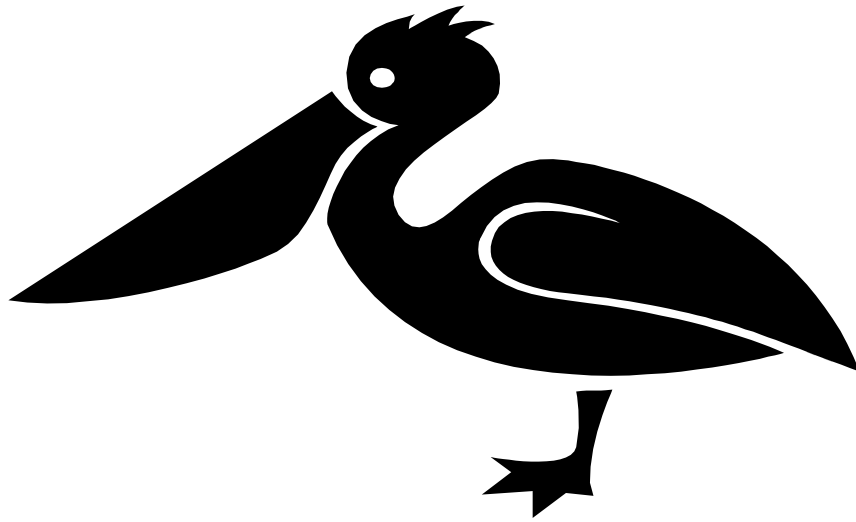


# 2007 MANSW ANNUAL CONFERENCE



30<sup>th</sup> SEPTEMBER 2007 -  
2<sup>nd</sup> OCTOBER 2007

## PORT MACQUARIE

*We'd love to see you all there!*

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for details of keynotes and presentations

# MANSW Conference 2007

The broad conference program will provide stimulating teaching ideas for all teachers of mathematics, be they early childhood, primary, secondary or post-secondary. There will be workshops on teaching strategies K-12+, reports on the latest educational research and the opportunity to improve technological knowledge and skills while evaluating the impact of technology on the teaching of mathematics. Our conference will include a combination of keynote addresses, presentations and workshop sessions with 8 different workshops / presentations in each session. The draft program is attached.

A display of educational publishers and distributors will provide insight into the latest reference material and teaching support available. The discussions and networking with other teachers are also extremely valuable and it's fun catching up with friends..

## Accommodation

You need to organise your own accommodation as it is not part of the registration for the conference. For those conference delegates who wish to stay at the Sails Resort, opposite the conference venue there is a special offer.

**The group booking number at Sails Resort is 102547 .**

You should quote this number **at the time of booking at Sails** to ensure that the reduced conference rates are applied. Bookings can be made 24hrs a day by calling (02) 6583 3999 or freephone 1800 025 271, or by e-mailing [reservations@sailsresort.com.au](mailto:reservations@sailsresort.com.au)

**Special rates at Sails resort, inclusive of full buffet breakfast:**

Single Occupancy - \$144.00 per room, per night

Double/Twin Occupancy - \$165.00 per room, per night

Triple Occupancy - \$200.00 per room, per night

*Children stay for free in studio rooms with just an \$8.50 charge per day for breakfast*

Port Macquarie has many other accommodation options, for advice contact  
Port Macquarie Visitors Centre [www.portmacquarieinfo.com.au](http://www.portmacquarieinfo.com.au) or call 1300 303 155.

Wherever you decide to stay - book early to avoid disappointment!

## Social events

Dinners are not included in the conference registration cost.

### Saturday 29 Sept: Evening drinks and nibbles for early arrivals in Port Macquarie

This event is FREE and will be held on the Pier area at Panthers. You will receive a 'fax-back' form to use to indicate if you would like to attend when your conference receipt is sent to you.



### Sunday 30 Sept: Evening River Cruise

On Sunday 1 October there will be a relaxing 1.5 hour cruise with light finger food and drinks on the Port Venture. Participants will be able to board at the nearby marina.

Make your booking to attend this river cruise on the registration form.

### Monday 1 Oct: Conference Dinner

The conference dinner will be held on Monday evening at Port Macquarie Panthers. Make your booking to attend this dinner on the registration form.

The dinner will have a **Jungle Fever** theme - so make sure you are dressed appropriately!



## Registration

Registrations from MANSW members receive a \$75 discount for the **3 day Registration package** compared to the rate for non-members. If you are not currently a personal member of MANSW and wish to join before registering for this conference, please download the 2007 Membership form from our new website [www.mansw.nsw.edu.au](http://www.mansw.nsw.edu.au) and send it in together with your payment and conference registration form.

Please help yourselves. and our planning, by registering early. Remember, three day registrations also receive an additional discount. Registrations will only be processed when payment is received

Registrations will close Friday 31 August 2007 or when the conference is full.

## Draft Conference Program

### Saturday 29 September

**6:30 pm** FREE nibbles and drinks for early arrivals in Port Macquarie

### Sunday 30 September

8:00 am Registration

9:00 am Introduction & welcome

9:30 am **Keynote address**

Professor Geoff Masters Australian Council for Educational Research  
*Mathematics Learning in Australian Schools*

10:45 am Morning Tea

11:15 am Session 1: Secondary Plenary: *Board of Studies Update*  
Primary Plenary: *Motivating the computer-age children*

12:15 pm Session 2A: Workshops and Presentations and Lunch A

1:15 pm Session 2B: Workshops and Presentations and Lunch B

2:15 pm Session 3: Workshops and Presentations

3:15 pm Session 4: Workshops and Presentations

4:15 pm Afternoon tea

4:45 pm Session 5: Workshops and Presentations

6:30 pm Evening River Cruise

### Monday 1 October

9:00 am **Keynote Address:**

Rosemary Callingham University of New England

*Manufacturing Mathematics Teachers : Teaching Standards or Standardised Teaching?*

10:30 am Morning tea

11:00 am Session 7: Workshops and Presentations

12:00 pm Session 8A: Workshops and Presentations and Lunch A

1:00 pm Session 8B: Workshops and Presentations and Lunch B

2:00 pm Session 9: Workshops and Presentations

3:00 pm Session 10: Workshops and Presentations

4:00 pm Afternoon tea

4:30 pm Session 11: Workshops and Presentations

7:00 pm Conference dinner: **Jungle Fever** Theme

### Tuesday 2 October

8:30am Session 12 Workshops and Presentations

9:30 am Session 13 Workshops and Presentations

10:30 am Morning tea

11:00 am Session 14: Workshops and Presentations

12:00 pm Session 15: Workshops and Presentations

1:00 pm Lunch

2:30 pm Closing activity: *Musical Mathematics: Katrina and the Sine Waves*

3:30 pm Close & Afternoon tea

*We hope to see you there!*

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