

BRUCE 'BILL'ITIN

SATURDAY 24 MAY 2014 – SATURDAY 31 MAY 2014

Budget protest gains momentum







A contingent of Brucies were among this Wednesday's nation-wide student protest against university fee changes outlined in the federal budget.

After rallying support in Union Court, hundreds of students attempted to storm the ANU Chancellery (although went into the wrong building), clashing with security.

An 'occupy' movement later ensued, in which a smaller but dedicated group, led by the Socialist Alliance, chanted outside Vice Chancellor Ian Young's office into the evening.

To the cries of 'Abbot's a wanker' and fearing

the corporatising of universities, Bruce residents donned anti-Budget cut T-shirts and waved placards, with some gaining coverage on national media.

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Pumped up with a funchtime address by Dave Tuckwell, around 20 Brucies attended the protest. Yet, despite a large police presence the protest remained peaceful.

The proposed deregulation of university fees, agreed to by Prof. Young could result in students paying higher fees and greater interest for their degrees.



INFORMATION SESSION

NSC Graduate Information evening

If you have been thinking about further study to progress your career in the national security community, come along to our Graduate Studies Information Evening. This event will be an opportunity to learn about our course offering and meet the Head of the NSC, Professor Michael L'Estrange, as well as other members of the academic team.

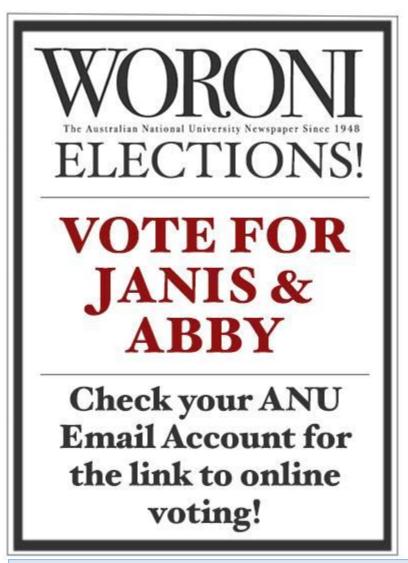
Discuss your study options, find out about scholarships and sponsorships, and discover how we are helping to develop the next generation of leading national security professionals. You will also be able to learn about the extensive range of courses available from the Crawford School of Public Policy and the College of Asia & the Pacific to compliment your NSC choices.

Speaker/Host: Professor Michael L'Estrange, ANU

Venue: Canberry/Springbank Rooms, Crawford Building #132, 1 Lennox

Crossing, ANU

Date: Wednesday, 28 May 2014 **Time**: 5:30 PM - 7:00 PM



SPORT

Bruce boys into BBall showdown with Griffin

The Bruce mens basketball team has shot down UniLodge 45 to 34 in a thrilling semi-final on Friday. Likely to face off against Griffin in the grand final next Friday at 4.30, Bruce is in top form to compete, with great performances from Jamon, Saxon and Errol. While relatively close for the first half, Bruce pulled away from UniLodge towards the end, with an effortless 3 pointer from Fergus cementing the lead. At the time of print, the result of the girls match is not yet known, as they vie for 5th on the Basketball shield.

UPCOMING GAMES:

Rugby League:

Bruce v Griffin, Sunday 25 May, 3pm

Softball:

Bruce v Burgmann, Sunday 25 May, 1pm (play off for 5th and 6th)

Basketball:

Bruce v Griffin, Friday 30 May, 4.30pm (grand final)

Fitness:

Burgmann fitness: meet in foyer 7.20am Monday mornings



SOCIAL SUB-COMMITTEE CHAIR

INTERESTED IN A LEADERSHIP POSITION AT BRUCE HALL? NOMINATE NOW FOR SOCIAL SUB-COMMITTEE CHAIR! NO ONE HAS YET NOMINATED, SO IT'S UP FOR GRABS! COLLECT YOUR NOMINATION FORM FROM HARRY MCLAURIN, BOTTOM EAST ROOM 3, OR FIND IT ON RESSIES. SPEECHES WILL BE AT THE SGM ON MONDAY 26 MAY, 5.30PM IN THE DINING HALL. BE THERE!

JOKE OF THE WEEK

A proud new father sits down with his dad to have a drink. 'Well son, now that you have a son of your own, I guess it's time I gave you something. 'Dad you don't mea-' ... 'Yes I do. You've earned it' says the father as he passes a copy of '1001 Dad Jokes 5th Edition' to his son. "Dad I don't know what to say... I'm honoured'. "Hi honoured", replies the father. "I'm Dad".