



THE BRUCE BILLITIN

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Spring has most certainly sprung! The trees are blooming, the ANU ducks are getting extra protective, term 4 has become, and yet another 'unique' Canberra festival has begun, Floriade! Spring really is a beautiful time of year in Canberra, and Floriade is a celebration of everything that makes it special, so make the most of Spring (when it brightens up), head down and get a good start to term 4.



Floriade 2016

Floriade – Australia's biggest celebration of spring – returns to Canberra for the 29th year from Saturday 17 September until Sunday 16 October 2016.

[HOW TO GET HERE & PARKING INFO](#)

Where: Commonwealth Park, five minutes walk from Civic

What is it: A celebration of spring, replete with flower displays, musicians, performance artists, food and wine, market traders, artistic displays as well as loads more.

When is it: Saturday the 17th September to Sunday 16th October

Head to www.floriadeaustralia.com for more details as to the program and what's going on

THE MANY WONDERS OF CANBERRA

PLANE SPOTTERS PARTY

Majura Park 7am-9pm 21st September

Canberra airport is inviting you to breakfast to celebrate the arrival of the city's first international flight from Singapore. It's a historic event for Canberra, it's free, and there's food. What more do you need?

SO YOU THINK YOU CAN DRAG

Saturday 24th September 7:30pm Ainslie Arts Centre

Keen to get some practise in for Mr Bruce? Just want to have an entertaining night watching drag kings and queens strut their stuff? Well head down to Ainslie art centre this Saturday to watch this contest for amateur drag queens and kings. Hosted by the incredible Dolly Diamond, this event took Canberra by storm in 2015 and is likely to do so again, so don't miss out!

PUBLIC LECTURE: Let the Quantum be! Or how we learnt to accept uncertainty and love weirdness
Wednesday 21st September 6:30pm-7:30pm
Finkel Theatre, John Curtin School

What is the quantum? Is nature fundamentally uncertain? Can a cat be both alive and dead? This lecture will consider all these questions and more, and tell us how we might interpret some of quantum science's more weird implications. Dr Peter Riggs, a physicist and philosopher of science at ANU will be taking this fascinating lecture.



A little nonsense now and then is relished by the wisest men – Billy Wonka



THE SOCIAL GUIDE TO TERM 4

– With Shivani Banerjee



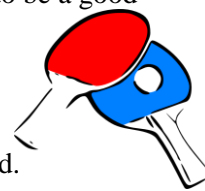
Whats that I hear? Sad that your break is over? Ready for the sweet heat of summer to embrace you and take you into its arms with sultry whispers of ‘no assessment’. Well put those fears to one side, because I personally have got you covered with a jam packed social calendar sure to put your mind (but not liver) at ease.

- **Mr Bruce 6th October:** Mr Bruce is a greeeat event in which you get to see your friends in a totally new light. The vulnerable masculinity of some of Bruce’s finest will be subjected to the harsh scrutiny of Bruce’s finer half at this returning event. All proceeds will go to charity, so you can even feel good about yourself while making fun of your friends on stage.
- **Inward Bound 14th October:** Inward Bound isn’t just for the runners my friends, no you too can have an awesome time without destroying your bodies. Just come along to the day, whether by car or bus and enjoy the sunshine, a Bruce BBQ and the dubious pleasure of greeting your sweaty friends once they’ve finished.
- **Spartos 20th October:** What better way to look back on this year’s sports and arts achievements than with our very own Spartos. It will be held in the dining hall and with food, drinks and banter being plentiful, its going to be an awesome night.
- **Valete 28th October:** Valete is the end of the term, the day when we as a community say so long and see you soon to all those leaving us. It’s a night like no other, and one which is truly special for everyone at Bruce. Make sure to mark it down, because this is an event you can not miss.



Table Tennis

Are you ready to watch the Bruce’s blue balls of fury fly loose this weekend at the interhall table tennis tournament? Then come down and support our team as they battle against the best on the only tables the AFL team hasn’t got to in ANU. Its going to be a good weekend, and the team is sure to be in with a chance under the stellar leadership of the Hitman, so don’t miss this one! Game times will be posted on banter, so stay tuned.



THE ANU ARTS REVUE'S

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one laugh at a time.

21st - 24th September
ANU Arts Centre



Important Announcement: SGM

CRC Executive positions (President, Vice-president, Treasurer and Secretary) are going to be elected this Sunday at the SGM at 7:30pm in the Dining Hall. If you are interested in running, get a nomination form off dragonlair and send it to Angus before the SGM begins. Two new positions for the CRC will also be proposed and voted on, and any other constitutional amendments which have been submitted by Friday 7:30pm. The rest of the CRC positions will be voted on in the subsequent week at the AGM. Quorum is 75 people, but if everyone could come that would be amazing!

TRIVIA

1. How many books are in the New Testament?
2. What country has the highest alcohol consumption per capita?
3. What was the first commodity to be rationed in the UK during World War II?
4. What geologic period followed the Jurassic?
5. What was the name of Julia Louis-Dreyfus' character in Seinfeld?



6. What was the name of Adolf Hitler's mistress?
7. What country has the largest population of Wolves?
8. What is Dorothy's surname in the Wizard of Oz?
9. Which celebrity's autobiographical novel is called 'The Girl with the Lower back tattoo'?
10. In what year was the first official Paralympics?