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FROM THE PRINCIPAL

SCHOOL ATHLETICS CARNIVAL

The Health and Physical Education staff once again organised an outstanding two day carnival, in which our students could experience and test their skills and abilities in both track and field events.

As you will be aware, the weather unfortunately deteriorated around lunchtime on Friday, resulting in all participants returning to school. The balance of the program will be picked up at school during lunchtimes over the next few weeks. This will enable us to ensure that all students have had the opportunity to present themselves for consideration for selection in our Inter-High team.

All teachers worked virtually without a break over the two days to supervise the program both at the Domain and here at school and I would like to thank them for so enthusiastically supporting this very important school event and also managing the program when we had to return to school. I would also like to thank all those parents, guardians and other family and friends who came along to support our students over both days.

Most importantly however, I would like to congratulate all those students who took such an active part in the program over the one and a half days of events. It was great to see so many students get into their house colours and to really make a big effort to do their personal best in the events they participated in. Students also conducted themselves with great credit when we returned to school.

Well done everyone!!

SCHOOL CHAPLAIN

I am very pleased to announce that Rose Bay has been successful in our recent submission for Federal funding to appoint a school chaplain. This funding will extend over the next 2 years and will provide a valuable service to our school community.

The School Association and teaching staff believe this appointment will further enhance the wide range of support officers within school, including
our Guidance Office - Mr Darren Stops, Social Worker – Mel Langford, Pathway Planners – Amanda Sutton and Emily Newton, Vocational Education Learning Officer – Gavin Evans, Janine Mitchell - Pathways Officer from Colony 47 and our Co-Pilot parent mentors.

As a school community we strive to model, encourage and support the values of respect, kindness, honesty and tolerance. I’m sure the appointment of a school chaplain will assist us to further develop an understanding within our young people, that these values characterise the kind of society that we all aspire to live in.

**SCIENCE SUCCESS**

It is very pleasing to once again congratulate our students and Mr Graham Armstrong following the school’s success in both the State Chemical Analysis Titration Competition and the State Solar Car and Boat event.

Mr Armstrong has provided a full report on these events in this newsletter. Congratulations to all our participants and all the best to those going on to compete at a national level.

**STUDENT ENTERPRISE**

Callum Morris, Lee Spencer and Ethan Westland who earlier in the year completed a number of outdoor settings for our school grounds, have taken on a new project to construct 6 Oregon tables for Richmond Primary School.

Funds earned through this activity, will be used to purchase an electronic starting mechanism from the United States, to be used for conducting races with the CO2 model cars constructed as part of our new Powered Technology course.

I would like to thank Mr Geoff Doig for his support of the boys who have been working on this project.

**ACADEMIC SUCCESS**

For all students, Term 3 provides the culmination to this year’s educational programs. Courses are designed to peak in exams, tests, final assignments, performances, art works, displays and presentations. It is extremely important that all students make a significant effort in the remaining 9 weeks (6 weeks for Grade10) of this school year, to ensure that the results they receive in December are the very best they can achieve.

No one can ask any more of anyone than they do their ‘very best’. I hope parents and guardians will impress upon their children that this term should see them working at their peak performance as they approach a well earned Christmas break on December 20.

**INTERNAL MODERATION DAY**

**OCTOBER 26**

All parents and guardians are reminded that this Friday is the final moderation day for this year. Students are not required at school as all teaching staff will be engaged in discussions regarding student work samples, course standards, assessment planning for the remainder of the year.

Staff will also continue their work on developing Rose Bay Courses to implement the newly developed Tasmanian Curriculum across the school in 2008. This is a substantial task and will take many hours to finalise a full year’s program of study for each subject in Grades 7-10.

As this will most likely be the last of these days made available to schools for this purpose, we will be doing all we can to ensure that the day is highly productive.

Stephen Mannering
Principal
CONGRATULATIONS TO:

Trent McLaughlin who competed in the National Junior Disabled Games in Sydney. Trent achieved his personal best times in all his races and came home with a plaque with a gold medal for his 100m freestyle, 50m freestyle and 50m butterfly and a silver medal for his 400m freestyle. Well done Trent!

Dylan Sault (9B) and Rhys Koppelmann (9F) who recently represented the State at the National U15 Hockey Championships in Perth and Jessica Sault (7A) who played in the State U13 Hockey team in Melbourne.

Teegan Roy (7A) and Sam Randall (7A) who represented the Southern U14 and U13 Soccer teams at a Northern NSW Championship.

Jordan Headlam (8A) who represented the State in an International Motocross Championship

THE TITRATION COMPETITION

The Royal Australian Chemical Institute Titration Competition was conducted at the University of Tasmania chemical laboratories on 18 August.

Rose Bay High School entered seven teams this year. Each team consists of three students, each conducting a separate chemical analysis.

Three of our students could not make it on the day, so some team members doubled up and worked twice as hard during the two and a half hour experiment. The effort was worth it – Out of 82 teams participating across the State only the top 10% are invited to participate at the national competition level.

The top four teams from Rose Bay came 3rd, 7th, 11th and 16th. The 3rd placed team, consisting of Tim Nissink, Rachael Blackwood and Julia Blackwood, will now participate in the National Competition and will be Titrating for Silver or Gold Medallions together with teams from St Michael’s Collegiate, Ogilvie High, Hutchins and Newtown High. The task for the National Competition is the equivalent of a first year university experiment. We wish them good luck.

THE TASMANIAN MODEL SOLAR VEHICLE CHALLENGE

Teams of students from Science classes, but mostly from the Applied Science program have given up a good deal of their own time over the last two terms (lunch, after school and even weekends) to design and build model solar cars and boats. The purpose of all this effort is was to participate in the Tasmanian Model Solar Vehicle Challenge, conducted under the guidance of the University (Engineering Department), CSIRO and the Hydro.

The Tasmanian Challenge was held on Sunday 7 October at Newtown High School, with some impressive results achieved by the Rose Bay Teams.

Our School entered three Solar Car Teams with results of 2nd, 3rd and 5th.

Our Solar Boat teams came 1st, 3rd, 4th and 5th. All three car teams and the top Solar Boat team have now been invited to participate in the Australian, International Model Solar Vehicle Challenge, to be held in Adelaide on the weekend of the 27th – 28th of this month.

The 2nd placed Solar Car will be campaigned by Dane Plaister and Andrew Butler the 3rd, by Tim Nissink and the 5th by Matthew Todd, James Bills and Ben Knight.

These students have been greatly assisted by other Applied Science students also working on the same solar project and we must thank Lewis Van Bommel, Edward Stanley, Jesse Parker, Jason McGinn and Tom Palfrey for their excellent efforts.

The 1st place Solar Boat team from our school representing Tasmania is Jacob Walker and Luke Coulson.

We wish all members of the Solar Challenge
teams the best in the up coming competition in Adelaide.

**SCHOOL SPORT UPDATE**

**Basketball Championships** – The Girls Basketball Championships will be held over Show Weekend (26th, 27th and 28th of October). Rose Bay High School has entered one Grade 7/8 team who have been training over the past few weeks with coach Karalyn Rainbird. We wish the Girls the best of luck.

**Netball** – The Spring Netball roster begun on Tuesday the 9th of October.

**Touch** – The Touch season kicked off on the 8th of October with a win to our Grade 10 Girls who defeated Geilston Bay (10 tries to 2); the Grade 9 Girls drew with Tigers (2 all); the Grade 8 Girls were beaten by Little Miss Sunshine’s (7 tries to 4) and the Grade 7 Girls were defeated by MacKillop Blue (3 tries to 1). The Grade 9/10 Boys lost to Hutchins (3 tries to 1) and the Grade 8 Boys were defeated by MacKillop (10 tries to nil).

**Softball** – The Softball season commenced on Tuesday the 16th of October for our Grade 9/10 Girls team.

**Futsal** – Unfortunately due to lack of numbers, we were unable to enter a Futsal team.

**Athletics Schools Knockout** – Unfortunately we were unable to enter any teams into the Athletics Schools Knockout this year due to lack of numbers.

**Circus Skills**

**Jumping Jacks Trampoline Club**

Want to learn some cool new tricks to impress your friends?!

Then this is the class for you!

**When:** Wednesday Nights 6:30 – 8pm

Casual trampoline sessions for teenagers and adults.

**What:** A fun class where you can learn to master juggling, poi, Diablo, trick sticks, stilts, unicycle

So come along and bring a friend. Open to all ages.

For bookings please call **0407 352 579**

**KARANA NETBALL CLUB**

**SELECTIONS FOR 2008**

**MONDAY 19 NOVEMBER 2007**

and

**MONDAY 26 NOVEMBER 2007**

Selection trials for all underage players


At Aurora Sports Stadium, Creek Road, New Town

From 5.30 pm - 7.00 pm

Selection trials for

Bartercard, Grade & 19 & Under

At Aurora Sports Stadium, Creek Road, New Town

From 7.00 pm – 8.30 pm

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WREST POINT CYCLONES
NETBALL CLUB

Selections for 2008

Sunday 21 October & Sunday 28 October
Aurora Stadium – STNA Netball Centre
19’s 11.00 – 12.30
Seniors 1.00 – 3.00
Enquiries Contact: Debbie Ransley 6273 8304
Players need to attend both sessions

WREST POINT NETBALL CLUB
THE “DEVILS”

Selections for 2008

Sunday 18th November 2007
JUNIORS
STNA U13 & U11s 10.00am – 11.15am
STNA U17, U15, 11.30am – 1.15am

Sunday 18th November
Bartercard Seniors, Bartercard U19’s
& Senior STNA Grades
1.30pm – 4pm

All Junior, Senior & Bartercard
Selections at
Aurora Stadium, STNA Netball Centre
Creek Road, Newtown

Please note you MUST ATTEND TRIALS to be eligible for selection

All Senior enquiries
to Linda Bennett 6247 8733 (home)
and
All Junior enquiries to
Leanne Stanford 6249 4811 (home)

TCA CRICKET
COACHING SCHOOL

Where: Bellerive Oval Indoor Cricket Centre, Bellerive Oval
When: 4pm – 7pm Monday, Wednesday and Friday evenings from now.
Cost: $25 for a 30 minute session
Discounts apply if 4 or more sessions are chosen. We offer small group coaching up to a maximum of 3 children for 1 hour for $60 for the group ($20 a child).
Further information www.tascricket.com.au Scott McNaughton, Indoor Centre Supervisor 6282 0426 or 0439 894 383 or by email smcnaughton@tascricket.com.au

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Student Exchange Australia

In February 2008, students aged 15 – 18 years from over 15 countries will be arriving in Australia to study at local schools for 5 or 10 months. Opportunities exist to act as a host family in a volunteer/unpaid capacity. Hosting can be on a temporary, short or long term basis.

Host families help provide our students with the chance to study and experience life in Australia. This is a great way to learn about another country and culture, establish a lifelong link to a family in another country and contribute to international goodwill. For further details please contact Student Exchange Australia on:
1300 135 331 or visit their website:
www.studentexchange.org.au
One our Oregon tables made for Richmond Primary School by our Student Enterprise Team.