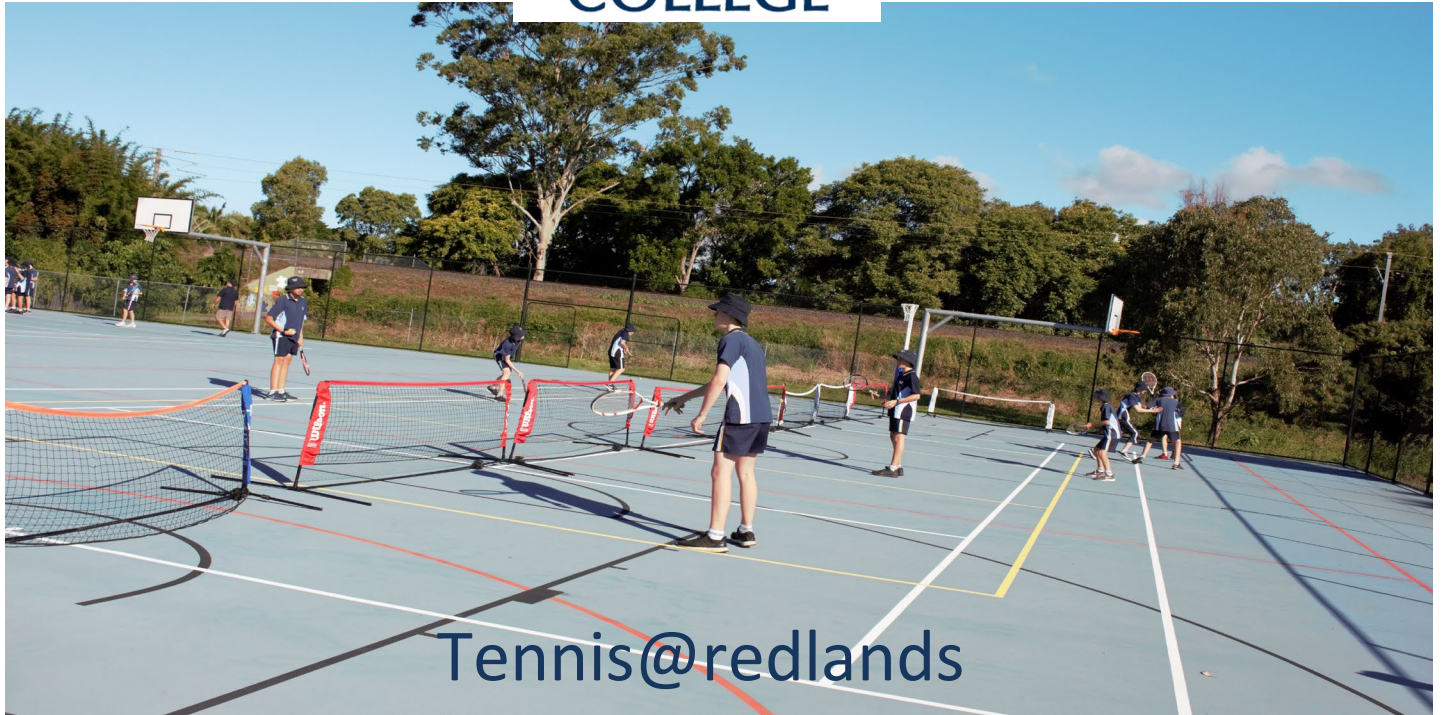




REDLANDS COLLEGE



The Head Coach

Ryan Agar

Ryan competed on the professional tennis tour for over 10 years where he reached a career high ranking on 205 in the world and top 10 in Australia. He trained and competed with players such as Stan Warwinka (ATP #3), Nick Kyrgios (ATP #17) and Su-Wei Hsieh (WTA #1).

Ryan has coached nationally and internationally ranked players in Germany, USA, Austria, Maldives and throughout Australia for over 15 years.

As an Alumnus of Redlands College, Ryan has a personal goal to see every student become the best tennis player they can be and see the College evolve into a competitive tennis school.

Ryan's team consists of coaches who all currently play tennis and are coached individually by Ryan.

'Our coaches have shared values and goals and vary from current professional players to club level players. My team is committed to introducing this great game to students and help guide them to reach their full potential'.

Our program

Redlands College students from Prep to Grade 12 have the opportunity to participate in our tennis program which is held on site on our middle and senior tennis courts.

Ryan and his team are passionate about tennis and strive to have every student feel right at home while learning new skills in a fun, safe environment.

Our tennis program runs all year with during school and after school classes available.



Our Philosophy

We believe enjoyment is a key aspect to learning and is the first step to have our students progress with their tennis. Simply, if students are not enjoying their tennis they will not want to play and unable to learn. Students must enjoy their time on court and look forward to their class and we hold this view above all.

It is important to understand every student is different, from their ability to their own personal goals. Students' progress at their own pace and it is important to let things happen naturally. We are confident if the student is engaged and enjoying their classes they will reach a level where they can play competitive matches, social games and understand and demonstrate the fundamentals of tennis.

As a past professional player Ryan understood early on in his coaching career that most students do not wish to or are unable to make tennis a career. Our role is to give opportunity to every student and provide them with a platform to explore their talents and see where tennis may take them. Representing our school in carnivals and competitions is a huge accomplishment and privilege for all students and something they can strive for.

Ryan currently coaches full time tennis players on the tour as well as groups of juniors who consistently compete in state and national levelled tournaments. This path is available if and when the student is ready. Most of the classes at this stage are for introduction to tennis and to build interest, enjoyment and teach the fundamental skills so students have a solid base and are able to progress. This takes time and our team are dedicated and committed to this long journey.

If your child enjoys their tennis, they are already succeeding.



Competitions

Redlands College tennis students have the opportunity to represent our school in a number of carnivals and competitions throughout the year in addition to our Gala Days and District competitions. Ryan and his team will be working hard with students to prepare them for the following events;

- TQLD Primary Schools Teams Challenge (Prep - Grade 6)
- Bruce Cup (Primary School Individual)
- Pizzey Cup (Secondary Schools Individual)
- Secondary Schools Team Challenge (17&U).



Fixtures and advanced squads are also on offer to Redlands College students each week and are held at Capalaba Tennis Centre.

Ryan is also looking to merge his advanced tournament players from his club and

Redlands College students and take them away for further competitions in the coming years. Please find our full terms and conditions via our website www.capalabatenniscentre.com

