



# ROSEWORTH PRIMARY SCHOOL

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### COMING EVENTS

#### NOVEMBER

2<sup>nd</sup>

Choir Music  
Festival

3<sup>rd</sup>

Count Us In  
Assembly

4<sup>th</sup>

Swimming  
Lessons  
conclude

14<sup>th</sup> – 17<sup>th</sup>  
Book Fair

16<sup>th</sup>

Open Day and  
Art Show

23<sup>rd</sup>

E2 & E3  
Assembly

25<sup>th</sup>

School  
Development  
Day  
**No Students**

28<sup>th</sup>

Pre Primary  
2017 Meeting  
9am

30<sup>th</sup>

Kindy 2017  
Meeting 9am

#### DECEMBER

1<sup>st</sup>

P&C Meeting  
2pm

### 2017 SCHOOL PLANNING – IS YOUR CHILD LEAVING ROSEWORTH?

Our school administration is spending a great deal of time planning for the 2017 school year and we need to know precise 2017 student numbers as soon as possible. All of the funding that comes to Roseworth Primary School to provide our staff, manage the many programs we offer and to maintain 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 2017 (excluding our current Year 6 students of course) so that we can prepare for 2017. Likewise, if you are aware of families who will be moving to our school in 2017, could you please notify the Office and ask them to contact the School.

### KINDERGARTEN AND PRE PRIMARY ENROLMENTS FOR 2017

We still have places left in both Kindergarten and Pre Primary for 2017 for those students living within our boundary. If you have not enrolled yet or know of families who have not yet enrolled their children, please contact the Front Office directly.

### SCHOOL BOARD

The School Board meet for the final time this term on Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> November. The Board has already endorsed the School Development Days for 2017 and the Contribution and Charges for 2017. Appropriate letters to parents have been sent out in regards to these items. The Board will also review financial reports for 2016 and preliminary planning for 2017.

### NATIONAL SCHOOL OPINION SURVEY – PARENT AND COMMUNITY SURVEY 2016

It is a requirement that schools conduct the 'National School Opinion Survey' every two years. This survey is very brief and should not take more than 10 minutes. Students and staff will be completing a survey also. Please use the web address and the generic access code below to direct you to the survey. It is totally anonymous. Alternatively you can complete a hard copy that has been sent home with this newsletter and return it to the Office. **The close date for the survey is this Friday, November 4.** All families who notify us that they have completed the survey online or hand in a hard copy to the office will receive a raffle ticket for a chance to win a family prize. I would like to thank those families who have already completed the survey.

If you prefer to complete this survey online, please use this website address and access code: <https://www.schoolsurvey.edu.au/s/RCKsyFMh> Access Code: bC4ew34T

### SWIMMING LESSONS: PP – YEAR 6 Classes

We are over half way through our swimming lessons for this year. It is never an easy process to ensure over 270 children get access to such a vital program. It is not always smooth sailing with the organisation, however we persist in doing these lessons each year as it is such a critical skill to learn to keep children safe around water. It is great to see the children leave with such excitement each day and return greatly satisfied with their efforts. Importantly for staff, it makes the whole process worthwhile knowing that they are improving their ability with every lesson they do.

### AWARDS AND GRADUATION CEREMONIES

We have two Awards' Assemblies at the end of the year. The first is the Pre Primary to Year 5 Class Awards Ceremony which will be held on Friday 9<sup>th</sup> of December commencing at 9.00 am. Parents are encouraged to attend to see how well our students have achieved this year. The Year 6 Graduation Ceremony will be held on Tuesday, 13<sup>th</sup> December and will start at 9.00am. This will be followed by a morning tea with the parents of the graduating students. We are looking forward to seeing all of our families come and farewell the Year 6 students from Roseworth PS.

## BOOK FAIR, ART SHOW and OPEN AFTERNOON

In Week 6 we will be having our annual BOOK FAIR. This is a great opportunity to purchase good quality books at reasonable prices and all purchases help our Library too. The Book Fair is on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of Week 6 and we are combining the Book Fair on Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> November with our "Open Afternoon" and "Art Show". We are inviting parents/carers to come to school and have a picnic lunch and then visit classroom during the afternoon to be part of some Health related activities with your children. Mrs Smith has been very busy coordinating our Art Program during the year and much of our student work will be on display on Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> November during our "Open Afternoon". The Art Show will be in the undercover area and the Art Room and we invite you to look at the fantastic work our students are doing as we have many budding artists! The focus of the Open Afternoon will be Health and we would like to showcase some of the activities and strategies we are implementing in the classrooms on a regular basis. Please come along and join in the fun with our classes. Please invite Grandma and Grandpa too!!!

## OFFICEMAX PERSONAL ITEMS REQUIREMENTS FOR 2017

We understand that getting your child ready for the New Year can be stressful, so OfficeMax has teamed up with our school to save you time and money! OfficeMax Schools is an online store where you can order all of your school supplies for the year with just a few clicks of a button. Information has been sent to families recently and Officemax has indicated the following:

- Orders placed on or before 4th December will be delivered free of charge before the end of December 2016.
- Orders placed between 5th December and 18th December 2016 will incur a delivery fee of \$9.95 and be delivered by 25<sup>th</sup> January 2017.
- Orders placed after 18th December 2016 will incur a delivery fee of \$19.90. Unfortunately, delivery of orders placed after 18<sup>th</sup> December cannot be guaranteed before the start of Term 1, 2017.

**Chris Brackenreg**  
Principal

## ROSEWORTH PASSPORT PROGRAM

Please remember that all 2016 Passport Points must be redeemed by **Friday 25<sup>th</sup> November!** The points can be used to pay for school uniforms and school lunches.

**Scott Tapper**  
School Passport Co-ordinator

## DENTAL THERAPY NEWS

Children attending the Dental Therapy Clinic for a dental check-up will be posted an appointment letter to their home address. Parents should attend this appointment to receive information regarding their child's dental health, discuss treatment needs, update general health information and discuss management of any treatment needed.

If you cannot attend the appointment, please contact the clinic and alternative arrangements can be made. If you have moved house, please give your new address details to the Dental Clinic staff.

### HONOUR CERTIFICATES & AWARDS ASSEMBLY: 19<sup>th</sup> October 2016

<b>E2</b>	Edir, Lillybelle	<b>W1</b>	Mahdie, Riny
<b>E3</b>	Clarence, Oliver	<b>W2</b>	Chloe, Iqra, Nargis
<b>E4</b>	Destiny, James	<b>W3</b>	Ibrahim, Michael
<b>E5</b>	Cheyanne, Skye	<b>W4</b>	Isaac, Ryan
<b>E6</b>	Tyler, Jian	<b>W6</b>	Ethan
<b>N4</b>	Leo, Josephine	<b>W7</b>	
<b>N5</b>	Sara, Isa	<b>Central</b>	Aluel, Tamara
<b>Library E2, W4, W1 &amp; E1</b>		<b>Music Casey W3</b>	<b>Sports</b>

### ATTENDANCE AWARDS

Moluk W3, James E4, Sarah E1, Jo W2, Alexis W2, Jason W4

### PLAYGROUND & STUDENT LEADER AWARDS

Bodi W3, Dylan W2, Jennifer E6, Madison E6, Tammar N4, Aiden E2

You're invited to our

 SCHOLASTIC

# BOOK FAIR!



WHEN: **Week 6 (14<sup>th</sup>, 15<sup>th</sup>, 16<sup>th</sup> and 17<sup>th</sup> November)**

**Monday 14<sup>th</sup> - PREVIEW DAY (No Sales) –**

**Come in and make your wish list!**

**Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup>— BOOK FAIR SALES—**Before school, recess and Lunch

**Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup>—BOOK FAIR SALES—**Before school, recess and  
Lunchtime (PLUS afterschool and during Open Day / Art Show )

**Thursday 17<sup>th</sup>—BOOK FAIR SALES—**Before school, Recess  
and Lunch time

WHERE: **ECU Room (Off the Library)**

## LIBRARY NEWS

Book Fair is almost here! The countdown is on!

Reading for pleasure, inside and outside of school, has real and long-lasting benefits. It unlocks the power of information and imagination and helps children discover who they are. Here's what you can do to help children develop stronger reading skills and a love for reading:

- **Set the example. Let children see you read.**
- **Have a collection of books in the home. Update this collection routinely to keep pace with changing tastes and reading skills.**
- **Support our school's Book Fair. Allow your children to choose their own books to read.**

Our Scholastic Book Fair is a reading event that brings to school the books kids want to read. It's a wonderful selection of engaging and affordable books for every reading level. Please make plans to visit our Book Fair and be involved in shaping your child's reading habits

We look forward to seeing you and your family at our Book Fair! Remember, all purchases benefit our school.

If anyone is able to spare a little bit of time to become a Book Fair volunteer, please see me in the Library.

**Kaylie Brooker**  
Library Officer

## COMMUNITY NEWS

### ROSEWORTH CHILD AND PARENT CENTRE

#### **Support Group for Children with Additional Needs**

Parents, grandparents and carers of children with additional needs are invited to come along to the support group.

Date: Tuesday 1 November and Tuesday 6 December 2016

Time: 9.30am to 11.00am

Venue: Child and Parent Centre - Roseworth 1 Stoke Court, Girrawheen

RSVP: Telephone: 9342 6363 or [cpcroseworth@thesmithfamily.com.au](mailto:cpcroseworth@thesmithfamily.com.au)

#### **Heart Beat Club First Aid for Parents**

The Heart Beat Club is for carers of children under five years of age. This free three hour session covers CPR and first aid for common childhood injuries such as choking, poisoning and burns. Crèche available and bookings essential.

Date: Thursday 10 November 2016

Time: 9.30am to 12.00pm

Venue: Child and Parent Centre - Roseworth 1 Stoke Court, Girrawheen

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