

RICHMOND INSTITUTE OF SPORTS LEADERSHIP

AUGUST UPDATE



Peggy O'Neal is the Leadership Ambassador for the Richmond Institute and spoke with students about her journey to becoming the president of the Richmond Football Club. Peggy assists students with a variety of assessments throughout Term 3 & 4 including **Implement Diversity in the Workplace (BSBLDR504)**

Australian Diamonds Netball Coach Lisa Alexander, spoke with students about her journey to becoming an elite level coach. Lisa is the Richmond Institute coaching ambassador and helps with many of the Term 3 & 4 assessments including **Communicate with Influence (BSBLDR513)** & **Develop and Update Knowledge of Coaching Practice (SISSSCO101)**



Richmond's Head of Audience Growth & Digital Innovation, Ben Jenkins, along with administration and membership staff spoke of their journey and pathways to get to where they are now.

Ben spoke about how to **Lead and Manage Team Effectiveness (BSBWOR502)** and Steph and Troy about how to **Manage Volunteers (SITXHRM005)**.



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MITs & Richmond High School Carnival

"As a part of our **Manage Projects (SISXIND406A)** unit this term, RISL students conducted and organised the MITs carnival. This is a new event which involves the Melbourne Indigenous Transition School and the newly opened Richmond High School. Students coordinated the Round Robin carnival at Burnley Park which involved both schools being split into groups to then further compete against each other in a friendly competition, which also allowed both schools to network with each other.

We received extremely positive feedback from both the children and teachers, who said it was a great way to bring the children together and harness potential future friendships as well as incorporating physical activity.

During the course of the day, my group and I were lucky enough to have other RISL students to help us perform roles such as goal umpiring, team managing and scoring. This event was an extreme success and was a great way to connect the two schools together with a common interest of football."

-Rachel Murphy

RISL also ran two skills sessions in the lead up to the MITs/Richmond High Carnival as preparation.

Before The Pounce

“Before the Pounce is a small-scale event that Richmond FC hosts where possible, prior to home AFL games at the MCG. The event takes place at the Swinburne Centre, making use of Punt Road Oval. Activities mainly target kids and include painting, jumping castle, drawing stations, physical activities, and prize giveaways. A few of us RISL students were fortunate enough to be able to get involved with the setup, organisation, and delivering of the event.

Our main role as RISL students was to ensure the event was a family friendly, safe, engaging, and entertaining experience for the families that came along and worked towards creating an enticing atmosphere for the Tiger Army. It was a great experience to gain a firsthand insight into the behind the scenes work and management of a Richmond event and we all took many positives out of the process.”

-John Tucker

Tiger PAW

“Tiger Paw is a program partnered with Aligned Leisure in which we go out to visit and deliver a program to various schools in the Cardinia and Eltham areas. Throughout the day the kids are involved in two different sessions, one that teaches them about nutrition and another, healthy food choices.

Seeing the kids get involved and thoroughly enjoy the day is the best feeling and I loved participating in the Tiger Paw program!”

-Alanna Mills

Bachar Houli Cup

The Bachar Houli Cup is an event that allows Islamic students to play in a competitive and supportive sporting environment. The Grand Final's are also held at the Swinburne Centre.

The event gives students that have never played AFL an opportunity to experience a team environment with other students from a similar religious background. It also gives them an opportunity to meet Bachar Houli who is a role model to many of them.

RISL students played a crucial role in the organisation and running of the event, and in turn were provided a great experience to put to use the management and leadership skills developed throughout the year.

It was great to see so many students take charge and be confident on the day and for the event to run so smoothly.

As a RISL student I enjoyed being able to talk to so many different people with unique backgrounds as well as the challenge of organising a large-scale event. It was a great management opportunity to be able to work alongside others within Richmond and the football community including Bachar Houli and AFL Victoria. It was amazing to see students come together from different backgrounds and all enjoy themselves to have a great day out. It really was an experience of a lifetime."

-Willow Allen



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