



## ROSEWORTH PRIMARY SCHOOL

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### COMING EVENTS

#### DECEMBER

1<sup>st</sup>

P&C Meeting  
2pm

7<sup>th</sup>

Lunchtime Disco

9<sup>th</sup>

PP-Yr 5 Awards  
9am

13<sup>th</sup>

Yr 6 Graduation  
9am

14<sup>th</sup>

Graduation  
Excursion

15<sup>th</sup>

Last day of  
Term 4

#### JANUARY

30<sup>th</sup> & 31<sup>st</sup>

Uniform Shop  
open  
9am – 12pm

#### FEBRUARY

1<sup>st</sup>

Students  
commence  
Term 1 2017

### END OF THE TERM PROCEDURES

It is now Week 8 and school finishes for students and staff on the afternoon of Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> of December. This leaves us just a couple weeks to finish off the 2016 school year. It is always a hectic time, with a number of important events to undertake before we close the gates for the last time this year. We will have one more newsletter in the final week which will wrap up our 2016 year.

Everyone on the staff at Roseworth offers our sincere thanks to our Parents/Carers who have worked so closely with our school to allow us to have such a successful school year. 2016 has been action packed and there are bigger and better things to come for Roseworth in 2017. We are looking forward to a restful break and then commencing the 2017 school year with excitement and eagerness.

### IMPORTANT 2017 SCHOOL DATES

There are a number of dates that Parents/Carers should put on their 2017 calendar.

- The Front Office of the school will be open on Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> January 2017. It will be closed, however, for the public holiday on Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> January 2016.
- The Uniform Shop will be open on Monday 30<sup>th</sup> and Tuesday 31<sup>st</sup> January 2017 from 9am – 12pm.
- Students commence school on Wednesday, 1<sup>st</sup> February 2017.

### AWARDS AND GRADUATION CEREMONIES

We have two important Assemblies at the end of the year. The first is the PP - 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.

### VIEW CLUB PERFORMANCE AND SMITH FAMILY CHRISTMAS APPEAL Next Week

Each year, representatives of our school are chosen to sing at a Smith Family event to celebrate the support that has been given to our school by the West Coast View Club. This is a group of ladies who support our school each year by raising funds for the school and providing volunteers to assist in the school. Students from Year 1 & 2 were chosen this year to present Christmas songs at the View Club's annual Christmas Lunch. We have also been asked to sing at the launch of The Smith Family Xmas appeal at the Claremont Showgrounds on the 7<sup>th</sup> Dec. This will be attended by the Governor and media to promote the appeal. Our sincere thanks go to Mrs Weldon, Mrs Kelly and Mrs Hawkey who are all helping to coordinate these events.

### VOLUNTEER'S MORNING TEA – MONDAY 12<sup>th</sup> DECEMBER at 10:30

We will host a Thank You Morning Tea for the volunteers who make our lives at school so much better by assisting throughout the school in a wide range of roles. We very much appreciate the work that is done by this special group of volunteers and thank them sincerely for the efforts that they have given to the school throughout 2016. We look forward to being able to thank all those people who have assisted us in so many different capacities over the year. Obviously we would like all P&C and School Board members to attend and extend this to any community member who has supported the School or P&C throughout 2016.

### PLANNING FOR 2017

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. The class lists will be placed on the notice board by Tuesday 31<sup>st</sup> January 2017.

### **STAFF GOODBYES**

**Mrs Chau Pham** has been a long standing EAL/D Education Assistant at the school for 15 years (at both Montrose PS and Roseworth PS). She recently retired from her role here and we wished her well at a small function the staff organised. She has provided great support to the staff, students and their families and we thank her for her contribution to the school. Chau has been an integral part of the Playgroup initiative and has worked with Mrs Warren in the EAL/D Program. She has been a great asset to the school and she will be missed. We wish her well in her retirement.

**Mrs Katie Critchley** went on Maternity Leave at the beginning of this week and will remain on leave for the first half of 2017. We wish both her and Rory, her husband, all the best for the safe arrival of their first baby. Mrs Critchley will resume back at Roseworth PS in the second half of the year in 2017.

### **FINAL P & C MEETING**

Out final P & C Meeting will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2.00pm in the Staff Room. The 2016 year has been another very successful year for the P & C with a very active year of fundraising and supporting the school. It takes a lot of hard work and hours of volunteer time to generate the type of support the P & C offers and I offer the sincere thanks from all of us to the current committee for supporting our school so well once again this year.

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

Our school administration is spending a great deal of time planning for next year and we need to know precise 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 appropriately.

### **THANK YOU LUNCHEES – Student Leaders & Faction Captains and SPS Team**

We have been very pleased with the wonderful leadership qualities of our Student Leaders and Faction Captains this year and would like to reward them and celebrate their great achievements by having a lunch with them be next Thursday, 8<sup>th</sup> Dec. The Canteen will be catering for this event and we thank Jane and her volunteers for their terrific work. Our 2016 Student Leaders have been outstanding and have all undertaken their role with reliability and confidence and we are very proud of them.

We have also been very proud of our SPS Team who have trained hard to be mentors and mediators in the playground during the year. These students have assisted both teachers and students right throughout the year and have done this in a very mature manner. The SPS Team will be having a celebratory lunch with Mrs Barker and the Admin Team next Tuesday, 6<sup>th</sup> December. Lunch will be provided by our wonderful Canteen.

**Sue Brockman**

**A. Principal**

### **PASSPORT PROGRAM UPDATE**

The Passport Program at Roseworth Primary School is designed to reward parents and caregivers for their contributions to school activities throughout the school year. For each activity that is attended, points are accumulated. Points can be redeemed to pay for:

- **Excursions and Incursions**
- **Uniforms**
- **School fees**
- **Canteen purchases**
- **Swimming Lessons**

The new Passport for 2017 will be issued in WEEK 9 of TERM 4. All parents (including existing Passport holders) will be required to complete a new application form and working with children check declaration to claim this new passport. This ensures the safety of all children within the school and for the school to meet its reporting requirements. Any term 4 attendance above 92% will be added to this new Passport.

**Mr Tapper**

**Passport Coordinator**

## LIBRARY NEWS

Book Fair 2016 was a massive success, thanks to all those who purchased something from the Fair. Altogether, we spent roughly \$3,800 dollars and purchased 260 odd books plus a myriad of posters, pens and pencils. As a result, we earned \$1,147.00 worth of FREE books for our school Library! What a mammoth effort. Thank you and well done! I am always on the lookout for feedback so please swing by the library or the front office and see me if you have any comments or feedback about Book Fair.

Please note that the last issue of 2016 Book Club has gone home, with the due date of Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> December. Any orders made should arrive before Term 4 finishes.

**Miss Brooker**  
**Library Officer**

## P&C NEWS

It has been a busy year for Roseworth PS P&C and we thank you for your support and generosity with our fundraising events. We look forward to working with our Roseworth community members in 2017.

### **P&C Meeting – next meeting Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> December**

Last Roseworth P&C meeting for Term 4 is this Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> December. Meetings are held in the school staffroom at 2pm. Everyone is welcome. Your ideas, perspective and input are important.

### **Uniform Shop Opening Times**

Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> December 2pm - 3.30pm (Clearance sale)

Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> December 8.45am – 9.15am (Closed 9<sup>th</sup> – End of Year Award Assembly)

Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> December 8.45am – 9.15am (Last day of school)

Back to School 2017 Openings: Monday 30<sup>th</sup> and Tuesday 31<sup>st</sup> January 9am -12 noon.

### **Uniform Clearance – Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> December, 2pm Undercover Area**

2017 will see the introduction of higher quality school uniforms; result from 2016 Survey. Sadly, this will lead to increase in uniform prices. We are discounting our current stock. All stock is valid school uniform and can be worn every day. It will be first in, first served. Cash or Roseworth Dollars only.

| <b><u>ITEM</u></b>        | <b><u>CURRENT PRICE</u></b> | <b><u>CLEARANCE PRICE</u></b> | <b><u>2017 PRICE</u></b> |
|---------------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------------------|--------------------------|
| Polo Shirt (dark & light) | \$ 18.50                    | \$15                          | \$ 20                    |
| V-Neck Jumper             | \$ 19                       | -                             | \$ 20                    |
| Jacket                    | \$ 30                       | -                             | \$ 30                    |
| Cargo Short               | \$ 17                       | \$ 5                          | Deleted Item             |
| Basketball Short          | \$ 11                       | \$ 8                          | \$ 18                    |
| Skort – old design        | \$ 12.50                    | \$ 5                          | Deleted Item             |
| Skort – new design        | -                           | -                             | \$ 20                    |
| Fleecy Track Pants        | \$ 17.00                    | -                             | \$ 19                    |
| Faction Shirt             | \$ 12.00                    | \$10                          | \$ 10                    |
| Cap                       | \$ 8.50                     | -                             | Deleted Item             |
| Slouch Hat                | -                           | -                             | \$ 10                    |
| Hijab                     | \$ 7.50                     | -                             | \$ 7                     |

### **Christmas Raffle – Drawn Friday 9<sup>th</sup> December at the PP-Yr5 Assembly**

This year, make your Christmas special with Roseworth P&C's Christmas raffle. Tickets have been sent home with all students. Cost is \$1 per ticket. More tickets can be purchased from the Canteen or Front Office. Great prizes up for grab; food hampers, gift cards, games table, children's bike and gift hampers. Please return your tickets and money to the Front Office or Canteen by 9am Friday 9<sup>th</sup> December. Good luck to all.

### **School Banking - Friday 8.30am in The Child and Parent Centre**

Thank you to all who have participated in school banking during 2016. Last day for banking will be Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> December. Thank you to Gail Brown and volunteers who have co-ordinated this program. School banking will return in 2017.

**Roseworth P&C**

## SCHOOL DENTAL CLINIC HOLIDAY ARRANGEMENTS

The Roseworth School Dental Therapy Centre will be closed from Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> December 2016 until Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> January 2017. In case of dental emergency please call: Mt Henry Dental Therapy Centre, 43 Mt Henry Road, Salter Point on 93130555 between the hours of 8.15am and 4.30pm, Monday to Friday excluding public holidays. For After Hours and Public Holiday emergency dental care telephone 64573452.

| HONOUR CERTIFICATES & AWARDS<br>ASSEMBLY: 23 <sup>rd</sup> November 2016   |                          |           |                      |
|--|--------------------------|-----------|----------------------|
| <b>E1</b>  | Cheyanna, Joseph, Narjes | <b>W1</b> | Zahra, Shondelle     |
| <b>E2</b>  | Lucus, Vienna            | <b>W2</b> | Oscar                |
| <b>E3</b>  | Aayesha                  | <b>W3</b> | Taimana, Alemayoh    |
| <b>E4</b>  | Logan, Gabriel           | <b>W4</b> | Annalise, Ryan, Kyle |
| <b>E5</b>  | Jacob, Phillip           | <b>W7</b> | Emily                |
| <b>N4</b>  | Isabella, Alkira         | <b>C1</b> | Chris                |
| <b>N5</b>  | Meagan, Nam, Aaron       | <b>C2</b> | Orlando              |
| <b>VALUES AWARDS</b>   |                          |           |                      |
| <b>Confidence:</b> Earl W2 <b>Getting Along:</b> William N5 <b>Resilience:</b> Ela W1<br><b>Persistence:</b> Nathan E5 <b>Organisation:</b> Mehdi W2 |                          |           |                      |
| <b>ATTENDANCE AWARDS</b>   |                          |           |                      |
| Brandon E3, Ibrahim W3, Tammar N4, Annalise W4, Emily N4, Romeo P2   |                          |           |                      |
| <b>PLAYGROUND AND STUDENT LEADERS AWARDS</b>   |                          |           |                      |
| Taleah E5, Sam N5, Adrian N5, Genaya E5, Dashnyl E2, Chanelle E2   |                          |           |                      |
| <b>LOTE AWARD</b>  |                          |           |                      |
| Diana E4   |                          |           |                      |

## COMMUNITY NEWS

### SUMMER CRICKET CAMP

Complete Youth Cricket Development (CYCD) Join us on **January 9<sup>th</sup> till the 12<sup>th</sup>**, 9.00am to 1.00pm each day for 4 days of cricket fun. Western Warriors players will visit the camp. Cost \$120 – Early bird offer before Jan 1<sup>st</sup> (save 10%) Call David Virgo on 0439 091 418 or email [info@cycd.com.au](mailto:info@cycd.com.au)  
[www.cycd.com.au/services/summer-holidays-cricket-camp/](http://www.cycd.com.au/services/summer-holidays-cricket-camp/)



Santa  
Bouncy Castles  
Animal Farm  
Eco Faeries  
Nyoongar Sports  
Pyjama Drama and  
Storytime

Bring a picnic  
blanket to sit on  
and enjoy a free  
sausage sizzle and  
entertainment by  
Night Fever



Please be sun  
smart and  
bring hats and  
water bottles

# Girradoola Community Christmas Event

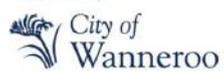


Sunday 4 December, 1pm-3pm  
Roseworth Primary School  
Stebbing Way, Girrawheen

Parking is very limited, please walk where possible  
*Strictly a no smoking and no alcohol event.*

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