

13 FEBRUARY 2012: Featuring MedRevue Executive Elections, O-Week, AMSA Think Tank, RUBIX NSWMSC Submissions, AFPHM John Snow Scholarship.

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President's Welcome

Welcome to our new meddies, and welcome back to our old[er] ones! We have had a rocketing start to 2012 with Welcome Back BBQs, O-Week planning and general year planning well under way. Thank you to all those who have attended BBQs, and a special thank you to those wonderful people who have helped us run them.

MedRevue Executive Selection

MedRevue Exec selection is nearby! If you are interested in becoming a Director or Producer, read the rules for applying on the website or through [this link here](#). Send your 250 word application of interest to revue@uwsms.org by **5 p.m. Sunday February 19th**.

Twilight Concert

Expressions of interest for Twilight organisers are also open - if you are interested please get in touch with Duc (vp@uwsms.org) or myself (president@uwsms.org).

Inter-year Welcome Dinner and Drinks

This new event to be held in the first years' first week on **5 p.m. Friday 2nd March at Macarthur Tavern** - a great chance to meet the new first years and catch up with friends in other years, like one big **MedFamily**. Come along for what's sure to be a relaxed and fun way to wind down the week!

MedCamp 2012: House of Horrors

This is just a month away! It will be held 9 - 12 March at Cataract Scout Park, so make sure you snap up tickets - tickets are [on sale now!](#) The Party Night is of course open to all years and never fails to deliver, so don't miss out!

If you have any questions, ideas, thoughts or suggestions, please feel free to email the relevant executive member, or to email me - we will be super chuffed to hear from you. We look forward to an incredible 2012 with you!

With MedSoc love,

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AMSA ThinkTank 2012

The first AMSA ThinkTank for 2012 is coming on Monday the 5th March!

So what is a ThinkTank? AMSA ThinkTanks provide a direct and accessible link between YOU and AMSA, allowing you to convey your concerns and views on YOUR medical education. As the AMSA Rep, I will take them to AMSA who can act on a national level to achieve change improvement in medical education and student wellbeing.

On Monday the 5th March at **6pm** I will be chairing a discussion (the ThinkTank) open to all Meddies as an opportunity to express any concerns about YOUR medical education or to provide YOUR views on how medical education can be improved in Australia.

An example of AMSA success is the recent changes to the Student Learning Entitlement (SLE) where, at a ThinkTank, concerns were raised on the SLE's 7 year cap on HECS – AMSA took it to the government and the SLE was abolished. You can start changes like these at UWS.

So if you want to get involved in shaping medical education in Australia, come to our first ThinkTank on Monday the 5th March from 6pm. Food will be provided. Need I say more?

Yours in MedSoc love,

Mitchell Waters AMSA Rep 2012

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Write for RUBIX!

Med Students of NSW! Do you have something on your mind that needs sharing with other students? Did you have the world's greatest elective experience? Are you a budding recipe writer, cartoonist, author or poet? [NSWMSC](#) (NSW Medical Student Council) is calling for **student submissions** to the 2012 relaunch edition of RUBIX, the NSWMSC student magazine - written about you, for you and by you.

Don't be concerned if you aren't the next Shakespeare; if you have something to say, then we want to hear it. Please aim to keep submissions under 600 words. Submit your articles to our email at rubix@nswmsc.org.au by **Friday March 30, 2012**.

So come on NSW, GET WRITING!

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The AFPHM John Snow Scholarship 2012

The Australasian Faculty of Public Health Medicine (AFPHM) is happy to announce the 2012 John Snow Scholarship. This scholarship is open to all medical students with an interest in public health.

Applicants are to identify any project, work or university assessment they have completed relating to public health medicine. This, alongside a reflective essay, is to be submitted. State and territory winners will be provided with registration and travel assistance to attend the AFPHM National Annual Scientific meeting to present their work and compete for the national prize.

For more details, please see the [official website of the AFPHM](#).

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