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# “The Rocky Review”

TERM 4, WEEK 9, 7 DECEMBER, 2016

## PRINCIPALS MESSAGE



Welcome to week 9

This week we look forward to joining in the Uralla carols by candlelight on Wednesday night. Students are asked to meet teachers at the Memorial gates at 6:45pm. Students must be collected after our performance.

Intensive swimming has continued this week with some excellent progress of student's confidence and water skills.

Last Thursday evening, teachers from the Thunderbolts alliance met for the last time this year. Student work samples were moderated and future plans for 2017 have been made. The alliance have enjoyed the opportunity to work together and collaborate this year building education together for our students. I look forward to continuing to work with the alliance in my substantive role.

With the hot weather expected this week please ensure your child has lots to drink and their lunch boxes are kept cool with fridge blocks or something similar.

Also with the hot weather there have been a few sightings of our friends, the leg less lizards out the front. For this reason we have been keeping students inside during bus waiting time.

This Friday we are excited to host the UNE Science department. The group will be leading activities with all our students across the day. Students will participate in several sessions including; School of Ants, Soil Science, Physics of sound, Pollinators, Precision agriculture, Dynamic Bodies and Curious Chemicals. We can't wait to explore the world of science.

Next week sadly completes my year at Rocky River and I would love to see you all at Presentation Night on Thursday 15 December at 6pm followed by a P&C run BBQ.

Rocky River Public School will be closed on Tuesday 20 December. School for staff resumes 27 January however the school will be unattended on Friday 27 due to staff attending Professional Learning in Armidale.

All students resume Monday 30 January 2017.

Have a great week.

Peta Deiderick– Relieving Principal



# AUSTRALIA DAY ART

Rocky River students have come up with some very creative Australia Day posters. These Posters were entered into the Australia Day competition. Well done students.



Abby Endacott



Charlotte Murrell



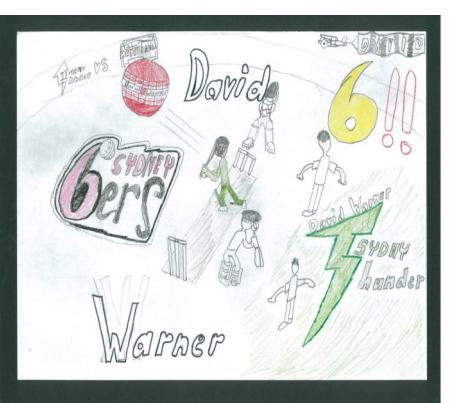
Harrison Miller



Jesse Cross



Tara Vickery



Toby Endacott



Paicey Noakes



Sophia Willis



Haylee Swan



Jaden Noakes



Rowena Willis

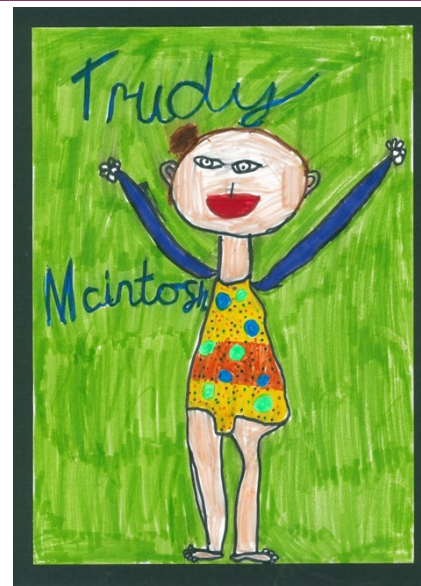




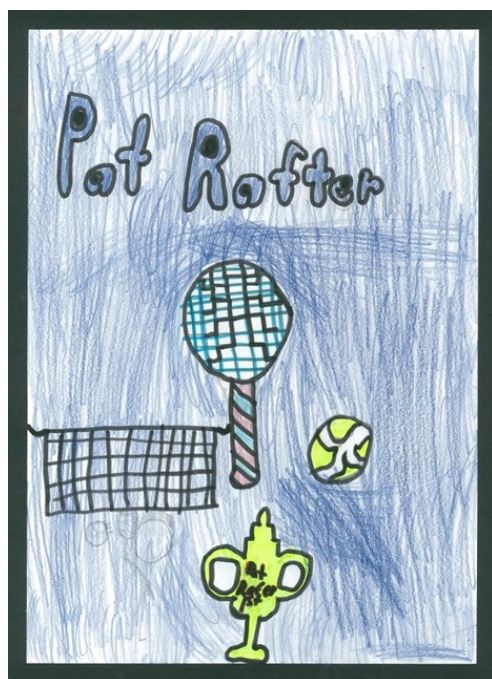
Penny Henderson



Claudia Reynolds



Tilly Reynolds



Leticia McCudden



Aleisha Handebo



Bella Marsh



Rocky River P&C will once again be running a Christmas raffle and are asking for donations for the hamper. If you are able to contribute could you leave items at the school office please.

There will be a ham and other prizes on offer. Tickets will be available at the P&C Book Fair as well as on Presentation night at a cost of \$1 each.

The Northern Inland Academy of Sport (NIAS) has great pleasure in inviting you to the 2017 inaugural National Football Camp (NFC). The NFC is an Inclusive football camp catering for athletes (boys & girls) of all standards for Primary and Secondary School students aged U12, U13, U14, U15 and U16's in 2017. The NFC will be held over the week 22nd – 25th of January and will be hosted in the beautiful city of Armidale. The NFC has the support of Sydney's Newington College Head of Football Brian McCarthy and is fully endorsed by Northern NSW Football who will be providing high profile coaches. Please contact the NIAS team on 6766 2526 for further details or email [james.cooper@nias.org.au](mailto:james.cooper@nias.org.au). This is a fantastic opportunity to develop and expand your football skills.





# NORTHERN INLAND CRICKET CLINICS 2017 CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS

CRICKET CLINICS FOR BOYS AND GIRLS TO HELP THEM DEVELOP AND  
ENHANCE THEIR CRICKETING SKILLS



## INCLUSIONS

All participants receive a quality T20 cricket bat and ball to take home with them



Sport and Recreation, in partnership with NSW Cricket, will run a number of cricket clinics for boys and girls during the 2017 Christmas school holidays.

Delivered by qualified coaches, each clinic helps participants develop and/or enhance their:

- Batting and wicket running skills
- Fielding and throwing skills
- Teamwork and communication skills
- Game knowledge/game sense

## Time

8:30am – 1:00pm each clinic

## Cost

\$45:00

## Bookings close

Friday 16 December 2016

## Age Groups

7 to 12 years  
(born 2010 to 2004)

Location	Venue	Date	Program
Tenterfield	Shirley Park, Scott Street	16 January 2017	0077871
Quirindi	Longfield Park (Sports Ground) Henry Street	16 January 2017	0077880
Glen Innes	Lynch Oval, Lang Street	17 January 2017	0077881
Gunnedah	Donnelly Fields, Maitland Street	17 January 2017	0077882
Inverell	Cameron Park, Cameron Street	18 January 2017	0077883
Coonabarabran	No. 3 Oval, Newell Highway	18 January 2017	0077884
Armidale	Harris Park, Kirkwood Street	19 January 2017	0077885
Narrabri	Leitch Oval, Tibbereena Street	19 January 2017	0077886
Moree	Ron Harborne Oval, Boundry Street	20 January 2017	0077887
Tamworth	McCarthy HS Fields, Tribe Street	20 January 2017	0077888

# Enrolment form

## Program information

Program name

Venue

Program date(s)

Program number (if known)

## Participant information

Name

Date of birth

☐ Male ☐ Female

Address

Postcode

Phone

Email address

Please provide details of any medical conditions, allergies or disabilities that may affect your participation in this program

## Optional information

To help us serve the community it would be appreciated if you could answer the following questions:

Are you from a culturally diverse background?

☐ Yes ☐ No

(for statistical purposes only)

How did you find out about this program?

Are you of Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander descent?

☐ Yes ☐ No

(for statistical purposes only)

## Payment information

My cheque or money order payable to Sport and Recreation is enclosed OR charge \$\_\_\_\_\_ to my credit card: ☐ Visa ☐ Mastercard

Expiry date

/

Cardholder name

Signature

## Risk warning and Media consent

Strike out whichever does not apply:

I agree for me/my child/ward to attend the program and to undertake all activities and/or to participate in the above program. In the case of an emergency, I authorise Sport and Recreation staff, where it is impracticable to communicate with me, to arrange for me/my child/ward to receive such medical or surgical treatment as may be deemed necessary. I also undertake to pay or reimburse costs which may be incurred for medical attention, ambulance transport and drugs while my child/ward is attending the Centre/enrolled in the program.

I understand that although Sport and Recreation and its service providers attempt to minimise any risk of personal injury within practical boundaries, accidents do happen and all physical activities carry the risk of personal injury. I acknowledge that there is an inherent risk of personal injury in physical activities that will be undertaken at the Centre/as part of the program and I accept that risk.

Please tick whichever applies to you:

☐ I consent / ☐ I do not consent to allow the NSW Government to use any photographs, sound and film recordings taken of me/my child/my ward at this program for the promotion of NSW Government services and initiatives to the media and to the general public.

Full name ☐ Self ☐ Parent ☐ Guardian (please tick)

Signature

Date

## Privacy statement

Sport and Recreation of 6 Figtree Drive, Sydney Olympic Park, NSW 2127 will collect and store the information you voluntarily provide to enable processing of enrolments for the program. The information will be provided to relevant staff and be provided to medical professionals where necessary. You consent to these disclosures.

If you have been asked for information regarding Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander descent and cultural background, this information is voluntary and is being compiled for statistical purposes only.

Any information provided by you will be stored on a database that will only be accessed by authorised personnel and is subject to privacy restrictions. The information will only be used for the purpose for which it was collected. Any information provided by you to Sport and Recreation can be accessed by you during standard office hours and updated by writing to us or by contacting us on 13 13 02.

☐ I do not wish to receive promotional information about this service offered by Sport and Recreation.

## Refunds and cancellations

Requests for refunds must be made within seven (7) working days prior to the commencement of the program in which you are enrolled. All requests must be made in writing. All refunds are subject to an administration fee of 20 per cent of the total program fee. Refunds will not be given for partial attendance, nor will make up lessons be provided. Refunds will be paid at the completion of the program. Sport and Recreation reserves the right to cancel any program/s. Every effort will be made to give reasonable notice to those who have enrolled when a program is cancelled. Those enrolled will be given a full refund.

## Return this form with payment to:

Sport and Recreation  
PO Box 532  
Tamworth NSW 2340  
Fax: (02) 6766 7459

For more information call 13 13 02 or visit [sportandrecreation.nsw.gov.au](http://sportandrecreation.nsw.gov.au)



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## IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER - TERM 4 WEEK 9 & 10

<b>WEEK 9</b> <b>5-9</b> <b>December</b>	<b>Monday 5</b>  School banking  Swim School	<b>Tuesday 6</b>  Swim School	<b>Wednesday 7</b>  Canteen  Swim School  Library– Lower Division  Carols in the park 7pm	<b>Thursday 8</b>  Swimming  Swim School  Library– Upper division	<b>Friday 9</b>
<b>WEEK 10</b> <b>12-16</b> <b>December</b>	<b>Monday 12</b>  School banking  Swim School	<b>Tuesday 13</b>  Swim School– Last day.	<b>Wednesday 14</b>  Canteen– BBQ lunch  Library– Lower Division	<b>Thursday 15</b>  Swimming  Library-Upper Division  Presentation night	<b>Friday 16</b>  Last day for students.



### CANTEEN

#### Every Wednesday

##### Price List:

Pizza Singles....\$3  
 Fish Fingers (4).....\$2  
 Chicken Nuggets (4)...\$2  
 Beef Lasagne.....\$3  
 Spaghetti Bolognese...\$3  
 Sausage Roll.....\$2.50  
 Pie .....\$2.50  
 Ice Cream .....\$1.50  
 Popper .....\$1.50

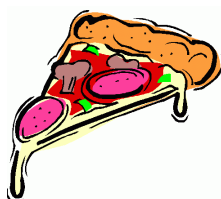
#### Canteen Roster

- 7 December– Jaz Taylor
- 14 December– BBQ Lunch

### Canteen News

As we are coming to the end of the year, we will not be ordering in new supplies for canteen.

We will be using up what is left, lasagne is no longer available but we still have pizzas, sausage rolls, pies, chicken nuggets, ice cream and flavoured milk available.



### P&C

The next P&C meeting  
 will be Wednesday  
 January 8 2017

Welcome BBQ

**ALL WELCOME**

## The Far Side



“You know, we’re just not reaching that guy.”

Warm regards Rocky River Students & Staff.