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President's Welcome

Welcome back to another edition of eMUWS! We hope you have recovered from MedCamp and are ready for the rest of Semester One and all it has to offer! There are some exciting statewide events coming up, which are fantastic opportunities to get involved!

NSW Med School Swim Off

USyd has thrown down the gauntlet and are requesting our presence at a swim off on **Friday, 5th of April at 4pm at the Victoria Park Pool**. So, get down there after uni and compete in an evening of friendly competition between some NSW Medical Schools. Smash them and in the meantime, check out the [Facebook event](#).

NSW Medical Women's Dinner

The **NSW Medical Women's Society** seek to ensure equity and equality for women doctors to achieve their potential throughout all stages of their professional and personal lives. Student membership is free and they will be hosting their first dinner on **Wednesday, 3rd April at 7pm at AMA House**. Please RSVP for the dinner to Wendi at nsw@afmw.org.au by 1st April. See the [Facebook event](#) for more details.

MedSoc Love,

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Annual General Meeting

Nominations for [March elections](#) are closing on **Sunday, 24th of March at 11:59 pm**, that's **tonight!** Results will be announced at the upcoming **Annual General Meeting on Monday, the 8th of April at 6pm**. Delicious dinner will also be provided and you'll have a chance to get to know what UWSMS has been doing for you, including new plans for 2013, Q&A with our 2012 and 2013 Presidents and Treasurers, and the opportunity to voice opinions, concerns and suggestions for how MedSoc can better take care of you!

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New UWSMS Website

The brand new UWSMS website will be launching this **Friday, the 29th of March!** So, get keen and keep an eye on your inboxes on Friday, for your account activation emails. You'll have to activate your account to **vote in March Elections** and **gain access to exclusive members-only content**, such as photos from O-Week! This has been months in the making, with contributions from both 2012 and 2013 UWSMS and GHAWS Executives, get excited.

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Spreading MedSoc Love Competitions

Spreading MedSoc Love is a unique UWSMS project that was launched in 2012. The main aims of this competition are to:

- Contribute to the enhancement of our students' medical education, by giving away prizes, which are either textbooks or other medicine-related titles.
- Enhance our members' well being and experience, providing an easy and fun way of winning prizes.
- Actively involving our members in our projects and events & raising awareness about a number of issues (global health & others).

There are **two mystery prizes** to win in our first competition of 2013! Head to our [Facebook page](#) and "like" our page! Yes, it's as simple as that!

Everybody who has liked our page by **11:59pm on Monday, the 1st of April**, including pre-existing likes, will enter a draw and **two lucky winners will win a mystery prize each!**

The name of the winners will be published in our next eMUWS, together with a whole, brand new chance to win something unique!

Good luck!

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GHAWS Nepal Trip

GHAWS is organising a trip to Nepal at the end of this year! It's a great way to experience medicine in a third world context and embrace a culture beyond the confines of Sydney. This **Monday, the 25th of March at 5pm**, there will be an [information night](#) at the Med Building, to give you more details and a chance to ask any questions.

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Life in Surgery

UWSMS's SurgAssoc will be hosting 'Life in Surgery' on **Wednesday, the 27th of March at 6 pm at Blacktown Clinical School Auditorium**. 'Life in Surgery' is an event for students of all years, who are interested in surgery as a possible career, or who simply want to learn a little more about what life is like for surgeons. The event will run for approximately two hours. Dinner and refreshments will also be provided. To RSVP and find out more, see the [Facebook event](#).

We look forward to seeing you there!

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Twilight Festival

I hope you're ready to get your groove on, because it's that time of the year again! That's right, Twilight 2013 is fast approaching and we want you to be a part of it.

Twilight is **UWSMS' annual music and performing arts festival**, where students and staff have the chance to show off their performing skills. Last year proved to be a huge success and we can't wait to carry on this wonderful UWS tradition. There will be a sausage sizzle, baked goods, refreshments and amazing performances from your fellow meddies!

Twilight will be held on **Monday, the 29th of April**, on the grassy area of the Hub. Friends and families are welcome! If you're interested in performing, contact Thomas Pearson at twilight@uwsms.org

Keep an eye out for more details to come!

Thomas Pearson

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Announcement of MedRevue Executive

UWSMS MedRevue is back for 2013! Congratulations to our newly appointed Executive team.

Producers: Alice Fraser and Tarini Srivastava.

Directors: Mitchell Purser and Luke Ryan.

Get ready for another exciting, jaw (and pant) dropping display of UWS Med talent!

Updates from Partners and Sponsors

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