The Year 12 Certificate II Business and Certificate II Information, Digital Media and Technology students held their Annual Trade Show last week. This year for the first time, the Year 12 BCT students organised the Trade Show as part of their Events Management Unit.

The show was a resounding success. Teams focussed on displays, quality products and customer service. The students have been planning the Trade Show throughout Term 3 and the show was the culmination of the preparation. The show allowed students to combine skills developed over the last year and a half into a practical activity.

The students began by researching their micro businesses of choice and finished by selling their product or service to our staff and students (play money is used to buy the goods and services).

Trade Show achievement categories included highest profit, best display of stall and best customer service. We would like to congratulate all the stall holders for their hard work. However one group had soared Above & Beyond and as a result made a clean sweep of the awards. That group was Wonderland Sweets!

Thank you to the parents, staff and students who enthusiastically attended and participated. The Year 12 students were excited and very pleased with customer attendance and feedback.

Well done to all the Business students for their commitment to the task!

Mrs Pri Awadh & Mr Shane Patch
Business/I.T Dept. RSHS
Uniform ... new sports top looks great.. new SNR formal available soon!

You will be able to buy our new sports shirt in October 2014, in time for the 2015 school year. They will initially only be available for incoming Year 7s and 8s.

New formal shirts will also be available soon for Years 10, 11 and 12 for 2015. These new shirts are not compulsory, Students may still wear the current formal shirts.

We have a three year change over period between the new and old uniforms starting in 2015. To discuss prices and availability please contact Michelle McDonald our Uniform shop manager on 3897 1111.

Kirsty of Year 11 named in "All Australian Golf Team"....

Congratulations to Kirsty (Year 11) who recently competed as an individual and as part of the Queensland Schools team at the Australian Schools, Girls Golf Championships, held at the City Golf Club, Toowoomba.

Kirsty took out second place in the individual competition, and was part of the Queensland team that placed second in the competition.

Kirsty has now been selected for the Australian team.

Well done Kirsty!

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**REDDI REMINDERS**

**ANNOUNCING OUR SCHOLARSHIP WINNER**

YEAR 7 2015 POE MUSIC

Congratulations to CALEB FREEMAN of Humpybong SS who is the winner of our Year 7, music scholarship.

Well done Caleb on your outstanding application!

SOARING TO MUSIC @ RSHS

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**NEW ..... TWILIGHT NETBALL COMPETITION IN REDCLIFFE**

The Redcliffe Leagues Netball Association is promoting a twilight competition for girls in the U11 - U18. age group.

This is an exciting opportunity to get teenage girls back into local sport.

The Twilight season starts on Wednesday evening, week one of term 4.

The girls can register a team or individually at www.redcliffe.qld.netball.com.au and follow the Twilight Competition Links.
On Wednesday afternoons over the last six weeks, Mr. Scott and his team of nine hard working students have, with assistance from Bunnings, been taking part in a building project. Bunnings kindly provided financial assistance and expert personnel. The project focused on student participation. The students did all the work and the teachers were only there to guide them.

The project catered for young people who want to work in the construction industry and who sometimes struggle to engage in a classroom environment. The goal was to create an enjoyable learning experience.

The team have constructed five sleeper seats around the school and repaired the top of a rail outside M Block.

This has been a great opportunity for the boys. Not only have they qualified for a White Card (Work safely in the Construction Industry) but they have also developed many new skills and have an excellent addition to their resumes.

On completion, there was a small graduation ceremony attended by proud parents and representatives from Bunnings.

Normally at the completion of these projects Bunnings offers a prize to the hardest working student. However, Mr Scott and the Bunnings representatives could not choose one student as they felt that all the boys had worked hard. As a result, they all received a small gift from Bunnings.

Deputy Principal, Miss Maria Williamson said, “Congratulations boys, you have done yourself proud and provided some great seating for students to use”. This is a statement I’m sure we all would agree with!

Shannon Walsh - Yr.9
Junior Reporting team
**Tepidus ... a warm & inviting occasion!**

*Tepidus*, the 2014 Senior restaurant certainly lived up to its “hot” name. Year 12 students in *Hospitality Practices* and *Certificate II in Hospitality* came together as a formidable culinary team.

The menu was warm and inviting and the food eagerly anticipated by the 76 guests.

Dinner began with entrees of *Thai Chilli Pumpkin soup* or *Warm Prawn salad*, followed by a main course of *Slow Cooked Lamb shanks with sweet potato mash* or *Chicken Korma and saffron rice*. The “piece de resistance” however were the dessert choices on offer, *Sticky Date Pudding with butterscotch sauce* or *Sabayon with chocolate ‘cigars’*.

The menu was designed by Sara and Shenai with assistance from Miss Mahoney.

Classrooms E1 and E2 were transformed into a sparkling dining room by our service team who then ably waited on our delighted customers.

Grateful thanks go to Ms Natalie Lyons (our wonderful Teacher Aide) and Mrs Lisa Hartley for assistance behind the scenes.

Finally a big thank you to the parents, family, friends and staff who attended the restaurant. None of this would be possible without your support.

Mrs Maree Logan - Hospitality, RSHS

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**Yr. 9 Learn to be Money savvy!**

Last Monday, Year 9 Business students received financial literacy training during the HSBC sponsored ‘Money Savvy’ workshop. The workshop is designed to challenge students’ thinking about how to manage money, providing students with skills and tools to allow them to make informed decisions about their spending choices.

Case studies about other young people and their experiences with money brought the theory to life.
Music Extension Performance Evening was ... Fab-U-lous!

YEAR 12 Music Extension .... great performances from our FAB five!

On Monday 8th September our five Music Extension students took to the Bird’s Nest stage to each perform a 15 minute solo with:

- **Stephanie** (Saxophone)
- **Keely** (voice)
- **Wilhelmina** (voice)
- **Claudia** (voice) and
- **Steph T** (voice)

They performed across a wide range of music genres from the classic big band tune *Summertime* to *Video Games* by *Lana del Ray*.

We were lucky to have guest performances from RSHS Stage band as well as **Jacob Bradford** (an up and coming Musical Theatre performer from Brisbane).

The evening was a showcase of these fantastic young women’s skills and dedication to music.

Thank you to all those in attendance as well as Ms Emma Shapland and Mr Shayne Patch for their work in helping the evening run smoothly.

Mr Nathan Falkenhagen - Music Dept, Redcliffe High

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**INTRODUCING .... MR NATHAN FALKENHAGEN**

**SPECIALIST TEACHING AREAS**

Music Composition
Choral Music
Junior Maths

**SKILLS & ACCOMPLISHMENTS**

- Long-term Member of The Australian Voices (internationally acclaimed Choir)
- Toured internationally (Germany, Austria, Czech Republic, UK and China) and throughout Australia as a performer and Tour Manager.
- Received Dean’s awards for academic Excellence throughout University
- Held choral music workshops in over 80 Schools in the eastern states of Australia in 2012.
- Regularly compose music for a wide range of ensembles and events.

**WHAT IS SOMETHING REMARKABLE ABOUT REDDI HIGH?**

I was welcomed by both staff and students and am enjoying becoming a part of the culture and community here. Redcliffe is a fantastic environment for a new teacher. I would like to thank everyone for helping me through the first semester of my career (special mentions go to Trish Johnson, Emma Shapland and Ian King).
CONGRATULATIONS to our Y-Bloom girls! ......

On Thursday last week we celebrated the graduation of the Y Bloom program.
This program has been running with 22 of our Year 9 girls. The program is run by YWCA, an organisation that aims to help young girls to reach their full potential.
The girls have been working with six different mentors on projects to help the girls to develop their leadership skills while also teaching the value of working in a team. Projects the girls focused on included anti-bullying campaigns, feeding the homeless and providing services to the elderly.
On Thursday night the girls presented the projects and then had the opportunity to introduce the mentors to parents.
The girls did a fantastic job and the parents present were extremely proud of their daughters.
Well done girls!
Miss Maria Williamson
Deputy Principal

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Redcliffe Festival

Our student performers showcase their talents

On Father’s Day, seven awesome students:
• Scarlett (Yr. 8)
• Jemae (Yr. 8)
• Bronte & Freya (Yr. 11)
• Katelyn (Yr. 9)
• Chris (Yr. 12) and
• Kiko (Yr. 12)
generously gave up part of their morning to perform at the Redcliffe Festival.
Met with trying windy conditions these performers represented the school and themselves admirably.
From vocalists to instrumentalists this was a wonderful showcase of our school and yet another example of the strong love of music and performance fostered here at Redcliffe High.
A massive “thank you” must go to the parents who gave their time on Father’s Day as well as to the students!
Thank you and well done!
Mr. Nathan Falkenhagen
Music teacher
Redcliffe High
On the 26 August, members of the Interact Club accompanied by Ms Hamzic went on a tour of the Redcliffe Community Support Centre. The tour was organised to highlight the array of initiatives the Centre undertakes and the facilities available to help our community which include:

- a donation section to help struggling members of our community
- dedicated meeting rooms. These are used for a variety of purposes, which include helping estranged parents reconnect with their children in a safe environment

- Yarning Circles for men and women
- a Men’s Shed

The Redcliffe High Interact Club has supported the Centre through our Can Drive donations made early this year. The visit allowed “Interactors” to see firsthand how their efforts helped the Redcliffe community. It was an eye-opening experience after which the students were able to better empathise with people struggling to feed their families.

The Interact Club looks forward to continuing their involvement with the Redcliffe Community Support Centre.

Leon Krstens - Year 10 Interactor

Regional Athletics 2014

Following on from our seventh place at the Sunshine Coast South District Athletics Carnival, a number of Redcliffe High athletes went through to the Regional Trial. The Regional competition saw some excellent performances from our athletes with one of the highlights being Bailey Johnston’s convincing 400 m win.

Following on from their successes at regional level the Redcliffe students listed below have now qualified for the State Championships in October:

- Bailey Johnston: 400m, 200m
- Katlyn McNaughton: 400m, 200m
- Kyle Siltalla: High Jump, Long Jump

We wish them all the best as they represent Redcliffe High as part of the Sunshine Coast Regional team.

Leon Karstens - Year 10 Interactor

Congratulations to our Regional Sport reps!

Kelvin Kuhle, HPE & Sport Redcliffe High

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FROM THE PRINCIPAL’S DESK ........

Term 3 is almost over. May I remind parents that it is vital for students to be here up to and including the last day of term. Every day counts when it comes to achieving successful outcomes. Our Year 12 students are the only exception to this, as they are on Block Exams.

Soaring: NAPLAN Results
I have already shared with you that our Year 9 NAPLAN results this year were very good. As a school we have improved in all areas of the test, which means that students have improved skills and understandings. We will continue to have a strong focus on literacy and numeracy, especially in the Junior School. Current Year 8 students will be involved in literacy and numeracy activities in every subject. In Term 4 they will undertake a diagnostic test to determine where we need to work to improve their individual skills.

Beyond: Trade Show
On Tuesday morning months of planning and preparation came together in a fabulous way through the annual Business Faculty Trade Show. Students and teachers were very impressed with the businesses created by the students. They were innovative and exciting. Congratulations to students and teachers involved, it obviously required much work and significant preparation – well done.

Expectations: Master Planning
Work has begun on the development of a ‘Master Plan’ for our school. This includes looking at the provision for a school hall and the way to deliver Special Education on the Peninsula. Mr Littlewood (BSM) and I walked through the school this week with the architect and project manager. Next week we sit down and begin planning the long term development of our school. It is an exciting time and one that we know will bring further improvements to facilities.

Redcliffe: High Reliability School Surveys
We would like to thank parents who took the time to undertake the ‘High Reliability School Surveys’. These surveys are important to our School’s future direction. The responses to the survey help us identify gaps in our practice and build strategies to strengthen what we do. Some parents have highlighted they did not know much about some of the survey questions. This identified that we need to do more to share our practices with you.

I hope you enjoy the September break with your family.

Shona McKinlay
Principal
Remarkable Redcliffe High
Soaring Above and Beyond Expectations
@ Redcliffe SABER

RED ALERTS
Follow the link below to our WEBSITE calendar where you will find all the important school events.

https://redcliffeshs.eq.edu.au/CalendarandNews/EventsCalendar/Pages/Eventscalendar.aspx

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We need your help

School Watch is a community based awareness and crime prevention program aimed at safeguarding schools against vandalism, theft and arson. We depend on students, parents and all members of the local community to:

1. LOOK
2. LISTEN and
3. REPORT

☎ 13 1788
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