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EDITORIAL

Welcome to the second edition of the Geography Bulletin for 2018. Many thanks to those who contributed.

The feature article in this edition is based on Sydney as a changing place, incorporating fieldwork activities and an associated assessment task.

Feature Article

- Changing Places. Sydney's Urban Future by Louise Swanson
- Assessment for Environmental Change or Changing Places by Kate Graham, Head Teacher HSIE, Sydney Secondary College, Balmain Campus

Many thanks to the following authors for material that fits nicely into the syllabus **Cross Curriculum Priorities and General Capabilities:**

- Jens Korff for Aboriginal Australia: Part 3 Indigenous Protected Areas
- Melissa Ellis for Mungo Virtual Excursions
- Susan Bliss for the Seoul Winter Olympics.

Items from GTA NSW include

- A GTANSW Submission to the Review of Stage 6 Geography
- Feedback and comments from the 2018 Annual Conference
- Guide to Geography Bulletin Resources
- Arthur Phillip Fieldwork Awards 2017 Winners
- HSC High Achiever Awards

Upcoming GTA NSW events

- HSC Exam Preparation Student Lectures
 - Sydney Surry Hills Tuesday 26th June
 - Sydney Auburn Saturday 30th June

These lectures can also be attended by teachers seeking professional learning who may wish to attend without students. Successful lectures were also held in Newcastle and Goulburn in early June

Semester 2 Webinars

Dates and topics for semester 2 Webinars TB

- Regional Conferences
 - Tweed Heads (Friday 10th August)
 - Canberra (Friday 14th September)
- Skills and Spatial Technologies Workshops

(Potential August and October dates TBC)

- Stage 6 Geography Conference (Early November Date TBC).
- Arthur Phillip Fieldwork Competition. Entries accepted up to Friday 23rd
 November. See flyer in this Geography Bulletin or on the GTANSW website

Ideas presented in Changing Places can be adapted for use in other suburbs and rural towns.

Concepts in Seoul Winter Olympics can be applied to other global events such as World Cup Soccer.

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