



### Welcome

Dear Reader,

Welcome to Round 4. As you'll see from the *Diary Dates* listed to the right we're approaching the end of the main season with the finals to begin immediately thereafter. This is the final round for Senior division. Congratulations to all students who have participated this season and I hope to see you at the upcoming finals.

With the end of the main season in sight we're seeking your feedback to help us improve our programme for 2011. The **feedback survey** can be found on the last pages of this newsletter. Alternatively fill in a feedback survey online at [www.debatingasa.com.au/feedback](http://www.debatingasa.com.au/feedback). Paper surveys can be returned to the Committee Desk or posted.

You may recall that Round 3 was **Crazy Hair Round**. I'm delighted to announce the winners and runners up on the next page. If your name appears see the Committee Desk for your prize.

We have recently acquired some **lapel pins** that are available for sale at the Committee Desk. These full enamel pins are \$12 each or \$10 each for quantities greater than 3. These are a great memento of the debating season.

### **Round 5: One Card Format Debates for Years 9 and 10.**

A friendly reminder to all Year 9 and Year 10 teams that Round 5 is the one card format debate. Please refer to the *Standard Operating Procedures* for details.

Best wishes for a successful round of debates!

James Tran  
Administrative Officer

### From Our Sponsors - Community CPS Australia

#### **It's time to think first – and talk/text later!**

If you have a mobile phone – and an out of control bill to match – you are certainly not alone.

A Newpoll survey has found that 89 per cent of teenagers aged between 13 and 19 have mobile phones and 68 per cent of them admitted they did not follow a budget plan to limit the amount of money spent on calls or text messages.

Some of the factors causing mobile phone blowouts include inflexible mobile phone contracts, confusing and aggressive marketing strategies specifically aimed at the teenage market and hard to understand contracts.

While mobile phone companies and financial organisations need to take responsibility for their actions and aggressive marketing tactics, the onus ultimately lies with you, the consumer, to consider how you spend your hard earned money.

While it might seem all too hard, the best time to start saving is NOW. With some forward planning, you could actually pay off your debt as soon as your bill arrives! For example, if your phone bill is normally around \$40 a month, then you simply need to start saving \$10 a week to have the money ready to pay your next bill.

Saving can actually be very easy by simply making a plan and sticking to it. Setting aside a small amount from your part time job or pocket money every week, can add up, especially with a high interest account from Community CPS Australia – either the **Junior Savers Account** (if you are under 13) or a **BU Savings Account** (when you are aged between 13 and 19.)

Educating yourself on the 'small print' (yes, the boring terms and conditions) before you commit yourself to any contract is also very important. Think about the consequences of your actions. What if you simply cannot pay your bills? What does that mean for your future credit rating or job prospects?

To find out more about how Community CPS accounts can help you save, call us on **13 25 85** or visit [www.communitycps.com.au](http://www.communitycps.com.au)

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### Diary Dates

**Friday 13th August 2010**  
Finals Topics and Information Released

**Saturday 14th August 2010**  
Free Coaching Morning, 10:30am to 12 noon (Pembroke Senior School).  
All students welcome – register at [www.debatingasa.com.au](http://www.debatingasa.com.au).

**Monday 16th August 2010**  
Perpetual Trophies to be returned

**Tuesday 17th August 2010**  
Round 5 at Pembroke Senior School

**Wednesday 18th August 2010**  
Round 5 at Adelaide High School  
(All Year 10s)

**Thursday 19th August 2010**  
Round 5 at Nazareth Catholic College

**Friday 20th August 2010**  
Finals Teams Announced

**Tuesday 24th August 2010**  
Round 5 at Pulteney Grammar School

**Thursday 26th August 2010**  
Round 5 at Grange Schools

**Saturday 28th August 2010**  
Quarter Finals at Pembroke Senior School

**Saturday 4th September 2010**  
Semi Finals at Pembroke Senior School

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#### **Special thanks to our 2010 Host Schools:**

- Adelaide High School
- Grange Schools
- Nazareth Catholic College
- Pembroke School
- Pulteney Grammar School
- Unley High School

**Crazy Hair Round Winners**

Congratulations to the following students who are the winners and runners up of Crazy Hair Round. If your name appears please see the Committee Desk for your prize.

**PEMBROKE SENIOR SCHOOL VENUE**



Winner: Eliza Grant  
Mercedes College



Runner up: Esrom Leaman  
Pembroke School



Runner Up:  
Alexander Fleming  
St John's Grammar School

**UNLEY HIGH SCHOOL VENUE**



Winner: Matthew Cropley (Westminster School)

**NAZARETH CATHOLIC COLLEGE VENUE**



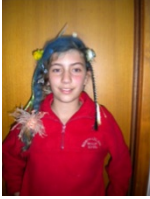
Winner: Michelle Lennon  
Brighton Secondary School



Runner up: Locky Kennedy  
Westminster School

*Name and photo withheld.  
Student from Trinity College*

**PULTENEY GRAMMAR SCHOOL VENUE**



Winner:  
Cheyenne Gronthos  
North Adelaide  
Primary School



Runner up: Patrick Dodd  
Investigator College



Runner up:  
Joanna Barry-Murphy  
Mercedes College

**ADELAIDE HIGH SCHOOL VENUE**

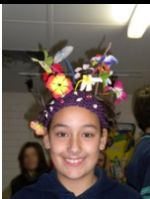


Winners: Clinton Phosavanh, Claire Gray-Starcevic, Emily Hendrikx, Ingrid Schreiber, Andrew Harrington (Glenunga International High School)



Runner up: Candice Atkinson  
Findon High School

**GRANGE SCHOOLS VENUE**



Winner: Rose Rusanoff  
Grange Schools



Runner up:  
Claudia Ciccarello  
Grange Schools

*Name and photo withheld.  
Student from  
Kidman Park Primary School*

# Sudoku Puzzles

Instructions: Fill in the empty spaces with the numbers 1-9 such that each row, column and 3 x 3 grid contains each number once only. Solutions next issue.

				9	4	6	
	2		6			8	
			7		9	3	5
		6	4			1	
7	9					5	4
5			8	7			
6	4	2		3			
3			5			1	
1	8		4				

**EASY**

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4			9				3	5
		8			2			6
			5	1				
	8	3				7	1	
				2	8			
6			2			5		
3	1				4			7
					7		9	

**HARD**

1	5	4	3	6	2	7	8	9
8	3	2	5	7	9	4	1	6
7	9	6	1	8	4	2	5	3
3	1	8	9	5	7	6	2	4
6	4	7	2	3	1	8	9	5
9	2	5	8	4	6	1	3	7
5	6	1	7	9	8	3	4	2
2	7	9	4	1	3	5	6	8
4	8	3	6	2	5	9	7	1

Issue 3 Easy Solution

Issue 3 Hard Solution

**Are you parked illegally?**

Please note that parking restrictions such as reserved spaces for heads of school apply 24 hours a day.

**View team rankings online at**

[www.debating.sa.com.au/rankings](http://www.debating.sa.com.au/rankings)



How can we improve our programme?

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**Thank you for your feedback.**