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Pathways News

Term 4, Week 1

Upcoming Events...KEY NASSSA, VET & Career DATES

12/10 First day of term 4 - all enrolments from term 3 counselling should be in WebVET

12/10 URGENT: All trainers need to have provided Heather Bitter with their course supporters to attend the Student Awards on Dec 1st. [refer reminder email sent Sep 23rd]

12/10 All schools provide names of at least two students who will attend DSD Consultation on Wednesday

14/10 DSD NASSSA Student Consultation Forum, NSS 9:30am-2:30pm

14/10 VET Leader meeting 1-3:30pm, SEHS

14/10 NASSSA Pathways meeting 4-5:30pm Paralowie R-12 School

14/10 Copy of all 2016 NASSSA WebVET enrolment forms to hosts for approval

15/10 2016 NASSSA WebVET Course approval process commences

15/10 VET Leaders initiate TGSS applications and DCSI clearances, as appropriate

23/10 NASSSA Student VET Awards 2015: Every VET trainer must have submitted at least one nomination to be received by COB today.

Please note change of recipient in VET section of this newsletter.

26/10 NASSSA Council - Watershed, 5:15-7:15pm

30/10 DEADLINE - WebVET Approvals or Disapprovals to be completed

2/11 Training Providers to advise WebVET Administrator, Bev Roy of 2015 student class allocations if required

9/11 2016 NASSSA Regional VET Course offer confirmations to be posted to students by Training Providers contact Bev Roy if you are unsure

11/11 Trainers to begin Term 4 End of Year Reports & RTOs prepare Resulting Spreadsheet Academic Transcript or Statement of Results





PRINCIPALS & TEAMS

11/11 VET [NASSSA] Information Session 3-4pm, for FLO Case Managers at TAFE, Elizabeth Lecture Theatre

19/11 Australian Training Awards Final in Hobart

20/11 2015 NASSSA Regional VET courses MUST conclude and Term 4 reports completed in WebVET by COB

20/11 DEADLINE - Statement of results due to VET Leaders for each student

25/11 WebVET Administrator releases reports for print

27/11 Financial obligation close-off for schools

30/11 Career Development Team, CHS 1-3:30pm

1/12 NASSSA VET Awards Ceremony, Shedley Theatre, Elizabeth, 7-9pm

10/12 Final 2016 VET Leader meeting

11/12 Last day of 2015 school year

28/1/16 Teachers return to school

1/2/16 First day of 2016 school year. VET student school induction sessions occur this week

8/2/16 NASSSA VET courses commence with compulsory orientation induction sessions to be included at all venues

Please note: I will be on leave from Oct 21 to Nov 9, inclusive. During this time, for any NASSSA WebVET/Regional VET matters, please contact Bev Roy (bev.roy301@schools.sa.edu.au or phone 0429453081, or for other NASSSA matters, David McClay (david.mcclay216@schools.sa.edu.au or phone 0429164350)

Due to my leave, there will probably not be another newsletter until week 7 (week beginning Monday November 23rd)



\$10,000 on offer to support programs - metropolitan schools included!

2016 Primezone Partner Schools - call for EOIs

Applications are now open for schools to become one of 12 Primezone Partner Schools to receive \$10,000 to support the Food and Fibre education programs.

Go to <http://www.piefa.edu.au/pages/partnerschools.htm>

The EOI form is quite brief and easy - if you have a food program operating in your school, this may be a great opportunity!

NICAN (Northern ICAN)

Community Partnership Grant Funding
2015-2016...Call for Funding Applications. Closing
Date: Monday 19th OCTOBER 2015 by 5:00pm

To discuss potential applications and request a grant submission kit please contact:

Helen Halse Northern ICAN Partnerships for Learning Co-ordinator Ph: 82568289 or 0418 419526

helen.halse@sa.gov.au OR Ruthy Chileshe Northern ICAN Partnerships for Learning Co-ordinator Ph: 8314 4063 or 0429 177 537 ruthy.chileshe@sa.gov.au



New information has been published in the last "Focus on Flinders" newsletter. Check out information [HERE](#), including details of an information evening on October 20th

The Year 9 & 10 Work Studies Curriculum has been endorsed as per email received September 18th.

It can be viewed [HERE](#). Helen Edwards provided some great PD

with some members of the Career Development Team around this during a session at EDC last term. If your site wants to consider implementing it in future, or wants to consider how the content could be incorporated into programs during 2016, please contact me so I can support you with that.



FYI, I have been contacted by Ren Mathew Tharakan from another RTO, "iEducate". If you are interested in finding out about their courses, please have a look at their website or contact Ren. They are willing to talk to graduating cohorts regarding services they can offer

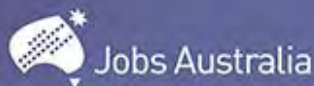
p: 08 7123 6383 m: 0430 845 543 w: <http://ieducate.net.au>

a: Level 10, 90 King William Street, Adelaide, SA 5000

From what I can see, they only offer VET-Fee-Help Diplomas - up to you...but I'd be cautious about advocating this.

JOBS AUSTRALIA NATIONAL CONFERENCE

29-30 October 2015
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The program for this conference is included at the end of this newsletter. The website is [HERE](#)

Some interesting 'sounding' sessions include:

Designing the Jobs of the Future.

Technology and the Future of Service Design

Designed for Youth : Engagement that Works

City of Entrepreneurs Tour - The Future of VET and Work

"Whether you are attending the conference or not, you are invited to a unique tour hosted by award winning young entrepreneur and Australian Apprentice Ambassador, Jessica Perry where you will visit brand new higher education, Vocational Education and Training (VET) and entrepreneurial learning facilities, co-working spaces and hear about the latest research from NCVET on the future of VET and work."

[<http://jobsaustbustour.pages.ontraport.net/>]

You will visit:

Flinders University New Venture Institute

TAFESA Tonsley

Co-Working Institute



CAREERS



NASSSA 2016 VET Awards

At least one nomination per class is required by Friday October 23rd. As I will be on leave, *these must be received by **Bev Roy by COB on Oct 23rd***. They can be either emailed or sent to Bev c/- Paralowie R-12 School, Whites Road, Paralowie 5108



Judging for Industry area prizes will begin the following week (commencing 26th).

Thanks to those RTOs/Trainers who have provided me with offers of sponsorship and people to invite to Dec 1st. At this point of time, we need to be locking in sponsorship offers and supporter attendee information so we can send formal invitations. ***Please note email sent Sept 7th & again on 23rd September.*** This will be a public acknowledgement of supporters for our VET students/courses and it may be disappointing for some if they were not aware they could attend the event, or sponsor it. I am reliant on each trainer providing the detail NOW!!!

If you have not done so, please make this an absolute priority by Wednesday this week.



A presentation was made recently to Student Pathways personnel regarding the differences in TGSS from Skills for All, to the new "Work Ready". A copy of this is included at the end of the newsletter. Please note the Key Dates on the 14th page are 'suggested'. It is imperative VET Leaders initiate applications for TGSS for appropriate student with our RTO partners asap, using forms to be found [HERE](#)

Could any RTO partners who have a course offered in WebVET, who have now received approval to offer under TGSS to our students, please ensure the information on WEBVET for your courses accurately reflects this. If changes are required, please use the amendment page of your MOU and forward it asap to both Bev Roy (for action in the system) & myself (for record keeping accuracy). It may also be worth an email to all VET Leaders to let them know of this availability, so they can best advise families and students.

Please all also note a clarification I recently received:

"POST SCRIPT

This applies equally to TGSS students, ASBA and ICAN Students. That is.....

In a nutshell, for school enrolled students seeking to enrol for the first time in subsidised training under WR as a TGSS or ASBA or ICAN student, the C2 attained through an auspiced arrangement will be ignored for purposes of determining highest level of attainment. This special consideration does not apply to students who are not school enrolled, and may cease to apply at some point in the future."



VET Leaders will receive information imminently regarding funding to support D2C+ in 2016. A process similar to what Richard has previously used, will go along with this. Detail to follow.



REMINDER: To our schools delivering Electro Technology...

You were sent a document on September 16th regarding future PD needs for teacher trainers and the IPP

delivery in your school. This was due at the end of last term, but if you can return it to me asap, I will ensure it is taken into account in planning for the future.

VOCATIONAL EDUCATION



I have been asked to pass on that this RTO still offer a Cert III Business Administration (Medical) if you have any students specifically wanting this. Our Pathways & VET Leader decision making process decided not to offer this specific qualification within our regional offerings for 2016.

Federal Government Reshuffle

Of note to vocational education and training is Senator the Hon Simon Birmingham as the Minister for Education and Training and the Hon Luke Hartsuyker MP as Minister for Vocational Education and Skills, and Deputy Leader of the House.

Click [HERE](#) for further information from Parliament House.



Late last term, I attended the Vocational Education Learning Group National Conference in Adelaide. Over time, I will provide you with a range of resources gathered throughout the event. At the opening of the conference, three speakers included Simon Birmingham (before Government Ministerial 'reshuffle'), Chris Robinson (ASQA) and Gail Gago (MLC)

Their speeches were quite informative and can be viewed at VELG's Vimeo site <https://vimeo.com/velgtraining/videos>.

A keynote motivational speaker was Paul de Gelder [<http://pauldegelder.com/>]

I cannot recommend him more highly as an extraordinary and entertaining speaker



His synopsis reads:

"From rebel, drug dealer and strip club worker to adventurer, soldier, fitness enthusiast, Navy diver, shark attack survivor, top motivational speaker and mentor to schoolkids across Australia, Paul de Gelder is an exceptional young man. He is now determined to carve out the best future for himself he could possibly imagine. Paul is a true survivor and an incredible inspiration."

INVITATION

NASSSA Certificate III in Hospitality students (Paralowie) are finishing their last 2 front of house service for 2 functions being held at Salford College Restaurant (262 Carrington Street, Adelaide) at 12.30pm on:

- **Tuesday 20 October and**
- **Tuesday 27 October.**

You are invited to be a guest (food prepared by Salford College commercial cookery students). There is one catch, as a valued guest we need you to contribute to the students' assessments by asking questions about the menu and by providing feedback.

If you would like to attend, please contact Salford's Rachael Trbovic asap as numbers are limited :

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rachael@salfordcollege.edu.au

Heather

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VOCATIONAL EDUCATION

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Training Guarantee for SACE Students (TGSS)



How different is TGSS & ASBA under WorkReady?

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Agenda

- **TGSS**
- **Similarities**
- **Differences**
- **Checklist for School counselors**
- **Questions**

Training Guarantee for SACE Students (TGSS)

- **Targets selected senior secondary students to undertake prescribed VET for particular purposes**
- **Supports students who are on a Certificate III completion pathway**

TGSS Pathway

At school -
TGSS

Post school –
continue training
& complete
Certificate III

Post training-
Employment

Work Ready vs. Skills for All

SIMILARITIES	DIFFERENCES
Eligibility	Entitlement
Processes	
List of Courses	FTL/STL
Course Fees	

Key Features of TGSS

Must be an **Eligible Student** and :

- Must be at least 16 years of age on or before day 1 of Term 1 or Term 3
- Has prior experience with VET or relevant work placement
- Has appropriate literacy & numeracy that enables them to commence training
- Plans to complete SACE including VET equivalent to at least 30 SACE credits & at least 140 relevant work placement hours
- Intends to complete a Certificate III or higher post school

Processes

School responsibilities...

- Initiate & control the process to recruit eligible students into TGSS
- Manage the documentation flow:
 - ☑ Complete Form A
 - ☑ Accept a copy of Form B
 - ☑ Communicate arrangements with the student & family
 - ☑ Manage SACE issues
 - ☑ Manage work placement
 - ☑ Monitor student progress
 - ☑ Support students to be successful

FTL - List of Courses - STL



Funded Training List 10 / Subsidised Training List
Published 22 June 2015

Conditions and Effective Date (If Applicable)

Course National ID	Course Name	No New Enrolments Date		TGSS Approved Course	Conditions And Effective Date (If Applicable)			TAFE SA Places	Non TAFE SA Places	Fee Free	Subsidy Payable for RPL	
		Superseded	WorkReady		TGSS Only	Training Contracts Only	Other					
10253NAT	Certificate II in Women's Education	13/05/2018					Foundation Skills Guideline Applies	01/07/2015	190	-	Yes	No
10254NAT	Certificate III in Women's Education	13/05/2018					TAFE SA Only	01/07/2015	170	-		
10255NAT	Certificate IV in Women's Education	13/05/2018					TAFE SA Only	01/07/2015	70	-		

Course National ID

Course Name

No New Enrolments Date
(Superseded / WorkReady)

TGSS Approved Course

TGSS Only

Training Contracts
Only

Other

TAFE SA Places

Non TAFE SA Places

Fee Free

Subsidy Payable for RPL

Course Fees – no change

TGSS students undertaking

- Certificate II – do not attract a course fee
 - There may be incidental costs to the student
- Certificate III and above - attracts a co-contribution

Entitlement

1 October 2015

For an individual:

Without a non- school qualification OR a registered Jobseeker, subject to the suitability assessment of the Eligible Student,

WorkReady offers subsidised training for:

- One Course selected from Certificate II level, and
- Two Courses selected from Certificate III to Advanced level.

Who already holds a non-school qualification up to Certificate II level WorkReady offers:

- Two Courses selected from Certificate III to Advanced Diploma level.

Who has completed a Certificate III or above WorkReady offers:

- One course from Certificate III or above.

Screening questions

Centrelink and actively seeking work?

Any other qualifications held?

Any open training accounts?

Suitability?

Student required to acknowledge ...” I understand that my enrolment may affect future training options & eligibility for further subsidised training ..!”

Key Dates

2016 Semester 1 intake

Monday 14 Sept 2015	Term 3, Week 9	Form A due to Skills for All Training Provider (and to school sector delegate for quality assurance if required by sector)
Monday 12 October 2015	Term 4, Week 1	Form B containing an offer of training due to school
Monday 26 Oct 2015	Term 4, Week 3	Fully executed Form B returned to Skills for All Training Provider
Monday 9 Nov 2015	Term 4, Week 5	Skills for All Training Provider enters into an Enrolment Agreement with the student and parent/guardian and confirms arrangements in writing to student with copy to school. A Training Account is created in VETA
Monday 1 Feb 2016	Term 1, Week 1	Training may commence. (Student must be aged 16 years of age or older on or before 1 February 2016 to be eligible.)

Key documents

WorkReady website includes:

- FTL 10/STL link

www.skills.sa.gov.au/for-training-providers/about-workready-contracts/workready-subsidies/subsidised-training-list

- WorkReady Eligibility – FAQs

www.skills.sa.gov.au/training-learning/check-your-eligibility/eligibility-explained



Contact us

Skills and Employment Info line

Phone **1800 506 266** (Toll Free)
9:00am - 5:00pm Monday to Friday
Email WorkReady@sa.gov.au or

via the [online enquiry form](#)

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DAY MINUS-ONE: WEDNESDAY 28 October

1200-1700: Future Of Work Master Class OR Adelaide City Of Entrepreneurs Bus Tour OR Indigenous Employment Meeting (10:00-16:00) JOBS AUSTRALIA AGM 1730-1800

WELCOME RECEPTION – 1800-1900 – Hilton Hotel

DAY ONE: THURSDAY 29 October

EAGER BIRDS BREAKFAST HILTON HOTEL RESTAURANT

0830-930 Registration

Session 1: 930-945 Welcome to Country and Official Welcome – Ron Miers, Chair, Jobs Australia

Session 2: 945-1000 Welcome - David Thompson AM, Jobs Australia CEO

Session 3: 1000-1030 Keynote 1 An economy is not a society, Dennis Glover

Session 4: 1030-1100 Keynote 2 What can be done about Inequality, Genevieve Knight Flinders University

Session 5: 1100-1130 tbc

1130-1200 MORNING BREAK

Session 6: 1200-1300

6.1 Designing the Jobs of the Future. Andrew Reeson CSIRO & Jan Owen AM, Foundation for Young Australians

6.2 Putting people at the centre: as if it wasn't just a slogan – Nicholas Gruen, Lateral Economics

1300-1345 LUNCH BREAK

Session 7 1345-1430

7.1 Employment Services Update Department of Employment - Martin Hehir, Deputy Secretary Department of Employment

7.2 WfD project/activity service design forum

7.3 To merge or not to merge: is that the question? Vera Visevic, Partner, Mills Oakley Lawyers

7.4 Technology and the Future of Service Design Claire Mason, CSIRO

Session 8 1430-1530

8.1 Designing Better Services - Darren Coppin, Esher House Danielle Ballantine, Northside Community Services

8.2 Designed for Youth : Engagement that Works - David Furniss, SYC and John Coates, Employment Options

8.3 Being Prepared for Investigations – Legal Clinic, Greg Banks

8.4 Training: Market Design and Reform Wendy - Perry

1530-1600 AFTERNOON BREAK

Session 9 1600-1700 FACILITATED INNOVATION EXCHANGE

9.1 Client centred design for ES: Darren Coppin & Danielle Ballantine

9.2 Transition To Work - networking meeting

9.3 Training Innovation Case Studies - Wendy Perry; Northern Futures; OCTEC

9.4 NFP Partnerships - Vera Visevic & Axelle Marjolin Centre for Social Impact

9.5 Place-based Service Design, Linda - Cusworth, Bethany Community Services

Session 10: 1700-1730 tbc

1730: CLOSE - CONFERENCE NETWORKING EVENT 1800 -2100			
DAY TWO: FRIDAY 30 OCTOBER			
Session 11: 900-915 Review of Day One			
Session 12: 915-945 UNCLE JACK CHARLES – Tales from Beyond			
Session 13: 945-1015 Rev Peter Sandeman – Beyond Struggle Street			
Session 14: 1015-1030 Performance - BURUNDI GOSPEL CHOIR			
1030-1100 MORNING BREAK			
Session 15: 1100-1200			
15.1 The Future Design of Welfare - Allyson Essex DSS, Matthew Gray, ANU	15.2 Redesigning Your Workforce for Client Directed Services Caroline Alcorso National Disability Services	15.3 Designing Your Services to Deliver Indigenous Outcomes: tbc	15.4 Design Your Social Enterprise SOCIAL ENTERPRISE MINI CRUNCH : Social Traders
1200-1245 LUNCH BREAK			
Session 16: 1245-1345			
16.1 Designing DES for Client Directed world John Riley DSS	16.2 Measuring Impact – Developing a Model, Sarah Adams, UNSW Centre for Social Impact	16.3 Designing your Workplace 1: Managing ill health and absenteeism	16.4 SOCIAL ENTERPRISE MINI CRUNCH cont.: Social Traders
Session 17: 1400-1500			
17.1 Designed to Work: Mature Age Employment - Dina Bowman & Michael McGann, Brotherhood of St Laurence & Donna Purcell, Australian Human Rights Commission	17.2 Governance standards and your NFP board – David Locke ACNC	17.3 Designing your Workplace 2: Organisational Culture - Margaret Balsillie Jobs Australia	17.4 SOCIAL ENTERPRISE MINI CRUNCH cont.: Social Traders
1500-1530 AFTERNOON BREAK			
Session 19: 1530-1600 THE BIT YOU'VE BEEN WAITING FOR: CONFERENCE REFLECTIONS - HELEN RAZER			
1600 CLOSE			

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