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## NEWS FROM THE APO



We are in the final week of teaching and I hope you have all had a good semester. Exams are fast approaching so please make sure you check where your exams are being held, the days and times.

Applications for various things are almost closed, including the School Summer Research Scholarships and Honours so if you are thinking about these, make sure you apply very soon.

The Mental Health Awareness Event at Roseworthy was a great success. Thanks to the Counselling and Disability and Student Service's teams who put this event together. It is important to have a balance in your life and the event showcased some great activities to help achieve this balance (yoga, massage, 'sometimes' food, socialising and games!!)

Each year the School recognises outstanding student achievements through a range of prizes and scholarships. These prizes will be awarded on Friday 12<sup>th</sup> December. The event will also incorporate the final year Doctor of Veterinary Medicine students Valedictory Ceremony.

**Good luck for your exams!**

**Kat Norris**  
Academic Programs Officer  
School of Animal and Veterinary Sciences

### Diary Dates:

31/10/2014 - End of Teaching

7/11/2014 - End of Semester

10-21/11/2014 - Roseworthy Exams

10-16/12./2014 -

Replacement/Additional Assessment

23-27/-2/2015-O'Week

2/03/2015—Semester Starts



### Do you have a locker key?

Just a reminder for all final year Vet and Animal Science students and any other students or staff leaving the Campus or any one else who no longer requires their locker . Please ensure you return your locker key to the Student Services office.

If your locker key happens to leave Campus and is unable to find its way back a charge of \$25.00 will be added to your student account. If you have at some stage borrowed the spare key to your locker and have "lost" it you will be charged an additional fee to cover the cost of replacing the lock.





# ROSEWORTHY RESIDENTIAL COLLEGE



A huge 'thank you' to Chrissy McGuinness for the fabulous images she has provided throughout the year.



# ROSEWORTHY RESIDENTIAL COLLEGE

## Tennis Tournament



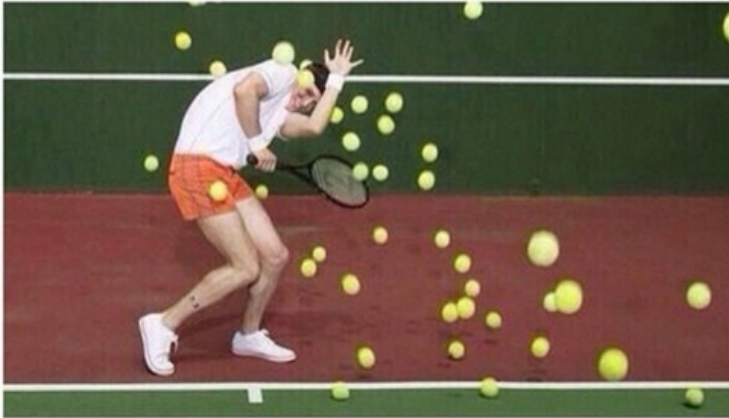
**Thank You**  
Magda Stern  
and Thomas Westermann  
for organising the Tennis Tournament

**Congratulations**  
to all the winners.



# STUDENT SUPPORT AND DISABILITY ADVISOR

Is this how you feel at this time of the semester?



**The end of semester is fast approaching and so are exams!  
Don't let this be you.**

**If you're starting to feel stressed and need information such as.....**

- Study techniques**
- Exam preparation tips**
- Strategies to tackle different styles of exams**
- Tips to manage exam anxiety**
- Time management**
- Procrastination**

**....then the Student Support and Disability Advisor may be able to you help you.  
Appointments are free and confidential to all students.**

## Are you feeling overwhelmed with the thought of exams? Having trouble sleeping?



**If this is you then the Student Support and Disability Advisor may be able to you help you with strategies to relax and achieve better sleep.**

**Appointments can be booked by contacting Elaine Wilson at the front counter (main building)  
Sally is available for appointments on Monday, Thursday and Friday's.  
Phone: 8313 7932      Email: [sally.polkinghorne@adelaide.edu.au](mailto:sally.polkinghorne@adelaide.edu.au)**

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If you have an appointment with Sally please advise the staff at the Student Services front counter, Roseworthy College Hall.



## STUDENT SUPPORT AND DISABILITY ADVISOR

### Have you seen the UniThrive App!

Download the UniThrive App to...



- *Monitor your current mood*
- *Hear quotes from three helpful individuals - you choose who!*
- *Receive daily tips*
- *Record what you're grateful for and what has gone well*
- *Use our relaxation resources*
- *Prompt yourself to do the small things*
- *Enjoy seeing and hearing our UniThrive sheep!*

## CLOSURE OF ROSEWORTHY CAMPUS CHILD CARE CENTRE

As you may have already heard, this month the Management Committee of the Roseworthy Campus Child Care Centre, voted to make the difficult decision to cease operation of the Centre by the end of the year 2014. The Management Committee is extremely saddened by this decision, which was made as a result of a long process of discussions, budget projections and consultations with external advisers.

The staff are leaving with heavy hearts but wonderful memories of all the little lives that have been a part of such a special Centre. To say goodbye, the Centre would like to invite families to their final Family Christmas BBQ on the 28<sup>th</sup> November.

The Centre's final closure date is 12/12/14.



The café will be open daily during semester from **8:30am to 5pm**.

Dinner is from **6pm to 7:30pm**. Staff and guests are welcome to come in and purchase a meal during dinner time.

The tavern can be booked for student and staff events.

**Wishing you all the best for your exams .**

For assistance from the café please contact Cath Frankel 8 313 7815 or email: [roseworthy.cafe@adelaide.edu.au](mailto:roseworthy.cafe@adelaide.edu.au)



## NEWS FROM THE LIBRARY

### Library Hours - Semester Times

Monday	8.30am – 9.00pm
Tuesday	8:30am – 6:00pm
Wednesday	8.30am – 9.00pm
Thursday	8:30am – 6:00pm
Friday	8:30am – 5:00pm

### New computers in the Library

Four more student computers are now available in the Library. Two are located in the Computer Room and two located with the public access computers.

# Sunday Opening hours

The Library will be open on Sunday from 1:00pm to 5:00pm on the following dates during the exam period:

2<sup>nd</sup> November

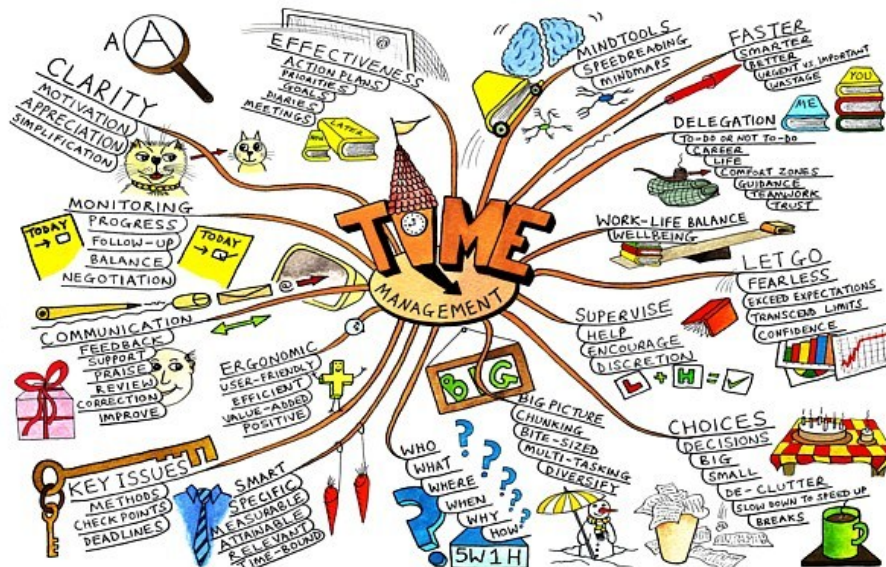
9<sup>th</sup> November

16<sup>th</sup> November

Come along to the library on these Sundays to make use of the additional opening times

Library hours during semester break will be  
Monday – Friday 9am – 5pm

Library staff wish all students good luck with exams.





## Look what's new in the Union Office



### Buddy Graduation Bear

Member Price - \$26.95 Non-members price \$29.95



### Silver Pen and Box

Member Price - \$26.95 Non-members price \$29.95

University of Adelaide Gifts



### Cufflinks

Member Price - \$13.50 Non-members \$15.00

University of Adelaide Memorabilia



### Lapel Pin

Member Price - \$6.30 Non-members \$7.00

University of Adelaide Memorabilia



*Come and see Tracey at the Union Office and browse the new range of merchandise and giftware.*



## Student Associations and Special Interest Groups



This year has been full of exciting events for the Companion Animal Special Interest Group.

We have heard various lunchtime talks on asthma, hyperthyroidism and nutrition for young animals. Our members also enjoyed a red carpet screening of Dr. Olaf Schaaf's spay/neuter video, Haematology wet lab run by Idexx and the President of the Australian Small Animal Veterinary Association; Dr. Graham Swinney, delicious cupcakes for RSPCA Cupcake Day and a tour of the Royal Society of the Blind.

CASIG has also been fortunate enough to partner with AABSIG on a number of occasions including a talk on neurology of behavior, and a demonstration from a Police Dog.

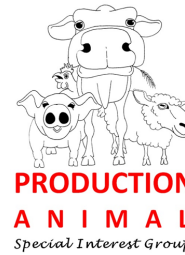
Thanks to our Sponsors: *Hill's, Vet's Best, Idexx, AUU, Wombaroo and Passwell.*

The year isn't over yet! Our final event for this year is: **31st October Cocktail event with Vets Beyond Borders**

Suture kits will become available for purchase very soon also, for delivery by the end of the year!

We hope to see you soon, feel free to contact us with any queries: [companionanimalsig@auu.org.au](mailto:companionanimalsig@auu.org.au)

Chrissy  
President of the Companion Animal Special Interest Group



PASIG held its major event for 2014 during the first part of semester 2, Rural Practice Day. Stations involved ultrasound demonstrations on cattle, horses and alpacas, hoof trimming, nerve block locations and alpaca handling and restraining. Thank you to all students who participated and the staff involved.



Students look on as Dr Andrew Hoare gives a demonstration at Rural Practice Day



Students were able to use different ultrasounding techniques throughout the day, in this case to assess the alpaca heart.

**End of Year BBQ,  
30<sup>th</sup> October Vet school lawns, 5:00pm onwards**



## Student Associations and Special Interest Groups



It has been a busy and fun time for the ESIG this semester! On the 23<sup>rd</sup> of August in conjunction with PASIG, the 2014 Rural Practice Day was held. The day kicked off at 9am and students rotated between 5 stations working with horses, cattle and alpacas. Students also learnt about biosecurity precautions, nerve blocks, hoof amputations, bandaging, ultrasound methods, general husbandry and much, much more!

On the 13<sup>th</sup> of September we were very lucky to be involved in another castration clinic held at the Adelaide Plains Equine Clinic, taken by the very knowledgeable Elizabeth Herbet and her fantastic team. Students enjoyed watching a demonstration, administering tetanus injections, inserting microchips as well as having a go at castrating themselves.

This year on the 14<sup>th</sup> of September we had our very first Equine Biomechanics and Muscle Day. We were very lucky to have the knowledgeable Alastair Brooks, an equine tension release therapist who flew from Melbourne spend the day just with us! Alastair has spent 70 years with horses and has extensive knowledge on their anatomy and physiology, as well as holistic approaches to medicine. Students partook in a morning session of theory and then were able to watch demonstrations and have a go to understand the benefits of this very amazing therapy approach themselves.

Our last event of the year was at Globe Derby on the 10<sup>th</sup> October 4.30pm – an evening at the trots! Students had a tour of the facilities, worked with the vets, enjoyed a meal and watched the races.

For further information about ESIG please contact [achlan.cameron@student.adelaide.edu.au](mailto:achlan.cameron@student.adelaide.edu.au)

Regards

Lachie Cameron

ESIG President



For more information about Student Associations and Special Interest Groups within the School of Animal and Veterinary Sciences visit [www.adelaide.edu.au/vetsci/current-students/associations/](http://www.adelaide.edu.au/vetsci/current-students/associations/)



# RACSUC

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## Waite vs Roseworthy Footy - Victory for Rosey, girls footy and netball won by Waite



Good luck for semester 2 exams, especially for those of you who will be concluding your studies.  
To the rest, can't wait to see you all again for O'Week 2015!!!



# RACSUC

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## Student Care

Education and Welfare Officers  
8313 5430  
[studentcare@adelaide.edu.au](mailto:studentcare@adelaide.edu.au)

Education and Welfare Officers are able to provide advice, support or information on; academic complaints, grievances and student rights issues, accommodation assistance, loans and small grants, information and referral for any issue which affect a student's ability to study, as well as Centrelink, taxation and legal assistance.

An Education and Welfare Officer will come to Roseworthy to meet with you or accompany you to any academic meeting that you need to attend if necessary.

For an appointment please call  
8313 5430 or email [studentcare@adelaide.edu.au](mailto:studentcare@adelaide.edu.au)

## Grants

**Walter Dorothy Duncan Trust**, The Walter & Dorothy Duncan Trust provides financial assistance with educational costs for students who do not have sufficient funds to further their studies, including projects of merit i.e. exchange trips or to purchase necessary resources. This grant is only for continuing students who have completed at least one semester at the University of Adelaide and who have demonstrated academic merit. Grant amounts vary **depending on need**, and availability of funds.

**Please contact us as above for an appointment or further information.**

## Replacement Exams

**A reminder to all students that if you need to apply for a replacement exam this should be done as soon as the event necessitating the replacement exam occurs.**

The University policy states the following\_.

As a general rule, the University does not consider minor ailments such as colds and respiratory infections as grounds for being certified unfit to sit an exam. Students are encouraged to sit the primary examination. There is no guarantee that a R/AA will be offered. Students who have a medical condition of a temporary or permanent nature may be able to complete their examination under Alternative Exam Arrangements.

**Before the primary exam:** Students with an illness and/or exceptional personal circumstances must submit their application for R/AA to their School or Faculty **no later than 5 business days** after the occurrence of the condition, illness and/or exceptional personal circumstances, which form the grounds on which their application is made, regardless of the date of the primary exam.

**During the exam:** Students with an illness and/or exceptional personal circumstances **on the day of the primary exam** must notify an exam supervisor at the venue and apply for R/AA **within 5 business days** of the date of the primary exam.

R/AA is discretionary. Students are encouraged to attend the primary exam wherever possible; as there can be no guarantee that a R/AA will be offered.

More information regarding the University policy on Replacement exams can be found here.  
<http://www.adelaide.edu.au/student/exams/supps.html>

If you are uncertain of whether to apply then please discuss with the school or contact Student Care for further information.

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*Please email any contributions for the Roseworthy Student Newsletter to Elaine at [elaine.wilson@adelaide.edu.au](mailto:elaine.wilson@adelaide.edu.au)*

*Next contributions due February 2015 .*

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