



# Rosebank Public School

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**Newsletter**  
**Term 1 Week 4**



In the Dingoes (Wadjahbin), Marley  
for Pride in his Book Work



In the Dolphins (Gawandi), Jayde for  
insightful contributions to classroom  
discussions



In the Wombats (Julugrhan), Mollie  
for Sharp Focus on Learning

Dear Parents

Cometh the deluge! As I'm sure you've heard, Rosebank is expecting rain of biblical proportions on Friday. This is great news for (already overflowing?) rainwater tanks but has the potential to create a few dramas at our little school.

As we'd planned our **Welcome to Country and Badge Presentation** for this Friday, the P&C voted to postpone the ceremony until the very next dry day when our guest Elder can join us. We'll let you know when that will be via an update letter. We hope for a great turn-out so that we can truly honour both our Indigenous guest and our new student leaders, who are already excelling in their roles.

## What's ahead....

**CANTEEN is ON TOMORROW**

**Set-Up: Amelia Service: Greg & Lydia**

### TOMORROW

**POSTPONED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE:**

*Welcome to Country and  
Presentation of Badges*

**WEEKS 9 (23<sup>rd</sup> March) & 10 (30<sup>th</sup> March)**

**Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> March**

**STATE ELECTION: P&C CAKE STALL**

**Mondays 23<sup>rd</sup> and 30<sup>th</sup> March**

**Interrelate at Bexhill PS**

**Years 5/6 only**

Bridie Black, Ashley Daniels, Sai Toben and Lana Cotterill will represent our school at the Zone Swimming Carnival on February 26<sup>th</sup>. Well done Team! Please return permission notes to school.

Thanks to the generosity of Kingsley Haxton, DVDs of *Charlie and the Chocolate Factory* can be purchased from the office for the bargain price of \$10.

STOP PRESS – NO SCHOOL BUS TOMORROW

With heavy rain, transport to and from the school can also become problematic. If the expected rain arrives, **please check the school website for information**. Bob has informed us this morning that the bus will **NOT** be running tomorrow Friday 20<sup>th</sup> February. This announcement will also be broadcast on 900 2LM and ABC radio. All teaching and admin staff will be at school tomorrow and school will be open as normal. Parents will be required to transport their children to and from school if you are able. Please do not take any risks. It will be your decision if your child/children attend school tomorrow. In the rare event of a school closure, it will be announced first via the website, second via our email distribution list, third via SMS alerts and fourth via individual telephone calls. I'll also contact Peter or Fiona so that something can go up on the Rosebank Parents Facebook Page.

Thanks to the generosity of a several volunteers, our school will cater for a group of 28 or so Teaching Principals who will join us at Rosebank on **March 19<sup>th</sup> for a Teaching Principals Meeting**. If you feel able to contribute something yummy for Morning Tea or a dish for lunch (quiche, lasagne etc), we will be able to raise some additional funds by depositing monies paid for catering into the P&C Accounts.

Our Years 5 and 6 students will join Bexhill students at Bexhill PS for **Interrelate**. Permission forms have been sent out with this newsletter and are due back by **Friday 13<sup>th</sup> March**.

The **State Election is on March 28<sup>th</sup>** and our P&C is planning a Pop-Up Café selling coffee and cake. We hope that every family will bake and bring a lovely cake for us to sell. Year 6 are also plotting some money-making ventures for Election Day and will communicate their plans direct to their parents.

Thank you to all those who came along to our **P&C Meeting** on Wednesday and joined in the robust discussion about our class organisation. A special letter for parents of students in the Dolphins Room has gone home today and letters for other classes will follow.

One of the delights of the week has been having **parents join us** in our classrooms to support student participation in education programs. All volunteers helping in a classroom or the Canteen, please see Kim who will provide you with a form to be filled out you will be required to show some ID for points (eg. Drivers Licence, Medicare Card, Debit Card. This is a Departmental requirement.

**Abigail Sawyer**  
**Proud Principal of the Beautiful Rosebank Public School**



*We respectfully acknowledge the Elders past and present of the Wijabal 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.*

Class Awards	
K/1	Sundari: Super Maths Skills Quinn: Problem Solving in Numeracy
2/3	Nadia: Participation in class discussion and drama Te: Magnificent maths thinking Chai: Incredible effort in reading
4/5/6	Jay: Positive Attitude to Change Lana: Striving for Greatness Sai: Big Effort with Neatness

