

# COMPETITION RESULTS



The Geography Teachers' Association of NSW & ACT

## 2019 ARTHUR PHILLIP

## FIELDWORK COMPETITION



Full competition results by award category



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### The Geographical Fieldwork and Research Award – Stage 4 Category

#### Equal First Place

##### Catherine Park

SCEGGS Darlinghurst  
*How does your local area rate in regards to liveability?*

##### Hannah Guest

SCEGGS Darlinghurst  
*Local area liveability study of Woolwich*

#### Second Place

##### Eliana Watters-Cowan

Hunter School of Performing Arts  
*Place and Liveability – Number One Sportsground*

#### Third Place

##### April Foster

Wollondilly Anglican College  
*How liveable is my local area?*

#### Highly Commended

##### Jade Wainwright

Hunter School of Performing Arts  
*Place and Liveability – Cardiff Train Station*

### The Geographical Fieldwork and Research Award – Stage 5 Category

#### Equal First Place

##### Isabella Fung

Hunter School of Performing Arts  
*Pollution in Throsby Creek*

##### Chloe Linstrom

Hunter School of Performing Arts  
*Erosion at Stockton Beach*

#### Second Place

##### Ada Pascoe

Hunter School of Performing Arts  
*The Impact of Climate Change in the Wine Industry*

#### Equal Third Place

##### Hugh Gelder

Hunter Valley Grammar School  
*The Changing Place of Maitland*

##### Leila Anderberg

Hunter Valley Grammar School  
*The Changing Place of Maitland*

### The Geographical Fieldwork and Research Award – Stage 6 Category

#### First Place

##### Archie Hyles

Cranbrook School  
*To what extent has drought effected the mental wellbeing of people living in and around the rural community of Jugiong*

#### Second Place

##### Ned Hendersen

Cranbrook School  
*A comparative study between physical and human impacts of varying levels of light pollution in the Sydney CBD and rural areas*

#### Third Place

##### Ruby McGinty

Tara Anglican School for Girls  
*The impacts of pollution on the Hawkesbury-Nepean River*

#### Highly Commended

##### Cassie O'Carroll

Bomaderry High School  
*Evaluation of Kellet Creek's land title and ecological significance*

### The Brock Rowe Senior Geography Fieldwork Award

#### Equal First Place

##### Jasmine Locke

St Mary Star of the Sea, Wollongong  
*Brackish water in the Minnamurra River and how it affects the flora and fish species*

##### Olivia Tingay

Roseville College  
*A study of the social impact the dominance of young families has on South Turrumurra*

#### Second Place

##### Jessica Young

St Mary Star of the Sea, Wollongong  
*Comparison between protected and non-protected marine areas*

#### Third Place

##### Camille O'Loughlin

Roseville College  
*The impact of equestrian facilities surrounding Ku-Ring-Gai Chase National Park*



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### Highly Commended

#### Edward Sutherland

Hunter Valley Grammar School  
*Soils Ability to Combat Climate Change*

### The Dr Susan Bliss

#### Cross-Curricular Priority Awards

### Equal First Place

#### Jessy Arnold

St Benedicts Catholic College  
*Soil Structure in Farming*

#### Zachary Smith

Wollondilly Anglican College  
*Has the introduction of 'Return and Earn' improved the recycling habits of residents from a range of different towns across the Wollondilly Shire?*

### The Dr Maurine Goldston-Morris Civic and Citizenship Award

#### Nicola Bliss, Indiana Hardwick & Abby Nelson

Warners Bay High School  
*The Creativity and Sustainability Challenge –  
Proposing an Environmental Representative Council*

### The Dr Maurine Goldston-Morris Geography Teacher Award

#### Adam Everatt

St Mary Star of the Sea, Wollongong  
*Adam has inspired his students to a high level of geographical understanding through research in the field and through secondary sources. His students have discovered aspects of Geography through the studies of a wide variety of issues, employing a variety of ICT methodologies. Adam is commended on the quality of his students' research and breadth of presentations of topics. He has consistently inspired his students to learn about the ever-changing world.*



## About the Geographers

**Admiral Arthur Phillip** (1738–1814) joined the Royal Navy at fifteen and worked his way up the ranks to be appointed captain of HMS Sirius in 1786. Phillip was appointed Governor of New South Wales, the first British colony on the Australian continent. He was also the founder of the city of Sydney. As an experienced sea captain he had an excellent knowledge of the geography of the world.

**Brock Rowe** was a founder of GTA NSW and he became a Fellow of the association in 1982. In honour of his role in the association and his contribution to Geography over many years, the original fieldwork competition for individual senior geography projects was given his name.

**Dr Susan Bliss** joined GTANSW in 1961 as a student at Sydney University and became a GTANSW Councillor in 1981, giving continuous service until her retirement in 2013. Award entries demonstrate significant achievement or development of understanding in any of the three Australian K–10 Geography Curriculum cross curricular priority areas; Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander histories and cultures, Asia and Australia's engagement with Asia or Sustainability.

**Dr Maurine Goldston-Morris OAM** devoted herself to the life and achievements of Arthur Phillip, she was the Founding President of the Arthur Phillip Society. Author of the book *The life of Admiral Arthur Phillip R.N. : 1738 –1814/* transcripts by Maurine Goldston-Morris

Two awards, for Civic and Citizenship and for Geography teachers honour her achievements.

GTANSW & ACT would like to congratulate all the winners and also commend the students and teachers who have participated in this year's competition.