

# Information from the Career's Desk.

## Tertiary Information Seminar for Yr 12 Students

Year 12 students were informed about this excursion to LaTrobe University during the assembly last week. Students who are interested in attending the excursion to LaTrobe University on Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> May will be given permission forms during pastoral care in the first week back next term. During this excursion students will get the opportunity to have a look around LaTrobe University, here about how to apply for a tertiary place for 2010, have a chance to speak to representatives from all of the Victorian University, TAFE's and some private providers and finish up having a look at the Residential Colleges. Classes will run as normal at Assumption for students who choose not to attend this excursion.

## Assumption College Career Morning

Once again we will be holding a career information morning at ACK at the start of next term. The date we have been given is Monday 18<sup>th</sup> May. This information session will be for Yr 11 and 12 students. We are in the process of inviting many of the tertiary providers and the private associations. If any parent, friend or other family members are able to help us out by making a presentation at the expo we would love to hear from you.

## Got a passion for Art and Design or Film and TV?

Want to know how to combine imagination, innovation and a creative mind with smart business sense as a career? Then go to **Swinburne** in the holidays and meet with teachers from their Art and Design/Film & TV courses. **When:** 9.30am-3.30pm, Thurs 7 April; **Where:** Swinburne (Prahran), 144 High St; **Cost:** Free, including lunch; **Register:** [www.future.swinburne.edu.au/artanddesign](http://www.future.swinburne.edu.au/artanddesign); **Contact:** Stephanie Yeoh for details, 9214 8298, [spyeoh@swinburne.edu.au](mailto:spyeoh@swinburne.edu.au). Places limited.

## Do you want a job that could take you around the world?

Are you interested in working with the latest satellite and imaging technology? Would you like to plan roads and subdivisions for new housing estates, map the ocean floor, predict earthquakes and investigate crime scenes? Do you prefer to work outdoors?

Experience a day-in-the-life of a Surveyor on Friday 15<sup>th</sup> May at GOTAFE in Shepparton. The cost is \$10. For further information contact Vaughan Patullo on 58 332 833

## Want to see LaTrobe University (Bundoora Campus) - Then try 'Talk and Tour'.

This tour is suitable for Yr 10-12's students and their families wanting to see the campus/facilities, explore courses and meet faculty representatives. **When:** 9.30am-12noon, 7 April (optional afternoon activities); **Where:** Glenn College, Plenty Rd, Bundoora; **Info:** 1300 135 045; **Bookings (essential):** [www.latrobe.edu.au/study/events/talk-and-tour-2009](http://www.latrobe.edu.au/study/events/talk-and-tour-2009).

## Want to find out about Monash University?

Monash offer a series of seminars throughout the year starting from 31<sup>st</sup> March. These seminars provide an opportunity for students, parents and teachers to gain an insight into courses and careers in a broad range of fields. For more information view [www.monash.edu.au/study/events](http://www.monash.edu.au/study/events).

Students can also subscribe to **Monash eNews** to receive updates via email and SMS about courses, careers, admissions, scholarships and events in their specific area of interest. Go to [www.monash.edu.au/study/eNews](http://www.monash.edu.au/study/eNews) to register.

**"Uni Student for a Day" at the Gippsland campus**, is being held on Tuesday 7 or Wednesday 8 April; see [www.gippsland.monash.edu.au](http://www.gippsland.monash.edu.au) for more information or phone Giuseppe on, 9902 6987.

### **Want to find out more about Deakin University?**

Discover Deakin is a school holiday program being offered at each Campus which will provide you with the chance to get an inside look at Deakin University and what it has to offer. You will have the opportunity to meet with staff and students and view their facilities at each of the campuses. The dates are 8 April, 7 July, 16 July, 22 September and 28 September. Booking online is essential. Go to [www.deakin.edu.au/future-students/campus-tours/discover-09.php](http://www.deakin.edu.au/future-students/campus-tours/discover-09.php)

### **Can I be paid to study Accounting?**

Some accounting firms offer **cadet/trainee programs**, where students study and work while gaining a university degree - a great way for ambitious students to get a head-start. Some examples:

- **Ernst & Young** offers cadetships to those who may be studying Yr 12 accounting and other business subjects; **applications open:** 4 May; **close:** 17 June; **See:** [www.ey.com.au/careers](http://www.ey.com.au/careers) - go to Careers then students, for info/applications.
- **PricewaterhouseCoopers** offers a similar program; applications **open** on 4 May and **close** on 19 June ([www.pwc.com/au/careers](http://www.pwc.com/au/careers) - go to Students, Traineeship program).

### **GAP Year Programs**

We have been notified that the Defence Force Gap Year application form will be on-line as of Friday 1<sup>st</sup> May. As there are less positions available for students in 2010 it is recommended that if any student is considering the Gap Year program that they get on line and apply as soon as the applications become available. You can always pull out of the process up until you sign the forms in December.

### **Reminders**

'The Age' **VCE and Careers Expo** on 24-26 April at Caulfield Racecourse. The entry **cost is \$10**.

If parents have any questions about career information you can now email us on [careers@assumption.vic.edu.au](mailto:careers@assumption.vic.edu.au)

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