

Newsletter

Our school values: Honesty • Empathy • Co-operation • Trust • Respect **29th June. 2017**

"Achieving Excellence Together"

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Dear Parents and Guardians.

I am excited to inform our school community that Gwen Pringle will be returning to our school at the beginning of next term as the Community Hub worker. Gwen is known to our community, respected by all and will have an impact in her new role.

It is regrettable to inform our school community that Maggie Temos will take up a position at Mernda Primary School starting next term. Maggie introduced our school to Read Write Inc as well as taking on the responsibilities of coordinating the Prep Team, transition program and Ready, Set, Go Program to our school. We wish her all the best.

3 Way Conference

Yesterday was a wonderful opportunity for you to meet and get to know your child's teacher and strengthen the positive and respectful relationships we have with each other. I heard from parents throughout the afternoon and evening of the achievement of their child(ren)..

I also had meetings with parents of students that have missed a lot of days through absence. There were commitments made to ensure their child attends school.

At Assembly this week we have Callum shaving his head to raise funds for the Leukaemia Foundation at 1:45 – 2:20 and a performance from Jam Hot at 11:30-12.30.

Have a safe and exciting holiday

Kind Regards Ric Social Networking is the use of software such as Facebook, YouTube, Instagram, What's App and many others. We use them for Social Connections, Social Status and Social Identity. Unless we know the people who connect to us, it could be anyone. Protecting our children from unwanted Cyberbullying, Grooming, and Sexting is our major concern. We increase the risks by:

- Sharing too much information
- Not protecting personal information (i.e., iCloud & other form of online storage)
- Treating online friends as real friends

What can parents do to protect their children?

- Stay involved in your child's use of new technology – Set up your own account and learn about privacy settings
- Check the age restrictions for the social networking service or game – Users need to be 13+ for mainstream sites like Facebook, Instagram and others
- Advise your child to set their account to private
- Encourage the steps of STOP,
 THINK, DO think before posting
- Monitor online activities have the computer somewhere busy or where you can see
- Learn how to keep a copy of online conversation
- Teach your child to report any abuse or inappropriate content to the social networking sites
- Turn off Location Services
- Discuss expectations (ie., rule around giving out Wi-Fi password and establish time limits0
- Contact ISP Last resort

OSHC

For Outside School Hours
Care please contact Camp
Australia on 1300 105 343

DATES TO REMEMBER

- 30th June Leukaemia fundraiser
- 30th JUNE Jam Hot Concert 11:30am -12.30pm
- 30th June Last day of School – 2:30 dismissal
- 17th July First day of Term 3
- 8th 14th August Book Fair

Principal Award

Malaq Saidi 3A

Honesty- handing into the office lost money. Well done!

Staff Award

Emma Wilson!

For the care and thoughtfulness you put into our students and their learning.

YOU CAN DO IT AWARD

Jessie 2A Tatiana 2C Khadija 4B

2017 Student Resources

Families please note 2017 Student Resources are due in full by 30th June 2017.

This fee covers the cost of children's book packs, specialist programs (Art, Music etc), ICT, Reading Eggs, Mathletics, Lexile, photocopying and Life Skills

The cost per child is \$170.00

Please organise payment soon as possible. If you need assistance in organising a payment plan please feel free to speak to Karly or Heather in the office for assistance.

Thank you to for everyone that has already made payment.

OVERDUE CHOCOLATES

Dear Parents/Guardians,

We hope you enjoyed the Cadbury chocolates and we thank you for your support of our fundraiser. There were 50 chocolates in each box at \$1 each.

This is a reminder that your payment is now overdue.

Kind Regards,

Parents and Friends Roxburgh Park Primary

* DONATIONS NEEDED*





Tomorrow, Friday 30th June, Callum McCalister is shaving his head to raise money for the Leukaemia Foundation.

On this day you can also get your hair spray coloured or Henna for \$1.

All these proceeds will be donated to the Leukaemia Foundation.

If you would like to donate please follow the link below.

http://my.leukaemiafoundation.org.au/roxburghparkprimaryschool

Your support is much appreciated.

Regards Parents & Friends.



AUSSIE ROX CONCERT 2017



Dear Parents/Guardians,

This year there will be a whole school concert and your child/children will be performing. The theme of the concert is 'Australian rock music through the ages'.

The concert will be held on the 13th – 14th of September. More details regarding show times, venue and ticketing will be sent out at a later date.

For the concert we ask all students to start bringing in items of clothing for their costumes.

Please note that these items will be used in art and will be used to create a costume. Please see the list below as each grade will need to bring something different.

*The items need to be brought to school no later than Friday 28th of July

Grades	Clothing items			
Prep A & 1A	White t-shirt			
Prep B & 1B	Black t-shirt			
Prep C & 1C	Black t-shirt and black pants			
2A & 3A	Green or yellow t-shirt/singlet			
2B & 3B	White t-shirt			
2C & 3C	Plain, bright coloured t-shirt with no design (no black, white or grey)			
4A & 5A	Plain, bright coloured t-shirt with no design (no black, white or grey)			
4B & 5B	White t-shirt/top			
4C & 5C	t-shirt or Guernsey in any AFL team colours			
6A & 6B	Bright coloured t-shirts with no design (no black, white or grey)			
6C & 6D	White t-shirt			

If you need to purchase any of the above items, most are available at Kmart, Big W or Target at a reasonable price. Please bring these items in a bag with your child's name and grade clearly labelled and hand to the classroom teacher.

If you have questions or concerns regarding the clothing then please contact the school on 93039335

Regards

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Kira Verde Performing Arts Teacher Roxburgh Park Primary School

Upcoming Payments

All excursion money sent to school MUST be in an envelope or a zip-lock bag with the Child's name, grade and amount written clearly. Too many times we are receiving money with no accompanying details of which child to credit.

Event	Date of Event	Cost of Event	Payment Due
2017 Book Fees	Term 1	\$170.00	Due Now
Swimming	Term 3	\$90.00	30 th June



Congratulations to the Mathletics classes of the week

Gold - 4C Silver - 1C Bronze- 3C

Week ending 23rd June 2017

JAM HOT MUSIC CONCERT



PERFORMANCE DATE: Friday 30th JUNE

TIME: 11:30am - 12.30pm

VENUE: ROXBURGH PARK PRIMARY IN THE HALL

Enquiries please contact JASON STONEHOUSE 0419 872875 or jamhotmusic@hotmail.com



School Holiday time is here again and it is a time when you may be looking for activities for your children. Why not visit one of the libraries in Hume and join in some of the school holiday activites offered there?

You can become a library member for free and borrow books for holiday reading from any of the Hume Library branches or the Mobile Library in Roxburgh Park. Here is a link to the library events page.

http://www.humelibraries.vic.gov.au/Whats on/Events

Enjoy your holidays.

Chris Quayle



Help RPPS by Collecting Woolworths Earn & Learn Stickers starting July 26th

We are excited again to be taking part in the Woolworths Earn & Learn program. You can help our school by collecting Woolworths Earn & Learn stickers when you shop at Woolworths between Wednesday 26th July and Tuesday 19th September 2017. We will redeem these stickers for awesome educational resources for our school.

So ask grandparents, friends, neighbours & work colleagues to help us to collect stickers and fill as many sticker sheets as possible. Sticker sheets will be available next term.

We are grateful for your support and look forward to a successful program.

More information available next term.

Thankyou

Chris Quayle.