



18th May, 2019

Red Hill Consolidated School



SCHOOL VISION

Through the Contemporary Learning Experience framework we will provide a rich learning environment that is student centred, technology enriched, question driven, skills based and contextually relevant. We will promote creativity and provide every opportunity for students to develop the essential skills to be active participants in a global community.



Tuesday, 23 July

Southern Peninsula Div. Girls Football

Wednesday, 24 July

Southern Peninsula Div. Boys Netball

Monday, 5 August

Lions Club Public Speaking Comp.

Wednesday, 7 August

Whole school Opera Incursion

Monday 26 –Thursday 29 August

Book Week/Book Fair

Friday, 30 August

Navy Band Visit

Thursday, 5 September

Student Led Conferences

School Council Meeting

Tuesday, 20 August

Education—6.30pm

School Council 7pm in Staffroom

Tuesday, 17 September

Education—6.30pm

School Council—7pm in Staffroom

Term Dates

Term 3

July 16 to September 20

2.30pm finish—last day of term school

Term 4

October 7 to December 20

Dear families and friends,

Welcome back to Term 3 at Red Hill Consolidated School. I hope you enjoyed having your little ones at home over the break and they are rested and ready to go for another amazing term.

A lot of things have happened at school over the holiday break. The prep classrooms were recarpeted and now look much fresher and brighter. Our playgrounds have had a top up of soft fall mulch and our pool heaters were replaced, ready to warm up our pool for the Term 4 swimming program.



I would like to sincerely thank Jeff Green, Nicole and Brian Sowden and Andrew Sides for their time and hard work over the holidays. Not only did they over see the installation of our new heaters, but they also replaced roof sheets, wall panels, mowed, whipper snipped and cleaned up our pool complex. This space is looking great and the team has more works planned for the future.

I would also like to acknowledge the generosity of Rheem, who provided the Raypak heaters at a discounted price to the school. We are very fortunate to have a swimming pool and wonderful swimming program here at Red Hill Consolidated School for our students.

We also moved into our new Grade 5 and 6 learning spaces over the holidays. Our students moved in Tuesday and spent their first day in these spaces. I popped in to see how they were enjoying their classrooms and it was smiles all round. I would like to congratulate these students on the resilience they have shown throughout this project. I will include some pictures in the full newsletter next week.



A familiar face dropped in on Tuesday to say hello with her beautiful new baby, Stephanie. Rhiannon said hello to everyone and wanted you to all know that both baby and mum are doing well.

Bus Schedules

A reminder for all bus travellers to adjust their permanent schedule if their travel arrangements have changed. It is critical that we have an accurate record.

Pick up & Drop Off

Can I also ask that parents ensure they are patient and take care during pick ups and drop offs. We understand that parking is a challenge at Red Hill Consolidated School, but we do also ask that you abide by all parking signs and drive slowly during these times. We also request that you do not drive or walk through the staff car park. This is a particularly dangerous area both in the mornings and afternoons given our buses are coming and going. Thank you for your cooperation.

Parent Opinion Survey

Next week, a randomly selected group of our families will receive an invitation to complete an online Parent Opinion Survey. This is one of three surveys used by the Department to evaluate the effectiveness of schools and their approaches. Historically, we have had very low completion rates of this survey. If you are selected to take part, please take the time to submit your feedback.

Stay warm and well.

Be kind, be grateful and be mindful! - Gus Wettenhall

Join the Red Hill CFA Team



Protecting our community

The Red Hill Brigade responds to over 100 calls a year protecting our community. Our brigade is the first responder when assistance is needed. You can be part of this first response team, helping save lives and property in our local community.

Paying it Forward

We are looking for men & women who are ready to join the Red Hill Brigade and make a difference. Our members come for all walks of life. They have diverse backgrounds, interests and skills, but share a sense of commitment to us all safe.

Skills and Experience

You don't need to have experience to join the brigade. We will provide you with the skills you need depending on the role you choose. You will not only provide assistance in our community you will gain new skills, knowledge and experiences, in a team environment.

Time Commitment

Your level of commitment will depend on your personal availability. Commitment our brigade simply requires the time and skill that you can afford to give.

Find out more

Call in to the Red Hill station on any Sunday from 9.30 to midday or call David Breadmore on 0400899748 anytime to discuss how you could assist.

The community counts on us

Can we count on you ?

Information Night Wednesday 28th August At 7.30pm – Red Hill Fire Station