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THURSDAY 10th August 2017

Upcoming Events

Friday	11 th August	Interschool Sports - HOME v Charles La Trobe
Tuesday	15 th August	ICAS Maths Assessment Footsteps Dance Program
Thursday	17 th August	Whole School Dream Puppets Incursion
Friday	18 th August	Interschool Sports - HOME v Banyule

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Principal's Report

Dear families and friends,

On Monday, our teachers had a fantastic opportunity to work with the teachers from Hurstbridge Primary School, as we listened to Wayne Craig speak about the Curiosity and Powerful Learning Strategy. One of the major points of focus included discussion around preparing our students for living, working and finding success in a rapidly changing world. We particularly challenged ourselves to understand the concept of high expectations for our students and aiming for excellence, whilst allowing our students to have input into their learning and have a say in how they learn. It was a fabulous day, and once again, was an example of the commitment and teamwork that our staff show every day.

PRINCIPAL'S DAY

Thank you to everyone who made me feel very special during Principal's Day celebrations recently. I think I am the luckiest principal in Victoria, as I have amazing staff working with me and a fabulous community of students and families. Thanks for making my day.

NETBALL REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

Today our netballers have been off competing against other regional teams. I am sure that they have shown fantastic sportsmanship and played to the best of their abilities. Well done on making it to this advanced level of competition.

PARENT OPINION SURVEY

This week the online parent opinion survey opened for completion. A random sample of approximately 30% of our families will have received an email with a link to complete the survey. We hope that, if you received this email, you will take a short time to answer the questions. All responses to the survey are anonymous. The survey helps our school gain an understanding of how you view our school climate, student engagement, and relationships. Our school will use the results to inform school planning and improvement strategies.

PREP 2018 ENROLMENTS

We have received many enrolments for prep in 2018 already. This term, we continue to conduct school tours to support families to make a decision on the best school for their child. In the next few weeks we will be sending out information about our orientation program, which will begin at the end of this term and continue throughout term 4. This information will only be sent to enrolled families, so, if you have a child who will turn 5 before the end of April 2018, and intend to enrol at school for next year, please contact the office for an enrolment form. That way you can be sure that you will receive all relevant information. Please share this information with extended family or friends who may not have access to this newsletter.

Heather McIntosh

Principal

Assistant Principal's Report

OUR PLACE

Sharon Hunter, our Canteen Manager, has reported the first sighting of our Tawny Frogmouths. At this time of year they are preparing to nest just outside the 1/2 building. Keep an eye out and see if you can spot their nest. We look forward to seeing what might emerge in the coming warmer months.

It is a good chance to remind people that we always appreciate help to keep our school in ship shape condition. If you would like to raise your hand to help maintain our nature strips and grass covering then please contact Craig Lazzaro, our School Council Facilities Sub Committee Convener on 0402 349 271.

WORKING BEE

Many have noticed the garden bed being completed at the base of our flagpoles. We are hopeful that our next working bee will focus on establishing a similar garden on the opposite side of the entry pathway. We encourage as much help as possible to ensure this task is completed in the two hours allocated. Put the day in your diary - **Saturday 9th September between 10am and 12noon.**

VOLUNTEER INDUCTION – STAYING SAFE

Volunteers at Rosanna PS complete an amazing array of tasks, from managing the uniform shop, to reading with students. They help pump energy and learning into our community and we value all their roles. To ensure we continue to incorporate them into the school, we have prepared a brief orientation or induction manual that ensures that all Volunteers are clear about their roles, safety and are supported in their work. Over the coming weeks, volunteers who are currently listed on our database will receive an email along with the Volunteer Induction Manual and a checklist to be returned to the office. Hard copies of this manual and checklist can be read and signed at the office, or volunteers may wish to return the checklist to our email. This is another way we can ensure all are safe while at school! If you have any questions or concerns please do not hesitate to speak with me.

ANAPHYLAXIS AND ALLERGIES

Anaphylaxis is a severe, rapidly progressive allergic reaction that is potentially life threatening. The most common allergens in school aged children are peanuts, eggs, tree nuts (eg. cashews), cow's milk, fish and shellfish, wheat, soy, sesame, latex, certain insect stings and medication.

At Rosanna PS it is important that the whole school community collaborate to better understand how to provide a safe and supporting environment for all students, including students with severe allergies. There are many actions staff take to ensure the exposure risks of students with anaphylaxis are minimised. Staff are involved in regular training and rehearse a range of scenarios in order to respond to emergency situations. Preventative plans are developed in consultation with teachers, parents and the Principal. Students also are reminded of their role. Food sharing at eating breaks is discouraged and the seriousness of allergies is emphasised by teachers.

Carers have a significant role to play as well. While Sharon Henderson, our First Aid Officer, consults with parents/carers of students at risk of anaphylaxis to ensure that all diagnosed students have a current Individual Anaphylaxis Management Plan, other parents play an important role. Notes are sent home at the beginning of the year identifying the allergies of students in each classroom and area. Any food that is brought into the classroom to be shared with others will need to be negotiated with teachers. Teachers are required to implement a range of preventative strategies to ensure any potential exposure to allergens is minimised. Your support in caring for students with allergies is greatly appreciated. If you have any questions or concerns please speak with Sharon Henderson, our First Aid Officer or myself.

Jeff Jackson

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Assistant Principal

Students Of The Week & House Cup Winner

STUDENTS OF THE WEEK

Congratulations!

- ★ Prep C – Mei
- ★ Prep S – Indiana & Caroline
- ★ 1/2 T – Lily & Sam
- ★ 1/2K – Dejanna & Jason
- ★ 1/2W – Jacob
- ★ 1/2F – Cooper & Lola
- ★ 3/4P –
- ★ 3/4L – Behtany & Kelissta
- ★ 3/4W – Abbey
- ★ 4/5S – Ella
- ★ 5/6T – Leo
- ★ 5/6L – Chiedza
- ★ 5/6B – Alannah



Yearly Totals:

Golden Wattle = 7 Points
Blue Gum = 7 Points
Red Waratah = 6 Points
Green Grevillea = 5 Points

Sports News

Interschool Sports

Tomorrow we play Charles La Trobe at home. Bat Tennis and Soccer will be played at school. Softball will be played at Macleod Park. Games begin at 12.15pm. All children in the tennis program need to bring \$4.00.

Good Luck to all teams!!!

Canteen News

This weeks grade 6 helpers are Jessie and Lachlan, thankyou boys for your terrific assistance. Many thanks also to the wonderful team of parent helpers. Parent rosters were sent home last week, if you haven't received your copy, spare copies are available. If you are interested in volunteering for canteen duty this term, please drop by the canteen or pop a note in my pigeonhole.

This week your child should have received a form inviting them to participate in a special morning tea on Wednesday, 23rd of August. Your child has a choice of a muffin and a drink for a total of \$5.50. All forms with payment are due back by Wednesday, 16th of August. Unfortunately late orders cannot be accepted.

Roster

Monday	14/8	-	CLOSED
Tuesday	15/8	-	
Wednesday	16/8	-	
Thursday	17/8	-	
Friday	18/8	-	Sonia





SCHOOL FAIR MEETING

Wednesday August 16th
@ 7pm in Chandler Hall



Can all parents that have nominated to co-ordinate a stall please attend this meeting, as we will be distributing important information. Contact Nicole 0403 230 412

August Fair Collection.....

This month we are collecting Lucky Dip Prizes. If each of our Rosanna families donated one or more Lucky Envelope or Lucky Dip prizes it would greatly assist our fair.

Please ensure no second hand goods are donated.

Suggestions:

- Vouchers (goods & services)
 - iTunes
 - Woolworths
 - Hair/Beauty
 - Bunnings
 - Restaurant
 - Play centres
- Appliances
- Sporting goods
- Platters/Glasses
- Stickers/Stationery
- Colouring Books/Pencils
- Candles/Craft



** Donations can be made to your class teacher or to the labelled box at the school office

Father's Day Stall.....

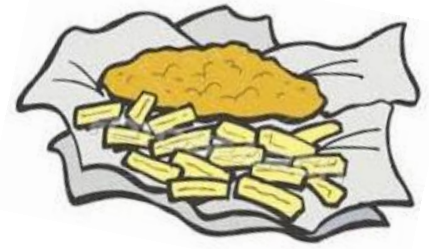
Our **Father's Day stall** will take place on **Thursday 31st of August**. The children have a fantastic time choosing special gifts for their dads, grandparents or any special person in their lives. There will be gifts ranging from \$1 to \$8. Please see the flyer further into this newsletter for more information. So much effort goes into planning and we rely on volunteers to help set the stall up and sell the items. If you can spare a few hours, please fill in the form attached to the flyer and return it to school ASAP.





5 Cent Challenge!!

Each grade needs to collect as many 5c pieces as they can. In the last week of the term we will total up which grade has raised the most money from the 5c pieces and they will be rewarded with a hot chip & potato cake lunch.



Scouts Monster Raffle



RAFFLE TICKETS ARE DUE BACK TOMORROW

So please get your money and tickets back to the office ASAP.
Please also return any unsold tickets.

Thank you for helping raise funds for our school.



OSHClub

Hi Everyone



Last week, the children enjoyed our Green Machine program.

The most popular activities were Magic Frogs and Celery painting. The children also enjoyed our planned and unplanned games and activities, such as, chess, Uno, Battleships and making things out of Lego and Zoob. The children also enjoyed playing the following games: - Octopus game, Poison ball, Hand ball, Dodge ball, All in tag and much more.

Bookings:

Over the last few weeks our numbers in After school care and Before school care have increased. If you would like your child, or children to be booked in, can parents and carers please book in advance, (unless it's an emergency) so we can sort out staffing arrangements. This is for the safety and wellbeing of your children, as an extra pair of eyes makes a big difference in ensuring everyone is well cared for.

Account inquiry information:

Over the last few weeks, we've had parents wanting to discuss financial issues regarding their accounts. We can provide you with basic information, such as costs of the service, but cannot provide further information regarding Centrelink payments (CCT and CCB), nor to sort out your financial concerns. For Centrelink payments, please contact them direct and they will be able to assist you with these matters. However, if your inquiry is in regards to program payments, billing etc, please call the number below and have a chat to our customer service team. They are more than happy to discuss financial matters and concerns with you.

Term 3 2017 – Week 5 theme – The Clowns are coming to town!

Day	Before School	After School
Mon 14 th Aug	Art & Craft Make juggling balls	Game: Dress up relay!
Tues 15 th Aug	Game: Dress up relay!	Art & Craft: Make juggling balls
Wed 16 th Aug	Art & Craft: Make a paper circus train	Game: Children's choice
Thur 17 th Aug	Game: Bowling	Art & Craft: Paper circus trains
Fri 18 th Aug	Finish Up Friday	Finish Up Friday

DIRECT ROSANNA OSHCLUB PH #: 0427 966 146

Coordinator: Adam (BSC & ASC) Mon-Friday

Assistants: Fariba (BSC) Mon-Fri (ASC) Wed & Fri.
Brett (ASC) Mon, Tues and Thurs.
Angela (ASC) Mon-Tue.

Head Office: 1300 395 735. **Hours:** - 8am-6pm

All families must be enrolled to attend the program, remember this is free! Please create an account online at www.oshclub.com.au. All bookings and cancellations can also be managed via your online account. For on the day bookings, please contact the Coordinator directly. **Remember, you can cancel your booking within 24 hours and you will not be charged for the session.** When booking online, you can book for the entire year, monthly, termly, or whatever is convenient.



FATHER'S DAY STALL

Thursday 31st August 2017

We have a great range of quality items from \$1 to \$8

Thrill your Special Person with a present from the Father's Day Stall from School!!

Each grade will visit the stall where teachers and FORPS volunteers will assist students to purchase gifts for Fathers, Grandfathers, or a significant person.

If possible, send your money along in a wallet or zip lock bag. A plastic shopping bag would also help to transport this very special, **surprise** gift home!



Father's Day Stall – Volunteer Form

Thursday 31st August 2017

	Tick if you are available	Contact Name & Number
Stall Set Up - Wed 30th 2.30pm to 3.30pm		
Session 1 9.00am to 11.00am (5 helpers required)		
Session 2 11.30am to 1.30pm (5 helpers required)		

Please return to the office ASAP!!!! Or reply via email to rosanna.ps@edumail.vic.gov.au



Open Morning Wednesday 23 August 9.30am - 11.00am

With access to over 150 co-curricular opportunities and academic results in the top 5% of the state, our students are immersed in a culture of success and personal achievement.

Visit thenextgen.com.au or call **8862 1000** to register.

**Catholic Day & Boarding School
All Girls Prep-12; Co-ed ELC
301 Cotham Road, Kew Vic 3101**



**GENAZZANO
PCJ COLLEGE**



Macleod College German Christmas Market



Where: Macleod College Car Park and G Block

When: 11th August 2017 5pm – 9pm

What: A range of stalls, activities for young and old, raffle, gingerbread man decorating, face painting, and best of all FOOD!



Earn & Learn is on again


Start collecting today

Anyone can help our school earn amazing resources:

- Earn one sticker for every \$10 spent at Woolworths*.
- Complete Sticker Sheets.
- Drop Sheets in a Collection Box for our school!.

Runs 26 July to 19 September 2017.

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Love Your Bookshop Day #LYBD (previously known as National Bookshop Day) is a day when you can celebrate the fact that you have a local bookshop.

For a while we were a dying breed but with the support of a local community we can keep going on shopping strips and in regional centres. In Fairfield we are lucky enough to have quite a number of authors who have over the past few years have come down and talked to customers about books and reading. We have some of the regulars back and some new authors too.

The schedule will be as follows:

11am-12noon Jen Storer

11.30-12.30 Emma Viskic

12noon-1pm Kylie Ladd

12.30-1.30pm Zana Fraillon

1pm - 2pm Fran Cusworth

1.30-2.30 Dr Samantha Grover

1.30-2.30 Lennox Nicholson

2-3 Fiona Harris & Scott Edgar

2-3 Sally Rippin

