We wish all Redlands families a safe, healthy, restful upcoming vacation break. These times are important for rest and recovery, for connecting with friends and family and recharging weary batteries. Harvard Medical School are doing some interesting research in the area – [http://healthysleep.med.harvard.edu/healthy/matters](http://healthysleep.med.harvard.edu/healthy/matters) – and we encourage everybody to increase their sleep over the coming weeks where you can. My own fitness/activity tracker app keeps reminding me that getting a few more “zzzzz”s would improve my concentration and energy levels, so I can only imagine how our busy students are feeling by this time in the term. We’ve also reminded our students this week to take the time over the holidays to look for opportunities to express their gratitude to family members (particularly parents) as sometimes this small but meaningful action is forgotten about in busy term time!

Here at School, we’ll be progressing important works so that all our campuses are ready for the return of students and staff in Term 3, including the commencement of Winter School at our High Country Campus. Our thanks go to all staff for their work this term, and we acknowledge in particular our “behind the scenes” staff, whose work might not be immediately visible but is critical for the successful daily operations of our School.

International Science Olympiad Teams

We are extremely proud to advise that our two School Captains, Jeffrey Brown and Zoe Thompson, have both been selected for the Australian Science Olympiad teams, for Earth Science and Biology respectively. They were presented with their Australian Olympiad team blazers at a special ceremony at Parliament House, Canberra on Monday, where this week’s cover photograph was taken.

Jeffrey has been selected for the four-person Earth Science team and will travel to compete in Mie, Japan, amongst the best Earth Science students in the world. This is the discipline in which Zoe won a gold medal for Australia last year, at the International Earth Science Olympiad at Pocos de Caldas, Brazil.

This year, Zoe has been selected to represent Australia in Biology, and will therefore now become a dual Olympian. She will be the first Australian girl to compete in two consecutive International Science Olympiads in different subjects and will travel to Hanoi, Vietnam in Term 3 for the International Biology Olympiad.

I congratulate both Zoe and Jeffrey most sincerely on these impressive achievements and wish them and their teammates all the very best in these international competitions.

Senior Music Festival

Last Friday night, along with a large number of parents, friends, students and staff, I had the great pleasure of attending the Senior Music Festival. This showcase of choral and instrumental music took the audience on a musical journey exploring the synergy that exists between cultures, industries and societies. Year 11 and Year 12 HSC and IB Music students had an opportunity to perform their solo works, while the many choral and instrumental ensembles displayed their musical and performance skills on a professional stage. I personally particularly enjoyed seeing our young chamber musicians developing in confidence and skill and performing some very advanced repertoire. The theme Let’s Get Loud, celebrated the role the Arts, and Music in particular, have to play in the development of well-rounded thinkers under the STEAM banner.

We were delighted to welcome special guest conductor, Commander Phillip Anderson OAM, previous Director of Music of the Royal Australian Navy, who led both the Advanced Concert Band and Combined Concert Band in two very high-energy pieces. I certainly don’t think the combination of a Naval Commander and “Uptown Funk” is one you’d find in every school! The evening’s spirited finale, featuring our Year 12 students playing, singing and dancing alongside our combined performance ensembles was a very fitting end to a wonderful evening of musical entertainment.

Thank you sincerely to Coordinator of Music, Mr Darren Kuilenburg, and all the teachers and Tutors involved in staging this superb musical showcase. It was also wonderful to see the number of students who were giving their final bows at the Concourse on Friday night who were then on the Netball court or the Football or Rugby field the following morning, putting 100% into their sports.

Perhaps some of our Senior students might put their newly-acquired dance skills to good use at our Senior Formal tomorrow evening! We wish all our young people and their parents an enjoyable evening, and thank Mr Yuncken, Ms Burk and Ms Shaw for their efforts in organising this elegant event.

Senior Campus Redevelopment

As outlined in the Principal’s section of Issue 18 of Note Day, there will be three major projects undertaken this holiday break, in addition to our usual holiday works program:
1. Roofing repairs on Redlands Hall and the Humphery building;
2. Demolition of the Facilities cottage at 1 Gerard St; and
3. Installation of seven temporary classrooms in front of the Mowll building.

Commencing next term, we will be providing a fortnightly update of our Senior Campus schedule of works on Redlands Pulse.

June/July Vacation Period

I extend my very best wishes to our Snowsports team who will be competing in the Redlands Cup and the Sydney Interschools in the third week of the holidays. Thankfully there has just been at least a little snow after a late start to Winter! We look forward to welcoming all students back to school on Wednesday 20 July.
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School Captains, Zoe Thompson and Jeffrey Brown, at Parliament House receiving their official Australian Science Olympiad team blazers.
Winter has finally arrived and many Redlands families are getting ready for the ski season. Good luck to all our students who will compete in the Redlands Cup and the Interschool Ski & Snowboard Races.

Friends of Snowsports invite all Redlands parents to the Redlands Cup Function at the Alpine Hotel Lounge at 6pm Monday 11 July.

See you in Thredbo!

Community Activities

BOOK CLUB
In Term 3, the Book Club will meet as follows:

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*This is a movie/book tie-in and includes luncheon at the Orpheum Cinema.

For further info contact Trudy at trudywaterfield@gmail.com.

PARENTS TENNIS
Our Social Tennis Competition runs at The Neutral Bay Club on Fridays from 9am to 11am. The competition runs for the duration of school term. Either join for a Term or register to be a weekly reserve. Call Lynn Pavey 0413 382 626 or lmpavey@gmail.com

WALKS on TRACKS
Join our walks on Wednesday mornings from 8.40am. It takes approx 2 hours followed by a coffee if you are free. If you would like to be on our mailing list, please email Ann Marie Kimber at amkimber@gmail.com

Special Events

**JUN 24**
Redlands for Cambodia Movie Finding Dory
4pm @ Cremorne Orpheum $20pp
https://www.trybooking.com/LRQY

**JUL 11**
Friends of Snowsports
Redlands Cup Function
6pm @ Alpine Hotel, Thredbo

**JUL 12**
Redlands Cup
Thredbo

**JUL 20**
First Day of Term 3 - Wednesday

**JUL 23**
The Redlands Rhino Shout Out!
Friends of Football
Morning Tea 9am-12pm
Macquarie, Campbell field. (Pink Sock Day)

**SEPT 10**
Redlands Classic Spring Fair
Murdoch St Campus 9-3pm

**Nov 1**
Save the Date
Melbourne Cup Luncheon

Any enquiries or offers of assistance: rpfa@redlands.nsw.edu.au

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Redlands Classic Spring FAIR

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SAT 10 SEP 2016

Murdoch Street Campus 9am-3pm
RIDES FOOD FUN GAMES STALLS PRIZES

Sponsorship Opportunities!

Aussie BBQ (sponsored by Croll Real Estate)
Entertainments Quarter (sponsored by Porsche)
Old Alley (sponsored by AMEX)
Redlands Café (great advertising opportunity!)
Redlands Army (printed caps and shirts needed)
Printing (sponsored by ThePrintStore & Frontline Print)

Contact: Dana Casimaty dcasimaty@redlands.nsw.edu.au

International Food Piazza

Greek
German
Japanese
Italian
English
Scandinavian
Chinese

If you would like to volunteer to assist with one of our international food stalls or captain another food stall please contact Sonja Price sonjalprice@hotmail.com

Redlands Bazaar
External Vendors Market
Limited spaces left for any parents wishing to secure a vendors stall.
Contact: Alisa Davidson alisad@internode.on.net

Time to de-clutter these holidays!

Do you have Action and Toddlers Toys, Games and Puzzles, Children’s clothes and Books that have been out grown?

WE CAN HELP!!!

Please pack a box or two and bring them to the
BIG DROP OFF DAY
Sun 28 August 9am-12pm Dunnett Hall

We are looking for the following items in clean and good condition:


BOOKS - good quality Children and Adult books both fiction and non fiction.

No magazines, text books cassette or VHS tapes.

PRE-LOVED CHILDREN’S CLOTHING - clean, well presented, great quality pre-loved CHILDREN’S clothes for ages – 0 – 14 years only.

Accessories such as Children’s Hats, Headbands, Beanies, Gloves, Scarves, Handbags and Jewellery are most welcome. Please no shoes.

GAMES AND PUZZLES – Jigsaw puzzles and board games

Please pack all items sturdily with small pieces in sealed bags.

All donations are much appreciated – thank you!

Year Group Stalls

RHNH Let’s Go Fishing
Lob-a-Choc
KindiFarm - Animals
Lucky Dip

RHC Coliseum Jumping Castle
Face Painting
Crazy Hair

Transition Old Fashion Lollies
Fairy Floss Machine
Cardboard Capers
Noodle Javelin & Combat Balloons
Pre-Loved Childrens’ Clothes
Coconut Shy
Chocolate Wheel

Kindergarten Face Painting
Crazy Hair

Year 1 Action & Toddler Toys
Nails
Obstacle Course

Year 2 Puzzles & Boxed Games
Atomic Drop - Giant Slide
Toss the Footy
Pop Corn Machine

Year 3 Mini Golf, Stage Support
Main Information Booth
Jam Jar Tombola
Jam Competition

Year 4 Plants “Growers Corner”
Twister Tangle
Books (2nd Hand)
Redlands Bazaar Support

Year 5 Cakes & Cake Competition

Year 6 Treasury & Ticket Booths

For any donations or offers of assistance contact:
SS – Shelley Richardson sjricho6@bigpond.com
JS – Lynn Pavey lmpavey@gmail.com
EC – Linda Delaney thedelaneyhouse@gmail.com

Any enquiries or offers of assistance: rpfa@redlands.nsw.edu.au

"Rides Fun Games Stalls Prizes"

Picture: 1918 Spring Fair - Redlands Archives

Celebrating 132 years of Redlands Community

Rides   Food   Fun   Games   Stalls   Prizes

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SNAPSHOT: Redlands ICT Programs Enhancing Learning and Teaching – Learning with ICT

This term Transition have been exploring using the camera to take photos that are steady and focused. Students have been practising using the front and back camera to take photos of their work and collections from the garden. Students have also been working in small groups of six on the iPads to consolidate their learning about seeds and plants. Students have been using the app ‘Book Creator’ which is a great creation app for students to practice their literacy skills. During the lesson students practised their typing skills by adding their name and a title to a page, and drawing a plant of their choice and finally adding a video explaining how that plant grows. Students have enjoyed learning about the camera to take videos of film themselves and each other!

Device Clean Up

In preparation for Term 3, why not use the break to clean up your device? It’s as easy as:

- Backing up your device
- Deleting unused files
- Sanitising your data to ensure it is appropriate for school use
- Clean up your GoogleDrive online storage
- Delete unwanted emails

Code Camp Steams Ahead

We’re offering a beginners Code Camp for Yr 2 to Yr 6 students on 12, 13 and 14 July for Redlands students to develop their coding skills as part of our STEAM initiative. The Camp costs $350 and is facilitated at Redlands Junior Campus with CodeCamp staff. Equipment is provided. Numbers are limited. Book here.

The Healthy Digital Diet

The Parents Council are promoting a workshop for parents. This presentation, delivered by two of Australia’s best-known and leading experts in this area, is designed to help parents and their children understand why screens, games and social media are so compelling and how their children can enjoy them in healthy, balanced ways so that the other parts of their lives can be as successful as their advancement through the levels of their favourite game. Presentation participants will:

- Gain insight into why screens are so compelling for teens (and even for grown-ups), and how they affect sleep, learning, memory, relationships, and health
- Explore the three great deceptions that gaming and social media teach our children
- Learn the tools required to have positive, effective conversations about screens and games
- Develop the skills to establish appropriate limits together so screen time is no longer a source of conflict in the home
- Experience a happier home and family.

Attendees will receive specially-designed resources and handouts to assist them on their journey of implementing the ideas from the seminar, aiming to achieve a Healthy Digital Diet at home. Flyer available here.

Accessing Academic Reports

To access your child’s Academic Report:
Login to Redlands Pulse
Click on Student Details (yellow button on home screen)
Go to Carer Portal
Select Academic Reports
Select the report required which will download a PDF file
Previous reports are also available
More detailed instructions are available on Redlands Pulse,
Thank you to all the families who have kindly contributed to this unique opportunity and secured their Redlands Family Plaque. We have 263 Family Plaques secured for the Redlands Legacy Board that is to be placed in the foyer of the New Learning Hub. There are a few more left for this once in a lifetime opportunity! All donations to the Building Fund are tax deductible. You can also structure your payment over a period of time (up to three years). Should you wish to secure a plaque in one of the three categories ie. $10,000, $5,000 or $1,000 for your child, please click here. This contribution will allow us to progress in this much desired redevelopment of the Senior Campus. All donations are highly appreciated as tuition fees only cover the running costs of the School and capital works need to be financed by additional financial resources such as bank loans, reserves and donations.

Support the School through your corporate sponsorship - last two sponsorship opportunities available: International Food Piazza (10 stalls) and Redlands Café. This exciting event welcomes over 2,000 visitors to enjoy and take part in our traditional fair program, which includes action packed rides, key performances from our talented students and Alumni and delicious homemade food representing our International families.

All financial proceeds generated by the Spring Fair will be dedicated to the School development programs. The Foundation Office is supporting the RPFA in this fantastic event and is seeking corporate sponsors for selected stalls and prizes and vouchers for the Chocolate Wheel. This is an excellent opportunity for parents to support the School community event. For more information, please contact Dana Casimaty, Director of Development on 9968 9858 or dcasimaty@redlands.nsw.edu.au.

Our friends from Dymocks Neutral Bay, sponsors of the Viewers’ Choice Award, Redlands Konica Minolta Art Prize 2017, donated a beautiful art book to the lucky winner. Photo: Dana Casimaty, Director of Development, receiving the book from Dymocks on behalf of Theresa Pun. Thank you Dymocks Neutral Bay.
Invitation to Bill Hansberry
Parent Presentation

I apologise for repeating last week’s announcement but as it is a significant event, I
would like to make sure that all parents are aware of it. Redlands is delighted to be
welcoming Bill Hansberry to Redlands on Monday 18 July. Bill is a very well-known and
highly respected educator and counsellor who has worked with various schools and
organisations across Australia (including Redlands Junior School last year) and the UK. He
will be leading various workshops with staff during the Professional Development Day and
then in the evening he will be giving a presentation to parents on the topic of “Being the
Best Resilience Coach for your Kids so they can navigate life’s ups and downs”. This very
much complements the very successful and popular presentation by Paul Dillon earlier
this term on “Adolescents and Risk Taking”. Redlands is committed to providing a safe
and secure community for all of our members and periodically, we invite guest specialist
experts to deliver parent education seminars about topical issues. We work in partnership
with parents to help our young people make good, ethical choices, and to allow them
greater individual freedom without compromising their health, safety or wellbeing. This
session will be covering material aimed at parents and carers and it is not appropriate for
students to attend this session. As Bill’s sessions are always highly relevant, informative and
practically based, we encourage all interested parents to attend. Places are limited and so I
would urge you to book early. Bookings can be made [here](#).

I appreciate that this date falls on a day when students are not in school but, as
mentioned, a key part of his visit is leading workshops with teachers during the staff
Professional Development sessions throughout the day.

Senior Music Festival

I am sure that those of you who were present last Friday evening will join me in giving a
huge vote of thanks to Mr Darren Kuilenburg, his team and all the students involved for a
truly wonderful Senior Music Festival. The variety, depth and quality of all performances
were astounding and I am well aware how huge a commitment it is to put something like
that on. I thought the energy and level of engagement from the Yr 12s for their “Let’s Get
Loud” finale was really impressive. My personal favourite (maybe because of my African
connection) was the very first item but I am sure everyone will have their own favourite.
A big thank you to Darren, Pip, the members of the Music Department, Carlos Barroeta
and all the other supporting and technical crew, the Facilities team and all performing and
supporting students. A fantastic Redlands showcase event.

Australia Science Olympiad

I was absolutely thrilled to learn earlier this year that both of
our School Captains have been
selected for this year’s Australian
Science Olympiad team (Zoe
Thompson for Biology, Jeffrey
Brown for Earth Science). This
is a fantastic reflection on both
Zoe and Jeff and we wish both
of them all the very best for their
respective events later this year.

Thursday Sports Uniform Day

To ease the logistical issues of students changing into Sports uniform during Thursday
lunch and to help reduce the amount of stuff that students often bring to school on
Thursdays, it is proposed that students can come to school on this day in their PE/Sports
uniform, as they do in the Junior School. Please note that students MUST come in correct
PE/Sports uniform (see the relevant page in the Student Planner) and that it cannot be
a general assortment of various sporting/casual attire. This will take effect from Term 3
onwards and we will do this on a trial basis and review towards the end of next term.

Term 4 Notice of Departure

As we are approaching the mid-point of the year, this is a reminder that those families
who are planning on leaving the School at the end of Term 4 are required to give notice
of departure by the end of Term 2 with an email to [registrar@redlands.nsw.edu.au](mailto:registrar@redlands.nsw.edu.au).

Holidays

It only remains for me to wish all of our Redlands families a very relaxing and enjoyable
holiday period and I look forward to welcoming all students back to school on Wednesday
20 July. Good luck and our very best wishes to those families who are leaving the Redlands
community – I wish you every success in your new ventures. Likewise I wish all those
students going down to Winter School next term well and I look forward to seeing them
all back safely in Term 4. Also good luck to all students taking part in the Redlands Cup
and the other Snowsports events over the holiday.
LAST CHANCE TO PLACE YOUR
BILLY G’S GOURMET COOKIE DOUGH ORDERS

Time is running out. This is your last chance to purchase the moorish Billy G’s Gourmet Cookie Dough. Your support is greatly appreciated as all funds raised will be used to support Redlands Cambodia projects.

The final return date for the order forms and monies is Friday 24 June. Don’t forget, you can only purchase the cookie dough through fundraising and is not sold in retail stores, so stock up!

For online orders go to http://cookiedough.com.au/search

Group Post Code: 2090
Group Name: Redlands Senior School

SIMPLY SCOOP, BAKE AND SERVE
- The cookie dough is packed in a reusable 1kg tub which makes 40 x 25g cookies. That works out to be only 33c-38c per cookie.
- You can REFREEZE the cookie dough and thaw it out as you require for baking.
- You can keep the thawed cookie dough in your refrigerator for up to 4 weeks.

Billy G’s Golden Lid Competition: will you be the lucky winner? Find a Billy G’s Golden Sticker under the lid of a tub of cookie dough for your chance to win instant prizes.

Gold Coast Family Holiday Promotion: simply by purchasing or selling a tub of cookie dough you will have the chance to win a five (5) night holiday to the Gold Coast staying at Sea World Resort & Water Park, entry to the major theme parks and either $1,000 spending money or a $1,000 Virgin Australian Gift Voucher. To enter, please go to www.australianfundraising.com.au/win.

Please return your brochure & monies by Friday 24 June to Redlands Senior School Office

REVISED PICK UP DATE IS WEDNESDAY 27 JULY
FROM SENIOR SCHOOL – LIGGINS QUAD

We thank you for making our Billy G’s Fundraiser a huge success!
DEBATING

Ms Megan Coombes and Ms Danielle Jago, Debating Coordinators
mcoombes@redlands.nsw.edu.au djago@redlands.nsw.edu.au
(02) 9908 6494

The RQ Competition has now drawn to a close with a terrific finish for both of our teams. Although they did not make it into the finals, both teams won their final debate for the season, which demonstrates how far they have come since the beginning of the competition this term!

The SDN competition takes place in Term 3 from Friday 22 July to Friday 16 September. Students who participated in the trials will know by now whether they have been selected for a team. Primary, Yr 7 and Yr 8 debaters will commence their prep time at 5.30pm, with debates starting at 6.30pm. Yrs 9 and above will commence their prep time at 6.30pm, with debates starting at 7.30pm.

The draw for the competition is below to assist parents in planning for transport home from venues. Any students who are interested in participating in Debating next year or who were not successful in making a team this term are encouraged to come and watch Home debates. This is a great way to learn about the conventions of Debating, as well as to become more familiar with the types of topics and arguments that you will come across.

Information concerning the 2016 season of SDN including maps of the venues can be found on the SDN website. This website is currently being updated, but there will soon be information relating to the draw and topics.

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This Masterclass will include strategies and hands on activities to assist you and your child to:
- identify common mistakes that students often make in examinations
- deconstruct an extended response type question
- determine the correct literacy features required in an extended response
- interpret and understand the marking criteria

The workshops will take place over a four week period. Each session will build upon the skills and knowledge acquired in the one before. It is, of course, beneficial for you to attend each session, however the dates allow for flexibility. They are: Tuesday 26 July, Tuesday 2 August, Tuesday 9 August and Tuesday 16 August at 6.00-7.00pm in Redlands Hall.

Please RSVP via this link
UNSW Built Environment One Day Workshops for Yrs 10-12

These will be held in the holidays, are free and a fabulous introduction to the following industries: Industrial Design, Computational Design, Interior Architecture, Architecture and Landscape Architecture. RSVP essential.

UNSW Women in Engineering Camp

The Camp is a five day residential camp for girls going into Yrs 11 and 12 who are interested in Science and Maths. The week involves hands-on activities, site visits and the opportunity to meet Engineering professionals and students. The 2017 Camp dates are 9-13 January 2017. Applications open 1 July and close 25 September 2016.

Charles Sturt University “my days” in Agriculture, Allied Health, Creative Industries and Paramedicine will be held in the holidays and provide students and parents the opportunity to visit the campus (either in Port Macquarie, Dubbo, Bathurst or Albury), meet academics and view facilities. Please register or call 02 6338 6010 for more information.
Students have been emailed copies of their examination timetables and they have also been offered a hard copy to put on their wall. A reminder that the trial examinations will be held at North Sydney Leagues Club, 12 Abbott Street, Cammeray. The HSC examinations run from Monday 1 August until Monday 15 August. The IB trial examinations run from Thursday 4 August until Monday 15 August.

To all the students and their families have a happy and safe holiday.

On Monday we had six students from the Class of 2015 speak to current Yr 12s about their experiences to date: Ryan Bogatez who is studying at Sydney University, Lia Pipolo and Taylor Parsons who are on gap years, Matthew Castle who is at RMIT in Melbourne, Lily Henderson who is at TAFE and Harriet McDonald who is in NZ at Otago University. These varied pathways reflect the wide choices open to students and reinforced that there is a lot to consider when making higher education decisions.

Friday 24 June The Four Seasons Hotel 199 George Street Sydney - 6.30pm Pre-dinner drinks in the Foyer, 7pm Doors open and guests take their seats, 11pm Event concludes. A special thank you to Ms Mary Frances Shaw and Mrs Vivienne Hoile for their great help in organising this event.

Early next term, our Head of Teaching and Learning, Roisin McVeigh, is hosting a four week Masterclass program for parents and students. This Masterclass will include strategies and hands on activities to assist you and your child to:

- identify common mistakes that students often make in examinations
- deconstruct an extended response type question
- determine the correct literacy features required in an extended response
- interpret and understand the marking criteria

The program will take place over a four-week period. Each session will build upon the skills and knowledge acquired in the one before. It is, of course, beneficial for you to attend each session, however the dates allow for flexibility. They are: Tuesday 26 July, Tuesday 2 August, Tuesday 9 August and Tuesday 16 August at 6.00-7.00pm in Redlands Hall. Please RSVP via this link.

Congratulations to all the Yr 12 students involved in last Friday’s Senior Music Festival. They were Bella Dougall, Jeffrey Brown, Lauren Ittensohn, Harrison Samway, Zoe Thompson, Willem Speckman, Tom Willma, Claire Holland, Lauren Herbert, Jordy Felix, Julius Feldman, Daniel Eade, Laszlo Mechtler, Felix Lonergan, James Lea, Angus Konsti, Brittany Ross, Vivienne Smith, Li Yang Thean and Max Wilson. It was a thoroughly enjoyable evening and I was so proud of all the students. The depth of talent in our Yr 12 cohort is astounding. Considering the workload the students have experienced this Semester it was a remarkable effort and a delight to watch. Well done!

William Cheng has been fundraising this week for Australian Health and Humanitarian Aid (AHHA). AHHA provides diverse charitable and humanitarian services to relieve human suffering and to improve the quality of life of those in need. AHHA’s mission is to provide ophthalmic, medical and dental treatment to the underprivileged and to provide assistance for schooling to underprivileged students. Students thoroughly enjoyed the sausage sizzle this week and were grateful knowing their dollars were going to a good cause.

Tiffany Williams was informed this week that she has been accepted into the Project Management Winter School with the Faculty of Engineering at Sydney University. The degree is all about operating in today’s complex project management and leadership frameworks, and engages with these dynamics to develop proactive and effective planning, management and leadership strategies. Congratulations Tiffany on this fine achievement.
Well done to Erin Pacholke who placed in the top two percent of 10,000 students in the Education Perfect Social Sciences Championships. This is a worldwide online competition.

Yr 12 2017 Jersey forms are due back to the Uniform Shop by Friday 24 June, with payment. Students can try on samples in the Uniform Shop. Forms were sent to student emails in Week 7. Surnames only, will be printed on the back of Jerseys. However, should students share the same surname as another in our Year Group they are able to include their first initial. Jerseys will be distributed in early Term 4.

Leadership Self-Nomination Forms (School, Sports and Arts Captains, and Prefects) are due to the Secondary School Office on Thursday 21 July. Captains of Activities forms are due Wednesday 10 August. There are a few spare Leadership information booklets and nomination forms available in the Secondary School Office.

Effort Tracking should now have been completed. The data provided from this process is exceptionally useful in assisting student progress and often shapes valuable one-on-one meetings between Year Advisors, Tutors and teachers. There is a small number of students still needing to complete this and your assistance with having this finished by the end of the week is greatly appreciated.

The Yr 11 Cambodia fundraising group have organised a whole of Redlands School event, which is a movie afternoon for the upcoming movie, Finding Dory, at Cremorne Orpheum at 4.00pm on Friday 24 June (the last day of school). Please encourage all the students to go. Posters have been posted around the School with further information.

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Semester 1 Report

End of Term

Yearly Examinations

Monday 31 Oct - Friday 4 Nov

Monday 7 Nov - Friday 11 Nov

Monday 21 Nov - Friday 25 Nov

Year 10 Camp

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Ms Emma Bergin, Year Advisor
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Important Dates

Holidays

I wish all families a happy and refreshing Winter holiday and look forward to seeing students return on Wednesday 20 July.

Yr 8 Academic Reports will be available on Redlands Pulse during the mid-year break. When discussing your child’s results with them, I would encourage you to frame the conversation in terms of a growth mindset, focusing on the skills, behaviours and thoughts that can lead to improvements in their motivation and achievement. Encourage them to focus on their own self-efficacy, or how they can improve it. Statements such as ‘I started my assessment early’, or ‘I asked for help when I didn’t understand the task’ reinforce an understanding in younger students that work habits and effort are fundamental to boosting academic progress. Parent Teacher Night will be held on 3 August (Week 3), for further feedback from your child’s academic teachers.

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To learn what is being done in the professional work place and hear from those that are currently doing the course, or working in the industry. It was great fun and I definitely think that it has had some influence on what I think of Engineering.
Congratulations to Theo Mirrlees-Black who participated in the UNSW Computer Programming Competition last Friday 17 June. This is a wonderful achievement as Theo was accompanied by much older Redlands students at this Competition.

We warmly congratulate Alex Kim who was involved in the Piano Competition last Friday in Redlands Hall. He played very well not only as a soloist but also as part of the piano ensemble (8 Hands performing on two pianos).

In Form Assembly this week, we bid farewell to Carly Hilbert and Daniel Spencer who are leaving Redlands as their families relocate overseas. The Spencer family are returning to the USA whilst the Hilberts are moving to the UK. We thank both these students for their contributions to our Year Group and wish both Carly and Daniel every success as they continue their studies in their new schools. We also would like to wish Jack Absalom all the best as he relocated overseas in recent weeks.

The following Yr 7 students participated in the Senior Music Festival:

- Piper Allen
- Thomas Andrew
- Pearl Brasler
- Carmen Brisson
- Amelia Edmonds
- Toby Griffiths
- Indiana Grace
- Josh Green
- Sophia Justice
- Thomas Hartnell
- Maddison Hunt
- Jack Malycon
- Katharine Keller
- Alex Kim
- Aidan O’Reilly
- Lucy McLaren
- Matthew Nemec
- Kira Prado
- Caroline Overs
- Rohan Prabhu
- Zachary Scott-Murphy
- Olivia Reid
- Yola Reinecke
- Lucia Talbert
- Daniel Spencer
- Chloe Stewart
- James Wells
- Alexander Verschoor
- Gianni Watson
- William Wickham
- Laurent Wong

A huge congratulations to all Yr 7 students who participated in the Senior Music Festival at The Concourse, Chatswood, last Friday night. A special thanks must also go to Mr Darren Kuilenburg and the Music Department for this wonderful celebration of music at Redlands. The essence of this year’s Festival was to represent the colourful map of music and arts through the exploration of the synergy that exists between cultures, industries and societies.

For those families travelling these holidays we wish you a safe and happy holiday, and for those families having some ‘at home time’ we do hope you have a restful and happy break.
Performing Arts

BALLET AND DANCE
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Congratulations

Congratulations to Yr 9 student Chloe Church who has received outstanding results at the Extreme Dance Competition (18, 19 June). Chloe’s results for her four solo works: 1st Place in 14/U Classical Open section, 2nd Place in the 14/U Demi Character section, 2nd Place in 14/U Lyrical Open section and 2nd Place in 14/U Contemporary Restricted.

Congratulations to Yr 9 student Jennifer Psaroulis who received outstanding results at the Extreme Dance Competition. (18, 19 June). Jennifer’s results for her five solo works: 1st Place in the 14/U Demi Character Open section, 2nd Place in 14/U Lyrical Restricted section and 2nd Place in 14/U Contemporary Open section, Highly Commended in 14/U Classical Open section, Highly Commended in 14/U Jazz Open section.

Congratulations to Yr 7 student Ross Psaroulis who received outstanding results at the Extreme Dance Competition (18, 19 June). Ross’s results for his two solo works: 1st Place in 12/U Tap section, 1st Place in 13/U Hip Hop Section.

Congratulations to Redlands Ballet students who performed two works at the prestigious Sydney Eisteddfod (18 June). Both groups danced with outstanding grace and skill in highly competitive sections. The Classical Ballet Group 14/U placed 3rd. A fantastic achievement.

Classical Ballet Group Open: Yr 8 students Ella Banfield, Poppy Krueger, Jade Patrick, Faith Oosthuizen; Yr 9 students Jasmine Chubb, Chloe Church, Anouk Daddo, Jennifer Psaroulis; Yr 10 students Hwayeon Chung, Emma Green, Eliza Henderson, Zoe Krueger, Samantha Menzel, Annabel Thompson and Asher Simkins in Yr 11.

Classical Ballet Group 14/U: Yr 7 students Nina Casey-Brown, Samuel Harrap; Yr 8 students Ella Banfield, Grace Carroll, Lara Dempsey, Faith Oosthuizen, Tadgh Robinson and Jennifer Psaroulis in Yr 9.

Congratulations to 20 Senior students who undertook Royal Academy of Ballet external exams in Week 8 of Term 2. The following students should be congratulated for the tremendous effort and focused training over 12-18 months, that has been required to sit for these exams: Yr 8 - Mary Argyropoulos, Ella Banfield, Grace Carroll, Charlie Gregan Poppy Krueger, Faith Oosthuizen, Jade Patrick, Danielle Youie and Yr 9 - Jasmine Chubb, Chloe Church, Anouk Daddo, Penelope Day, Jacob Harrap, Kai-Lin Tan and Yr 10 - Oscar Abrahams, Emma Green, Conor Hayes.

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Last Classes for Term 2
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Performing Arts

THEATRE AND DRAMA
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Musical 2017
The musical for 2017 will be announced next term. Audition applications and information will be available in Week 3 of Term 3. Students attending Winter School will have access to this information as well.

Senior Showcase
25 and 26 July at 6.30pm
Drama Studio
Parents and friends are invited to attend the graduating performances of the group devised major works of the IB Theatre and HSC Drama students on 25 and 26 July at 6.30pm in the Drama Studio.

Drama and Theatre Competition
Congratulations to all who auditioned this week. Auditions results are now available.

Holiday Workshops
Performing Arts Holiday Workshop enrolments close tomorrow. Call the Drama and Theatre office to book a final place.

Extra Subject Performing Arts Classes
Classes in Extra Subject Performing Arts resume in week one of Term 3 on Wednesday 20 July. Limited vacancies exist in some course. Enrolment applications are available on Redlands Pulse.
Secondary School

SENIOR MUSIC

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Senior Music Festival - Let’s Get Loud!

On Friday evening “Let’s Get Loud” a Synergy of Sound became a reality at The Concourse as the Music Department staged the 2016 Senior Music Festival in the visually spectacular yet intimate Concert Hall. This venue certainly provided a sense of grandeur and opulence, and was ideal for the concert setting of this year’s Festival which showcased the talents of Secondary Redlands musicians.

With 200 students and staff involved in this event, musicians from Yrs 7-12 achieved a high level of performance skills through a wide variety of performance contexts. The evening really marvelled in the world of music, and also music in the world.

School Captains and Arts Captains, as comperes for the event, were constantly making connections with the great minds of composers and artists who have shown how music plays a role in the world of Science, Mathematics and Engineering. They explored how patterns in music are able to explain the mathematical secrets of our universe.

“In this concert hall tonight, we hope you will feel the power of music, as it reverberates to your core and awakens curiosity in your minds!” – School Captains

The students’ dedication to weekly rehearsals and commitment to perfecting repertoire was clearly seen through each performance at the Festival and the Music Department is extremely proud of each and every student for their passion, enthusiasm and engagement in such a wide variety of music experiences at Redlands.

“The quality of the program just goes from strength to strength each year, and the depth of skill is really pleasing to see. A very well organised and polished production – and students really looked like they were having a terrific time.” Sarah McGarry, Deputy Principal

“The variety, depth and quality of all performances were astounding and I am well aware how huge a commitment it is to put something like that on. I thought the energy and level of engagement from the Year 12s for their ‘Let’s Get Loud’ finale was really impressive.” Hugh King, Head of Secondary School

“Congratulations on another amazing Senior Music Festival. It was a wonderful evening and excellent showcase for the dedication and talent of both students and their teachers. The finale summed up why music is so important in this world: the joy of both performers and audience were palpable.” Parent

“Once again the quality and professionalism of the event was incredible. Congratulations to all the staff, students and tutors who were involved! Your tireless efforts do not go unnoticed.” Parent

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Performing Arts

HICES Music Festival

Congratulations to the following students who have been selected for the HICES Music Camp (Yrs 7-12):

- Vocal Ensemble - Piper Allen (Yr 7), Grace Bracks (Yr 8), Carmen Brisson (Yr 7), Ashley Firth (Yr 7), Jasmine Hill (Yr 8), Maddie Hunt (Yr 7), Lucy McLaren (Yr 7), Sophia Justice (Yr 7) and Zoe Withington (Yr 9)
- Honour Choir - Alexandra Jackson (Yr 10) and Erin Pachelke (Yr 10)
- Symphony Orchestra - Emily Colvin (Yr 8) and Cara Eccleston (Yr 8)
- Symphonic Winds - Hannah Johns (Yr 10), Marvin Ma (Yr 10), Jack Malycon (Yr 7) and Tom Wightwick (Yr 8)
- Concert Band - Katharine Keller (Yr 7), Jackson Low (Yr 8), Aidan O’Reilly (Yr 7), Jack Paine (Yr 9) and Zachary Scott-Murphy (Yr 7)

For More Information

For any enquiries: email or phone 9968 9820.
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Junior Choir Week 9

Junior Choir rehearsal will take place on Friday 24 June.

Choral Celebration

Congratulations for all students who performed in a Choral sharing morning on Thursday 23 June, in presenting a wonderful selection of repertoire and practice their performance skills in readiness for the upcoming events in Semester 2. Special thanks to our Choral Conductors Mrs Susan Anderson, Mrs Hilary Luck, Ms Stephanie McInnes and Mr Michael Warby for preparing students throughout the term.

Yr 2 Strings in the Piazza

On Monday 20 June, an informal performance took place in the undercroft of the Peter Cornish Building for parents of Yr 2 students. Strings in the Piazza provided an opportunity for the students to showcase their learning this term which has involved Violins, Violas and Cellos using their bows for the first time in concert, as well as incorporating singing and playing as part of their performance. Pieces included “Sailing Home” and “Clown Dance” and were performed by the collective Yr 2 Curriculum Strings. The Advanced Strings Ensemble sang and played “Oats and Peas and Beans” coordinating the use of fingering and bowing. Particular thanks is extended to our String specialists and academic Music staff for guiding students in their Strings learning this semester.

“... My granddaughter performed in this concert and I travelled from the Blue Mountains on Monday to attend Strings in the Piazza. I want to thank everyone involved in the event as I really appreciated the opportunity to be able to connect with my granddaughter and school in such a special way. I thought the children played exceptionally well and I loved the atmosphere of the event.” Yr 2 Student’s Grandmother

Music Ensemble Rehearsals

All Junior Ensembles commence on Week 1 Term 3.

For More Information

To download forms on Cocurricular Ensembles, Extra Subjects and Private Music Tuition, please go to Redlands Pulse (Special Programs/Performing Arts/Music). For any enquiries please contact our Music Department (Junior Campus) via email or phone 9908 6495.

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As we come to the end of another term, I want to thank all the Coaches, Managers and Friends of groups for their commitment and support to the Redlands Sports program, the hours and the energy you give to the program creates a positive experience for our Redlands student athletes.  
Have a safe and relaxing holiday.

As at Term 3 2016, the Sports Department will be updating all training and game cancellations via the Redlands Sports Twitter account @RedlandsSport. Please follow us for automatic updates or the wet weather information - the link can also be found on the School website under Quick Links: Sport/Wet Weather @RedlandsSport.  
Please note: the Sports Department will no longer send update emails or text messages for training/game cancellations as at Term 3.

Every year the Redlands Sports Department dedicate one home game to hold a ‘Pink Sock Day’ in support of Breast Cancer by purchasing and playing in pink socks. This will involve all teams who have a home game at Macquarie University Sports Fields Round 8, 23 July. 150 pairs of socks have been ordered and students will receive their pink socks Thursday 21 July.

Thank you to all families and players for another fantastic term of Sport. The ISA Winter matches and Waterpolo have now finished for the term. Trainings and matches will recommence as per the Term 2 schedules on day one of Term 3. 
Congratulations to all teams for a very enjoyable and successful Winter season so far and we look forward to continuing the season next term as we count down the weeks to the Finals series.

Please note that NSNA Netball at Willoughby does play this Saturday 25 June. All players are expected to attend their match unless your absence has been approved. Unfortunately our NSNA Matches have had a difficult few weeks and faced poor weather resulting in cancellations. However our ISA teams are lucky enough to play in all weather as all matches are played indoors. Round 7, the last round of Term 2, had the Redlands Netball teams scattered around Sydney and regional schools. We had a great day at Oxley where all teams won. The intermediate teams played at St Paul’s Grammar School and a special mention must go to the Intermediate A team who played a sensational match and showed great improvements in their skills and team attitude with a close match against St Paul’s. Last time they were against St Paul’s they lost by a large margin.
The 1sts Netball played Oakhill 2. The first half was very physical and tested the mental and physical strength of our players. The second half proved no different. Redlands fought for the win and ended up finishing the game five points ahead of Oakhill. While all players deserve a mention for their outstanding teamwork and focusing on playing the match for each other, Lauren Herbert was awarded the Player of Match from her teammates. Lauren played the second half of the match as GK. Lauren’s outstanding reading of the play created many opportunities for turnovers and her intercepts were exceptional. We are looking forward to playing some big matches at the start of Round 3 with the hope to secure a spot in the Semi Finals.

On a wet morning at our Home ground at Macquarie University, it was great to see so many families out and about supporting our teams. Redlands first game of the morning was the 2nd XI vs Barker who in the past have proven to be a very hard opposition. This time they met a very strong Redlands team who from the start of the game took control of the game by defending well, passing and combining very well through the lines. It was time for the junior A team to play in wet conditions and the opposition Central Coast were there to give us a hard game. With our style of play we did enough to score on several occasions in the first half but it was not to be. Half way through the second half CCGS took the lead and we were down 1-0. Our girls had the talent and the desire to step up and produce several passing moments and on one of them we scored. At the end 1-1 was a terrific result and left both teams with a chance to become minor Premiers after the school holidays.
The 1st XI had the opportunity to upset the Champions for ISA, Barker, on Saturday and they almost did it, 0-0 at half time. It was great to see how hard our girls tried to keep the Barker girls from scoring. We applied pressure but in the second half lost control of midfield, and that created the platform for a win for Barker at the end.

As a way to give back to Breast Cancer and as a way to support our primary school friends of groups for their commitment and support to the Redlands Sports program, the hours and the energy you give to the program creates a positive experience for our Redlands student athletes.

“Pink Sock Day” Round 8 23 July

Week 9A Term 2 Thursday 23 June 2016
On a very flat surface the Junior B team played very well, I believe that the training is finally paying off. We have been concentrating on small games to improve our passing and first touch. The girls defended very well, our goalies in the first and second half were outstanding. Well done to the Junior B for finishing the term with a well-deserved 2-1 win and a valuable three points.

Congratulations girls for a top weekend and great performances.

ISA Rugby

2016 has seen a new Division 2/3 ISA Representative team play in the NSWSRU trials at Hunters Hill Grammar School. Yr 11 student Alex Shambly was Redlands sole representative for this team. Alex produced a standout performance on the day and received notable mentions from both the supporters and coaching staff, outstanding Alex! Redlands is proud of you Alex, you are leading the way for Redlands Rugby.

Waterpolo

Congratulations to the Open B team who played against Pittwater 10. It was a hard fought match against some very tough opposition and the Redlands team demonstrated how far they have come this season. Unfortunately the end result was a Redlands loss six goals to one however the team should be very proud of their efforts and how far they progressed this season.

The Intermediate Boys had a great round of competition on Monday evening. The Intermediate A team played against St Luke’s in a strong match and the Intermediate B team played a fantastic match against SACS B where they scored five goals to SACS nil.

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Friends of Snowsports invite all Redlands parents in the snow to the Redlands Cup parents function at the Alpine Hotel Lounge at 6pm Monday 11 July. Don’t forget to improve race performance and times: Race suits are available to buy or hire from the Friends of Snowsports.

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General Message
My sincere thanks are extended to all in our community who have contributed to what has been another semester of purposeful learning and growth in the Junior School. The busyness of Redlands never lessens our focus on the very important personal connections between teachers and students, teachers and teachers and parents that help build the foundational relationships that underpin the very best schools.

I hope that the holiday break is one that allows us all to rest, relax, reflect and recharge ahead of next term. In many ways, this rest time is just as important as the time we are in school as it then allows us to thrive when we are here.

One of the things that I have tried to build in to my own annual leave is time without technology and quality time with my own family and friends. It is astounding to think that there is now an expression for doing just this: a ‘digital detox’, which may be harder for some than others. As parents, the holiday break may be a useful opportunity to give your children some device-free time and hopefully disconnecting in one sense can help reconnections in another.

The teachers and I are just finalising the reports for each student and these will be uploaded to the parent portal (Redlands Pulse/Student Details) when they are ready for accessing which we are envisaging will be at the end of the first week of the holiday break. Other than our new families in 2016, parents will notice a revamping of our academic reports in response to our detailed review of our reporting process over the last 18 months which has seen parent feedback, teacher review and analysis of high-quality reporting from schools around the world.

There is a lot that will seem familiar as the feedback from our parents was largely very positive about our reporting structure but we have also tried to provide greater depth of information on student achievement growth and potential next steps for students moving into Semester 2.

Early in Term 3, there are ‘Three Way Conferences’ which also provide an opportunity for students, parents and teachers to plan and establish growth opportunities for Semester 2. Near the start of Term 3, there will be an opportunity for parents to provide further feedback on these new reports.

When ready, an SMS and email will be sent to families as an alert to the accessibility of reports for parents and students.

Congratulations to our Redlands Chess team who took part in the inaugural HICES Chess Competition this week, held at Penrith Anglican College. There were many schools involved including All Saints College from Bathurst, Kinross Wolaroi from Orange, Blue Mountains Grammar, Georges River Grammar and St Luke’s Grammar. Our students were again wonderful ambassadors of our School and participated with great skill and fair play. Overall, the team came a very creditable 5th place and my thanks are also extended to Mrs Wiebe who accompanied them.

A first message about this year’s Junior Music Festival which every single Junior School child will be part of in Week 2 of Term 3. Discovery…A Joumey Through Music will tie in musical connections to Units of Inquiry that students have been studying in class. Parents should have received a letter of information from the Music Department this week outlining key information at this point. As in previous years, I am sure this will prove to be one of the highlights of our calendar of events. Tickets are released at 9am on Wednesday 20 July and each family is able to book two free tickets maximum which will allow all families access to tickets for the show.

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Best wishes to our many students, families and teachers who will be part of the annual Redlands Cup event over the holiday period. The growth of the Snowsports program at Redlands has been significant in recent years with students from Kindergarten through to Yr 12 competing with great support from teachers and our many, many parent helpers. We look forward to sharing their achievements at the start of next term.

Please be reminded of the term dates for Terms 3 and 4 below:

- **Term 3**: Wednesday 20 July - Friday 23 September
- **Term 4**: Monday 10 October - Wednesday 7 December

Have a wonderful break and we look forward to welcoming the students back on Wednesday 20 July.
JUNIOR MUSIC FESTIVAL
Thursday 28 July 2015 • 4.30 pm
Robert Dunnet Hall
Tickets: Free (limited two per family)
www.trybooking.com/199072
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**NSWCIS Cross Country**

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**Paul Kelly Cup**

Sadly our Rugby matches were rained out last weekend and whilst the boys are itching for more match time, the holiday break means it is not until the first Saturday back in Term 3. The three final round matches are 23 July, 30 July and 6 August. The draw is available on Redlands Pulse.

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**IPSHA Rugby**

Having three teams competing in the Sydney Harbour region finals of the Paul Kelly Cup is a first for Redlands and last Thursday our two girls teams and our boys team did us proud against the best AFL playing schools across the whole Sydney Harbour basin. The boys were unlucky to meet up with eventual winners in their first match and went down to Newington by three goals. Despite bouncing back in their next two matches, they were unable to make the Semis. Our Girls 1 team won all three of their pool matches, collecting momentum along the way. Facing off against a very tough South Coogee, our girls raced to a lead through some inspired play from Hayden Halscheid, Taylor Riddle and Brianna Irvine. We were able to maintain that lead in a tight scramble in the second half and take the game. The final was played against a very well disciplined Forestville team, who had the schoolgirl equivalent of Buddy Franklin playing at Centre Half Forward. At almost 6ft and able to kick 30 metre goals with both feet, our girls tried valiantly but were unable to keep her contained and went down by three goals.

The girls team was exceptional, picking up the skills and game sense quickly, gelling as a team and playing a tough, physical brand of Football and playing with great spirit and sportsmanship. It was Redlands highest ever finish in the Paul Kelly Cup, just one game away from playing on the SCG! Our Cup final team was Kendall Anderson, Lara Cody, Zali Currie, Helena Dracakis, Aurora Golowenko, Ashani Gupta, Hayden Halscheid, Brianna Irvine, Isabella Jelley, Mia Kloster Jones, Zoe Naimsith, Audra Olsen and Taylor Riddle.

**IPSHA Football**

The term’s Football fixtures rounded out with some great fun in the wet weather. Muddy pitches always bring a smile to the players faces and there were some comedic moments at Macquarie with the puddles and mud patches playing an important part in defending both team’s goals. The 11A team played out a very entertaining 1-1 draw with a strong Trinity team. This is a rematch I’d like to see on a dry clear pitch. The 11B team broke through for their first win of the season – a great result against a Trinity program which takes its Football very seriously. Jamison (pictured) scored a decisive goal to seal it. Our 11C team finished the day beautifully putting together some nice sections of play and some great finishing saw them finish on top.

Reports from our matches at Barker and Kincoppal were of very wet pitches and smiling kids. Yr 3 United and City won one and lost one match in very tight contests. It’s fairly rare that we are able to play in wet conditions and the kids had an absolute blast.

Our season rounds out with three matches in the first three weeks of Term 3.

**IPSHA Hockey**

Our short Hockey season always leaves our players wanting more and having had the last two matches washed out has certainly left our girls feeling like they want more Hockey. With so many young players on our team this year we certainly look to have the makings of some very talented Hockey teams in the future.

**AFL**

Last Saturday’s AFL match was also rained out, leaving our AFL team with just three matches remaining in the first three weeks of next term.

**Netball**

Friday night fixtures are ON and are Round 10 on the NSNA draw.

Redlands 7 – Saturday morning match is Round 10 as per the NSNA draw. There is no Net Set Go at Crabbies Avenue Willoughby this Saturday.

Draw available on Redlands Pulse

Netball information on Redlands Pulse
WINTER BEFORE SCHOOL TRAINING SCHEDULE

Given the very early nature of our before school training sessions, coupled with the shortage of indoor training areas, if you are planning to attend a session scheduled for outdoor venues, please be mindful that these sessions may be forced to be cancelled in wet weather or after heavy overnight rain. We can’t necessarily get this message out in time! SO please use your own discretion and common sense to guide your decision to drop students off at training in wet weather.

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LAST Chance: 2016 Family Ski/Snowboard Week at High Country Campus

Week 1: Monday 27 June - Friday 1 July
Week 2: Saturday 2 July - Wednesday 6 July
Places limited. Contact: Simon Colyer
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Thank you!

Wow! Who can believe we are halfway through 2016?! What a fabulous two terms of fun and learning we have had in the Preschool. For those of you interested in collecting treasure for the Preschool over the holidays, please see the flyer attached.

The staff highly value and greatly appreciate your ongoing support and contributions to our Preschool program. I encourage you to continue to provide us with your feedback regarding day-to-day Preschool life, events or activities. It is this feedback that contributes to our Quality Improvement Plan and helps us to navigate through change when necessary. My email contact is kcleary@redlands.nsw.edu.au or please feel free to pop in for a chat at any time.

The Redlands House Cremorne Staff wish all of you a relaxing and joyous holiday break and we look forward to seeing you all next term.

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REDLANDS HOUSE NORTH HARBOUR

Garden

This term, the children have enjoyed the opportunity to work together in transforming our Community Garden. They have been busy preparing the soil and planting and caring for our herbs and vegetables.

We would like to take this opportunity to invite all green thumbs to join us as we continue to nurture and develop this project throughout Term 3.

The ideal time to join us would be on Monday, Tuesday or Thursday afternoons from 3.15pm. Parents are asked to bring gloves. If you have any cuttings from your garden you would like to share, we would be very appreciative.

As you will be volunteering your time you would be required to have a Working with Children Check. If you have any questions about our project, please contact Miss Pyky.

We look forward to sharing our harvest with our families.

Holidays

We wish all our families a happy and safe holiday break. We look forward to hearing about all the children’s holiday adventures next term.

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