Welcome to our second eNews for 2015. As you will read in the articles below the year is in full swing with an enormous array of opportunities available for our students to participate in. Last night at our P&C meeting one parent was discussing the problems her child was experiencing in trying to fit all their extra-curricular activities in to their busy schedule. Our students are very lucky to have the dedicated teachers, parents and helpers willing to give up their own time to make these programs such a success.

Recently we held our Open Night for prospective students and parents and it was a great success. Visitors were overwhelmingly positive about our school, due in no small part to the wonderful work of our student volunteers. On the night we had over thirty volunteers showing our visitors around the school and answering any questions posed to them. They were the best ambassadors for our school and a true reflection
of the pride and belief in our school that the vast majority of our students hold. Visitors had the opportunity to view student performances, Science demonstrations, TAS workshops and a variety of informative presentations by teachers. A very positive evening.

With Year 12 fast approaching their Half-yearly examinations it is timely to remind all students of the benefits of the Homework Centre that operates each Monday and Wednesday afternoons from 3.20pm – 5.00pm. A suggestion from our P&C body to assist our senior students prepare for exams was raised last night. If you believe that you have some skills in curriculum areas such as legal studies, etc or in areas of study skills, relaxation, etc and would be willing to volunteer some time to work with interested groups of senior students then we would love to hear from you. If you think this sounds like you could you please email the office with your details and we will see what we can coordinate.

Ita Buttrose visit
Ita Buttrose and Julia Zemiro return to Rose Bay for ABC’s ‘Home Delivery’. Last Tuesday, Julia Zemiro, host of ABC’s ‘Home Delivery’ [more ...]

Swimming carnival report
A glorious day for the carnival at a balmy 28 degrees. We had an absolutely amazing participation rate, with approximately 84% [more...]

Fearless footballers
Congratulations to the girls in the Open Girls Football team who played with enthusiasm and team spirit against Woolaware High [more...]

IEF news
Students from the IEF enjoyed their day at the school swimming carnival. Some participated in age events completing their distances [more ...]

Poets' Picnic
The Poets' Picnic was held on February 24th, in the beautiful Blackburn Gardens in Woollahra. Amongst a string of both established and emerging poets were our very own Jordan Collins (yr9)
and Tristan McBride-Dowie (yr12). They both performed original poems.

Junior dance reps
Three students from Rose Bay Secondary College have been accepted into the prestigious NSW Junior Dance Ensembles.

Debating
The Debating Program has seen a fantastic start with the Eastside Debates last week. Our debaters presented very professionally in manner.

Honour roll
The RBSC Honour Roll is an important part of the way we recognise and celebrate academic success.

Encore
On Monday 9th, a group of Year 11 and 12 Music students attended the 'Encore' performance held in the concert hall at the opera house. Encore is.

Robotics@RBSC
A new initiative to enhance the learning experience of Year 8 students. The program consists of students working through a 10 week course whereby each student participates in designing and manufacturing a robot utilising 'Arduino'.

Photo extension
The date for payment of Yr 12 dress up photo is extended to Wed 18th March. Spare envelopes are at student counter. Payment envelopes to be handed in at Finance Office.

Recently updated
- Vaccinations
- Assessment planners
- School photo payments
- News
- Community notices
- Robotics
- V-Fest

Useful links
- Canteen orders
- MEP website
- DOE website
- Sentral parent portal
- DEC student portal
- Student email
- Edmodo
- Careers news
- New books in the library

V-Fest is coming
V-Fest is in its 17th year! The poster design competition is underway now, download the design brief here, entries close March 30.

Writers’ Day
We are excited to launch Writers’ Day this Tuesday, March 17! For further information about the program click here.

Share with RBSC
Please share your child's achievements with us, we would love to share them with the community in turn! Please contact Mrs Christy Godby at christine.godby@det.nw.edu.au