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Senior Class Major Excursion 2022

Dear Parents and Carers,

Our trip to Brisbane and the Sunshine Coast is just around the corner. This trip provides an amazing, educational experience and we must complete the essential details to ensure your child enjoys this action-packed trip. We are combining with Clunes Public School and Goolmangar Public School for this excursion and the final cost is \$633 per student.

The Consent and Medical/Dietary forms attached need to be completed and returned to Rosebank Public School office by **Monday 19 September**.

The final payment instalment is to be paid by **Friday 23 September 2022**.

Departure

Students need to be at Clunes Public School, top bus bay near the tennis courts at 6:30am on Tuesday 11 October. This will give your child time to adjust to the excitement, go to the toilet and be part of the introductory talk. The coach will begin loading at **7:00am promptly for a 7:15am departure.**

Mr. Priestley (Medical Officer) will be collecting all medication and recording these into a log.

Students will need to bring their own packed morning tea, fruit snack and lunch on the first day. Students will need to wear comfortable, casual clothes to suit the planned activities.

Returning Home

Students will need to be collected from Clunes Public School on Friday 14 October at approximately 7:00pm. Rosebank staff will inform parents via text if this time changes significantly.

Please ensure your contact details are written neatly and are easy to read. If you are arranging for a different adult to be collecting your child please inform Rosebank staff.

What not to Bring

- No lollies, chewing gum or junk food– These will be confiscated by teachers.
- No thongs, scuffs, sandals or heels.
- No umbrellas.
- No electronic games, ipods or similar devices.
- No MOBILE PHONES are to be brought on the excursion by students. All communication to and from home is to go through staff and will only be for emergency purposes.
- No cameras – some students are not allowed to have photos taken or have photos uploaded to the internet. Teachers will take photos and post them on our closed Rosebank Public School Facebook page.

What to Bring

- A small size suitcase and a day pack for the bus.
- Towel.
- Pillow.
- Sleeping bag or two sheets and a doona.
- Underwear for 3 nights and 4 days plus spares.
- Socks x 4 pairs.
- Clothing for 3 nights and 4 days. Sensible, comfortable clothes.
- Pyjamas. Keep in mind the temperature overnight can be as low as 3-4°C.
- 1 or 2 jumpers.
- 2 pairs of covered shoes. Students need to bring comfortable shoes as there will be lots of walking.
- Swimmers including a sun shirt.
- Toiletries including a toothbrush, toothpaste, hairbrush, deodorant (roll on or pump spray, no aerosols), small shampoo / conditioner, soap, face washer, and sunscreen.
- Plastic bags for dirty clothes and/or wet clothes.
- Water bottle.
- School hat.
- Poncho or raincoat.
- Labelled wallet with spending money - **\$30 maximum amount**. Remember to budget for this before buying souvenirs. There is no need to purchase something at every excursion stop. **Students are responsible for taking care of their own money.** Students will **not** be allowed to purchase food, snacks or drinks at vending machines or shops.

Please Remember

- Clothes need to be suitable for an excursion, no singlets, bare midriffs or short shorts please.
- Your child is carrying their suitcase so make sure they can lift it!
- **Everything must be labelled.**
- Pack clothes suitable for temperature change. A great idea for a school excursion is to place clothing for each day in an extra-large zip lock bag. The bag has the child's name and the day on it. Everything, including underwear is in the bag. Dirty clothes are placed back into the bag at the end of the day.

Medication

- All Rosebank school medication is to be handed to Mr Priestley before entering onto the bus. This includes Panadol, etc. **Medication must be in the original packaging, labelled with your child's name and clear doctor or pharmacist written instructions for**

the dosage. The medication must be listed on the medical form. Teachers are not able to administer any medication without this information.

Staying in Touch

We do not encourage children to phone home as this contributes to homesickness. This is an experience for your child to develop a little more independence and resilience. We will be monitoring students at all times and can assure you they will be extremely busy each day.

Communication in an Emergency

If an **emergency** occurs at home and you need to leave a message for staff to relay to your child:

1. During school hours, please contact the office at Rosebank Public School and messages will be conveyed to the excursion staff.
2. Mr Pescia will have the school mobile phone which is 0490022250. He will not be carrying the mobile phone around with him all day but will check it often. **Please only use this number in an out of office hours emergency.**

If you have any questions regarding camp or concerns that you would like to chat about please come to our meeting in person at Clunes Public School Monday 12 September 5:00pm or join us via zoom as it is very tricky answering individual parent questions on the morning of the trip.

The zoom link is:

<https://nsweducation.zoom.us/j/69018203361?pwd=WmZaUjdkaU4zeGlpS1NXV3hscDlhZU09>

Meeting ID: 690 1820 3361

Passcode: 624114

We are looking forward to having a great time!

Regards,

Juanita Thomson Oliver Pescia and Jack Priestley



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Clunes, Rosebank & Goolmangar Public Schools Brisbane Excursion 2022

Driver for the week: TBC

Tuesday 11th October 2022

Students to bring packed lunch, morning tea and afternoon tea from home

7:00am (NSW) Load coach
7:15am Depart Clunes Public School for Australia Zoo
9:30am (QLD) Morning tea
10:00am Arrive at Australia Zoo
School to make booking at Australia Zoo – education@australiazoo.com.au
2:00pm Depart Australia Zoo
3:00pm Swim Fit Beerwah – Free Swim time & Shower Booking No PENDING
4:00pm Depart for Sea Life
4:30pm Arrive at Sea Life for Adventure Camp Booking No 608619112
3-hour program with education staff
Overnight program at Sea Life
Foam mattresses for students and inflatable mattresses for teachers
Students to bring towel, pillow and sleeping bag/blanket
Dinner and supper

Wednesday 12th October 2022

7:00am Breakfast (collect packed lunches from Sea Life)
7:30am Depart Sea Life
9:00am Mt Coot-tha
10:30am Arrive for Cruise
10:45am St Helena Cruise including Educational Program on the Island Booking No RDFAPLD
Cruise departs from Wharf
Packed lunch
3:45pm Approx. arrival back from Cruise
Afternoon tea and free time in the playground
4:30pm Depart for YHA
5:15pm Arrive at Brisbane City YHA accommodation Booking No BRIC1210CLUN
6:30pm Dinner

Thursday 13th October 2022

6:30am Breakfast
Collect packed lunches and morning and afternoon tea
7:45am Depart Accommodation for Barge
9:00am Barge
9:50am Kingfisher Tours Program
Point Lookout Surf Club Accommodation
8:00pm Supper and optional movie/games night at the Accommodation



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Friday 14th October 2022

7:00am Breakfast
Collect packed lunches and morning and afternoon tea
9:00am Kingfisher Program
2:30pm Depart Dunwich for Cleveland
3:15pm (QLD) Depart for home
7:00pm (NSW) Arrive at Clunes Public School



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Dear Parents and Carers,

Please complete this consent note below and return to school office by Monday 19 September, 2022.

I give permission for my child/ren _____ to attend the Senior Class Major Excursion to Brisbane and the Sunshine Coast from Tuesday 11 October to Friday 14 October 2022. I understand this is a combined excursion with Clunes and Goolmangar Public Schools.

I understand travel is by seat belted bus. My child _____ does or does not (please circle) experience travel sickness.

There is a swimming activity planned. I give permission for my child to undertake a supervised, appropriate swimming activity. My child _____ can/cannot (please circle) swim 20 metres.

I give permission for staff to administer Panadol if required. I understand I will be contacted if Panadol is administered.

I give permission for staff to apply sunscreen and to supply and apply insect repellent if needed.

I acknowledge that this event/activity is required to be held in accordance with any current NSW Health COVID-19 Public Health Orders and the NSW Department of Education's policies and procedures. I acknowledge and accept that there is a risk that my child may be exposed to COVID-19 whilst attending and participating at this event. I confirm that my child will not attend if displaying any symptoms of illness, and/or if directed to isolate under public health orders.

Regards,

Juanita Thomson and the Rosebank Team

**Brisbane Sunshine Coast Excursion 2022
Medical & Dietary Information Form**

The information provided is being obtained for the purpose of ascertaining relevant medical information, requirements and other health care related needs about your child who is currently enrolled at the school and who will be participating in Rosebank Public School's Senior Class Excursion.

It will be used by officers of the NSW Department of Education and Training to assist planning, to support students, and to minimise risks when conducting school excursions, sporting or other school activities.

Other persons or agencies that may be provided with this information include, but are not limited to, volunteers and members of external organisations who join with the school or are otherwise involved in the planning or delivery of the excursion, sporting or other school activity; and persons that may be called upon to provide health care treatment or other assistance during or as a consequence of such excursions or activities.

Provision of this information is not required by law. However, a failure to provide the information may mean that your child can not participate in a particular excursion or school activity. In such circumstances the school will make available a sound alternative educational experience.

Provision of this information will significantly assist the school in planning a safer educational activity. It will be stored securely. If you have any concerns about provision of this information, please contact the school principal to discuss further.

You may correct any personal information provided at any time by contacting the school office.

Student name: *Class:*

Medicare number (optional)

Parent or caregiver contact details

Name:

Address:
.....

Home phone: *Work:* *Mobile:*

Doctor contact details

Name:

Address:
.....

Doctor's telephone: 1. 2.

Emergency contact(s) details (nominated by the parent or caregiver as alternate contact)

1. *Name:* *Phone:*

2. *Name:* *Phone:*

