

## IMPORTANT DATES

**19 December** - WHS Construction Induction Course  
**19 December** - Last Day of School  
**20 December** - SDD (no students)  
**29 January** - SDD (no students)  
**30 January** - Year 7, 11 & 12 commence  
**31 January** - Year 8, 9 & 10 commence  
**7 February** - Swimming Carnival at Maitland Pool



## OFFICE OPENING HOURS

Please be aware the office is open Monday to Friday between 8:00am and 4:00pm. Outside office hours, a message may be left on the school answering machine. Parents and caregivers are reminded an appointment is necessary before meeting with teachers as they have class, playground duty and other commitments during the school day.



The next P&C meeting will be held 19th February 2019 at 6pm in the interview room at the front office. All welcome to attend.

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# RUTHERFORD TECHNOLOGY HIGH SCHOOL NEWSLETTER



19th December 2018  
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## FAREWELLS

Sadly, we say farewell to a number of staff at year's end.

The following permanent members of staff are leaving:

- Jackie Campbell (SLSO) since 1988 is retiring.
- Eve Peters (PDHPE) since 2006 is taking leave pending retirement.
- Anne Young (Science) since 1986 is taking leave pending retirement.
- Sue Peak (Counsellor) since 2002 and English since 1990 is taking leave pending retirement.
- Kylie Fabri (Deputy Principal) who has filled the roles of Head Teacher wellbeing and Deputy Principal since 2012 is leaving to take up the position of Deputy Principal at Callaghan College Wallsend. (See the message from Kylie below)

I will like to commend them all for the fantastic efforts over many years. They have all made a difference to the lives of many students at RTHS.

Michele McKenna (Head Teacher HSIE) has accepted the position of relieving Deputy Principal at Wauchope High for 12 months in 2019. We wish her all the best till she returns

As well we have a number of temporary staff leaving include: Laura Gaynor (HSIE), Melissa Laughton (English), Jarred Carter (HSIE), Sam Harwood (HSIE), Brendan Hourigan (TAS), Tanya Smith (Science), Josh Russell (Science), Brendan Upcroft (SLSO), Toni Heard (Aboriginal Education). Thank you to all of these people for their efforts through 2018.

Have a great break everyone and thank you for your contributions during 2018.  
Be safe.

**MERRY CHRISTMAS AND A SAFE HOLIDAY**

*Mr Michael Whiting  
Principal*

# Congratulations!

## **YOUTH EXPRESS AWARDS**

On Tuesday 27 November 2018, some staff and students from Rutherford Technology High School attended the Youth Express Awards Breakfast for Vocational Education.

We were extremely proud to see Cameron Manning and Steph Roberts nominated for the Robert Beggs Memorial Award for students and our Careers Adviser Mr Brian Hunt nominated for the teaching award.

Also, our school Principal, Mr Michael Whiting, was recognised for his contribution to Youth Express as a long-serving board member.

It is great to see such achievements recognised and well done to Steph, Cameron, Mr Hunt and Mr Whiting!

***Mr Toby Butler***  
***Head Teacher VET, Careers & LOTE***



**Mr Whiting, Steph, Cameron & Mr Hunt**

# Merry Christmas

## **YEAR 6 TRANSITION PROGRAM AND ORIENTATION**

Over the past 3 weeks we have welcomed many year 6 students into our school. Transition programs for special education students, vulnerable students and Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students have been a huge success. I have had the pleasure of meeting and learning about our Year 7 2019. I know that at times the thought of coming to high school can be daunting but the students I have met have been well mannered, respectful, enthusiastic and responsible. At our parent evening, it was fantastic to meet a number of past students who commented on the schools fantastic environment and were excited about their own child attending the school that they went to.

## **UNIFORM**

Our students are looking fantastic in our school uniform. We have had many community members comment on how well presented our students are. This is outstanding news.

## **YEAR GROUP EXCURSION**

Lately many students have had the pleasure of attending year group excursions. These have included Revolution, Raw Challenge and the movies. Our students have demonstrated our school core values of respect, responsibility and commitment. We have many positive comments such as "they are the best schools kids we have ever had here"

## **MADD ROAD SHOW**

Our first stop for the MADD Roadshow 2018 was Rutherford Public School where our Singers, instrumentalists, dancers and actors entertained an enthralled audience! Next stops Branxton and Lochinvar.

## **SRC NOMINATIONS**

Students are identified through a selection process and this week year groups have voted for their 2019 representatives. In their roles they will contribute to the school and develop their personal character and leadership skills.

The purpose of student leadership is to:

- provide opportunities for building leadership skills;
- promote student voice e.g. promote student participation in decision making processes;
- communicate student voice through the newsletter, fundraising and other whole school events.

## **REPORTS**

Semester 2 reports were issued to students on Friday 14th December 2018.

## **WASTE OPS COMPETITION**

Cessnock City and Maitland City Councils offered local Year 7 and 8 students the opportunity to enter the 2018 Waste Ops short film contest earlier in the year. Seven schools entered the competition that focused on reducing the amount of waste we generate every day. Rutherford Technology High School and Kurri Kurri High School were named finalists, which saw the films brought to life by professional videographers. The films were posted online and it was up to the community to decide the 2018 Waste Ops champion. Congratulations to our school students who were awarded runners-up and \$250.

## **IT'S NOT GOODBYE BUT SEE YOU LATER**

It is with a combination of sadness and excitement that I am informing the school community that I have accepted a new position as Deputy Principal Callaghan College Wallsend Campus from the start of 2019.

I have been the Deputy Principal at RTHS for 5 ½ years and for 1 ½ years prior as Head Teacher of Wellbeing.

From my very first day I was impressed by the warmth and openness of this community. It has been a privilege to work here with such wonderful children, dedicated staff and caring parents. I have especially enjoyed working closely with Mr Whiting and Ms Hughes to lead and support the school through the rapid growth and change during these years.

I will miss RTHS, this is a great community and I have appreciated my time here. I wish every family all the best and hope that every child enrolled here continues to enjoy the exciting educational opportunities provided by this school.

**Kylie Fabri**  
**Deputy Principal**



### **SUPPORT FACULTY REPORT**

The start of term 4 saw the Support faculty welcome two new staff members to the team. Maree Hendry as a teacher and Brendan Upcroft as an SLSO. Both have made a great contribution to the Support faculty throughout the term.

Our students have started to work collaboratively in setting up our sensory garden, which also focuses on environmental sustainability. With the hard work of our Support teacher Rechelle Wood, our students have implemented a compost and worm farm as a starting point. This program has been highly engaging for our students and will continue in 2019.

The Support students of RTHS ventured out to Morisset Active Education Centre for a two day, 1 night excursion. Students were pushed outside of their comfort zones in activities that involved heights, risks, group work, communication, listening and patience. All the students worked well together, supporting one another through their fears to complete all tasks.



Looking ahead to 2019 will see the inclusion of a new Support class. These students have been participating in transition days getting themselves prepared for the big changes when starting in year 7. With the addition of a new class, we would like welcome a new teacher to the faculty in Miss Lauren Gear.



Finally, but most importantly, a massive congratulations to our SLSO Jacqueline Campbell who is retiring at the end of 2019. To say that Jacky has been a valued member of the faculty would be highly understated. For 30 years Jacky has supported, encouraged, nurtured and cared for all her students in regards to their learning and well being. Her positive and resilient personality has been infectious, and other staff members have learnt plenty from Jacky over the years. All students and teachers across the whole school are going to miss her dearly. On behalf of all staff, students and parents within the Rutherford High School Community, we would like to thank Jacky and wish her all the very best in the future! Thank you!

**Tim Penny**  
**Head Teacher Support (Relieving)**

### **ICT Faculty 2018**

It has been another busy year in the ICT faculty for 2018. Technology infrastructure has again been improved with more Laptops and services provided to support students and staff.

There has been changes in the ICT staff, with Mr Cooper filling in while Mr Buckie is away, and Mr Short filling in for Mr Mate.

Our TSO, Mr Helmut Wirth has also return to the ICT area providing I.T services for students and staff.

Both, Mr. Short and Mr. Copper will return next year, ready to do another great job engaging and teaching the students.

There has been much preparation in ICT for the new Technology Mandatory stage 4 Syllabus, which involves more ICT and coding elements in the teaching programs.

There have been several external completions throughout the year, including the University of New South Wales



Programming Competition, the GROK learning's online code development competition and the Hunter Region RoboCup, where our students represented their school with pride. Also Robogals from the University of New South Wales who visited with the intentions to demonstrate engineering and Robotics, with a focus to inspire and empower young women.

It has been a busy year and we are well prepared and ready for another busy year in 2019.

I would like to extend my gratitude to our illustrious ICT staff members Mr Short, Mr Cooper and Helmut Wirth who all continually go above and beyond to provide quality support and learning opportunities within our school community.

I hope everyone has a safe Christmas break and look forward to leading the ICT faculty in 2019.

**Mr J Marks**  
**Head Teacher ICT**





**Rutherford Technology High School**  
**Student Representative Council**  
**2019**

**School Captains:**

Jacinta Mangnall  
Braydon Stoessel

**School Vice Captains:**

Capree Sales  
Alexis Kik

**Senior Leader:**

Trent Bell  
Tiarna Croft  
Noah Curry  
Alyssa Hurney  
Leah Muter

**Indigenous Leader:**

Chantel Sinclair  
Jake Collins-Doherty

**Year 8:**

Riley Hawes  
Bailey Maier  
Cody Roberts  
Laura Vallance

**Year 9:**

Leeza Goyal  
Aidan Upcroft  
Chelsea West  
Kayla Wright

**Year 10:**

Rohan Baker-Wade  
Charlie Dunn  
Kasie| Moy  
Madelyn Stevenson  
Annalise Stoessel



## RUTHERFORD TECHNOLOGY HIGH SCHOOL 2019 CAPTAIN PROFILES

Introducing your 2018/2019 captains ....

### **Jacinta Mangnall – School Captain**

Jacinta joined Rutherford Technology High School in Term 2 of Year 7 in 2014 after transferring from Hunter Sports High School before attending a small primary school of approximately 150 students in the Newcastle area.

Jacinta has been a valued member of Rutherford Technology High School Student Representative Council (SRC) since coming to the school. Jacinta joined the SRC to develop her interpersonal skills and leadership skills.

Jacinta has represented the school in many activities and events including being selected for 'Secretary for a Day in 2017'.

In Jacinta's senior year of education she is studying: Mathematics, English, Timber, Food Technology, Retail



### **Braydon Stoessel – School Captain**

Braydon has been a part of Rutherford Technology High since 2013 when he was selected to be a part of the Science GATS before starting in Year 7 in 2014.

Braydon is extremely proud and happy to be a part of the student Leadership group and will use his previous skills obtained from being a part of the School Student Representative Council (SRC) in his junior years of schooling to his advantage.

For Braydon's senior years of education he has selected to study: Advanced English, Mathematics, English, Legal Studies, PDHPE, Earth & Environmental Science and Sports Coaching. After Braydon completes his HSC he would like to go to University and study nursing.

Braydon is an active student being involved with various school sporting teams and plays rugby league and basketball outside of school.



### **Alexis Kik – School Vice Captain**

Alexis has been at Rutherford Technology High School since mid-2017 after moving from St Josephs Lochinvar due to more suitable senior schooling.

Alexis was an SRC member at her primary school and has now joined the SRC at Rutherford Technology High School.

Alexis has always been a helpful member of her school community, whether this be as bus monitor, peer support leader or organising school events. Throughout these privileges Alexis has gained many skills and leadership experience which assisted her choice to stand for Vice Captain.

Alexis is extremely excited to represent Rutherford Technology High School and is looking forward to being able to give back to the school community and improve the schools unity and togetherness.



### **Capree Sales – School Vice Captain**

Capree came to Rutherford Technology High School in 2014 starting in Year 7 and transitioning from Telarah Public School.

During Capree's senior years she has selected to study: Mathematics, English, Hospitality, Food Technology and Health Services as a T-VET Course. Capree is also completing a nursing traineeship at Maitland Hospital.

Capree is a respected member of the school Student Representative Council and is looking forward to improving our school.

Capree is excited to be our school vice-captain and support her peers as well as to be involved with school





Presentation Day  
14<sup>th</sup> December 2018

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# THANK YOU

The students and staff of Rutherford Technology High School would like to thank the following businesses and community members for their support of their annual school presentation day:

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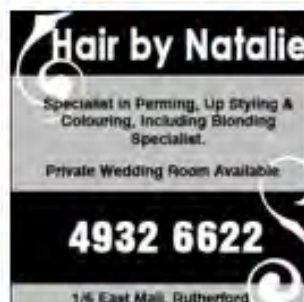
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**List of the students that received Vivo Awards for Term 4: 2018. Well done!**

<p><b><u>Year 7</u></b></p> <p>Blade Hayes Ned Sutherland Tylah Sheather Henry Truong Brock McGlashan Aiden Forbes Suzie Tapau Zoe Roots Katie-Rose Harwood Samantha Rachubinski Jarrod White Jack Kerry Nicholas Robinson Beau Exposito-Bishell Thomas Shand</p> <p>Sienna Murrell-Rivett</p> <p>Natasha Bampton &amp; Samantha Rachubinski</p>	<p>Respect Respect Respect Respect Respect Responsibility Responsibility Responsibility Responsibility Responsibility Commitment Commitment Commitment Commitment Commitment</p> <p>Deadly Vivo Champion</p> <p>Overall Vivo Campion for Term 4</p>	<p><b><u>Year 8</u></b></p> <p>Jason Foote Bella Clarke Alyssa Forth Alison Kalverla Brayden Taylor Jett Habgood Lathan Bice Olivia Playford Bowen Coddington Joshua Hunt Antonie McCudden Caoimhe Ryan Zion Jimmy Shennai White Lauren Mills</p> <p>Satine Murrell-Rivett</p> <p>Jessica Bate &amp; Bella Clarke</p>	<p>Respect Respect Respect Respect Respect Responsibility Responsibility Responsibility Responsibility Responsibility Commitment Commitment Commitment Commitment Commitment</p> <p>Deadly Vivo Champion</p> <p>Overall Vivo Campion for Term 4</p>
<p><b><u>Year 9</u></b></p> <p>Matthew Houghton Brodie Higgison Lucy Geelan Nunia Palu Kaitlin Parish Joshua Sales Khyl Banister Rohan Baker-Wade Kasie Moy Elizabeth Ferraro Logan Rebb Ebony Giles Cheyanne Murray Jasmine Smurthwaite Phoebe Densley</p> <p>Nunia Palu</p> <p>Matthew Houghton &amp; Tyler Gardiner</p>	<p>Respect Respect Respect Respect Respect Responsibility Responsibility Responsibility Responsibility Responsibility Commitment Commitment Commitment Commitment Commitment</p> <p>Deadly Vivo Champion</p> <p>Overall Vivo Campion for Term 4</p>	<p><b><u>Year 10</u></b></p> <p>Natalie Jones Phoebe Quilty Brayden Wallbridge Tahlia Nairne Raychael Chand Hayden Darcy Khadeja Date Ditch Zielinski Sarah Vokes Aimee Turner Tahlia Nairne Jadine Roets Trent Bell Noah Curry Olivia Rachubinski</p> <p>Janamba-Rose Wiecezorek</p> <p>Brayden Wallbridge &amp; Alanah Whitson</p>	<p>Respect Respect Respect Respect Respect Responsibility Responsibility Responsibility Responsibility Responsibility Commitment Commitment Commitment Commitment Commitment</p> <p>Deadly Vivo Champion</p> <p>Overall Vivo Campion for Term 4</p>
<p><b><u>Year 11</u></b></p> <p>Monique Jones Kayle White Ashley Kennedy Lachlan Peters Jasmine Anderson-Ireland Mikayla Nisbet-Gore Lachlan Broad Rowan Tonkies Amelia Norman Nicola Whiting</p>	<p>Respect Respect Respect Respect Respect Responsibility Responsibility Responsibility Responsibility Responsibility</p>	<p>Gemma Apps Tiffany Wilde Lauren Oliver Connor Gallagher Charli Field</p> <p>Mikayla Nisbet-Gore</p> <p>Monique Jones &amp; Lachlan Peters</p>	<p>Commitment Commitment Commitment Commitment Commitment</p> <p>Deadly Vivo Champion</p> <p>Overall Vivo Campion for Term 4</p>

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27 November  
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## **TERM 4: WEEK 6 ASSEMBLY – ICT FACULTY PBL AWARDS**

### **Year 7**

Grace Kiehne	Outstanding Achievements in Coding
Frank Tarlinton	Consistent Effort within ICT

### **Year 8**

Sumara Hill	Outstanding Achievements in Coding
Chelsea Horn	Outstanding Achievements in Coding
Mitchell Houghton	Consistent Efforts within ICT
Abbey Mission	Consistent Efforts within ICT
Shayla Nevinson	Outstanding Achievements in Coding
Ethan Parkinson	Outstanding Achievements in Coding
Maddison Parish	Outstanding Achievements in Coding

### **Year 9**

Jonah Betteridge	Consistent Efforts within IST
Jesse Hamilton	Consistent Efforts within IST
Clarence Lawrence	Excellent Work in Engineering Drawing
Marley Wilson	Excellent Work in Engineering Drawing

### **Year 10**

Isaac Chapman	Excellent Results in Digital Media Assessment Task
Liam Donegan	Excellent Results in Digital Media Assessment Task

### **Year 11**

Jake Madge	Consistent Efforts within Multimedia
Emily Playford	Consistent Efforts within Multimedia



## **TERM 4: WEEK 7 ASSEMBLY – TAS FACULTY PBL AWARDS**

### **Year 7**

Gabriella Belcastro	Commitment to Learning in Technology Mandatory-Wood
Jordan Brown	Commitment to Learning in Technology Mandatory
Caitlyn Giblin	Commitment to Learning in Technology Mandatory
Carlia Habgood	Commitment to Learning in Technology Mandatory-Food
Jack Howison	Commitment to his work in Tech Mandatory
Jacob Martin	Commitment to Learning in Technology Mandatory
Nicholas Robinson	Commitment to Learning in Technology Mandatory
Lily Stafford	Commitment to Learning in Technology Mandatory
Lori Twaddell	Commitment to Learning in Technology Mandatory
Laura Valance	Commitment to Learning in Technology Mandatory
Ruby Van Der Wel	Commitment to Learning in Technology Mandatory

### **Year 8**

Courtney Algie	Commitment to Completing all work in Tech Mandatory-Food
Bowen Coddington	Commitment to Learning in Technology Mandatory
Isabelle Grey	Commitment to completing all work in Tech Mandatory-Food
Destiny Mains	Commitment to Learning
Micheal Rashleigh	Commitment to Completing all work in Tech Mandatory-Metal
Brodie Rice	Commitment to Completing all work in Tech Mandatory-Metal
Finn Stockwell	Commitment to Learning in Technology Mandatory
Shay White	Commitment to Learning in Technology Mandatory
Shennai White	Commitment to Learning in Technology Mandatory
Curtis Wise-Lancaster	Commitment to Working in a Positive Manner in Food Practical Lessons

### **Year 9**

Tom Anderson	Consistent Effort in Metal Work
Ethan Cooney	Consistent Effort in Metal Work
Jason Dimmock	Consistent Effort in Metal Work
Nicole Foster	Commitment to Supporting other Students in Practical Tasks
Adam Gilbert	Consistent Effort in Metal Work
Jesse Hamilton	Commitment to Learning in iSTEM
Serenity Lloyd	Commitment to her work in Child Studies
Jordon Lodo	Improvement in Metal Work
Imogen Moulton	Consistent Effort in Metal Work
Jack Nelson	Consistent Effort in Metal Work
Andre Prinsloo	Consistent Effort in Metal Work
Andre Prinsloo	Commitment to Learning in iSTEM
Annalise Stoessel	Commitment to Learning
Jye Youten	Improvement in Metal Work

### **Year 10**

Rakoi Bettinsoli	Commitment to Learning in iSTEM
Hayden Darcy	Willingness to Complete all work in Food
Grace Darr	Excellent Result in the Yearly Child Studies Exam
Khadejah Date	Commitment to Assisting others in Food Practical Lessons
Luke Oakley	Commitment to Learning in Industrial Technology Timber
Kayden Waters	Demonstrated and Improved Commitment to Learning in Industrial Technology-Timber

### **Year 11**

Blayd Duncan	Commitment to Learning in Engineering Studies
Jacinta Mangnall	Consistently Demonstrating all Respect, Responsibility and Commitment Values in Class
Mikayla Nisbet-Gore	Consistently Demonstrating all Respect, Responsibility and Commitment Values in Class
Jada Osborne	Commitment to starting her Major Textiles Project
Jada Osborne	Commitment to Improving her Understanding of Theory in Food Technology



### **CCC SHOWCASE**

As part of the Schools of the Future initiative Rutherford Technology High School implemented 'The CCC Project' for Year 7 in 2018. The CCC Project is all about Curious, Captivate, Create – Curious about learning, Captivated by the experience, Create it!!

The final aspect of this rotation was last Thursday morning 13 December 2018 when the final showcase was held. Family and friends were invited to attend to see firsthand what the students have been achieving during the project.

Many thanks to all the staff who were involved with this great initiative this year as our Year 7 students have absolutely loved the valuable time and effort you have put into the projects.

Below are just a few photos from the morning and lots more can be found on our school Facebook page.



### **WASTE OPS**

This year Rutherford Technology High School Year 7 and Year 8 GATS classes had the opportunity to enter Cessnock City Council and Maitland City Council Waste Ops competition.

The competition required entrants to compose a story board for a sixty second advertisement aimed at reducing waste production. One of our teams was lucky enough to make it right through to the final selection, going up against Kurri Kurri High School in a public vote for the winner for the Maitland area.

The team consisting of Lili Botfield, Ella Crockett, Hannah Evans, Lily Stafford, Lucy Smith and Anjali Rao designed a short film that saw Gandalf and Princess Leia discussing how to decrease waste production through recycling and composting household materials. The girls were given the opportunity to film their advertisement with a professional film crew from Channel Zero, and were praised for their professionalism and enthusiasm throughout the project.

Unfortunately, the girls didn't take out the top spot, but were awarded \$250.00 for the school to put towards an environmental project of their choice. The girls produced an amazing product, and represented Rutherford Technology High School with pride throughout the project.

Congratulations to the girls on their efforts!

There's always 2019 for first prize!

***Ms Erin Bartlett***  
***English Teacher***



### **GEOGRAPHY COMPETITION**

During Term 2 this year, Rutherford Technology High School Year 7 and Year 8 GATS classes participated in the Australian Geography Competition.

Many students achieved a High Distinction, Distinction or Credit result. All students participated with extreme enthusiasm and showed their maturity in completing the test.

Congratulations to all students!

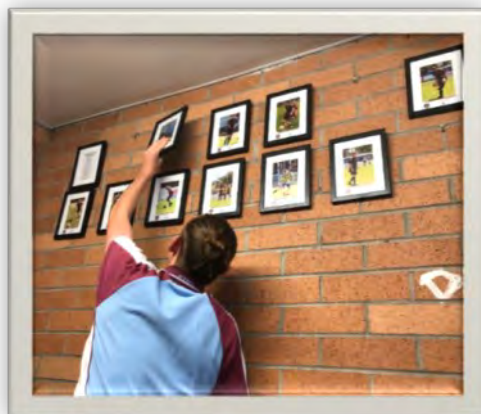
***Mr Sam Harwood***  
***HSIE Teacher***



## FOOTBALL NEWS

On Monday 10 December 2018, former Rutherford Technology High School student and living legend, Luke Geipel returned to the school to present the graduating Year 10 PASS class with their photo for the wall of fame. This is the first year group for the wall of fame and we are hoping there will be many more to come! Thanks to Luke for gracing us with his presence and he even had time to show the boys some tekkes on the pitch.

**Mr Blair Newham**  
Football Coordinator



## EVERY DAY COUNTS.....

A day here or there doesn't seem like much, but.....

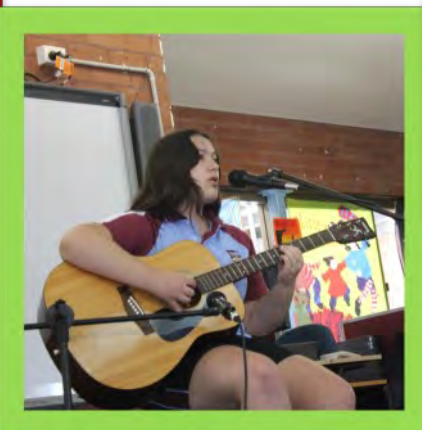
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1 day each fortnight	20 days per year	4 weeks per year	Nearly 1 ½ years of school	Equal to finishing Year 11
1 day a week	40 days per year	8 weeks per year	Over 2 ½ years of school	Equal to finishing Year 10
2 days a week	80 days per year	16 weeks per year	Over 5 years of learning	Equal to finishing Year 7
3 days a week	120 days per year	24 weeks per year	Nearly 8 years of learning	Equal to finishing Year 4

Give your child every chance to succeed....

**Every day counts!**

# MADD Roadshow

Our first stop for the MADD Roadshow 2018 was Rutherford Public School where our Singers, Instrumentalists, Dancers and Actors entertained an enthralled audience! Next stops Branxton and Lochinvar.



### **Attendance Reward Excursion**

On Friday 30<sup>th</sup> November, 49 students spent the day at Ninja Parc, located in Cooks Hill. This excursion was organised for those students whose attendance has been excellent throughout 2018. It was a fun day and it was fabulous to see our students testing their skills and encouraging each other to try new things. After we finished at Ninja Parc we walked to a nearby park where students enjoyed a pizza lunch.

I would like to congratulate the students who attended this excursion as they were exemplary ambassadors for our school and hugely impressed the supervising teachers with their manners and excellent behaviour. Well done to all those students who attended this excursion and thank you to Mr O'Leary and Mrs Smith, for their assistance on the day.

**Kristine Turner**  
**HT Wellbeing**



### **Year 8 Excursion**

On Tuesday 4 December, Year 8 students were rewarded with an excursion to acknowledge and honour their hard work throughout 2018. They went to Reading Cinemas, Maitland to see 'The Grinch' and then had Pizza Hut for lunch at Maitland Park. The behaviour of the students was exceptional and it was wonderful to see so many happy, smiling faces all day! Congratulations to the students who represented our school so well and thank you to the many staff who made this day possible. Staff and students are already looking forward to the next one!

**Mrs Mallori Hedges**

**Year 8 Year Advisor**



## ***HELPFUL HINTS FROM THE LaST (Learning and Support Team)***

### **NOTE TAKING TIPS and TECHNIQUES: VIDEO NOTE TAKING SHEET**

#### **VIDEO NOTE – TAKING WORKSHEET**

<b>Student Name:</b>	<b>Name of Video:</b>
<b>Background Knowledge:</b> Before the video, write anything you already know about this topic.  <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>	
<b>Main Points in this Video:</b> Record key points and details you learned from this video.  1. <hr/> <hr/> 2. <hr/> <hr/> 3. <hr/> <hr/> 4. <hr/> <hr/>	
<b>Vocabulary:</b> Jot down any new vocabulary terms you heard in this video.  <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>	
<b>Questions you have:</b> Write any questions you still have about this topic.  <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>	

Adapted from "How the Common Core Works" Series, Jim Wright, [www.interventioncentral.org](http://www.interventioncentral.org)



The uniform shop will close on the Thursday 13th December and will reopen on Tuesday 22nd January 2019.

## ***Rutherford High School***

*Uniform Shop Special Opening Hours*

2018 - 2019



### **December 2018**

Monday	3rd. December	4:00PM - 8:00PM
Tuesday	4th. December	8:00AM - 2:30PM

### **January 2019**

Tuesday	22nd. January	9:00AM - 4:00PM
Wednesday	23rd. January	8:00AM - 4:00PM
Thursday	24th. January	8:00AM - 4:00PM
Friday	25th. January	8:00AM - 4:00PM
Monday	28th. January	CLOSED
Tuesday	29th. January	8:00AM - 4:00PM
Wednesday	30th. January	8:00PM - 12:00PM
Thursday	31st. January	8:00PM - 12:00PM

**THEN EVERY TUESDAY:**

**8:00am - 12:00pm**

**THURSDAY:**

**8:00am - 12:00pm**

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**Rutherford High School UNIFORM SHOP**

**Price List**

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ITEM		<u>PRICE</u>	<u>SIZE</u>	<u>QTY</u>	<u>TOTAL</u> INCL GST
Girls	JNR Blouse Sky	28.00			
	SNR Blouse Lemon	28.00			
	JNR/SNR Girls Shorts	35.00			
	JNR Skirt	48.50			
	SNR Skirt	48.50			
	Bootleg Slacks	39.00			
Boys	JNR/SNR Boys Shorts	35.00			
	Unisex Everyday Shorts	35.00			
	JNR/SNR Trousers	39.00			
	Black Trousers Elastic Waist	39.00			
Unisex	Fleecy Jacket	40.00			
	JNR Polo	29.00			
	SNR Polo	29.00			
Knitwear	Jumper	72.00			
Sports	Jacket	65.00			
	Sports Shorts Std	25.00			
	Trackpant	38.00			
	Sports Polo	35.00			
Accessory	Scarf	20.00			
	White Sock Short Cut x 5	20.00			

SHOP CLOSED 28th Jan 2019. Normal shop hours resume Thursday 31st January 2019

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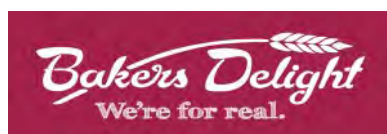
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