From the Admin Team – Stephen McGoldrick, Louise Simms, Callie Sparling

SCHOOL PHOTOS – WEDNESDAY, 1 MARCH 2017

- Envelopes have been handed out to students today. Please ask you child if you have not received one.
  - If you are ordering and paying online, please do not fill in an envelope
  - Credit card details **cannot be written on envelope**


**Group and portrait photographs can be purchased:**

*Online* following the link above “click here”

- School photos purchased online **DO NOT** require envelopes to be returned to school
- Credit card payments can only be made online – credit card details cannot be written on the envelope
- Online Orders due by day of photography

**Envelope Order**

- Envelopes with payment **MUST BE** handed to the Photographer on photo day - next Wednesday. **DO NOT** bring envelope to school beforehand.
- Credit card payments can only be made online – **credit card details cannot be written on the envelope**

**Sibling/Family Photographs**

- These envelopes are available upon request at the Office and should be returned with payment on the day of photography
- A photograph will not be taken without an order
- Sibling photographs only apply to children enrolled at the school
- **Online Sibling/Family Orders using the above Online Code MUST BE ORDERED** by 11.59pm on Tuesday 28 February
- Free sibling photos **MUST BE ORDERED** through the online ordering system

**Important Information:**

- **Late fees/additional charges will be applied for purchases after photo day**
- Photos will be returned to your school for distribution approximately six weeks after photos are taken
- Past years’ photographs including sports, co-curricular and representative groups available at school’s advancedlife & your advancedyou photo sites following the link above
- advancedlife would like to express our appreciation to SCARBOROUGH STATE SCHOOL for placing your trust in us
- Please remember we offer a 100% money back guarantee on our products to ensure your peace of mind
- We would also love to receive your feedback or resolve any issues you may experience as fast as possible, to ensure your satisfaction

If you have any questions, comments or feedback relating to your advancedlife experience please contact us at enquiries@advancedlife.com.au

**SWIMMING**
Due to Ms McQueen being away, there will be no before school swimming this Wednesday or Friday.

**NOTABLE STUDENTS**
We are putting a call out to our community to let us know of ex Scarborough State School students who have gone on to ‘bigger and better things’. We plan to create a ‘notable students’ section in our boardwalk area. So far our list comprises (in no particular order):

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<th>Graham Higham</th>
<th>Don Argus</th>
<th>Paul Narracott</th>
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<td>Rosemary Brown</td>
<td>Glen Patching</td>
<td>Helen Edwards</td>
<td>Graham Reid</td>
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<td>Julie Pugh</td>
<td>Rod Pampling</td>
<td>Robert Crudington</td>
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<td>Ian Somers</td>
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If you have a suggestion of names to be added to the list, you are invited to email your nomination (including as much detail as possible) to admin@eq.edu.au
OFFICE AND SUPPORT STAFF – PART 2
To form the email address, add @eq.edu.au

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<td>Angela Devlin</td>
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<td>Chaplain</td>
<td>Stuart Tidswell</td>
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Office Housekeeping – Linda, Jo & Angela

STUDENT RESOURCE SCHEME
Payments were due within the first 2 weeks of school commencing. This included full payment or Term 1 instalment. It would be appreciated if these payments could be finalised now.

Music SRS payment due date was last Friday 17 February. If full payment or instalment is not received in your child may be withdrawn from participating in the Music Program until such time a payment has been made.

If for any reason financial hardship is an issue, please contact the office to discuss the matter so a payment plan can be organised. If this contact is not made, then it will be presumed that payment should have been made.

BIRTH CERTIFICATES
If you have provided the school with a Receipt for purchasing a Birth Certificate, this is a reminder that the Birth Certificate must be brought into school for sighting by Office staff.

STUDENT ABSENCES
For legal reasons, if a child is absent with explanation from school one day, we cannot presume that he/she is absent the next day with the same explanation.

Contact is to be made daily unless you know your child will be absent between certain dates.

Parents/carers should communicate absences via their preferred method (Skoolbag, QParents, Absence phone line etc.)

EMAILED FINANCE PAPERWORK
At times, some parents/carers will receive paperwork via email. Please be aware of the following:

If your child/children at this school have a sibling at either Redcliffe High or Clontarf Beach High, some paperwork (including invoices/adjustment notes) will be emailed to you.

Emailing is something that the High Schools have put in place and is out of our control. Because children are linked as residential siblings through the Queensland Education System - when the High School changes certain details, it automatically updates all siblings, hence reason why you receive these documents by email from Scarborough SS.
Below is an explanation, if for any reason you receive one of the following documents. If you have any questions, please call the office on 3480 3333:

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<th><strong>Tax Invoice:</strong></th>
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<td>Shows amount/s of:</td>
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<td>- balance owing for an invoice you have partially paid or made instalments</td>
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<td>- a credit e.g. -$3.00 which is for your info and does not require payment. A credit can be for an excursion that has been cancelled or Centrepay payments which are pending to be allocated to the next available invoice</td>
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<td><strong>Adjustment Note:</strong></td>
<td>Indicates that an invoice for your child has been cancelled. This may be because he/she did not attend an excursion or in-school activity. It is not an Invoice to be paid.</td>
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**DEBTOR STATEMENTS**
Term 1 Debtor Statements, showing all unpaid invoices and part paid invoices owing for your student were given to students last week. It would be appreciated if you could make relevant payments as soon as possible.

For those parents/carers using Centrepay and Instalment options, this Statement is a copy for you record of what has already been paid.

A “-“ sign in front of a number e.g. -$7.00 means you have a Credit. It is not what you have to pay.

If you have received a Debtor Statement and you have already paid, this could just be a time lapse between printing the Statements and processing your payment. If you have concerns, please contact the Office.

**CHILDHOOD CONDITIONS - SCHOOL SORES (IMPETIGO)**
There has been a recent case of school sores (Impetigo) at the school. Please refer to the following Queensland Health link for information regarding exclusion times for common childhood conditions.


If you have any concerns regarding your child’s health, please contact your family doctor or 13 HEALTH (13 43 25 84) for advice 24/7 for the cost of a local call.

**LUNCHBOXES**
There is a recurring problem with crows stealing lunches. Reasons for this being that some students:

- do not have a lunchbox
- are leaving wrapped lunches on seats
- are leaving lunchboxes open

We would like to alleviate this problem by all students having lunchboxes. We would appreciate parents discuss with their children, this ongoing issue that they not leave food out and ensure they close their lunchboxes securely. We have considered this for health reasons.
PB4L News
This week Larry says our PB4L focus is **BE RESPECTFUL:**

We respond appropriately when given directions and corrections

*This means that:*
- We use whole body listening when being spoken to
- We follow all directions quickly, quietly and courteously
- We do as we asked the first time and without complaint
- We remain in our area
- We wait patiently and quietly in line
- We accept all teacher/umpire decisions

A BIG THANK YOU
to Mr Robert Brunker for donating to our school, games and DVDs. The year fours and fives are having a wonderful time playing with the games at first break every day
First Break

* YEAR 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 & 6 - Reading & Activities in the LaRC

* YEAR 2, 3, 4, 5 & 6 - Reading Club - Literacy Pro Quizzes in LaRC Computer Labs

* YEAR 4 & 5 - Colouring In & Board Games near 4A/5A classrooms

Second Break

* YEAR 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 & 6 - Reading & Activities in the LaRC

* YEAR 2, 3, 4, 5 & 6 - Reading Club - Literacy Pro Quizzes in LaRC Computer Labs (Mondays, Wednesdays & Fridays)

* YEAR 2, 3, 4, 5 & 6 - Writing Club (Tuesdays & Thursdays)

Before School:

Homework Club in LaRC Wed & Fri

Sport Training
Swimming – M/W/F
Cross Country – Tues/Thurs
(see Miss McQueen)
From the Chaplain — Stuart Tidswell

Wow, we’re half way through the first term….only 5 weeks until the Easter camping season starts! Whether you’re into sports (Super Sports Day camp), all boys camps (GENTS Ignition) ropes, archery and canoeing (Mapleton Easter Adventure camp) or up at Bribie Island for the holidays (Transform), then this camping season has it all for you!

Please note that these camps are for children in Years 5 & 6 and are run by SU Qld with trained volunteers (and not a few chappies…). There is a Christian-faith learning component to these camps that normally takes the shape of a talk, then a small group discussion.

For more information, please use the link below or talk with Chappy Stu. http://sucamps.org.au/?season=autumn

Tuckshop — Nadine Patchett (Convenor)

PROCESS FOR ORDERING FROM THE TUCKSHOP

- Placing Orders:
  - Write on a paper bag, your child’s Name / Class / Break 1 or 2 / food item/s required
  - Online order by 9am at flexischools.com.au

- Children place their paper bag order in the Class tuckshop crate in the classroom. Tuckshop monitors then deliver the crate to the Tuckshop.

- Your child’s lunch will be prepared, placed in the Class tuckshop crate and is then collected by the tuckshop monitors and delivered back to the classroom
Welcome!

Hello and welcome to our first Radcliffe High School Junior Secondary Newsletter for 2017.

My name is Lauren Martin-Gaskell and I am the Acting Head of Department for Junior Secondary and Japanese. I have been a teacher here at Remarkable Redcliffe High for over two years now, having moved from Scarborough State School when the Year 7 cohort arrived at High School. My role encompasses the Year 7, 8 and 9 students and I also teach Year 7 Mathematics.

The last few weeks have been busy, with our 250 Year 7 students settling into high school life and our Year 8 and 9 negotiating their new subjects, teachers and year levels. We managed to find the time to get a few photographs of our new students looking fresh and excited to start the new year.

We are very excited to be starting 2017 with such a fantastic cohort of junior Secondary students and we look forward to working with you and your students in the future.

Regards

Lauren Martin-Gaskell
Head of Department—Junior Secondary/Japanese
FORT LYTTON NATIONAL PARK

Autumn holiday program

Holding the Fort!

April: 4, 5, 6, 11, 12 & 13.

WHAT A FANTASTIC 2017 PROGRAM!

Hands on activities using drama to engage children in real learning and great fun!

“So different to any other experience out there for children. I can't recommend it highly enough.”

Kate Farrer, parent.

Bookings are essential!

Time: 10 am – 12:30 pm
Cost: $8.75 per child. No charge for supervising adults.
Location: Fort Lytton National Park, South Street, Lytton.

To book, or for further information, contact:
Fort Lytton National Park.
Ph: (07) 3393 4647

This program is run by the Queensland Parks and Wildlife Service with support of the Caltex Lytton Refinery.