



# Shalom College Pathways News

## CSQ - Virtual Reality Experience



Construction Skills Queensland visited Shalom last week giving some students the opportunity to participate in their recently launched VR (virtual reality) Try-a-Trade Experience to gain knowledge and insight into the construction industry. This uniquely immersive setting enabled students to go on to virtual building sites and interact with virtual site managers and tradies.



Students explore the Construction VR World

Left: Archie McGowan, Ben Trebbin & Tony from CSQ

Right: Coen Philips



## Enter the World of Le Cordon Bleu

Would you love to be an award-winning chef, a luxury hotel manager, or own a popular café or restaurant? Students in Years 11 and 12 are invited to experience a 'day in the life' at one of the world's leading culinary and hospitality institutions to provide a taste of what a future career in global hospitality would be like.

Meet lecturers and Cordon Bleu professionals, hear from industry experts, and experience hands-on culinary arts with chefs. This 2-day experience held in Brisbane will run on 28-29 September and will cost \$290. Find out more [here](#).

# Navy Submariner Careers



Being a submariner is one of the most unique and stable career opportunities in Australia.

You can choose from a variety of roles in leadership, trades, technical support, engineering, communications, logistics or catering.

You will also receive a competitive salary from day one, allowances while serving at sea, on-the-job paid training, job security and get to work with some of the most sophisticated equipment in the world.

There is also be ample downtime to socialise, play video games, keep fit, watch movies, be fed delicious food, explore the places you visit when at sea, and create memorable experiences with your mates every day. [Watch this video](#) to find out more about a year in the life of a submariner and click [here to find out more about submariner jobs](#).

## First Pitch

### *Australia's Largest National Youth Entrepreneurship Competition*

First Pitch calls on budding young entrepreneurs aged up to 18 to enter their best business pitch for the chance to win great prizes.

You can submit a 3-minute pitch on a business innovation or idea that can make a difference in your community and Australia wide. Your pitch will be judged by a local panel of entrepreneurs and business professionals, and the state winners get to participate in the national championship.

Entries are open until Sunday 9 October at 11.59pm. Find out more [here](#).

## Raymont Scholarships

Raymont Residential College announce the opening of applications for the 2023 scholarship awards.

There are three scholarships on offer – Academic Excellence, Christian Leadership and Equity Scholarship – with two places on offer for each award. Apply [here](#). Call 07 3377 9903 for application assistance.



# JMC Songwriting Competition

**Win a recording, mixing and mastering session of your original song  
+ a workshop for your class**

JMC's Songwriting competition invites students to submit a demo of an original song (that they've written individually or as a team) and the lyrics to the song in written form (i.e. your lyrics written out in a word document). The demo can simply be recorded on your phone (we just want to hear the song performed!) and only include the vocals however instrumental accompaniment is encouraged. You're welcome to record the demo in other ways too if you have the means.

So what needs to be submitted?

- Demo of the original song in WAV or MP3 format (maximum 5 minutes in length)
- Lyrics sheet
- Completed submission form

Applications close Monday 31st October 2022 11:59 AEST

## School-Based Traineeship - Gloria Jeans

Gloria Jeans at Hinkler Shopping Centre are looking for a school-based trainee to undertake a Certificate II in Hospitality, work day will need to be a Wednesday. Find out more [here](#).

## Upcoming Events

- 6 Sep CQU STEPS Lunch Time Pop Up Information Session, Goondeel Library, 11.25am
- 10 Sep [ACU Online Open Day](#)
- 12 Sep CQU Start Uni Now (SUN) Information Zoom Session 4 - 5pm
- 13 Sep JCU Virtual Open Day
- 14 Sep Qld Police Recruiting Seminar

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## Pathways Sia Page



Stay up to date with everything happening in Pathways on our SIA page - Events Calendar, Back Issues of the Newsletter, Work Experience Booklets, Resumes, Cover Letters and so much more.

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## External Learning Absences

Students who participate in external learning activities such as Tafe, School-Based Apprenticeships and School-Based Traineeships are reminded that they are to notify both the College and their trainer/employer when they are absent from their allocated training/work day.

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