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9<sup>th</sup> September 2022

**Red Hill School is a Nut Free  
Environment**



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**Red Hill**  
SCHOOL

*Open hearts · Inquiring minds*



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# Leadership Team Overview

Dear Parents and Carers,

We hope that you are making the most of the beautiful spring weather with your children and taking care not to go too close to our nesting magpies. As we are all getting outdoors more, it is good to remind your children of being safe when cycling and walking around known magpie areas. With the return of warmer days, students are required to wear a sun safe hat and bring a fresh bottle of water to drink. Please ensure that all your child's belongings are clearly labelled so that lost items can be more easily returned. It is hard to believe that there is only two weeks left of term.

Over the past fortnight our youngest students have participated in a variety of learning experiences including Preschool Science Fun days, experiments, basketball clinics and school incursions and excursions to local facilities such as Questacon. At the moment, many of the junior school teams are transitioning to new units of inquiry and reflecting and culminating on their past ones. Our junior students celebrated Book Week in style, sporting some of the best homemade costumes we have seen. Thank you to all the parents, grandparents and special friends that participated in our walk and stayed on for a lovely chat at the morning tea. It was wonderful to see so many of our community supporting Book Week and the Walkathon.

Later this term the students will participate in the annual Jump Rope for Heart fundraising event. Skipping ropes are available for sale each morning on the asphalt, and it is great to see children already improving their skipping stamina in anticipation of this event.

Red Hill celebrated NAIDOC week with the following events; daily story telling by our Indigenous Education Officers Darcy and Zuzette, classroom learning experiences and the hosting of the Great Book Swap by our Deadly Boomerangs student action group. The funds raised from this event will go toward buying books for remote Indigenous communities.

In recent weeks students have been arriving at school before 8:50am, teachers start before school supervision at 8:50am. Could we please ask that families drop their children to school at or after 8:50am to ensure safety for all. It has also been brought to our attention that some of our kindergarten students are being put at risk at pick up time by drivers double parking, blocking other drivers and limiting visibility for children being put into cars. As a general reminder if your children are in kindergarten they are picked up from the carpark, if they are in years 1 and 2 then they should be collected from the Kiss and Go area on Astrolabe Street. Years 3 to 6 are not dismissed until 3:15pm so there should not be any senior pickups in the car park until after this time please. Lastly, we would also like to remind the school community to NOT park in the bus stop lane. Please use the designated Kiss and Go area for pickups.

Kind regards

Debra Lawrence and Kristy Aitchison

## Chess Tournament -2 Sept 2022



Students representing our school at the Primary Schools Team Chess Tournament at Ainslie School.

Louis Harding (5G), Andrey Nikitin (5G), Matthew Lin (6JP), Owen MacMullin (5G)





# Book Week Parade



# Jump Rope for Heart

All students at Red Hill School are currently engaging in jump rope (skipping) lessons for PE. Students are discovering the effect of continuous skipping on their heart rate. They are displaying their creativity and risk-taking by trying new tricks – some students have even created new tricks themselves! They are also enjoying working with other students with partner or ‘big rope’ skipping.

Apart from the personal and peer benefits of skipping there is also a fundraising component to Jump Rope for Heart. Students can purchase skipping ropes and on Friday 16 September our school will be having a ‘Jump Off Day’. On this day students may choose to come to school uniform free make a gold coin donation. All money raised goes to the Heart Foundation. This organisation does a lot to help people – particularly young people who are born with heart problems.

[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2HitjLFfHEs&list=PLhrygLMD00Es4oyv0uTJPQ0F6E9\\_CGT12&index=2](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2HitjLFfHEs&list=PLhrygLMD00Es4oyv0uTJPQ0F6E9_CGT12&index=2)

Amalia Trygg Mansson and Oliver McKenzie-Mcarg from 1WL skipping during a PE lesson



# Red Hill Athletes

Our Red Hill athletes qualified to represent the South Weston region at the ACT Track and Field Championships this week!

## Congratulations



MARCELO KERR AZEVEDO - YEAR 6

CHARLEY ELSOM - YEAR 6

ASHA EDMUNDS - YEAR 6

WILLOW BATTISSON - YEAR 6

MIRO VIDLER WILKINSON - YEAR 5

HARVEY HOOD - YEAR 4



# Uniform Shop

Due to COVID restrictions, all uniform shop orders are to continue via flexischools.

<https://www.flexischools.com.au/>

COVID restrictions permitting...new families can book time with the Uniform Shop Manager if needed; please email for a booking time: [rhps.uniformshop@gmail.com](mailto:rhps.uniformshop@gmail.com)

Secondhand requests can be emailed through to the shop manager.

Donations are to be placed in the purple bin in the front office foyer.

Lost property will continue to be monitored and items that are labelled sent to the front office for return to the student. Anything not labelled will be sent to charity.



## Canteen

The school canteen is open Tuesday - Friday for lunch. Orders need to be placed on Flexischools by 8am each day and will be delivered to classrooms at lunchtime:

- Kindergarten – year 3: 11.10am
- Years 4 - 6: 1pm

The link to Flexischools can be found on the school website.

The canteen would love to thank the amazing year 3 & 6 children who deliver lunch crates to their fellow students for us Tuesday to Friday. A great big thank you to the year 6 children who help serve counter sales at lunch time.

We also would love to welcome any parent/grandparent/carer who would like to volunteer in the Canteen, even for an hour or so to assist with counter sales.

**CANTEEN CLOSED: Friday 9<sup>th</sup> September**



# Healthy Kids Canteen Menu

## Red Hill Primary School

Order online at [www.flexischools.com.au](http://www.flexischools.com.au)

Term 3  
2022

### Sandwiches & wraps *toasted or untoasted*

All served on wholemeal bread unless otherwise requested.

Vegemite (with margarine) <b>V</b>	\$3.00
Cheese <b>V</b>	\$3.50
Cheese & tomato <b>V</b>	\$4.00
Ham	\$4.00
Ham & cheese	\$4.50
Ham, cheese & tomato	\$5.00
Ham & salad	\$5.50
Ham, lettuce & mayo	\$4.50
Chicken & cheese	\$5.00
Chicken & salad	\$4.80
Chicken, lettuce & mayo	\$4.50
Tuna & cheese	\$4.50
Tuna, lettuce & mayo	\$4.50
Rainbow: Lettuce, carrot, tomato, cucumber, beetroot <b>V</b>	\$4.50
Salad & cheese <b>V</b>	\$4.20
Egg & cheese <b>V</b>	\$4.50
Egg, lettuce & mayo <b>V</b>	\$4.50

### Change up your sandwich:

Add ham, chicken, tuna, egg or cheese	\$1.00
Add Lettuce, carrot, cucumber, tomato, beetroot	\$0.60
Change to: wrap	Extra \$0.50
Change to: gluten-free bread <b>GF</b>	\$1.00

### Fresh salads

Build your own salad	From \$5.00
Seasonal fruit salad <b>V GF</b>	\$4.00

### Hot meals

Pasta Bolognaise: beef <b>H</b>	\$5.80
Pasta Napolitana <b>H V</b>	\$5.00
Lasagne: beef <b>H</b>	\$5.80
Lasagne: veggie	\$5.80
Butter chicken & rice	\$5.80
Stone-baked pizza (cheese or ham & pineapple)	\$5.80
Four'N Twenty Lite sausage roll	\$5.00
Four'N Twenty traveller pie	\$5.80
Add cheese to pasta	extra \$ .30

### Snacks

Piece of seasonal fruit <b>V GF</b>	\$1.50
Poppin' corn <b>V GF</b>	\$1.00
Jelly (made with 100% juice)	\$2.00
Fluffy chocolate mousse <b>V GF</b>	\$2.50
Banana bread <b>V</b>	\$2.00
Cheesy garlic bread <b>V</b>	\$2.50
Veggie sticks	\$2.00
Custard cup	\$2.00
Jelly / custard	\$2.00
Milo cookie	\$1.00

### Frozen

Quech juicy sticks <b>V GF</b>	\$1.00
Twisted frozen yoghurt (chocolate/vanilla, Strawberry/vanilla, watermelon/mango) <b>V GF</b>	\$3.00
Juice cups	\$2.00

### Drinks

Plain milk: 300ml	\$2.50
Sipahh straw	\$0.50

**V = Vegetarian**

**GF = Gluten Free**     **H = Certified Halal**



H denotes products which have been Halal Certified. All chicken used in sandwiches and hot meals is also Halal Certified.



# Red Hill School Calendar 2022 – Term 3

Mon 18 Jul – Fri 23 Sep

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Week 1 Jul 18 - 22	Think U Know – Parent Presentation by AFP	SHFPACT – Puberty Parent Evening			Year 6 Fizzics Incursion Whole School Assembly
Week 2 Jul 25 - 29	Nutrition Magician - Preschool			Junior School Assembly – Year 1 to Host	Year 5 Market Day Nutrition Magician – Preschool Step Into the Limelight – Art Exhibition
Week 3 Aug 1 - 5	Step Into the Limelight – Art Exhibition		Kindergarten Health Checks Australian Maths Competition		<b>PUPIL FREE DAY</b>
Week 4 Aug 8 - 12				Year 4 Cotter Catchment Excursion	
Week 5 Aug 15 - 19	Kindergarten Botanic Gardens Excursion ICAS English Year 2 TBC	ICAS English Year 2 TBC South Weston Athletics Carnival	ICAS English Year 2 TBC	ICAS English Year 2 TBC Year 6 Careers Expo Excursion	ICAS English Year 2 TBC
Week 6 Aug 22 - 26	ICAS Science Year 2-6 TBC	ICAS Science Year 2-6 TBC	ICAS Science Year 2-6 TBC Year 6 Combined Band Practice	ICAS Science Year 2-6 TBC	Book Week Assembly ICAS Science Year 2-6 TBC
Week 7 Aug 29 – Sep 2	ICAS Maths Year 2 TBC	ICAS Maths Year 2 TBC	ICAS Maths Year 2 TBC	ICAS Maths Year 2 TBC	ICAS Maths Year 2 TBC Junior School Assembly – Yr3 to Host
Week 8 Sep 5 - 9	Naidoc week recognition	Naidoc week recognition	Naidoc week recognition	Naidoc week recognition Great Book Swap Exhibition Parent Meeting 5:30pm - 6:15pm	<b>PUPIL FREE DAY</b>
Week 9 Sep 12 -16	Year 6 Camp			5/6 Basketball Excursion	Whole School Assembly- Whole School with Year 6 band parents invited - 9.30am Jump off Day
	Year 5 Combined Band practice		Christian Education		
Week 10 Sep 19 - 23	Year 5 Camp				

# Community News

## HOLIDAY HAPPENINGS™



The next Holiday Happenings edition is now available online.

To see the *Programs, Activities & Events* happening these holidays go to:

**[www.holidayhappenings.com.au/online-booklet](http://www.holidayhappenings.com.au/online-booklet)**



# WESTON INDOOR SPORTS 2022-23 SUMMER REBOUND SOCCER

**Boys, girls and mixed teams**

**For players of all skill levels**

**Girls divisions for 9 years and older**

**Register as an individual or as a team  
we'll find you a team for you and your friends**

**Season: 5-15 years and all girls teams**

Sat 22 Oct 2022 to Late March 2023

**Season: 16-20 years (Youth)**

Sun 30 Oct 2022 to late March 2023

*Break over school holidays and long weekends*

**Not affected by weather—we're indoor**

Come and join the most fun indoor soccer competition, the non-stop game where the ball doesn't go out. We have 20 years of experience in running sports for children and with over 115 teams playing Summer Rebound Soccer we can offer games to enjoy for players of all ages and skills.

**FOR PLAYERS AGED  
5 YEARS TO 20 YEARS**



## WHAT IS REBOUND SOCCER?

- \* five-a-side game
- \* played with a futsal ball
- \* played on indoor courts with nets

## APPROX AGE GROUPS & KICK-OFF TIMES

Rooball	5 to 8 years	1:00pm – 4:00pm
Juniors	9 to 15 years	8:00am – 12:30pm
Girls	8 to 18 years	10am – 1:30pm
Youth	16 to 20 years	Sun 4pm – 7:00pm

**Season Fees: \$195. \$10 discount per person if two or more from the same family register.**

Teams are placed in divisions based on suitability (age, size, skill level and intensity of play). Game start time can vary depending on the number of teams within each group. If you have a time you can't play, let us know and we will do our best to work around it.

**REGISTER AT:** <https://westonis.com.au/kids-rebound-soccer/>

**For Further Information** – Contact Weston Indoor Sports

**Phone:** 6288 0444 **Email:** soccer@westonis.com.au **Website:** westonis.com.au

**Now available at Weston Indoor Sports**



**Parties**





# Learn to code at Code Camp after-school!

Get creative and enjoy using  
logic and problem solving to  
build your own games!



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Tuesday 18 Oct -  
6 Dec  
3:30PM - 4:45PM



Red Hill Primary  
School



\$260 for 8 weeks  
Computers  
Provided



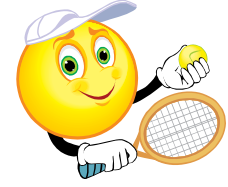
Years 2-6

[codecamp.com.au/redhillps](https://codecamp.com.au/redhillps)



# McDonald School of Tennis

## Spring School Holiday Tennis Clinic



Kindergarten Kids to 17 Years

All standards

Red Hill Tennis Club, Astrolabe St, RED HILL

SEPT26-30, Mon-Friday 7.45am-1pm HALF DAY, or 7.45-6pm FULL DAY



✓ 100% refund after Monday if not continuing

✓ FULL DAY, less than \$6.00hr 🤖!👍💰



🎾 Full Stroke Development (1<sup>st</sup> timers/beginners will be serving over-arm by end of the clinic!)

🎾 Well trained and well credentialled coaching Team

🎾 Trophy Singles Tournament – Friday 🏆

🎾 Afternoon Doubles Training and Tournaments

🎾 McDonald's Lunch – Friday full day pupils

🎾 Great range of Lunchtime activities

🎾 Games, heaps of fun, Prizes galore!

Enrolment forms at WEBSITE- McDonald School of Tennis,

<https://www.mcdonaldschooloftennis.com.au/>

Or

please phone professionally qualified level 2 tennis coach Matt McDonald, 0412565137