

CSCS- “Sparkle”

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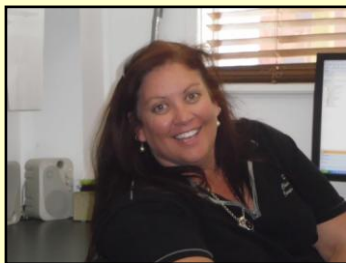
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Who am I: Margaret Weekes

Campus: Wagga

Hobbies: Travelling & Music

Fears: Snakes

My Spare Time I: Spend time with my children and husband and travel.

Quote: 'One small positive thought in the morning can change your whole day'.

Message from the General Manager

A quarter of a year has passed already, where did the time go?

Congratulations to all those people who have commenced or who have completed training this year. It is important we develop a highly skilled team, proficient in providing specialised services to the university; this is what sets us apart from our competitors.

2013 will be a busy period for the company, operations will be scrutinised and remodeled to ensure we deliver the most cost effective services enabling us meet budget constraints passed down by university.

I'm pleased with the recent feedback we have received from our clients and the results of internal quality assurance programs. We do provide a premium service to the university, thank you all for your hard work

Martin Dooner

CSCS News

WELCOME BACK!

Well what a busy start to the year, while staff were getting ready, super cleaning for the students and staff to return CSCS Management were off on the January 2013 Planning Meeting doing a lot of training and discussing the strategies for the new year.

Most campuses have had a lot of changes to adapt for the new year with staff leaving and retiring, new staff arriving, area changes and new buildings being built.

Wagga has been advised that South Campus (off site campus) will be closing at the end of 2013 but another large new residential area is currently being built.

Thurgoona will have more residences built also with another 20 beds, they have also had a new Community Engagement and Wellness Centre building built and opened late in 2012.

Bathurst has had no new buildings as of yet but have had a lot of staff changes.

Orange will be getting over 100 beds they have started excavations. Alterations to front of learning commons have been made, alterations in main administration building have also been started.

New Office Re-cycle system goes live on Orange Campus.

After a lot of planning by CSU Green and a few trials in Wagga, Orange Campus has been the first campus to move to the new recycle system for all office areas. Representatives from CSU Green addressed the Orange CSCS staff on Wed 30th January and fully explained the proposed workings and implementation and to answer any questions.

The system was rolled out across the campus that week and CSCS and CSU Green has now had a month to observe how it is going, with great first up results with 100% of the campus covered and close to 100% acceptance by CSU staff. There have been a few hick-ups which were expected but the first month has been very pleasing with only a couple of problems reported by CSCS staff. CSU Green are very happy with the implementation and general acceptance of the system at Orange and are now working on rolling it out across the other campuses.

Hello Brooke

Thanks to yourself, Rosaleen and Lisa for arranging All that you did at such short notice.

My Accommodation was excellent as it has been in the past and it was a pleasure to be there, all Staff associated with this accommodation complex should really be congratulated on their Individual Roles in the Very Professional Presentation of these Units. Well Done to All.

Regards
Paul Rava

Hi Damien,

Jay from DFM Wagga said she received a phone call late yesterday from Bonnie who wanted to thank the cleaners of N6 as they have done a great job.

It is always nice to pass on these comments so can you please thank the staff involved ☐

Kind Regards
Lynne Cox

Shane,

I would like to add my support and thanks to your staff also for raising the safety and maintenance issues they see on their rounds. Value adds to a safer and better place.

Really appreciated
Thanks
Ken

Hi Margaret,

The cleaner was here this morning when I arrived and showed me the work he had done on the HoS office and bathroom – looks amazing.

Thankyou

Rosemary Dunnett
Executive Assistant | School of Information Studies

2013 Planning Meeting



Paparazzi



Above – Orange Christmas Party



Above– Bathurst Group Training on the new Floor Scrubber.

Right – Thurgoona Staff Trialing new Staff Shirts



CSCS Orange staff Anthony Trotter and Matthew Whybrow suited up to tackle the ongoing bird droppings problem around the Orange Campus. The little swifts are numbered in their thousands and have made the higher rafters areas outside the learning commons, the bistro and bar, and the nearby lecture theatre entrances their home. CSCS are working with DFM to help reduce the potential health hazards from the bird droppings, but unfortunately the problem is becoming more complex as the birds are no longer migrating/moving on to other areas. DFM Campus Services Manager Mark Chapman has organised architects and builders to modify the front of the Learning Commons to reduce the available roosting positions for the birds but there is still a lot of work to do to eliminate the problem.



Above – Bathurst Café Floor after being Sealed.



Birthdays

Orange

Anthony Trotter 06/02
Jodie Watmore 05/02

Wagga

Allen Cochrane 05/01
Caroline Chaplin 02/02
Debbie Gilchrist 24/02
Maryann Gustowski 20/01
Vicki Lawson 06/01
Timothy Manwaring 08/01
Sharlene McDermott 20/01
Tanya Wood 20/02

Bathurst

Chris Bourne 22/01
Peter Gunning 15/01
Melissa Strickland 08/01
Maryann Weston 22/02

Thurgoona

Ava Hartley 02/07
Sharon Read 11/02

Anniversaries

Wagga

Martin Dooner - 05/12 – **7 Years**

Bathurst

Damien Blattman - 31/01 – **19 Years**
Wendy Eldridge - 30/01 – **10 Years**
Wendy Hope - 30/01 – **10 Years**
C McPhillamy - 02/02 – **19 Years**
Sharon Obrien - 30/01 – **10 Years**
Helen O'Shea - 16/02 – **9 Years**
Sharon Roberts - 31/01 – **19 Years**
Sandra Ryan - 20/01 – **10 Years**
T Ryan - 15/02 – **12 Years**
Estelle Sharwood - 30/01 – **10 Years**
Janine Sharwood - 19/02 – **6 Years**
Loretta Smith - 13/02 – **7 Years**
Kath Stevens - 14/02 – **19 Years**
Melinda Toole - 08/02 – **6 Years**
Judy Willman - 30/01 – **10 Years**

Thurgoona

Miriam Agar - 18/02 – **3 Years**
Ava Hartley - 09/02 – **4 Years**
Tracy Johnson - 11/02 – **11 Years**
Marion Wood - 12/02 – **6 Years**



Left– Congratulations to these two Thurgoona Staff Members, Melissa Franks and Sharon Read who have been promoted to Full Time!