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The newsletter of The Tall Poppy Campaign of South Australia

Welcome



The Eleusinian trio:
Persephone, Triptolemos
and Demeter.

...to the first of what I hope will be monthly South Australian Tall Poppy communiqués. The purpose of these is to support links between South Australian Poppies past and present and to keep you all well connected with what's going on in and around science in your State.

These newsletters will be kept brief – there is no shortage of demands on your time from a multitude of mailing lists – but should you want more information on any of the items noted please do not hesitate to contact the Tall Poppy South Australia office.

Please let us know of any of your events, achievements or connections that you would like to share with your fellow Poppies. Don't be modest – your success encourages and inspires your peers and helps us properly represent you in the wider South Australian community.

Your suggestions, corrections, additions and comments about this newsletter are also very welcome.

Events & Dates

National Science Week 2011

Location: <http://sasciwk.notlong.com>

Date: August 2011

The South Australian programme of National Science Week was launched by South Australian Minister for Science and Information Economy, Jay Weatherill, at the Science Exchange on Wednesday 4 May 2011.

New SA Chief Scientist Appointment

Location: <http://chiefsci.notlong.com>

Date: April 2011

A leader and recognised expert in the field of water management and quality, Adjunct Professor Don Bursill AM, has been appointed as South Australia's new Chief Scientist.

Tall Poppy Awards 2011

Location: www.aips.net.au

Date: Thursday 25 August 2011

Nominations for the 2011 Awards close on Sunday 8 May.

Inspiring Australia Update

Location: <http://inspaus.notlong.com>

Date: March 2011

The Inspiring Australia report was announced in February 2010 and proposes a national strategy for public science engagement to be built on collaboration across government, the science community, industry, the education sector and the general public. IA Updates contain news relating to the ongoing IA strategy.

Poppy News



Wellcome Trust grant:

Dr Ellen Nesbit

<http://www.unisa.edu.au/News/2011/040511A.asp>



In the Advertiser:

Dr Charlie Huvneers

<http://huvn.notlong.com>



Life as a research fellow, on

YouTube:

Dr Saravana Kumar

<http://drsvk.notlong.com>

Featured Partner



Advantage SA plays an important role both within and outside the State as the positive voice of South Australia.

Thanks to Poppies for your support of the recent series of University Nomination Roadshows - by your attendance and presentations, your promotion around your departments and faculties and your supportive messages.