



# ROSEWORTH

## PRIMARY SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER 19 16<sup>th</sup> December 2015

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### COMING EVENTS

#### DECEMBER

17<sup>th</sup>

Year 6 Graduation  
Lunch & Excursion

Last day of Term 4

#### JANUARY

28<sup>th</sup>

9am – 11am  
Uniform Shop  
open

#### FEBRUARY

1<sup>st</sup>

Students Return

I would like to thank the School community for the wonderful support they have given throughout this year. The Roseworth Board, the P&C, parent helpers, volunteers and other informal groups have made the running of our school successful this year. We acknowledge your efforts and thank you sincerely.

All students have worked hard and consistently through the year and we commend them for their efforts. It is wonderful to see them grow both academically and socially. We wish the leaving students, the Year 6's and others going to different primary schools, good luck in their new school.

We have had a wonderful staff at our school this year and they have committed themselves tirelessly throughout the year. Thank you for your continued efforts and support.

It is sad when we have to say goodbye to some of these members of staff. They will leave an impression on the kids and the school, one that we will cherish in our memories. At this stage we say goodbye to:

**Mrs Clare Roser** has been an integral member of the administration team. She has led the development of the curriculum here at Roseworth and has been a strong support for staff, students and parents during her time here. Clare embarks on her next challenge, being successful in gaining a promotion to Meekatharra District High School. It is for 2016 at this stage, so we send her away hoping she will be back but at the same time wishing her well with this journey. I am sure you will join me in thanking Clare for her wonderful contribution to Roseworth PS.

**Mrs Sandra Notman** has been a long standing teacher at the school for 18 years at both Hainsworth PS and Roseworth PS. She has provided great support to the staff, students and their families and we thank her for her contribution to the school. She has been a great asset to the school and she will be missed. We wish her well in retirement.

**Ms Sam Davis** has been working as an education assistant at the school this year. We wish her well, again thank her for a job well done and look forward to seeing her working back here at some stage in the near future.

**Mr Dan Hill** has been our Year 4/5 teacher this year. We thank him for the contribution he has made to the school. We wish Dan all the best for the future.

**Miss Kia Jacques** has been our Year 2 teacher the second half of this year and has done an outstanding job. We wish her well in the future and hope to see her back at this school in some capacity next year.

**Mrs Donna Clark** only joined the school this year but has made a real impact on the teaching and learning here. We wish her well with the safe arrival of a second child and into the future.

**Mr Jaidyn Clinch** worked as an education assistant in the second half of this year. Jaidyn was a great asset with the work he did with the students at lunch time and in PE classes. We wish him good luck.

**Mrs Tania Moran** worked in the front office diligently as a school officer. She has embarked on a different journey next year and we wish her well.

#### Last Day of School

School finishes for students on Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> December, TOMORROW!!!. Staff and students finish on the same day so school will be officially closed on Thursday afternoon, the end of the 2015 school year for Roseworth Primary School. The ESC staff will be at the school on Friday morning, however the ESC students also finish tomorrow afternoon.

#### Roseworth PS Board

I again thank the Roseworth PS Board for their input in 2015 and acknowledge the work of our representatives;

## **RPS Staff Representatives**

Kristy Hawkey, Sue Brockman, Clare Roser, Trish Lee , Carol Foley

## **Community Representatives**

Jessica Biggs (Board Chair), Jane Tairova, Scott Tapper, Dawn Sutherland

## **Partnership Representatives**

Jorgen Mackie (The Smith Family), Annie Fogarty (The Fogarty Foundation), Chris Brook (ECU)

## **Co-opted Members**

Patricia Watt (Principal RPS ESC)

## **Executive Officer**

Tracey Evans

## **School Reports**

You will have now received your child's end of year report. We hope you found this report informative and should you have any queries, please contact your child's teacher before 11am on Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> December.

## **2016 Dates and Structures**

In planning for next year we have arranged class structures in anticipation of our expected enrolments. Unfortunately not all factors are in our control and in particular student numbers for next year. We will not know until next year exactly how many children will be here. The class lists that go up at the beginning of the year will be an interim list and will be confirmed at the end of the second week of first term. We are confident that these will be correct but would also appreciate any information about new enrolments or children leaving as soon as possible.

The class lists will be placed on the notice board by Friday 29<sup>th</sup> January.

The children will commence on **Monday 1<sup>st</sup> February 2016**. School starts at 8.50am and finishes at 3.00pm.

## **SMS MessageYou Service 2016**

Roseworth PS will be implementing a new system that will use mobile phone Short Message Service (SMS) to send text messages to parents/guardians/caregivers to notify them of an unexplained absence. SMS may also be used to provide information to parents such as school community notices and emergency/unplanned events such as school closures.

From 1<sup>st</sup> February 2016 parents will be informed by mobile phone SMS each time their child is absent when an explanation has not already been provided to the school. If your child is absent and a reason has been provided before the time the SMS is due to be sent, you will not receive a text message.

Roseworth PS is introducing this to build on existing attendance procedures and to ensure that parents are notified as soon as possible if their child is absent from school without an explanation. This system has been shown to assist in making schools (and parents) more aware of where students are and improve student attendance. These factors will enhance learning opportunities for all students and contribute to their safety.

The number for this service that you will see on your phone is **0437 784 935**. You will also be able to use this number to contact us via SMS in advance if your child is going to be away. We have attached a full information sheet to this newsletter with information about this service.

## **2015 Awards**

Last Friday we held our final assembly for the year to recognise outstanding student achievement and celebrate active citizenship in the school. At Roseworth Primary School we continually seek opportunities to recognise and reward students for excellence in citizenship, academic progress and endeavour. The Awards' assembly provided staff the opportunity to recognize students' achievement from each class from Kindergarten to Year 5.

Academic Award RPS	Edir Chloe James Rueben Isa Nargis Taimana	Jorgia Nadia Jenny Mackayla Elizabeth Khia
Endeavour Award RPS	Dashnyl Freshta Par Chin Stacey Abdallah Mehdi Ryan	Zainab Suleiman Delilah Jessica Garry Lucas
Values Award RPS	Lillybelle Abisa Taleah Jennifer Leila Earl Karia	Fatumata Diana Tyson Janine Tykeira Han Han
Endeavour Award ESC	Connor	Jayden
Music Award RPS	Jason	
LOTE Award (Spanish) RPS	Taimana	
LOTE Award (Noongar) RPS	Jorgia	
PE Award RPS	Tiana	
Library Award RPS	Moluk	
Art Award RPS	Tykeira	
Music Award ESC	Reuben	
Art Award ESC	Tony	

### **Graduation**

The Year 6 Graduation held today was enjoyed by all. The large number of parents ensured the children felt special on their day and we thank you for your support. Special thanks for the day also go to:

- Staff and general helpers for the organisation of the ceremony.
- The P&C for sponsoring and supporting the day.
- Local community members for sponsoring and supporting the day.

Citizenship	RPS Jessica RPS Andy ESC Sarah
Academic Endeavour	RPS Riley RPS Rebekah ESC Trae
North Metro Medal of Excellence	RPS Courtney ESC Michael
Sport Award	RPS Hayden ESC Mathew ESC Joseline
Spanish Award Music Award	RPS Sherrie RPS Nelson RPS Rebekah ESC Andrianna
Library Award Art Award	RPS Katie RPS Andy ESC Joshua
Science	RPS Nelson RPS Riley
Girrawheen SHS Scholarship Warwick SHS Scholarship	RPS Jessica RPS Riley

## Student Leaders 2016

Nominations and voting for our Student Council for 2016 have been conducted. The students presented speeches to their peers in a confident and mature manner. The results of the voting are:

Student Leaders 2016 RPS

Khia  
Moluk  
Riley  
Jason  
Kyle

Student Leaders 2016 ESC

Neeki  
Maria  
Ashlea

Congratulations to you all and good luck with your duties in 2016.

We also take this opportunity to thank our wonderful Student Leaders for this year:

Andy, Samuel, Jessica, Sherrie, Katie, Trae ESC (Term 1),  
Joseline ESC (Term 2), Sarah ESC (Term 3), Joshua ESC (Term 4).

They have shown fantastic leadership throughout the year. Well done!

## School Security

As we approach a long break from school, the risk to school security increases. We rely on our community who are close by to keep an eye

on the school. If you see anything unusual or suspicious please contact the **Department of Education Security on 9264 4771** to report it. We appreciate your assistance with this as we have received considerable damage to the school over the last few holiday breaks.

**Finally I would like to wish you all a happy and safe holiday and look forward to seeing everyone back refreshed in 2016.**

**Christopher Brackenreg  
Principal**

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**\*PLEASE NOTE** - If your child is travelling Overseas and will be absent at the start of Term 1 2016, please complete the following:

My child \_\_\_\_\_ is travelling Overseas to \_\_\_\_\_ on  
(date) \_\_\_\_\_ and will return to Roseworth Primary School on (date) \_\_\_\_\_.

Parent Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

## **2016 SCHOOL PLANNING – IS YOUR CHILD LEAVING ROSEWORTH?**

A reminder that for the remainder of the year our school administration is planning for the 2016 school year. All of the funding that comes to Roseworth Primary School to provide our teachers, support staff and to manage our school facilities is based on the number of students who attend our school. It is therefore very important that we have very accurate figures in terms of student numbers. Please let us know if your child is **not** returning to Roseworth in 2016 (excluding Year 6 students) so that we can prepare for 2016. Please complete the following and return to the Front Office ASAP if your child is NOT returning to Roseworth PS in 2016.

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Year: \_\_\_\_\_ Form: \_\_\_\_\_

School Moving to: \_\_\_\_\_ Parent Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

**HONOUR CERTIFICATES & AWARDS  
ASSEMBLY: 25<sup>th</sup> November 2015**

<b>E1</b>	Joseph, Madison, Tyler	<b>W1</b>	Jayden, Aaron, Tiana, Eloise
<b>E2</b>	Zac, Jacob, <u>Lucas</u>	<b>W2</b>	Ela, Ashdon
<b>E3</b>	Marija	<b>W3</b>	Aaliyah, Samuel
<b>E4</b>	<u>Zoe</u>	<b>W4</b>	Joe, Dylan, Samuel, <u>Reece</u>
<b>E5</b>	Nathan, Muhammad	<b>W5</b>	David, Nancy
<b>N4</b>	Tammar, Lyric	<b>W6</b>	Michael, Sarah
<b>N5</b>	Elly	<b>W7</b>	Tony
<b>C1</b>		<b>C2</b>	Siyaar
<b>LOTE</b> Chloe E1	<b>Music</b> N4	<b>Sports</b> Jayden W1	

**VALUES AWARDS**

**Confidence:** Tykeira W1 **Resilience:** Jayda N5 **Organisation:** Freshta E1 **Getting Along:** Leila N5 **Persistence:** Melissa W2

**ATTENDANCE AWARDS** – Mahdie N4, Mohammad W5, Nargis W2, Andy W4, Elizabeth W1, Kylie W4

**PLAYGROUND & STUDENT LEADER AWARDS** – Brocky W1, Kyla W4, Taimana W5, Jayden W1

As the year draws to a close, we are sad to announce another couple of departures. Firstly, a big thank you to Kaylie Brooker. Although Kaylie is not leaving the school, she will no longer be School Officer for the Centre. She has done a sterling job. It's been great getting to know her better through her involvement. Another sad loss is Mrs Julie Stanley. Julie came to us with such a wealth of experience in Autism – forever asking her questions - but particularly we will miss her smile and her serenity. Julie is pursuing a career where those attributes will be valued above all else – nursing.

Mrs Carolyn Street leaves us also, as she has won a position in a school closer to home. Carolyn has been a wonderful person to work with and a very dedicated member of staff. A hole will be left behind with her leaving. All the best!

As I stated in the last newsletter Mrs Linda Burton is leaving. Linda has been at Montrose/Roseworth for 28 years. A phenomenal achievement! Her wealth of experience in all aspects of the education of students and the ability to find the most interesting activities at a moment's notice, has made her an invaluable member of staff. Nothing is too much trouble. Thank you from all of us.

Once again, have a Merry Christmas and a Happy and Prosperous New Year.

**Pat Watt  
Principal  
Roseworth ESC**

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**DENTAL**

During the school holidays

Monday 21/12/2015 to Tuesday 25/01/2016

**In case of an emergency only please call**

Mt Henry Dental Therapy Centre

43 Mt Henry Road, Salter Point

PHONE : 93130555

Between the hours of 8.15am and 4.30pm

Monday to Friday excluding school holidays

For after hours emergencies please call 9325 3452



Hi, my name is Kylie Mudra. I am 12 years of age and I attend Roseworth Primary. I am a young, female coach. Most of my community service activities include coaching. I attend the Edmund Rice Centre's Youth Programs that run throughout the week. The Edmund Rice Centre helps young people to achieve their full potential by giving them opportunities in sport, art and leadership.

I began by coaching the ERC Glory once a week on a Tuesday. The ERC Glory is an all age soccer group for boys and girls from all over the world, ranging from 3-9 years of age. On Wednesdays I am part of an all-girls' soccer team, Girrawheen United, which runs after school until 6pm. I attend ERC Lions multicultural AFL Team training on Fridays. I also coach Banksia United, an all Aboriginal/Torres Strait Islander soccer team on Saturdays.

I then participate in a Youth Leadership Program on Saturday afternoon to gain leadership skills and an arts program afterwards so I can express my creativity. I also volunteer and go on camps run by the Edmund Rice Centre 3-4 times a year.

For me, being part of all this helps me to understand who I am and why we need to appreciate the things we have in our lives. I would like to encourage all the students at Roseworth to be part of something like this and also learn and volunteer to help other young people.



Figure 1 - Kylie on SBS as part of a story they did for the Grand Final. She was attending a coaching camp



Figure 2 - Kylie coaching Banksia United, an Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islanders Soccer Team

A colorful poster for the Summer Reading Club. It features two children in orange scuba gear exploring an underwater world with ancient ruins. The text includes: 'www.library.wanneroo.wa.gov.au', 'CITY OF WANNEROO LIBRARIES CHECK US OUT', 'www.summerreadingclub.org.au', 'Summer Reading Club', 'Get lost in a good book this summer', 'Discover underwater worlds, alternate universes and more.', 'Join at any City of Wanneroo Library', 'Visit our website for details 1 Dec - 31 Jan.', and logos for the City of Wanneroo, State Library of Queensland, and Queensland Government.

A poster for the North Beach Rugby League Football Club. It features a red eagle logo at the top. The text reads: 'NORTH BEACH RUGBY LEAGUE FOOTBALL CLUB', 'Junior Registration Day', '7 February 2016', 'Charles Riley Reserve, North Beach', '12 pm to 3 pm', 'FROM UNDER 6 TO 18', 'Secretary@NBRLFC.com.au', and 'www.nbrlfc.com.au'. At the bottom, there is a Facebook logo with the text 'Like us on Facebook' and the NRL WA logo.