus for this year and looking at fundraising.

Approximately twenty students have been attending Lunch Time TV in the Resource Centre every second Thursday. Students have enjoyed watching the *IT Crowd* and eating popcorn.

Our Year 8 Breakfasts are taking off with lots of students coming to see Jodi and I every second Thursday morning to get free delicious pancakes. This is great for students who get something nice to eat and the good company of others.

I also went on Year 8 camp in the beginning of the term which was a great way to meet students and hear what they want to do. We have been implementing a few of those ideas already with other staff members, including aerobics and upcoming table tennis tournaments.

Jodi and I went to sports day this term, I dressed up like a cat and Jodi dressed up like a woman with a recent knee operation! It was a great opportunity to meet students and cheer them on while they competed.

We're looking forward to continuing many of these activities and also others such as staff luncheons, girl's groups, games tournaments, social justice and more!

Kat Evans,
Christian Pastoral Support Worker

2010 YEAR 12 RESULTS

Unley High School students once again achieved outstanding results in 2010. Twenty-six students achieved an ATAR of more than 90 and another fourteen students achieved higher than 85. In all, our students achieved 217 A grades. 5 Merit Certificates (perfect scores) were awarded to Unley students.

99.15	Hayley Adams	Merit in Mathematical Studies; A in Chemistry, German, Specialist Mathematics, Physics.
99.15	Chiew Ping (Casey) Chai	Merit Chinese (continuers), English as a Second Language; A in Chemistry, Design Practical, Physics.
98.45	Elijah Glyptis-Reynolds	A in English Studies, Modern History, Psychology, Studies of Society, Visual Arts Studies.
98.1	Florence Culleton	A in English as a Second Language, Legal Studies, Mathematical Applications, Psychology.
97.05	Chloe Robinson	Merit in Tourism; A in English Studies, Italian (continuers), Legal Studies, Mathematical Studies.
95.95	Ingo Block	A in English Studies, Legal Studies, Modern History, Psychology.
95.7	Jacob Randell	A in Chemistry, English Communications, Mathematical Studies, Physics.
95.5	Amelia Wakeham	A in Biology, English Communications, Nutrition, Psychology.
95.5	Tabatha Walker	A in Legal Studies, Psychology, Studies of Society, Tourism.
95.5	Grace Morcom	A in Biology, English Communications, Modern History.
95	Harrison May	A in English Communications, Modern History, Physics.
94.8	Michael Buckett	A in English Communications, Specialist Mathematics, Mathematical Studies, Physics.
94.8	Stamatina Halikias	A in English Communications, Modern Greek (continuers), Psychology.
94.25	Ga Jin Kim	A in Biology, Chemistry, Physics.
93.6	Viki Nikas	A in Art Practical, English Communications, Food & Hospitality Studies, Legal Studies, Psychology.
93.6	Megan Williams	A in Chemistry, Mathematical Studies, Physics.
93.35	Oliver Kirk	A in Biology, Design Practical, English Communications, Nutrition.
92.35	Madeleine Whaites	A in English Communications, Health Studies, Nutrition, Studies of Society.
92.35	Jazz Mignone	A in Art Practical, English Communications, Food & Hospitality Studies.
92.35	Melissa Au	A in English Communications, Visual Arts Studies.
92.35	Sameer Javidi	A in English as a Second Language, Mathematical Studies.
91.2	Niloy Chowdhury	A in English as a Second Language, Mathematical Studies.
91.2	Tom Merrett	A in English Communications, Physics.
90.8	Christina Cannizzaro	A in English Communications, Food & Hospitality Studies, Psychology, Visual Arts Studies.
90.8	Emily Erickson	A in Psychology, Studies of Society.
90.15	Matthew Gilmore	A in Ensemble Performance, Solo Performance, Mathematical Studies.
89.8	Rebekah Griffith	A in English Communications, Food & Hospitality Studies, Mathematical Applications, Psychology.
89.8	Yaroslava King	A in English Communications, Food & Hospitality Studies, Psychology, Studies of Society.
88.75	Nathan Buder	A in Design Practical, English Communications, Studies of Society.
88.75	Kosta Michaloudakis	A in Legal Studies, Modern Greek (continuers), Studies of Society.
88.4	Rose Burford-Rice	A in Health Studies, Modern History, Psychology.
88.4	Sarah Jamieson	A in Psychology.
88	Sophie Panousakis	A in English Communications, Health Studies.
88	Isabel McIntyre	A in English Communications.
87.7	Antigone Hanna	A in Italian (continuers), Visual Arts Studies.
87.7	Trent Dorman	A in English Communications.
86.8	Lauren Binns	A in English Communications, Health Studies.
86.4	Jonathon Wotton	A in English Communications.
86	Sing-Chean Moo	A in English Communications.
85.15	Terry Koufos	A in Early Childhood Studies, English Communications, Psychology.
84.8	Hanna Daher	A in Food & Hospitality Studies, Legal Studies, Tourism.
84.8	Laura Tansell	A in English Communications, Health Studies.
84.8	Ruojun Wang	A in English as a Second Language, Mathematical Studies.
84.35	Elliot Womersley	A in English Communications, Legal Studies.
84.35	Hong In Vong	A in English as a Second Language.
84	Nicholas Adeney	Merit in Communication Products A; A in Music in Context.
84	Zachary Matthews	A in Ensemble Performance.
83.6	Chrystal Douflias	A in Health Studies.
83.6	Laura Harris	A in English Communications.
82.75	Edward Werner	A in English Communications, Psychology, Studies of Society.
82.35	Kimberley Handley	A in English Communications.
82.35	Jane Li	A in Early Childhood Studies.
82.35	Huw Robinson	A in English Communications.
82.35	Emma Tansell	A in English Communications.
81.85	Emma Gericke	A in English Communications, Mathematical Applications.
81.85	Elana Sarita Avery	A in English Communications.
81.85	Radhimalar Rajenthiran	A in Psychology.
81.45	Eden Leah Bonython-Wright	A in English Communications, Music in Context, Visual Arts Studies.
81.45	Jennifer Collier	A in Food & Hospitality Studies, Visual Arts Studies.
81.45	Ainslie Fryar	A in English Communications, Health Studies.
80.95	Elena De Pasquale	A in English Communications, Food & Hospitality Studies.
80.95	Samuel Brice	A in English Communications.

GARDEN OF REMEMBRANCE



As part of our Centenary celebrations, an area outside of the Performing Arts Centre was dedicated to the memory of past scholars who died during the World Wars, in particular World War I. A 'Gallipoli' Rosemary Bush for each of our known, original scholars who died has been planted.

The surrounding area was also extended to include Pavers etched with current and former scholars and staff.

We are still accepting orders to extend this area. Profits from the Paving will add to our fundraising endeavors for air conditioning in the George Cresswell Hall.

This will be an ongoing process until all vacant spaces are used. If you would like to add your name to this area please download the form from our website or contact the front office. A single brick will cost \$40 and a double brick \$90. The next batch of pavers will be ordered at the end of May 2011.



Rosemary Wright

Entertainment Books

The Rowing Club is selling Entertainment Books.

For \$65 you can save hundreds of dollars when using the Entertainment Book.

If you wish to reserve a copy please email

victoria.hillier@uhs.sa.edu.au

until 27 May 2011, or

anita.hughes@uhs.sa.edu.au

after 27 May 2011 or phone 8272 1455.

I will need your child's name and home group. I will then supply them with a payment form, which goes to student services for payment.

The books are available for purchase from now until the end of June 2011.

Victoria Hillier,
Rowing Coordinator (Acting)

Unley High School Centenary Memorabilia

We still have items available for purchase at reduced prices.

Centenary Port was \$20 now \$12

Pen with pouch **SOLD OUT**

Coffee Mug **SOLD OUT**

Golf Umbrella was \$24 now \$15

Boxed Tie was \$30 now \$25

Stubby Holder **SOLD OUT**

Book (Unley High School:100 Years of Schooling)

was \$44 now \$30



PARENTING ADOLESCENTS

Term 2, 2011

THE TEEN YEARS

Growing great kids!

6 evening sessions

Starting Friday 6th May

6.30 pm – 9.00 pm

Relationships Australia

49a Orsmond St

Hindmarsh

Cost \$80/ \$50:

LISTENING TO YOUNG PEOPLE

1 session

Thursday 19th May

1.00 pm – 3.00 pm

Relationships Australia

Westfield shopping centre

Oaklands Park

No Cost

Bookings: 8377 5400

GETTING YOUR

MESSAGE ACROSS

1 session

Thursday 26th May

1.00 pm – 3.00 pm

Relationships Australia

Westfield shopping centre

Oaklands Park

No Cost

Bookings: 8377 5400

TALKING ABOUT SEX

1 session

Thursday 9th June

1.00 pm – 3.00 pm

Relationships Australia

Westfield shopping centre

Oaklands Park

No Cost

Bookings: 8377 5400

“DRUG PROOFING” YOUR KIDS

1 session

Thursday 16th June

1.00 pm – 3.00 pm

Relationships Australia

Westfield shopping centre

Oaklands Park

No Cost

Bookings: 8377 5400

STAYING SANE DESPITE

1 session

Thursday 23rd June

1.00 pm – 3.00 pm

Relationships Australia

Westfield shopping centre

Oaklands Park

No Cost

Bookings: 8377 5400

TALK SO YOUR TEEN

WILL LISTEN AND

LISTEN SO YOUR TEEN TALKS

1 Night Session

Wednesday 18th May

7.30 pm – 9.30 pm

Effective Living Centre

26 King William Road

Wayville

Cost \$15/ \$10

Registration: 8271 0329

DEVELOPING RESILIENCE

1 Night Session

Wednesday 22nd June

7.30pm – 9.30 pm

Effective Living Centre

26 King William Road

Wayville

Cost \$15/ \$10

Registration: 8271 0329

SUGAR & SPICE

Issues facing teen girls

3 Weekly Sessions

Starting Wednesday 22nd June

6pm – 9pm

Centacare

33 Wakefield St Adelaide

No cost

Bookings: 8210 8200

INSIDE HIS HEAD

Understanding Teen Boys

3 Weekly sessions

Starting Wednesday 1st June

6.00 pm – 9.00 pm

Centacare

33 Wakefield St Adelaide

No cost

Bookings: 8210 8200

Further information sessions from Relationships Australia can be found at <http://www.rasa.org.au/>



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As a parent you may be a good driver; but being able to teach your Learner is not an easy task.

A recent national survey of more than 1,250 parents of Learner drivers found that almost half (45.5%) were nervous or apprehensive when they began teaching their teen how to drive.

keys2drive is a federally funded program that has been developed by the Australian Automobile Association which aims to take the drama out of learning to drive. It helps parents to prepare for their role as a supervising driver and to ensure that any time spent in the car with their Learner is

successful and effective.

keys2drive is a **free** lesson (involving theory and on-road) delivered by an accredited professional driving instructor to any Learner who is accompanied by their supervising driver – most often a parent.

This program, the single largest Learner driver safety program undertaken in Australia, represents a unique and valuable experience for parents and their Learner drivers.

To register for a free lesson or to learn more, visit www.keys2drive.com.au

Term 2 Diary Dates

June 20-24	Year 11 Exams	
June 30	Year 8 HPV Dose 2 & Varicella, Year 9 Boostrix	
July 8	Early Dismissal - End of Term 2	2:15pm

Term 3 Diary Dates

August 9	UHS School Council Meeting	7.00pm
August 22	Year 10 Subject Selection	1.30-8.00pm
September 2	STUDENT FREE DAY	
September 5	SCHOOL CLOSURE DAY - Show Day	
September 13	UHS School Council Meeting	7.00pm
September 29	Year 8 Hepatitis B Dose 2 & HPV Dose 3	
September 30	Early Dismissal - End of Term 3	2.15pm



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