



Rosebank Public School

Rise Up!

Newsletter Term 4 Week 2 2017



Griffin, Lucy and Zoe
Public Speaking Finalists

Waste fact bought to you by Sam, Griffin and Harley.
Every year the average Australian family produces enough rubbish to fill a three-bedroom house!

Dear Parents

What an exciting week we are having at Rosebank!

PUBLIC SPEAKING

On Tuesday Zoe, Griffin and Lucy with the Year 6 students and Miss Mim attended the Regional Finals held in Clunes. Not only did they present their prepared stellar speeches to the audience and judges, they had 15 minutes to prepare an impromptu speech. All three students performed to the best of their ability. We also achieved a **Rosebank first** with Lucy being awarded runner up for the Stage 3 competition! Well done team!

WASTE WISE CHALLENGE

The senior students participated in a waste challenge as part of our bush school program. The challenge began with conducting a waste audit so that we could pin point our waste hotspots. We decided that our major aim was to educate the younger students in rubbish sorting. In order to achieve this goal we made Power Point Presentations, posters and raps that were presented to the whole school. Last Wednesday Barbara Jensen from Lismore City Council came back to school to see what our students achieved and to look in our bins! Barbara was impressed with our bins, the presentations and the facts presented. There was a lot of competition and we are extremely proud to be awarded Small School Champions!



K-3 Exploring 3D
Shapes through Art

Coming up...

Week 3

Swimming Intensive

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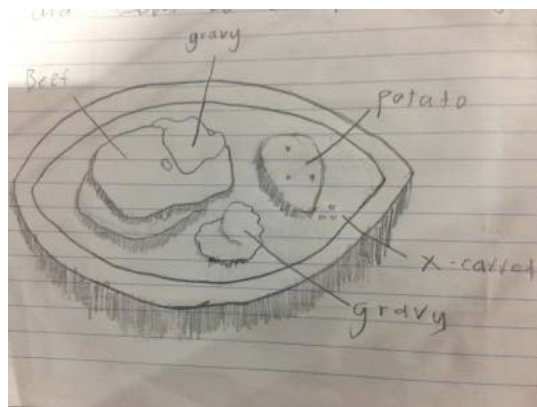
- Consent forms and payment for Swimming.

Excerpts from our Camp Maranatha Diary

Monday 18th September: It's all about the Beef

After waking up at 6.00 in the morning and hurriedly packing my bags, my mum and I drove to Bexhill so I could catch the 7.30 bus to Maranatha. The bus was pretty good, it had air con, which was sweet. When we finally made it there, we got to jump in the pool, which was freezing! Then we had a beautiful lamb roast and went to sleep...mostly.

Bodhi, Year 6



The first thing we did was got our bags off the bus and unloaded them into our cabins. Then we all came down to the Dining room, had some Afternoon Tea and were welcomed by Pirate. He told us a bit about the camp, gave us a Safety Brief and then we all charged down to the pool. We stayed in the pool for about an hour and then we went to our cabins and chilled a bit. Next, we went to the Tennis/Basketball Court and played Tennis for ages. At 6.00, it was Dinner Time. We had Roast Beef and Baked Vegetables. It tasted AMAZING! After Dinner, it was time for the Amazing Race! The Amazing Race is where you go all around the world to do all sorts of activities and we would have to get to each country on a piece of rope plane and the first team to finish wins. All up, it was a great first day at Camp.

Fergus, Year 6

It was fun because we did a Great Race and for Dinner we had Roast Beef and it was good.

Chai, Year 5

Tuesday 19th September: A Leap of Faith

Today we woke up heaps mad early and went for a walk. When we got back, we had breakfast and started our first activity, Jungle Ropes.

Harley, Year 5

“Wakey Wakey!” Ms Sawyer is right, a ripple effect does exist (sadly)! Then, LEAP OF FAITH! I did it and ‘sadly’, Kiara did it too. I didn’t mind that she did it, but my ears sure did! She screamed her head off and Ella even touched the ball. Then, sweating in the sun. Then, Jungle Ropes. If you need anything to get you back in a good mood from Rocket Fail, I mean Rocket Ball, then Jungle Ropes is the thing for you.

Lucy, Year 6

When we did Leap of Faith, I climbed up the ladder shaking with fear. After a while, I finally jumped off the petite platform. It was nerve-wracking but I did it again and of course I screamed...both times!

Kiara, Year 6

I climbed up the ladder and it felt ten times higher than it really was. It was so much fun!

Ederyn, Year 5

For Lunch we had nachos, and it was AWESOME!

Nadia, Year 6



Fergus climbs the Abseiling Tower:

Wednesday

Wednesday 20th September

"Who wants to go on the mid ropes?" Tic-Tac said as he asked us what we wanted to do. Most people said they wanted to go on the Mid Ropes, including me. The Mid Ropes were a 10/10 because they were challenging. We did Mid Ropes and Abseiling for two sessions. I did Mid Ropes twice. When we finished that, we had an Own Session, and we went swimming. I ended up being an Aqua Aerobics instructor for swimming with noodles. One hour and a half later, it was our turn for river rafting. My team's name was The Pacific Ducks. Our raft was unique but we came 2nd place so it must have been good. We had Chicken Schnitzel, salad and potato salad with gravy. For Dessert, we had ice-blocks.

Shaylah, Year 6



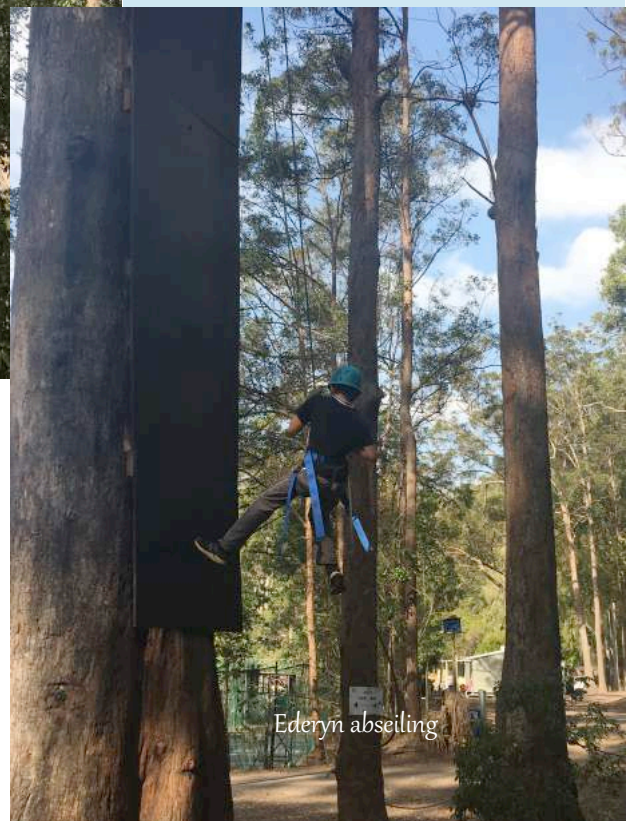
Aqua Aerobics (?) with Shaylah and Lucy



Ella on Mid Ropes

On Wednesday, we did the Mid Ropes and Abseiling. On the Mid Ropes, we basically went on an obstacle course in the air, 7 metres off the ground. Then at the end, there was a massive zipline. Abseiling was SO scary. It's when you climb up a 15m high ladder and then when you're up at the top, you have to lean backwards off the side and jump down the side of the wall. OMG, the next one nearly gave me hypothermia but it was fun. We got into groups and built rafts then the three teams had a race and we sadly lost.

Jayde, Year 5



Ederyn abseiling

State Athletics.

This week Ella, Jayde, Shaylah and Ederyn have travelled down to Sydney to compete in the PP5 relay on Thursday. We will post the results on our Facebook page when they become available.

High School Transition.

All our Year 6 students are starting to get very excited about their transition to Year 7 and beginning their high school journey.

Kadina High Campus and River High Campus Transition Dates
Wk4 Thursday, 2nd November.
Wk7 Thursday, 23rd November.



Please remember to send in a towel, bag for wet clothes, goggles, during our swimming week. Children should come to school wearing their swimmers under their school uniform. PLEASE NOTE that the bus will NOT return to school after 8.30 am. We will have returned to school by 2.15pm. If you are planning to pick your child up at the GSAC please advise the school and be at the GSAC by 1.15pm.

Last week's Class Awards:**K-3**

Sundari: No fuss attitude
Oliver: Numeracy discussion contributions
Gulliver: Extending himself artistically.
Zoe: Gratitude

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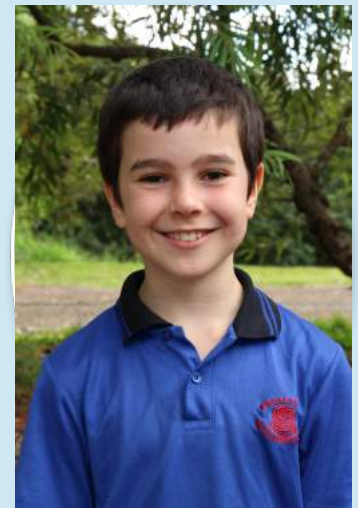
Kiara Rose: Writing
Corban: Writing
Arusha: Facing fears
Sam: Gratitude.

Rosebank Team: Abigail, Nicky, Mim, Olly, Kim and Jen



Saskia

Quality Book Work



Cosmo

Ready to Learn

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

