

## IMPORTANT DATES

27-31 May - Reconciliation Week  
27 May - TSP Football Showcase Games  
27 May - Girls Hunter Region Futsal Championships  
27 May - Student Voice Forum  
28 May - Boys Hunter Region Futsal Championships  
29 May - Zone Athletics Carnival  
30 May - Star Struck Rehearsal  
31 May - HSC Seminar Day  
6 June - Envirothon  
10 June - Queens Birthday Public Holiday  
12 June - Yr 10 Indigenous Insight Day  
12-15 June - Starstruck Rehearsal & Performance  
17-21 June - NAIDOC Celebrations

## 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 and AGM will be held 18th June 2019 at 6:00pm in the interview room at the front office. All welcome to attend.

**RESPECT  
RESPONSIBILITY  
COMMITMENT**

# RUTHERFORD TECHNOLOGY HIGH SCHOOL NEWSLETTER



24th May 2019

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## CONGRATULATIONS

Chelsea West, one of our Year 9 Student Representative Council leaders, spent a portion of her holidays volunteering in the local community with the Rotary Club of Maitland. Chelsea attended the Sun Street Festival on the 17<sup>th</sup> April, along with RTHS students from other year groups, and spent the day serving food and beverages to both participants and spectators. She also participated in the Palliative Care Walk Fundraiser at Walka Water Works on the 28<sup>th</sup> April, helping to raise Money for local charities. Chelsea also took part in the Rotary Youth Program on Enrichment (RYPEN) during the first week back at school, allowing her to further develop her leadership skills in the community. Chelsea is to be congratulated on her amazing efforts. Rutherford Technology High School are proud of you and your achievements. Well done, Chelsea!



## **SENIOR EXECUTIVE REPORT**

### **New Deputy Principal Appointment**

Welcome to Lidija Nenad who has taken up the role as third Deputy Principal at RTHS. Lidija joins us from Swansea and brings a lot of strengths to the RTHS community. Lidija will be particularly focusing in the areas of literacy, numeracy and Stage 6 performance.



The appointment means some changes to the year groups the Deputy Principals will be supervising in 2019:

- Years 7 and 10 – Mrs Hughes
- Years 8 and 11 – Mrs Pratt
- Years 9 and 12 – Mrs Nenad

### **Other staff changes**

There are several other changes at present with staff in relieving positions:

- HT HSIE – Kristy Grant
- HT Literacy and Numeracy – April Dent
- HT Administration Sasha Lenskyj
- Year 10 Adviser – Genevieve Scott (replacing Kristy Grant)
- Assistant Year 10 Adviser – Matthew Hill

### **NAPLAN**

Our Year 7 and 9 students have successfully negotiated NAPLAN on-line. A big thank you to all the staff involved in the organisation. It was a big challenge having 250 students on-line NAPLAN at any one time.

### **Hunter Valley Careers Expo**

On Friday 17 May 120 of our students attended the Hunter Valley Careers Expo alongside students from many other schools. It is a fantastic event organised by our own Career's Adviser Brian Hunt. Well done Brian.

### **External Validation**

On the 4 June RTHS undergoes external validation, where an independent team comes into the school to validate where we are progressing in relation to the School's Excellence Framework. A team of staff has put in many hours preparing the submission and I must thank them for their efforts. The team was Margo Smith, Simone Hughes, Tina Pratt, April Dent, Alice Stutchbury, Loretta Hornery, and Louise Smailes.

### **LMG Leadership Day**

On June 5 all leadership teams from our partner primary schools will again come together for our LMG leadership Day. The day will include a guest speaker and a series of workshops led by the RTHS SRC. We are looking forward to seeing our future students working with our current school leaders.

### **Uniform shop sale**

Our uniform shop sale was a great success with the 20% reduction on jackets. Great sales with the school subsidising.

### **School Development afternoon**

On Tuesday 21 May all staff were involved in professional learning for three hours after school. The professional learning focused on;

- Positive Behaviour for Learning (PBL) – engaging classrooms and lesson expectations
- Literacy and numeracy progressions – embedding in teaching practice.

### **Annual School Report 2018**

Has been uploaded to the school website.

***Mr Michael Whiting***  
***Principal***

## **Creative and Performing Arts (CAPA)** **(Drama, Music, Photography, Visual Design, Visual Arts)**

The CAPA faculty began the year with the return of our ever popular performance programs and art competitions.

The Specialist Band is running for the second year and is made up of students from Yrs 7-10. This is a selected instrumental program for students who are proficient at their instrument as well as having a high level of ability at reading music notation. The group consists of Rohan Baker-Wade, Olivia Playford, Leeza Goyal, Pippa McIntosh, Aidan Upcroft, Bethany Corrigan, Cooper Harwood, Zoe Roots, Jeremy Gamueda, Anthony Twaddell, Mitchell Houghton and Phoebe Densley. We have had a term of lunchtime rehearsals and instrumental tuition with National Music Academy and have since moved to ensemble rehearsals of a Thursday.

We have introduced a new Music specialist program – Rock Band. The group is made up of Targeted CAPA and Music GATS students from across Yrs 8-11, they meet every Monday after school for two hours. Students work with Mr Doyle on learning contemporary popular music from Radiohead, Wolf Mother, Billie Eilish to BB King and also areas of the Music Industry like sound mixing. This is an exciting new ensemble featuring Noah Curry, Aimee Turner, Ava Buckingham, Jeremy Gamueda, Zayhne Zwirek and Jorja Barsley and we are looking forward to their involvement in the annual MADD showcase.

The Drama Ensemble under the Direction of Miss Kate Leslie is already had a busy start to the year. Membership to this exclusive group have come after an audition process at the start of the year. Students involved are Cerian Carter, Tiarna Croft, Noah Curry, Leiya Heffernan, Isabella Faustini, Beau Medland, Abigail Owen, Ella-Rose Owen, Charlie Dunn and Maggie Milne and range from Yrs 7-12. Students meet on a Wednesday after school for two hour rehearsals, we thank them for their ongoing dedication. The group has performed at whole school assemblies for RU OK Day and Bullying No Way day.

The annual R.T. Bald Portraiture competition has come and gone again for another year. This activity is proudly sponsored by the RTHS P&C and we are very grateful for their continued support of CAPA programs. Art works from across our LMG were displayed in the library for two weeks, and we thank Mr. Fean for his planning and organisation of this activity. Judging is made across each stage group by the Visual Arts staff and we would like to congratulate the following winners of this competition:

First prize - Raychael Chand (stage 6), Juliette Kostalova (stage 5), Gabby Belcastro (stage 4), Georgia Murphy (stage 3)

Second prize - Sarah Vokes (stage 6), Cadence Sawtell (stage 5), Britney Ryles (stage 4), Ava Davies (stage 3)

Third Prize – Tyelah Jory (stage 6), Kunyarat Somphan (stage 5), Lily Sarv (stage 4), Georgia Murphy (stage 3)

Mr Richards has spent many hours completing all the PBL Murals and they have finally been placed around the school. The large murals are now on display on the wall beside the library ramp.





The Term One Vivo Assembly performances this year were by Targeted CAPA student Ava Buckingham and Yr 10 guitarist Jeremy Gamueda. Both are exceptionally talented performers and both involved in extra-curricular music programs.

Katelyn Towney-Hooper a Year 11 Photography and Digital Media student is our “Events Photographer” and we thank her for her efforts so far this year with assemblies, swimming carnival and the Term One Vivo Assembly.

We have continued our relationship with National Music Academy this year having specialist lessons twice weekly. DJ has continued with woodwind lessons on a Thursday and working with members of the specialist band. This year we saw a need for the introduction of vocal lessons. This has been a very popular activity and we are pleased to see Targeted CAPA and elective Music students from Yrs 9-11 get involved. We are looking forward to the end of term MADD showcase for all the group performances they are working on.

We are planning to have a MADD showcase at the end of this term. Classes and specialist groups are currently working on artworks, drama and music performances for this event.

Targeted CAPA are working across all disciplines of performing and creative arts. It is great to see such a large and productive group working with Mr Delforce. The group have been busy preparing for visits to our primary schools and the MADD night. They are busy planning, choreographing and working on their music and photography skills. Students with an interest in music joined extra-curricular performance specialist band and rock band groups.

Students who are members of TCAPA and Specialist Performance groups are waiting to receive their new CAPA shirts. We have worked closely with local business Signature Clothing at Rutherford on the stylish design and we look forward to their arrival. Keep a watch on our school Facebook for photos of our students and the shirts.

Please save the date for our Art, Drama, Music and Dance Showcase in week 10 this term.

***Ms Hornery***  
***Head Teacher CAPA***

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## **2019 R.T. Bald Winners**

This years R.T. Bald portrait prize has seen a great number of students enter the competition with a high level of skill.

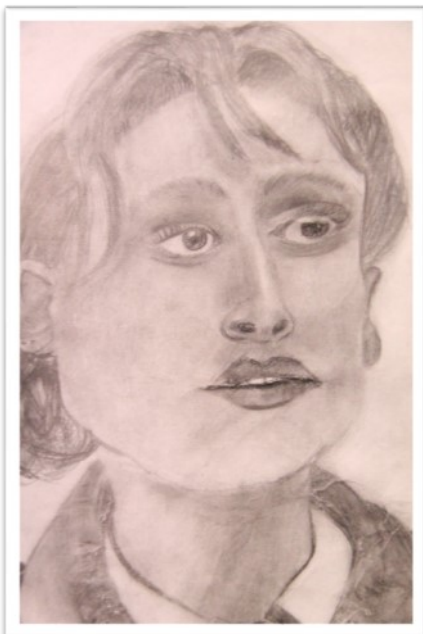
From our Partner Primary Schools through to our Stage 6 Senior Students the quality of works has been awesome.

We would like to thank the P&C for their ongoing support of the R.T. Bald prize in helping students showcase their amazing talents.

Go to our FaceBook site to view the fantastic works and marvel at the dedication our students have in their creative pursuits.

***Mr Matthew Fean***  
***CAPA Faculty***

### **Stage 3**

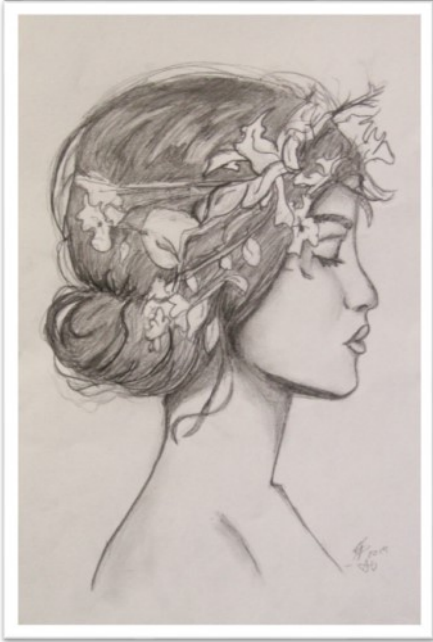


**1<sup>st</sup>:** Josie D



**2<sup>nd</sup>:** Georgia Murphy

## Stage 4



**1<sup>st</sup>:** Gabby Belcastro

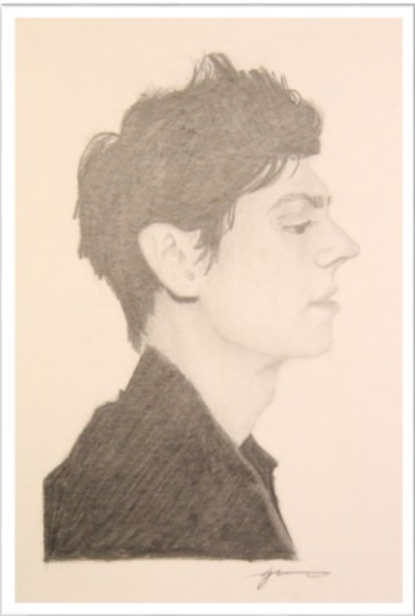


**2<sup>nd</sup>:** Britney Ryles

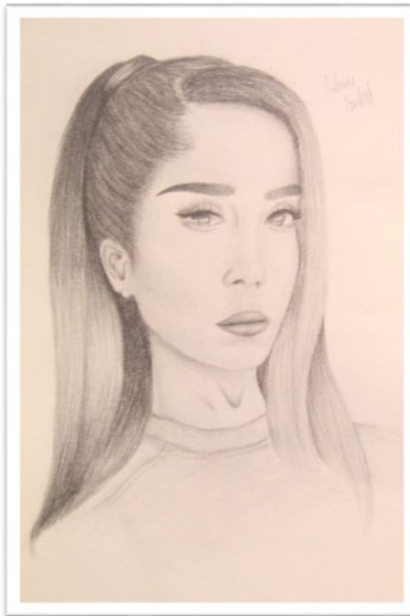


**3<sup>rd</sup>:** Lily Sarv

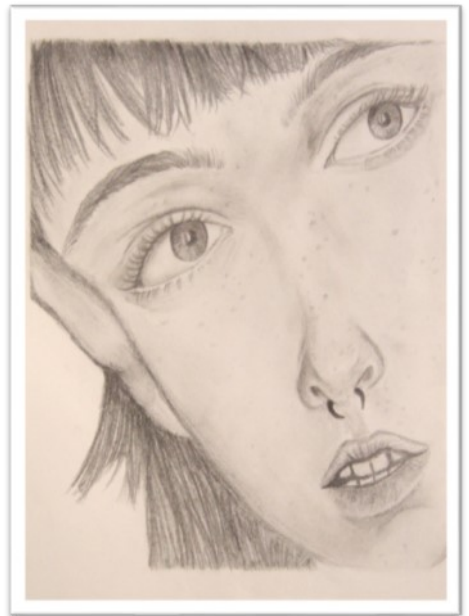
## Stage 5



**1<sup>st</sup>:** Juliette Kostalova

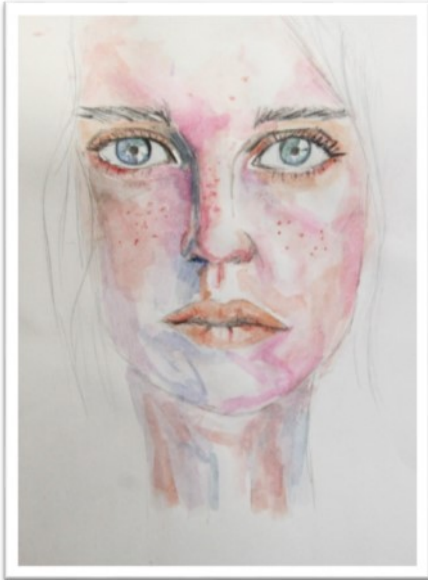


**2<sup>nd</sup>:** Cadence Sawtell



**3<sup>rd</sup>:** Kanyarat (Gunya) Somphan

## Stage 6



1<sup>st</sup>: Raychael Chand

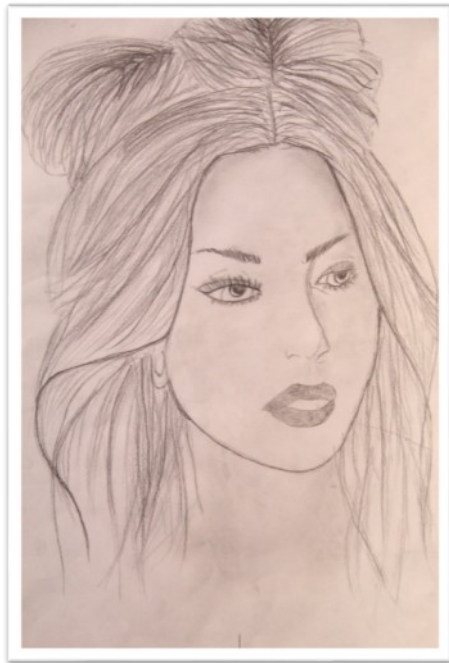


2<sup>nd</sup>: Sarah Vokes



3<sup>rd</sup>: Tyelah Jory

## Librarians Prize



Ava Davies

Congratulations!





## **Year 12 News**

We are about half way through Term 2. Time is passing by at a rapid rate. While the students are keeping their heads above water with their day to day studies, work, sport and family life, they need to revise and prepare for the HSC. Yes, I know it is a big ask but success is built on preparation.<sup>3</sup>

Students have been asked about what they would like to experience, be allowed to do and what fundraising activities they would like to engage in. The students need to talk between themselves, especially the students they normally do not associate with. This way, they will develop a sense of togetherness, teamwork and respecting the opinions of other people. I have deliberately not taken students out of classes for extended meetings as I know that face to face time with the teachers is important and it would only stress some students even further. When the students have thought things through, I will be able to organise more fully and not have to deal with on the spur of the moment emotional decisions.

Whatever the students want to occur in their farewell assembly and Formal, they need to understand that time is needed to organise and polish the presentations, speeches and planning for any activities. For the rest of their lives they will look back at their final weeks of Year 12 and remember their friends, their teachers and what they did.

I would like to remind students to do what needs to be done to make successes out of the HSC, Formal, fundraising and their final weeks of schooling.

**Mr McMullen**  
**Year 12 Year Adviser**

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## **Year 10 News**

Term 2 is a term for change with Year 10. This term we saw Ms.Hughes become our deputy, Ms Grant step up to be Head Teacher HSIE with Ms Scott becoming Year Adviser, and a thank you to Mr Hill who has graciously volunteered to be Assistant Year Adviser. Thank you to all the Year 10 students who have adapted well to this change.

As the winter months are approaching we want to remind students and parents that school uniform must be worn. If students need assistance in getting a school jumper, please see either Ms Scott or Ms.Hughes for a form. Also remember that black tights and jeans are not school uniform.

This term Year 10 were able to participate in the LoveBites program, students were given a day to learn about healthy relationships and their safety, as well as an opportunity to creatively share their understanding through a hip-hop rap or a poster made by the students. We want to commend Year 10 on being respectful during their session and applaud the amazing talent we have in Year 10 at RTHS.

Term 2 has seen many great achievements from our school, with Year 10 students representing the school in the open boy's football team, futsal as well as music opportunities. Congratulations to all Year 10 students on their achievements so far this term and we look forward to your continual success.

**Ms Scott**  
**Year 10 Year Adviser**

**Mr Hill**  
**Year 10 Assistant Year Adviser**



## Year 9 News

Year 9 have settled into what is proving to be yet another busy term, with students involved in a variety of activities around the school. This week saw the completion of NAPLAN testing, and all our Year 9 students should be proud of the efforts they made during this time. As this wraps up for another year, students will return to classes as normal with results being released later this year. However, Year 9 students have been busy achieving greatness beyond the realm of academics, with students participating in a number of sporting, musical, and practical and leadership events and programs.

Early in the term, a number of our Year 9 students participated in local communities' and several of our Partner Primary School's ANZAC Day ceremonies. These students showcased the school's core values of Respect and Responsibility, representing Rutherford Technology High School with passion and pride. Particular mention to Aidan Upcroft who played the bugle at a number of ceremonies!

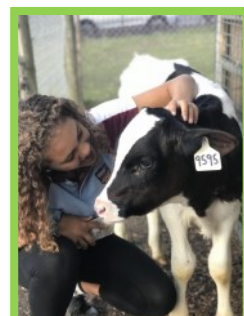


In the sporting arena, Year 9 students have also been busy with a number of students participating in the Bill Turner Cup competition, and some of our Year 9 boys stepping up in the Open Boys Football match against Toronto on May 8<sup>th</sup>. Unfortunately, this game saw RTHS go down to Toronto 3-0 but our boys played well nonetheless!



Additionally, this term Year 9 students in the Specialist Band had the opportunity to work with John Grey from Maitland Community Band, all owing them to further develop their skills both individually and as a collective.

Year 9 students involved in the Agriculture elective have also kept themselves busy so far this term, especially with the new calf additions to the Farm! As part of the Year 9 unit on the Dairy Industry, two new "Cows Create Careers" dairy calves have joined RTHS' Ag farm. These students also had the opportunity to attend the 2019 Tocal Field Day, which saw students meet and interact with industry professionals and exhibitors, applying their knowledge beyond the classroom and school gates!



Congratulations also goes to the Year 9 students who received PBL awards at last week's 'Student Choice' Assembly. This allowed students to be nominated and acknowledged by their peers for demonstrating RTHS' core values of respect, responsibility and commitment. It was nice to see so many Year 9 students among the award recipients, and to see them encouraging and rewarding each other so positively!





When acknowledging the positive vibes within Year 9, we can hardly go past the cohort's involvement in the PBL Rewards Afternoon during the final week of Term 1. Students earned B-Bucks throughout the term for displaying positive behaviours in class and around the school, and had the opportunity to use these to pay for activities during the afternoon. From face painting to pizza, mini golf to cupcakes, Year 9 got involved with everything on offer and had a fantastic time! A fitting end to a hectic term, and a well deserved reward for our students. We can only hope that Term 2 brings just as much fun!



As winter approaches, it is also time to begin reminding students that it is very Important that all students are wearing the correct uniform, including pants and jumpers. It has been made very clear to students that tights are not part of the uniform, and they are required to wear school pants. Additionally, multi-coloured jumpers are not acceptable. The uniform shop is stocked with School jumpers, and students are encouraged to wear these at all times. If you have any trouble with the uniform, please contact the school as assistance is available. When uniform is worn correctly, our students do look wonderful – as modelled here by Nicole, Maddie and Hayley!



As it is Term 2, Semester One reports will be issued to parents and guardian at the end of the term. School uniform, attendance and achievement of our core values will be commented on, as well as subject results and teacher comments. It's really important that students attend school consistently. There is a very real link between prolonged absences and gaps in students' learning, so sustained attendance at school is key in ensuring students' success. We do, however, understand that circumstances arise where students cannot make it to school, such as illness or family matters. In this instance, the school appreciated parents and carers informing us of a student's absence, allowing us to indicate it as an "explained absence" on the student's report.

This term is shaping up to be just as busy as the last, and Year 9 are throwing themselves into all facets of school life. If you want to stay up-to-date with school happenings, remember to regularly check the school's Facebook page. Well done on a strong start to Term 2, Year 9 – We can't wait to see what it brings!

**Ms Bartlett**  
**Relieving Year 9 Year Adviser**

EVERY DAY COUNTS.....				
A day here or there doesn't seem like much, but.....				
If your child misses.....	That equals.....	Which is.....	And from Kindy to Year 12 that is.....	Which means the best your child can achieve is.....
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!				

## Year 7 News

Wow, hasn't time flown! We have already completed a whole term of high school and are almost halfway through our second term.

Year 7 have showcased their first round of CCC projects. What an amazing pool of talent we have amongst this wonderful group of students! Thanks to the passionate staff who allow these projects to run, and support our students to achieve such fantastic outcomes.

Most students have coped very well with the academic demands of high school - preparing for exams, completing assignments and staying on top of their classwork and homework. It is important to stay focused and committed to learning.

A reminder that the homework centre is in operation on Wednesday afternoons until 4 pm for any student wanting extra help, or a quiet space in which to work.

Also, the Mathematics Faculty offer after-school tuition on Wednesday and Thursday afternoons.

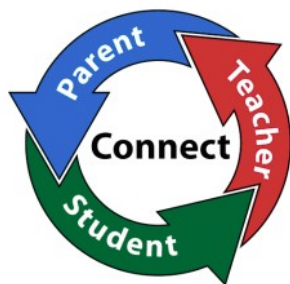
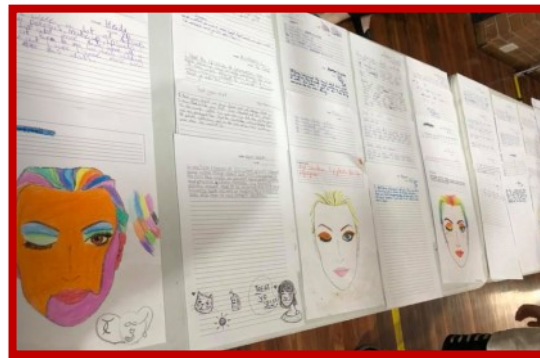
Uniforms are still looking quite good. However, with the cold weather upon us, I want to remind everyone that correct school jumpers and pants are required to be worn each day. If students are unable to wear the correct uniform a note must be sent from home explaining this, in order to avoid a uniform infringement record.

Should anyone have any concerns with Wellbeing issues, they can contact Mr Lenskyj (Year Adviser) or myself for assistance in these matters.

Keep up the great effort Year 7. Make the most of your time at school, and take advantage of the many opportunities made available to you.

**Mrs Smith**

**Year 7 Assistant Year Adviser**



*Respect Responsibility Commitment*

## **Captains Message**

If you have all been wondering what has happening, since we returned for Term 2, in the daily school life at Rutherford Technology High School (RTHS), I'll break it down for you ....

### **Week 1:**

As the holidays ended, the alarms were reset to make it to school on time, although it did take us a couple days to regain concentration and routine! Sadly, as the news was given, there would be no 2019 RTHS athletics carnival, students were outraged to never know the 2019 athletics carnival house champion (although we know it would have been *'Hungerford Hornets'* the greatest house of all!). During Week 1 we held our school ANZAC service and our school leaders attended some of our partner primary schools ANZAC services. Our agriculture students and students that have an interest in farming spent the day at Tocal Field Day where they obtained valuable information.

### **Week 2:**

During Week 2, our Year 10 students gained their 'Provide First Aid Course' although I do feel sorry for the resuscitation Annie dolls! Year 10 participated in the LoveBites program to learn about safe relationships and DFV/AS prevention. The attendance BBQ was held with students enjoying their reward and lunch. Thursday, a handful of our Year 12 students gained their 'Responsible Service of Alcohol' (RSA) card.

### **Week 3:**

NAPLAN arrived ... Year 7 and Year 9 began the new online NAPLAN testing. Both year groups behaviour was far beyond our PBL standard. Year 10 sat their half yearly mathematics exam and thank you to the students from other year groups who assisted as 'reader and writer' for the exam. Year 10 continued with the LoveBites program. On Friday, Students from Year 9 to Year 12 visited the Hunter Valley Careers Expo to gain more insight into life outside of school. During the week students participated in many sporting events including the Coalfields Zone Cross Country representing our school with pride and sportsmanship.

### **Week 4:**

In Week 4, students have many opportunities to participate in extra-curricular activities such as: Bill Turner Cup, Build ME a Future Day, English excursion (Yr 10-12), Star Struck, HSC Music Excursion, OZ-Tag and Support Animal Care Excursion. NAPLAN finally came to an end!! SRC held nominations for Year 7 representatives taking SRC numbers from 26 students to 30 students. The Year 7 members are: Jazlyn Dennis, Cooper Harwood, Ella-Rose Owen and Karla Roets.

That's all for now but stay tuned for more amazing things our students at RTHS end up doing!!

***Jacinta Mangnall***  
***School Captain***

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## **Helpful Hints from LaSTS**

When students entering high school still struggle with reading it is useful for parents and caregivers to be aware of the sorts of strategies that independent readers utilise to become proficient. The table below gives a quick snapshot of hints your child can use as a foundation on which to build. This is a good starting point.

Over the next couple of Newsletter issues, we will compare What Good Readers Do and What Poor Readers Do. This information will help you to gauge your child's abilities and what to do to encourage acquisition of skills.

### **Good Readers**

#### **Before Reading**

- Think about what they already know about a subject
- Know the purpose for which they read
- Are motivated or interested to begin reading
- Have a general sense of how the BIG ideas will fit together

#### **During Reading**

- Pay simultaneous attention to words and meaning
- Read fluently
- Concentrate well while reading
- Willing to "risk" encountering difficult words and enable to grapple with text ambiguities
- Construct efficient strategies to monitor comprehension
- Stop to use a "fix-it" strategy when confused
- Reading skills improve

#### **After Reading**

- Understand how the pieces of information fit together
- Able to identify what's salient
- Interested in reading more



## **TERM 2: WEEK 2 ASSEMBLY – MATHEMATICS FACULTY PBL AWARDS**

### **Consistent Application in Mathematics:**

James Allerton  
Tyson Barnett-Murray  
Chloe Bates  
Abbi Baxter  
Sharee Blackwell  
Corey Boxsell  
Cooper Campbell  
Jesse Case  
Piper Conder  
Jessica Conte  
Hayden Coyle  
Jazlyn Dennis  
Ryan Dunne  
Christopher Eccles  
Hayley Farquharson  
Chloe Freeman  
Lucy Geelan  
Isabelle Gray  
Samara Harrison  
Isaac Henry  
Toby Johnson  
Monique Jones  
Paige Jongerden  
Nathan Kedwell

Breanna Kennedy  
Montanna Kenyon  
Brooke McDonald  
Isabella Malone  
Jacinta Mangnall  
Rhys Mayer  
Emily Meehan  
Makiya Mendyk  
Tyronn Millman  
Kiarah Moloney  
Taylor Moy  
Tahlia Nairne  
Rhiannon Nicolls  
Mikayla Nisbet-Gore  
Regan O'Donnell  
Harmonie O'Sullivan  
Jaydan Pepperall  
Peter Perry  
Tom Pham  
Olivia Playford  
Tahlia Preece  
Andre Prinsloo  
Libby Radnidge

Olivia Riches  
Nicholas Robinson  
Sophie Roy  
Britney Ryles  
Sonny Sales  
Lilly Sarv  
Jesse Scott  
Gracy Sese  
Makayla Shilcock  
Chantel Sinclair  
Jasmine Smurthwaite  
Keegan Sujecki  
Imogen Sutherland  
Frank Tarlinton  
Cody Thomas  
Dakota Tillman  
Keelan Tranter  
Henry Truong  
Anthony Twaddell  
Ella Velt  
Tiffany Wilde  
Byron Winkler  
Kayla Wright

### **High Academic Achievement in Mathematics:**

Caitlyn Atfield  
Andrew Brown  
Jake Collins-Doherty  
Emma Cooke  
Seanna Crawley  
Seth Crockett  
Noah Curry  
Izach Dennis  
Will Gibson  
Manon Gosselin  
Leeza Goyal  
Madisyn Grigull  
Sam Hamilton  
Sherina Hartley  
Cameron Hayward  
Georgia Kemsley  
Grace Kiehne

Antonia McCudden  
Josie McIntosh  
Pippa McIntosh  
Blake Nichols  
Liam Opulencia  
Aaron Partl  
Phoebe Quilty  
Zoe Roots  
Brayden Smith  
Kade Stewart  
Indyana Snow  
Hannah Tremble  
Sophia Truong  
Lilien Wagner  
Luciana Wainui  
Chelsea Wild



## **TERM 2: WEEK 4 ASSEMBLY – ICT/LOTE FACULTY PBL AWARDS**

### **Year 7**

Lily Capper  
Brodie Element  
Larna Smith  
Rylee Walsh

Excellent Effort towards Completing Class Work – Tech Mandatory  
Excellent Effort towards Completing Class Work – Tech Mandatory  
Consistently Achieving at a High Level in Technology Mandatory  
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### **Year 8**

Natasha Bampton  
Wyatt Barry  
Ava Buckingham  
Jacinta Connolly  
Emma Cooke  
Ella D  
Angus Edwards  
Bethany Evans  
Trilby Ferguson  
Carmela Galvez  
Carmela Galvez  
Sam Hamilton  
Sam Hamilton  
Kaleah Harrison  
Katie-Rose Harwood  
Katie-Rose Harwood  
Joel Heligman  
Caitlyn Jansen  
Rusty Kropp  
Keishante Munda  
Britney Ryles  
Olivia Sams  
Kiara Timewell-Moss  
Lori Twaddell  
Laura Vallance

Enthusiastic Approach to Japanese  
Consistently Achieving at a High Level in Technology Mandatory  
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Excellent Work in Class – Technology Mandatory  
Consistent Effort in Japanese  
Consistently Achieving at a High Level in Technology Mandatory  
Excellent Work in Robotics  
Excellent Effort towards Class Work – Technology Mandatory  
Excellent Work in Class – Technology Mandatory  
Consistent Effort in Japanese  
Excellent Effort towards Class Work – Technology Mandatory  
Consistent Effort in Japanese  
Enthusiastic Approach to Japanese  
Excellent Work in Class – Technology Mandatory  
Consistent Effort in Japanese  
Enthusiastic Approach to Learning in Japanese  
Going Above and Beyond in her Studies in Japanese  
Excellent Effort towards Completing Class Work – Tech Mandatory  
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### **Year 9**

Kiara Erickson  
Jacob Goodyer  
Leeza Goyal

Enthusiastic Approach to Learning in Japanese  
Consistently Achieving at a High Level – Info. Software & Technology  
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### **Year 10**

Ben Hackett  
Jesse Hamilton  
Jesse Hamilton  
Kyle Williams  
Kade Windon

Consistently Achieving at a High Level – iSTEM  
Consistently Achieving at a High Level – Info. Software & Technology  
Consistently Achieving at a High Level – iSTEM  
Consistently Achieving at a High Level – Info. Software & Technology  
Excellent Work Ethic and Project Work in Class – ITG

### **Year 11**

Rakoila Bettinsoli  
Jayden Constable  
Travis Gurney  
Tahlia Nairne  
Kayden Waters

Excellent Effort towards Completing Class Work – DTM  
Consistently Achieving at a High Level – DTM  
Consistently Achieving at a High Level – DTM  
Consistent Effort in Japanese Continuers  
Enthusiasm Approach to Learning in Beginners Japanese

### **Year 12**

Lachlan Broad  
Jake Madge

Consistently Achieving at a High Level – Info. Processes & Technology  
Consistently Achieving at a High Level – DTM





The Student Support Officers at Rutherford Technology High School, Cessnock High School and Kurri Kurri High School are working *together* to collect donations of formal wear and accessories (bags, jewellery, shoes) to make sure every young person in our community will have the opportunity to attend their Year 12 Formal in style.

The event will be held at Maitland Basketball Stadium on  
the 29th June from 9am to 11am



If you would like to make a donation of formal wear you can drop it off at

Drop off to Mary-Kate at Rutherford Technology High School

Drop off to Stacy at Cessnock High School

Drop of to Megan at Kurri Kurri High School



Donations for both boys and girls are needed and in all shapes and sizes!

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- Car Wash Kit + 4 x Cold Rock Vouchers
- Project Nursery Sound Soother + Inflatable World Passes
- Timezone Play Package
- Yoghurtland Catering Voucher for 15 people
- Salt Lamp + 4 x Cold Rock Vouchers
- Timezone Play Package
- Gold Lounge Movie Pass (x2) @ Reading Cinemas
- Disney Cars Puzzle Pack + 4 x Cold Rock Vouchers
- \$50.00 Woolworths Gift Card
- Hoyts Cinema Movie Passes (x2)
- \$30.00 JB Hi Fi Gift Card
- Inflatable World & Pizza Package
- Thomas & Friend Stunt Set + 4 x Cold Rock Vouchers
- Bowling & Pizza Vouchers
- Inflatable World & Pizza Package
- Barbie Doll Furniture Set + 4 x Cold Rock Vouchers
- \$25.00 Rebel Sport Gift Card
- Bowling & Pizza Vouchers

**Drawn: Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> June 2019**

**Tickets available at Rutherford Technology High School**

**Thank you to all of the local businesses for their donations and support**

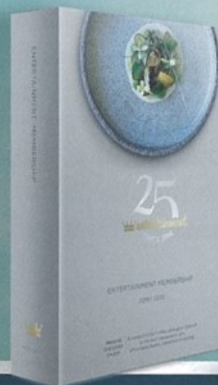
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Rutherford Technology High School P & C Association

**For more information or to arrange collection of your Entertainment Membership please contact:** Lexi Fitzgibbon **Phone:** 0249325999 **Email:** [rutherford-h.school@det.nsw.edu.au](mailto:rutherford-h.school@det.nsw.edu.au)

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**Rutherford High School UNIFORM SHOP**

**Price List**

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ YEAR: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_ REC# \_\_\_\_\_

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

Uniform shop contact: Kylie 0478920262 during shop hours

**Purchase Online: [daylightsportswear.com/rutherford](http://daylightsportswear.com/rutherford)**

MASTERCARD VISA EFTPOS NOW AVAILABLE, CHEQUES NOT ACCEPTED. NO LAYBY.

## CANTEEN UPDATE

As previously advised, Rutherford Technology High School Canteen now has EFTPOS but we were limited to what cards we could accept.



We are pleased to now inform our school community that the software provider has released earlier than anticipated an update which will now allow us to accept EFTPOS Chip Cards.

Therefore the cards we can accept now are:

- Visa Debit
- MasterCard Debit
- Credit Card
- EFTPOS Chip Card
- Apple Pay
- Mobile Payments

Our canteen still has Flexischools and a reminder if you are ordering via Flexischools your order MUST be in by 9:00am. *Don't forget, if you are ordering pies or sausage rolls, they can only be ordered for 'Break 1'.*

In accordance with Healthy School Canteens, pies and sausages rolls can only be sold at what they deem to be 'lunch time'. Due to the time of our school recess and lunch breaks we have reversed the names of the breaks but also renamed them. Our breaks are now: **'Break 1'** (which is lunch) and **'Break 2'** (which is recess).

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ONLINE ORDERING  
Available 24/7  
Convenient for parents  
flexible order options and cash  
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High School Canteen has  
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The cash free way to pay.  
Our school now has Flexischools online ordering.  
It's free to use and makes it so easy to order and pay for all  
school canteens.

**Save time.  
Order online.**

Take advantage of the cash free online  
service. Go to [www.flexischools.com.au](http://www.flexischools.com.au) and  
click register.

Flexischools allows parents, students and staff to place and pay for orders from home, work or school at  
any time via their mobile, tablet or computer.

As well as being convenient for parents, the online orders are much faster and easier for the school  
canteen to process – so it makes everyone's life a little easier!

Flexischools is well established, operating in over 1,000 schools across Australia and having processed  
over 25 million orders.

How to Register:

1. Register for Flexischools by visiting [www.flexischools.com.au](http://www.flexischools.com.au). Add your student, their school and  
class/year to get started.
2. Top-up your account via Visa, Mastercard, PayPal or Direct Deposit.
3. Make an order by selecting from the range of options available and proceed to make payment for  
the order listed in your order post.

What Does it Cost?

**Online Ordering Fees:** \$0.20 per canteen order

**Account Top-ups:** Direct Deposit = FREE  
(2-3 days to become available in your Flexischools account)  
Visa / Mastercard / PayPal = Surcharge of 1.6% + 1% of your top up value  
(immediately available on your Flexischools account)

Need assistance registering, topping up your account or placing orders, please call the Customer Service  
Team at Flexischools on 1300 361 188.



# RUTHERFORD TECHNOLOGY HIGH SCHOOL 2019 CANTEEN MENU

*flexischools*

Everyday Food, Occasional Food



## WRAPS:

<b>Sandwiches:</b>	
-Vegemite	\$3.00
-Egg & Lettuce	\$4.00
-Curried Egg	\$3.60
-Cheese & Tomato	\$3.00
-Ham, Cheese & Tomato	\$3.60
-Salad	\$4.00
-Chicken Salad	\$4.50
<b>Rolls:</b>	
-Salad Roll	\$5.00
-Ham Salad Roll	\$5.50
-Chicken Salad Roll	\$5.50
<b>Wraps:</b>	
-Salad Wrap	\$5.00
-Chicken Salad Wrap	\$5.50
-Ham Salad Wrap	\$5.50
-Caesar Salad Wrap	\$5.00
-Chicken Caesar Wrap	\$5.50
<b>Vegemite Scroll</b>	\$3.00
<b>Cheese &amp; Bacon Roll</b>	\$3.00

## EXTRAS:

-Extra Fillings	\$0.40
-Butter/Mayo/Mustard	\$0.20
-Bread Roll	\$0.90
-Toasting	\$0.50

## SAUCES:

-Tomato/BBQ/Sweet & Sour	\$0.40
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## SALADS:

<b>Salad Box:</b>	
-Small	\$3.50
-Medium	\$5.00
-Large	\$6.50
<b>Chicken Salad Box:</b>	
-Small	\$4.00
-Medium	\$5.50
-Large	\$6.50
<b>Caesar Salad Box:</b>	
-Small	\$3.50
-Medium	\$5.00
-Large	\$6.50
<b>Chicken Caesar Salad Box:</b>	
-Small	\$4.00
-Medium	\$5.50
-Large	\$6.50
<b>Medium Zucchini Box</b>	\$5.50
<b>Medium Frittata Box</b>	\$5.50

## ICE CREAMS:

-Juice Ice Blocks	\$1.00
-Vanilla Buckets	\$1.50
-Frozen Blizzard	\$2.00
-Frozen Yoghurt	\$2.00

## CHIPS:

<b>Deli Rock Chips:</b>	
-Sea Salt	\$1.50
-Honey Soy Chicken	\$1.50

## DRINKS:

<b>Water:</b>	
-350mL	\$1.00
-600mL	\$2.00
<b>Juice-250mL:</b>	
-Orange	\$2.50
-Apple	\$2.50
-Apple Blackcurrent	\$2.50
<b>Chilli/J Drinks-250mL:</b>	
-Watermelon	\$2.00
-Raspberry	\$2.00
-Blackcurrent	\$2.00
<b>Chilli Sparkling Water-500mL:</b>	
-Lemonade	\$3.50
-Black Raspberry	\$3.50
-Raspberry Lemonade	\$3.50
-Orange/Mango	\$3.50
-Lemon/Lime	\$3.50
<b>Milk-300mL:</b>	
-Chocolate	\$2.50
-Strawberry	\$2.50
-Iced Coffee	\$2.50
<b>Milk-500mL:</b>	
-Chocolate	\$3.50
-Strawberry	\$3.50
-Iced Coffee	\$3.50
<b>Plain Milk-600mL</b>	\$2.50

## SNACKS:

-Freshly Cut Watermelon	\$3.00
-Freshly Made Fruit Salad	\$3.00
-Yoghurt	\$3.00
-Fresh Fruit & Yoghurt	\$3.00
-Hommus with Carrot	\$2.00
-Celery Sticks	\$2.00

## HOT FOOD:

Chicken Burger	\$4.50
Chicken Burger Salad	\$5.00
Cheese Burger	\$4.50
Cheese Burger Salad	\$5.00
Chicken Gravy Roll	\$4.50
Rissole & Gravy Roll	\$4.50
Savoury Mince Roll (cheese on top)	\$4.50
Garlic Bread	\$1.30
Plain Pie <b>LUNCH ONLY</b>	\$3.30
Cheese & Bacon Pie <b>LUNCH ONLY</b>	\$3.60
Sausage Roll <b>LUNCH ONLY</b>	\$3.00
Chicken Chippies (6)	\$3.50
Chicken Nuggets (6)	\$3.50



## DAILY SPECIAL

<b>Monday</b>	
Nachos	\$5.00
Honey Mustard Chicken & Rice	\$5.00
Pumpkin Soup with Dinner Roll	\$4.50
<b>Tuesday</b>	
Lasagne	\$5.00
Veggie Stir Fry	\$5.00
<b>Wednesday</b>	
Nachos	\$5.00
Butter Chicken & Rice	\$5.00
Pumpkin Soup with Dinner Roll	\$4.50
<b>Thursday</b>	
Lasagne	\$5.00
Mince Chop Suey	\$5.00
<b>Friday</b>	
Nachos	\$5.00
Butter Chicken & Rice	\$5.00
Pumpkin Soup with Dinner Roll	\$4.50

Canteen is open before school from 8:15am and at Recess & Lunch

Volunteers are always needed—please contact the school on 4932 5999 to find out more!

RTHS Canteen is operated by the P&C with one paid supervisor assisted by volunteers. All profits from the canteen are returned to the school to benefit the students.



## RUTHERFORD TECHNOLOGY HIGH SCHOOL SUPPORTERS

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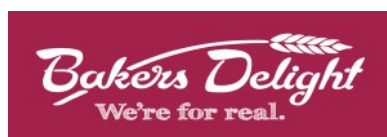
Call **DAVID** on **49325 982**

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Telarah Railway Station.**



**Harvey Norman**  
Maitland



The staff and students who are involved in the Breakfast Club would like to acknowledge the generosity of 'Bakers Delight' at Rutherford who now provide us with bread. There are many local businesses who donate their time, service or products to our school. We express our appreciation and hope our school community can reciprocate.

Rutherford Technology High School has an Official Facebook Page – just go to Facebook and look for "Rutherford Technology High School NSW Official Site" and click on "Like".



We will be using the Facebook page to keep everyone informed about events at the school, important dates for your diary, and general information about the school.

Link: <http://www.facebook.com/RutherfordTechnologyHighSchool>