Dear Parents

Congratulations ARTSmarties: Elken, Felicity, Gypsy, Lucy and William

E is for Excellent
Expressions of interest! Stage Three students truly excelled themselves with the eloquent and persuasive words they wrote signalling their interest in attending ARTSmart. They were so incredibly good; I asked the organisers to consider allowing us to take more students this year. Congratulations all, you really earned your spots.

ZONE SWIMMING CARNIVAL

Way to go Shaylah, Lucy, Sai and Fergus. You did us proud at last Friday’s Zone Swimming Carnival, as did your parents who jumped through hoops to get you all there. Great work PP5 team and Shaylah, who swam

It begins….SMALL SCHOOLS SOCCER TRIALS TOMORROW

After considering input from parents and teachers, our plan for Small Schools Soccer in 2016 are as follows:

- The team will be coached by Dave Hughes (Nicky’s husband)
- Dave has offered to train the squad each Tuesday afternoon from 3.00-4.00pm
- Please let us know if your child has a commitment that would mean they cannot train at this time – we will endeavour to find a time that suits most players and the coach
- Fourteen children (Years 3 to 6) will be selected for Squad
- The 14 children selected will be the same 14 taken to Sydney
- Rosebank fields a mixed team (at least one girl)
- Any children who would like to play Soccer during school hours can. Friday Sport will include a Soccer option this Term and next. Squad members can choose the Soccer or Basketball option during school hours

During a very wet week at lunch the children have enjoyed playing with all the construction kits.

Chai and Tavi very proud of their tower they built.
Class Awards

K-3
Saskia: Excellent singing and a great ear for pitch
Sierra: PBL – Friendly Hands and Feet
Oliver: Showing enthusiasm to learn his letters and sounds
Cameron: Excellent word finding skills
Te: Enthusiastic participation in brain breaks

4-6
Kiara-Rose: Friendly Hands and Feet (PBL)
Ella: Expressive Narrative Writing
Sai: Encouraging Others

Interrelate THIS MONDAY!
Parents of Years 5 and 6 students, please return your permission forms as soon by tomorrow at the latest. Interrelate is held at Bexhill, where we join with students from other local small schools.
Sessions are as follows:
9.30-11.00 Year 6
11.30-1.00 Year 5
1.30-3.00 Year 6

Bob will take any children going on his bus at no charge. Parents must collect their children from Bexhill at 3.00pm. Any children planning to accept Bob’s generous offer should bring the attached consent form back to school tomorrow or on Monday. Children are to take their hats, a packed lunch and a water bottle.
Ms Sawyer will travel by car to Bexhill and meet the bus. She will supervise children during the day, attending sessions or working with other groups. Year Four students in Ms Sawyer’s class will work with Mrs K who will have Years 2, 3 and 4 students for the next two Mondays.

POSITIVE BEHAVIOUR FOR LEARNING
This week, our PBL Focus was Strive, Stretch and Sustain.
Next week: Own Your Actions

BOOK CLUB
Catalogues attached orders due into school by 21st March or parents can order online through the Parent LOOP.
Also important to return:
• Any school contributions yet to be paid (every little bit helps)
• Information Update notes

Abigail, Nicky, Sharley, Olly, Michelle, Kim, Helen
Rosebank Team

"The greatest danger for most of us is not that our aim is too high and we miss it but that it is too low and we reach it."
Michelangelo

We respectfully acknowledge the Elders past and present of the Wijabul Wiyabal people and other peoples of the Bundjalung Nation. They, the “Clever People”, are the first peoples of this land, which has long been a place of learning for Aboriginal people.