

Randwick Boys' High School

Guiding Young Men to Success

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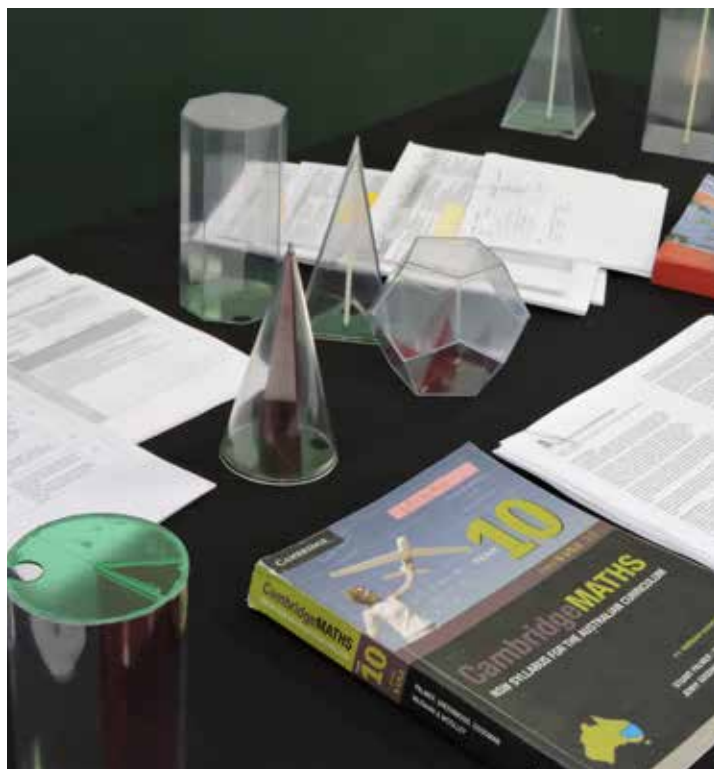
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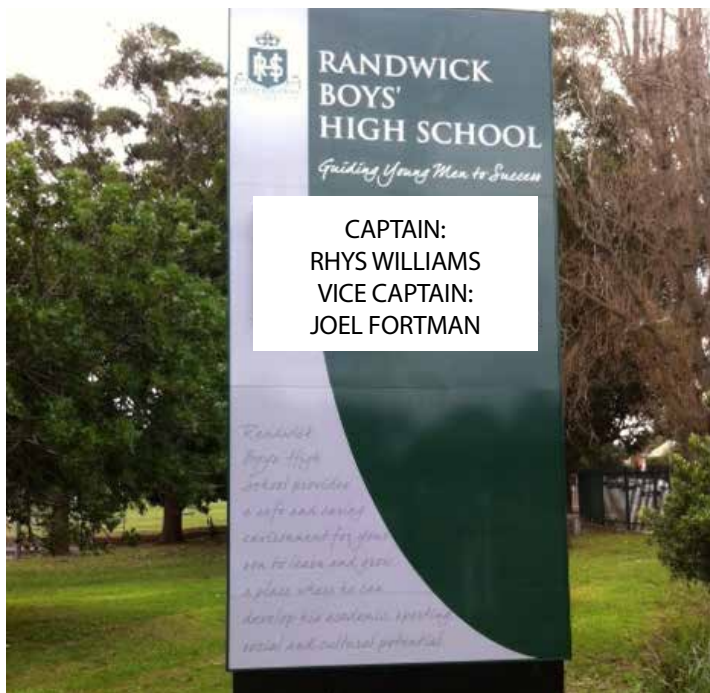
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Subject Selection Information for Year 8 and 10 students





From the Principal

Prefects, Vice-Captain and Captain for 2021, have been announced!

I am pleased to announce that our new leadership team of senior students has been decided, following speeches and votes.

We were all very impressed with the quality and number of Year 11 students who elected to run for a number of distinguished positions. The speeches outlined talents, personal qualities, past leadership positions as well as their vision if elected.

Unfortunately, we can only have 10 Prefects, a Vice Captain and one School Captain.

All students were very impressive and we would have been happy with all of them gaining an elected position.

It is my pleasure to inform the school community that the new senior leadership team will consist of the following students.

Prefects:

Jonathan Tandoc

Nelson You

Samuel Sarfati

Linus So

Kaito Nakamura

Jayden Huynh



Grigory Gerasimov

Arkansh Maheshwari

Henry Eastwood

Dilhan Koletelioglu

Vice-Captain:

Joel Fortmann



Captain:

Rhys Williams



We are also hopeful that in Term 4, our annual Leadership Investiture can take place at a formal assembly. This involves these seniors, as well as junior SRC students, being inducted and taking an oath of office. Due to Covid-19 restrictions, we cannot hold the assembly during Term 3.

Well done to the students named above. We look forward to your leadership journey for the next 12 months.

I would like to acknowledge and thank Ms Manzalji for coordinating the process.



Vaping

One emerging issue in society, especially amongst younger people, including school children, is vaping.

Under no circumstances is vaping allowed on school grounds, the same way smoking is not allowed on school grounds. Any student caught partaking in such an activity will be dealt with following the school's Welfare and Discipline Policy, in conjunction with the Department of Education's Suspension and Expulsion Policy. This is a serious social matter with serious consequences.



Subject selection process

Our modified Subject Selection Process for current Year 8 and 10 students, is taking place at present. Students have been issued a

booklet explaining the courses on offer at RBHS. They also attended a Year Meeting, where they were presented with important information to make informed decisions. They then visited subject kiosks to gather further information. Parents and Guardians were also emailed an outline of courses and this information is also on our school website. We have encouraged all Year 8 and 10 students to research and find out as much information as they can, to assist them to make informed decisions before they embark on their next phase of learning.



P/T evening – Tuesday Year 10, 11 and 12 (as well as Year 7 Languages and Visual Arts)

Our first Parent/Teacher Zoom Meeting will be held next Tuesday (25th August). This first meeting will be for all Year 10, 11 and 12 students in all subjects. We have also included Year 7 Languages and Visual Arts.

In these unusual times, this is the best way to discuss your son's progress, attainment and commitment to his learning. We do understand that this is not ideal; however, our traditional face-to-face meetings cannot take place due to Covid-19.

Thank you for your patience and understanding.



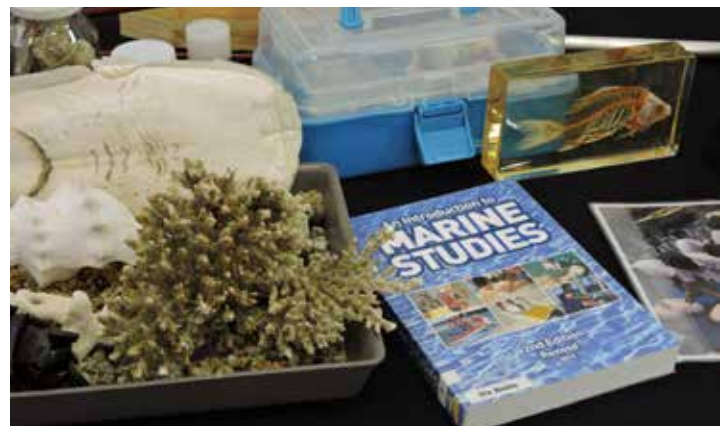
Lance Raskall
Principal

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COMING EVENTS FOR TERM 3

Week 6	Week B /Events
Monday 24 August	Homework Centre, Library, 3:30 - 5pm - CANCELLED
Tuesday 25 August	Parent/Teacher Zoom Meeting: Years 10, 11 and 12 & Year 7 Languages and Visual Arts, 3:30-6pm
Thursday 27 August	Homework Centre, Library, 3:30 - 5pm - CANCELLED

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P&C NEWS



Randwick Boys' High School P&C is a group of parents, carers, staff & community members who work together to provide opportunities for all students at RBHS. We meet on the third Tuesday of the month during school term at 7pm in the Staff Common Room on Level 1 of the Admin building. All welcome!



Coming Up.....

P&C Meetings

15 Sep
20 Oct
17 Nov



2020 Office Bearers

President: Birgit Schickinger
Vice President: Michelle Bradley
Vice President: Jason Bates
Secretary: Suzy Forrester
Treasurer: Leanne Bergan

Connect with us...



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Randwick Boys High School P&C

AGM - 2020 Office Bearers & Committee

Thank you to all who were able to attend the AGM on Tuesday via Zoom. We are pleased to announce the 2020 Committee for the term to March 2021:

President: Birgit Schickinger
Vice President: Michelle Bradley
Vice President: Jason Bates
Secretary: Suzy Forrester
Treasurer: Leanne Bergan



Fundraising Lead: Philip Booth
Garden Rejuvenation: Philip Booth
and Dacre England

Next P&C Meeting

The next P&C meeting is Tuesday
15th September via Zoom.



It seems that virtual meetings are here to stay (for the medium term) so we are excited to announce that we will have our own P&C Zoom account thanks to a great rate negotiated by the P&C Federation! This will give us a more simple log-in interface and greater flexibility.

#2020HSC

NESA has partnered with Reach Out to provide some great wellbeing tips for Year 12 HSC Students, including study hubs and forums.

**To all of our Year 12 students -
YOU'VE GOT THIS!**

#StayHealthyHSC
#2020HSC





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13 August 2020

Dear Parents,

RE: 2020 ICAS ASSESSMENTS AT RANDWICK BOYS' HIGH SCHOOL

Please be advised of the ICAS Assessment dates shown below:

SUBJECT	ASSESSMENT DATE	Period
Science	Wednesday 19 August	Period 1 & 2
English	Tuesday 25 August	Period 3 & 4
Digital Technologies	Wednesday 26 August	Period 1 & 2
Spelling Bee (YR 7 only)	Tuesday 1 September	Period 3 & 4
Mathematics	Wednesday 2 September	Period 1 & 2

The ICAS Assessment will be completed online on the scheduled day in a computer room. Please ensure your son brings his headset and/or earphones on the day.

Should you have any queries or concerns, please contact me at the school on 9399 3122.

Yours sincerely,

Amal Alaouie
ICAS Co-ordinator 2020



2020 Parent/Teacher Zoom Meeting

Years 10, 11 and 12
& Year 7 Languages and Year 7 Visual Arts
 Tuesday 25th August
 3:30 – 6pm

**Sentral Bookings for Years 10, 11, 12 & Year 7 Languages & Visual Arts
 CLOSE at 3:30pm on Monday 24th August.**

Years 7, 8 and 9
 Tuesday 8th September
 3:30 – 6pm

**Due to COVID-19 restrictions, we will be conducting our Parent/Teacher
 Evenings via Zoom Meetings.**

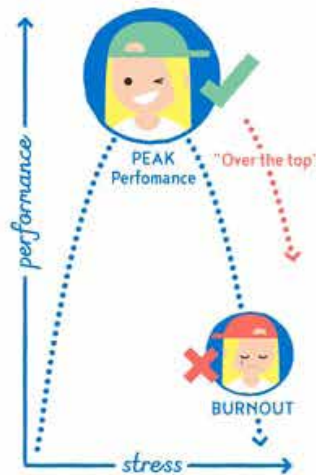
- Parents are required to book a meeting time with their son's teacher online via the Sentral Student/Parent Portal.
- Booking times are limited to 5 minutes and will operate between 3:30pm – 6pm.
- Parents will need the names of their son's classroom teachers.
- Parent/Teacher Meetings will be conducted via the Zoom video conferencing service.
- An information Pack will be emailed to parents of:
 - Years 7, 8 and 9 on Friday 21st August.
 - Years 10, 11, 12 & Year 7 Languages & Year 7 Visual Arts was sent Friday 7th August.
- The information package will provide details and instructions on:
 - how to book a meeting through the Sentral Student/Parent Portal
 - how to create a Zoom Account
 - how to join a Zoom Meeting.
- Please be aware that each meeting is 5 minutes in length.
- Staff will do their best to adhere to the 5 minute time allocations.
- Please note: each scheduled meeting is private and no other staff or parent has access to the Zoom meeting.

5 STEPS to STUDY SUCCESS

We've done the homework on studying so you don't have to. These are your scientifically proven steps to study success.

1 NOT ALL STRESS IS BAD

While it's often given a bad rap, the right amount of stress can actually motivate you to get stuff done. The key thing is to recognise when stress has tipped over from being a motivating force to an overwhelming emotion.



2 20-MINUTE STUDY RULE

No one can study for six hours straight and be effective. Break up your time into twenty-minute chunks for the most effective use of your brain.



3 SAY IT OUT LOUD

The best way to really remember and learn is to talk about what you're learning out loud, without using any notes.

4 BREAKS = GOOD, CONSTANT DISTRACTION = BAD

Taking planned and timed breaks will help you remain on task, but checking your social every 5 minutes is a sure-fire study fail. Research shows that it can take up to twenty minutes to refocus on your task once you've been distracted.



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5 SLEEP IS YOUR FRIEND

If you get a good night's sleep before your exam, you are scientifically proven to retain more of what you studied the day before than if you stay up crazy late.



UNIFORM REMINDER

Randwick Boys' High School students take pride in their school and sports uniforms. It is essential that you wear your uniform correctly at all times, or you will face sanctions.

If you must come to school out of uniform for any reason, you must bring a note from your parent or caregiver outlining the reason, with a date and signed by your parent.

The correct school uniform is:

- White button shirt – short-sleeve or long-sleeve (with logo)
- Grey shorts or long grey trousers
- Green fleecy jacket (with logo)
- Green wool jumper (with logo)
- Green vest (with logo)
- White socks
- Black leather lace-up school shoes
- School blazer (optional)
- School tie (optional)

Correct school shoes:



Incorrect school shoes:



All items are available at LOWES Eastgardens (except for school shoes).

School ties are available from the Front Office at the price of \$16.

The correct sports uniform is:

- Green/white sports polo shirt (with logo)
- Sports shorts (with logo)
- Sports jacket (with logo)
- Green track pants (with logo)
- Rugby/soccer socks (if necessary)
- Sports shoes

All items are available at LOWES Eastgardens (except for sports shoes).

Remember to clearly label uniform with your name.