Dear Parents

Thank you all for a very warm welcome to Rosebank

I have had just the best time getting to know our beautiful students and finding out how things are done here. This is my time to listen and learn. Still, I couldn’t resist tweaking the newsletter just a little – the Year 4/5/6s and I are doing a little design renovation to prepare for our school Open Day and Orientation on the 20th.

This week, our learning was focused on improving our swimming skills. I witness the famous Rosebank sporting prowess. Our Senior students in particular are strong swimmers and very competitive. We have all had a wonderful time and special thanks goes to Mrs Hughes who organised the roster this year. By splitting the group so that one half has court games while the other has a lesson, children have had some quality intensive instruction. It has been so exciting to see some children promoted several times to more challenging groups.

In only a week, many of our Years 4/5/6 students are off to Canberra for their special trip. Today, we are sending home an information package home about all things Canberra. The final cost of the trip is $475. If you have some of that amount outstanding, please pop in and finalise when you can.

Abigail Sawyer
Proud Principal of Rosebank School

What’s ahead....

NO CANTEEN TOMORROW due to Swimming

WEEK 5
P&C Meeting: Tuesday 3.30pm
AusKick

WEEK 6
Canberra Trip:
Sunday to Thursday

WEEK 7
School Open Morning
Kinder Orientation 10.00-11.00
Thursday
**Class Awards**

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**Don’t forget...**

Our 2 fundraisers coming up this term: the **Bunnings BBQ on Sunday 23rd November** and the **Musical Night on Wednesday 10th December**. If you haven’t already put your hand up to help....pop on in.

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**From our student leaders**

This week, a family from the Northern Territory came to our school to check the school out. It’s good because then we can boost the numbers in our school. As School Captain, I’m encouraging everyone to tell their friends that Rosebank has a quality learning environment and we’d all like some more friends. People interested in coming should just come to the school and they’ll always be welcomed by students and teachers.

Felix Regnault, School Captain

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**Mr Pescia says...**

**PLEASE remember to bring your Charlie script to school every day!**

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**In Year 4/5/6:**

This week, as we get to know one another, we have been discussing our shared goals and ‘starting with the end in mind’. One of our goals is to share with the community how great our school is. Students wrote a persuasive text titled “Rosebank is unique and special because....” Here are a few favourites...

*If you like sport then you will like our court. You children will like it, I can guarantee that and we definitely play cricket with a cricket bat. (Gypsy)*

*Imagine being surrounded by lush, green forests, hearing kids laughing and birds chirping, bells ringing and leaves falling. You step outside to see your friends coming to greet you. You walk down the halls, teachers walk past and give you a smile. Oh, I love my school. (Torin)*

*With music, we have Mr Pescia as our teacher. He always teaches us new and different songs after we master the last and when all play together on either piano, bass, guitar or drums, the music booms through the library and the delightful sound echoes throughout the whole school. (Katarina)*