

THE BRUCE BILLITIN

ISSUE 24: MONDAY 12 OCTOBER - MONDAY 19 OCTOBER

ARTS

Look out for these arts events happening soon!

Interhall Choir

This Tuesday night! At Bruce! 8pm! You seriously have no excuse not to be there! Our very own robed-up singers have been practicing hard, so make sure you're around Bruce this Tuesday night to listen to their final product and to cheer them on! (and also to listen to the other colleges' choirs obv's)!



Interhall Spartos

The night of Sunday 25th October! At B&G! For the first year EVARRR, there will be an interhall Spartos event to celebrate the achievements of sportspeople and artists from all corners of ANU. There will be a walking group leaving from Bruce on the night, so keep a look out for details!

Interhall TheatreSports

The night of Saturday 24th October! ANU Arts Centre! The last arts event of the year, TheatreSports, is coming up very soon! Get keen for some outrageous improve from some outrageous personalities. Stay the whole night to find out who will receive the arts shield for 2015!

WHAT'S ON OUTSIDE COLLEGE

Thurs 1pm - Lunchbox: Jazz Vocal Showcase, ft. the ANU Jazz Choir
Biginelli's Café, Lvl 5 School of Music

Tue 13th - Tue 27th October - Carl Barron: 'Drinking with a Fork'
Canberra Theatre Centre - Tickets Online

Mon 19 Oct 6pm
ANU Public Lecture: Lifting the Veil: Women under Religious Extremism
ANU Law Theatre, contact ANU IR Society

Tue 13 Oct 6pm
ANU Public Lecture: Background to the Syrian Refugee Crisis
ANU Anthony Low Building, contact ANU events

SPORTS

Firstly, a massive congratulations to all of our awesome tennis players for taking out 3rd place over the weekend! A special thanks to Lucy Cripps for yet again staying true to her surname, but pushing past her injury to be an admirable player and provider of updates for Banter. Well done all!

Interhall Touch Tournament

This weekend (16-18 Oct)! Finally, the long-awaited weekend is upon us! Keep an eye out on Banter to find out the times of Bruce's touch footy games this weekend so you can support your fellow Brucies as they play a ridiculous number of games throughout the weekend. Everyone knows that cheers make you run faster, so get on down there!



Ex-ressie Jon Tay demonstrating effective touching technique.

Road Relay

Keep coming to trainings - the race is on Sunday 25th!

KAT'S GUIDE TO BEING GERMAN



Omg, did Joff use my modelling shots again? So awkward!

Guten tag, subjects! It's your Präsident (president) -to-be here! First of all, I'd like to thank you for voting me in, I promise in my presidency I will make all of your dreams come true - please quote me on that!

Now, as you probably already know, ANU-wide Oktoberfest celebrations will be happening this Thursday. In particular, look out for the all-day event in South Quad organised by the Buttery team - there will be a German feast for lunch, followed by German games and lots of fun in the sun (also, German alcoholic beverages would not go astray)!

This entire ordeal may, however, have you thinking, "how can I enjoy the day to its fullest when I am not, myself, German?". Don't worry, Bruce, I have the solution. Using this quick and easy guide, you will be fooling other people into thinking you're German in no time.

Disclaimer: I am Danish. Take my words with a grain of salt. Or save that salt and put it on a pretzel on Thursday. Either way.



A little patriotism never hurt anyone... right?

1. Wear more Black, Yellow and Red

Much like a bride wears white to remind us of her purity, wearing more red, yellow and black will almost definitely remind those around you that you are German. See my impeccable exhibition of this tip on the left.

2. Show an Interest in German Cuisine

By 'show an interest' I mean eat everything. Thankfully the Buttery team have organised an entire feast to cover this criterion, but make sure if you're really looking to convince others of your commitment to Germany that you keep *eine wurst* near or in your mouth at all times. It's the only way.

3. Speak German

Obviously we can't all be fluent like I am. Fun fact: nobody taught me to speak German - one night I accidentally went to sleep with a German phrasebook under my pillow and when I woke up I was fluent - weird, right? *ANYWAY*, here are some phrases to keep you going for 24 hours!

- **Ich besorge das Bier** - I'll get the beer

- **Gegen Dummheit gibt es keine Pillen** - No medicine can cure stupidity

- **Das kannst du deiner Oma erzählen** - Tell it to your Grandmother



To improve your German vibe, I'd recommend some light travel. Here I am at a German castle in Germany doing some research for this article (about Germans!)

TRIVIA

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| 1. What was the first commodity to be rationed in the UK during World War II? | 9. What is the first event in a decathlon? |
| 2. From which plant, similar to a cactus, is tequila made? | 10. What was the name of Popeye's nemesis? |
| 3. 'His story will touch you, even though he can't' was the tagline to which iconic 90's film? | 11. Which Disney - Pixar film tells the tale of the widower Carl Fredrickson? |
| 4. How many different fields of Nobel prize are there? | |
| 5. What word can mean both a type of glass and a type of musical instrument? | |
| 6. From which country does 'Hoegaarden' beer originate? | |
| 7. Which was the highest grossing film of the 70s? | |
| 8. "Dear Fatty" is the title of which celebrity's autobiography? | |

1. Petrol, 2. Blue Agave, 3. Edward Scissorhands, 4. 6 (Physics, Chemistry, Medicine, Literature, Peace and Economic Sciences), 5. Flute, 6. Belgium, 7. Star Wars, 8. Mahatma Gandhi, 9. 100 metre sprint, 10. Bluto/Brutus, 11. Up

