



"WE ACKNOWLEDGE THE TRADITIONAL CUSTODIANS OF THIS LAND, THE DARUMBAL PEOPLE AND PAY OUR RESPECTS TO ELDERS, PAST, PRESENT AND FUTURE"



*P&C Meetings held the 4th Monday of each month at 5.00pm in the main Administration office.*

# *from the Principal*

Principal: Judi Newman



## PRINCIPAL'S NEWS

The tone of the classroom is very important because students need certain conditions to enable learning. At North Rockhampton High we have common classroom routines so that students can settle into learning quickly. We have a mantra: "No one has the right to interrupt the learning of others".

Students who continually disrupt teaching or learning will be sent to another classroom to do their work. The student is always offered the choice and opportunity to get on with their learning first.

Please talk to your son or daughter about having their diary on the desk every lesson. Please ask your son or daughter to show you their bookwork and help us at school to make sure it is neat, tidy and ordered. The students have been asked to write the learning intent (what they are learning that lesson) at the top of their notes for that day.

The following is a reminder to students about our Core Rules. Thank you so much for working with us to offer the best learning environment we can for optimum learning.

- H**ands off policy
- N**o on-line defamation
- K**eept the school clean
- B**e on time to all classes
- 10** Minute rule (end of day)
- F**ollow teacher direction
- P**hones off and out of sight
- C**omplete all assessment
- W**ear full school uniform
- N**eat and tidy bookwork
- N**o swearing
- D**iaries out in every lesson
- N**o illegal activity
- H**ands off the property of others
- N**on-compliance may lead to withdrawal of extra-curricular privileges

### **Opportunities for all students 8-12**

Students at North Rocky High can earn HAWKS leadership points to gain a series of HAWKS badges. As teachers 'catch' students doing good things, they can sign the back of the students' diary to reward them with HAWKS points. Some students have already earned their gold badge.

- 10 points White badge
- 20 points Maroon badge
- 30 points Black badge
- 40 points Silver badge
- 50 points Gold badge



Judi Newman - Principal

### Dates for 2014 School Immunisation Clinics

Round 2 13/5/14	<b>Yr 8 Boys &amp; Girls</b>
	- HPV (2 <sup>nd</sup> dose)
	- Chickenpox
	<b>Yr 10 Boys</b>
	- HPV (2 <sup>nd</sup> dose)
	Plus catch up students
Round 3 16/9/14	<b>Yr 8 Boys &amp; Girls</b>
	- HPV (3 <sup>rd</sup> Dose)
	<b>Yr 10 Boys</b>
	- HPV (3 <sup>rd</sup> dose)
	Plus catch up students



### Academic Reporting Process

#### Have you supplied the school with your email address?

North Rockhampton High School is adopting the process of emailing report cards. Previously we have emailed and provided hardcopies of reports to parents and students. The End of Semester 1 reports will be mailed and emailed home at the beginning of Term 3, however, this will be the last issue of hardcopy reports. Further reports issued will be through email only. For those who do not have email access, hardcopies will be made available.

To ensure that this process is successful it is essential that our communication records are correct.

If there has been any change to your students details please contact the school on 49 247 888.

### DATE CLAIMERS

#### Term 2

Tues13 – 15 May	NAPLAN testing week - Year 9
Tues 13 May	Vaccinations Yr 8 Girls/Boys & Yr 10 Boys
Fri 23 May	Red Food Day/Free Dress for Chaplancy
Mon 26 May	P&C Meeting 5-7pm Admin Bldg
Fri 6 June	Show Day - Public Holiday
Mon 9 June	Queens Birthday Public Holiday
16-20 June	Yr 11/12 Exam Block
Mon 23 June	P&C Meeting 5-7pm Admin Bldg
26-27 June	Athletics Carnival-Red Food Day
Fri 27 June	Last Day Term 2

#### Term 3

Mon 14 July	Term 3 commences
Fri 18 July	Reports Issued
19-21 July	Music Camp
Wed 23 July	Subject Selection Evening Yrs 9 & 10
Mon 28 July	P&C Meeting 5-7pm Admin Bldg
Wed 30 July	Parent Teacher Interviews
11-22 Aug	Yr 10 Work Experience
12-15 Aug	Musical Production
Mon 25 Aug	P&C Meeting 5-7pm Admin Bldg
2-3 Sept	QCS Test – Year 12
8-12 Sept	Yr 12 Exam Block
Thurs 18 Sept	Yr 12 Big Day Out
Fri 19 Sept	Last Day Term 3

#### Term 4

Tues 7 Oct	Term 4 commences
Mon 20 Oct	Pupil Free Day
22-24 Oct	Yr 11 Leadership Camp
Mon 27 Oct	P&C Meeting 5-7pm/Volunteers Night
10-14 Nov	Yr 12 Exam Block
19-21 Nov	Yr 11 Exam Block
Mon 24 Nov	P&C Meeting 5-7pm Admin Bldg
26-27 Nov	Yr 11 QCS Practice Test
Fri 28 Nov	Last Day Yr 10 & 11
Tues 2 Dec	Year 8 Transition Day
Thurs 4 Dec	Year 7 Transition Day
Fri 12 Dec	Last Day of School for 2014



Every school leaver will transition into training, further education or employment.

## School to Jobs Alliance CQ

S2J Update – April 2014.pdf

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 Website: <http://s2jalliance.qld.gov.au>  
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Petra Barnbaum and Georgie Daley will be travelling to the USA to attend the Pacific Honours Ensemble Program in November this year. This program is a partnership between the Queensland Conservatorium and the Western International Band Clinic, Seattle, Washington. As Australian ambassadors, the girls will join over 600 American students and work with renowned conductors and composers for 10 days of workshops, concerts and sightseeing activities. Congratulations Georgie and Petra.

We know you will have a fantastic time!



### Child Dental Benefits

The Child Dental Benefits Schedule is a new child dental benefits program. It gives eligible children access to up to \$1000 in benefits per child for dental services over two consecutive years.

Eligible families will be contacted by letter from the Australian Government.

For more information call 132 011



# Junior Secondary School

## INTRODUCING THE JUNIOR SECONDARY LEADERS

As many of our community are aware, next year we will be seeing Year 7s transition into high school. There has been a remodel of North Rockhampton High School to accommodate this restructure.

Part of the leadership journey is the introduction of Junior Secondary Leaders. Josh Barnes and Hayley Rogers were selected by their peers to represent Years 8 and 9. The roles of Hayley and Josh are:

- to conduct Junior Parades
- liaise with Year 8s and 9s to provide assistance if required
- junior representatives on the School Council
- attend Junior Secondary functions, for example Information Evening
- participate in Transition Day for Year 7 and 8s
- attend Enrichment Afternoons

Both Hayley and Josh have told me how much they are enjoying their positions within the Junior Secondary Precinct.



Lesley Race  
Year 9 Coordinator



**T**he Master and the Apprentice Café Bar and Bistro located in the Hospitality Trade Centre North Rockhampton State High School will be holding a CLASSIC HIGH TEA on Saturday the 24<sup>th</sup> May 2014 commencing at 12.00 noon – 2.00pm. Cost \$40.00 per person, Children 12 years and under \$20.00. Bookings are essential and payment can be made by contacting the school's Friendly Administration Staff on 49247888.



## FRENCH FILM FESTIVAL

French Film Festival presented by the Central Queensland Alliance Française at Birch Carroll & Coyle.

**QUAI D'ORSAY** (M) Fri 16 May, 6.15 for 7 pm start, **BELLE AND SEBASTIAN** (PG) Sat 17 May, 10 am, **IT BOY** (M) Sat 17 May, 4 pm, **THE FINISHERS** (PG) Sat 17 May, 7 pm, **CYCLING WITH MOLIÈRE** (M) Sun 18 MAY, 4 pm

Tickets: Opening night with French wine and canapés \$25, Other sessions: Adults \$15, Children \$8

All films are in French with English subtitles and are pre-release, drawn from the recent capital city French Festivals. Summaries and trailers can be viewed on the Alliance Française Website at <http://afrockhampton.com/events-calendar/film-festival/>



## ANZAC DAY

A very enthusiastic group of North Rockhampton High students, teachers and support staff attended the annual ANZAC Day march this year. Each year the number of students wanting to represent North Rocky is growing and is a reflection on the attitudes of our young people. Thank you to all those students, teachers and support staff who volunteered their time to show their mark of respect.

A pirate-themed invitation for a musical fundraiser. The background is red with a black border of rope. A large white skull with a red bandana and a white skull and crossbones on its forehead is the central focus. The text is written in a stylized, pirate-like font. The invitation is framed by a large wooden bowl and a red ribbon.

**NORTH ROCKY HIGH  
MUSICAL FUNDRAISER  
PIRATE BANQUET**

**YE BE  
INVITED TO DINE  
WITH THE CAPTAIN FOR A  
HEARTY 2 COURSE  
DINNER**

**BE ENTERTAINED BY THE TREASURE  
ISLAND CREW  
PRIZES AND TREASURE TO WIN  
FRIDAY JULY 25  
6PM**

**\$50**

**TICKETS FROM FRONT OFFICE  
49247888**