REMINDERS:
- EXPERIENCE RMIT – for holiday programs see: www.rmit.edu.au/experiencedays
- EXPLORE OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY – 14th July @ Austin; contact keely.zenner@austin.org.au

1. FIND OUT ABOUT NURSING DEGREES AT DEAKIN UNIVERSITY – Deakin nursing graduates are well regarded and well prepared for work. Find out about Deakin courses at an information session:
- Burwood Campus: 6-8pm, Wed 20 July, Building BC, Burwood Corporate Centre, Level 2, OR 2.30-4.30pm, Sat 23 July, Building BC, The Point, L 1;
- Geelong Waterfront campus: 6-8pm, Wed 20 July, OR 2.30-4.30pm, Sat 23 July, both Building AD, Western Beach Room 6.104;
- Warrnambool campus: 7.30pm, 22/7, 165 Timor St.
Book: Ph 9244 3059; See: www.deakin.edu.edu/nursing-midwifery.

2. MORE DEAKIN NEWS –

- Faculty of Business and Law – preparing to find a job will soon be part of the Commerce degree, with a compulsory unit in career planning being piloted. This Personal Insight unit will provide career development experiences, and has a clear focus on co-creating a professional identity. You will explore personal aspects of yourself to create a portfolio of career resources.
- Elite Sports Precinct Developments – The first stage of the new Elite Sports Precinct has opened at the Geelong Waurn Ponds campus providing state-of-the-art facilities for exercise and sport sciences and physical education teaching students, and for student engagement and community sport.
- Kickstart your Course and Career Exploration at Deakin – ‘Explore’ is a digital tool enabling you to search for courses and corresponding career possibilities, and vice versa. If you don’t know what to do when you finish school and want help with ideas, give it a try!
  - Visit explore.deakin.edu.au.

3. VCE LECTURES AT THE UNIVERSITY OF MELBOURNE – The Faculty of Arts is offering VCE Winter School for Year 10-12 students. There will be lectures, seminars and tutorials in three VCE subjects: Literature, Australian History and History Revolutions. The program is developed with VCE experts and examiners, giving students the opportunity to excel in their VCE exams. When: Literature - 27 and 28 June, Australian History - 29 June, History Revolutions – 30 June and 1 July; Where: Old Arts Building, Melbourne University; Bookings: Book Now or email vce-arts@unimelb.edu.au.

4. DESIGN EVENTS COMING AT SWINBURNE – Swinburne is offering a Discover Design student holiday program. It is a creative program for Year 10-12 students who would like to learn more about design careers, courses and pathways. Participants will develop a design portfolio, broaden their problem-solving and design-thinking skills and work in teams – just like in a real design studio. When: 5-8 July (registration 9am for a 9.30am start); Where: Level 3, Advanced Manufacturing design Centre, Hawthorn campus; Cost: $160; Register: Register now.

5. WHICH CAREER SUITS MY PERSONALITY?

- SEE: MY CAREER MATCH – There are many tools available for finding out which careers will best suit you. RMIT is offering ‘My Career Match’, an online tool where you can fill out a personality questionnaire and receive a comprehensive career profile detailing traits and strengths of your personality type, suitable career paths, and relevant courses. Check out RMIT’s My Career Match profiles at: www.rmit.edu.edu/programs/myprofile. Use the access code RMIT:180 when accessing it.

6. LA TROBE UNIVERSITY NEWS –

- The Bachelor of Criminology is being offered in 2017. Unlike some other criminology degrees, this particular degree will feature forensics as a core component. It will also include Integrated Workplace Learning (IWL) as a part of the course, giving students the opportunity to use their knowledge, and to assist with future employment.

7. ASPIRE, a well-received and recognised La Trobe initiative for domestic undergraduate school leavers. The program recognises the positive impact that a student has had on their local community. Community engagement and objective school achievement forms a significant part of the assessment criteria of the program, not ATAR scores. Applications for 2017 entry open on shortly on 1 June and close on 31 August. See: www.latrobe.edu.edu/aspire. WHERE MIGHT A SCIENCE DEGREE TAKE ME?
  - Are you fascinated by nature? You can discover more about living things with biology and environmental science or even biotechnology where you can learn about everything from farming to pharmacy products.
  - Do you want to be at the forefront of technology? A career in chemistry allows you to test and produce anything from penicillin to polythene or if you’d like food for thought consider the potential of food science.
  - Are you curious about the universe? Physics looks at the smallest sub-atomic particles and the forces of the universe but if you want to explore a new frontier of science, discover nanotechnology.
  - Are you intrigued by the potential of numbers? Mathematics finds patterns and connections and can help to model systems and develop theories and formulas while statistics can allow you to predict trends by using data to make conclusions. If you fancy yourself as a forecaster, analytics can help you see preferences and anticipate actions.
  - If maps and modelling interest you, this could lead you to a career in surveying. Alternatively, find out how location has an impact on the way we interact with world around us with geospatial science.