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Dear Archie,

G'day mate! How are ya?.

Thanks very much for your letter and photo,  
I havent had mine developed yet, infact I'm  
taking them to the chemists tomorrow.

As you said on the phone it took me  
three weeks to get over the Jet lag.

I should think you found the Monday  
at college very difficult. I didn't go, even work  
on the Tuesday I found very tiring, but its  
all part of the fun eh!.

Since our arrival back into the UK I  
seems to have been just as busy as I was  
before we left for Oz, although things appear  
now to have returned to normal.

I had an excellent Easter, I'm still recovering.  
I hope your Easter was a good as mine

Only today I received a letter from one of the girls that were staying in Womans College when we were. It certainly made me wish I was back out their. One day I will be that far gone.

About 3 or 4 weeks ago I wrote to Richard Bryant asking him for the addresses of 2 of the Australian team, the mens hairdresser Dave and the carpenter Robert Weymouth, as yet he has not replied so I was wondering if you could possibly help me out, as Dave is coming to the UK shortly and a get-together would be good fun.

I must apologise for not having written sooner but as I said I have been very busy, and didn't think there was much to write about.

My college Brunel Tech have awarded me with a medal and cheque for £100 for outstanding achievement. This obviously pleased me, my family and my employer alot. The medal was presented at the same time as the City & Guilds medals (of which I have a silver one) along with a

magnificent buffet lunch. This also gave me the opportunity to chat to Christie (the UK hair-dressing expert) which was amazing as we talked about my Australian flag prints, it now covers one wall in my flat, all my friends (yes I do have some) think that its an excellent momento.

I'm just watching the weather on T.V., they are saying that it was 20°C approx 26°F in Rome today, I know you're in Glasgow but that must still be a bit warm for you, your head will go pink again, in fact it was the warmest place in the whole of southern Europe.

As I said thanks again for the letter it's appreciated.

See you soon Geordie.

P.S- If you ever in my neck of the woods please drop me a line & via versa for myself.

P.P.S- You did a brilliant job Archie it wouldn't have been as much without you.