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Term 3

Week 1

20th July 2018

Welcome back to Semester Two. We all hope that everyone had a wonderful and safe holiday and are ready to attack the exciting challenges that are ahead of us for the rest of the year. Welcome to our new families who joined the Rangeville Family this Semester. We know that you will love Learning, Achieving and Growing every day at our great school.

Congratulations to all students, families and staff who have made a fantastic start to Semester Two. Walking throughout the classrooms the students and staff haven't missed a beat and are fully engaged in their individual and collective learning goals.

Before School and After School Supervision

At the start of the new Semester please support us by helping us ensure our students safety and learning is maintained and maximised by following the below expectations:

Drop off: All children without adult supervision assemble in the paved brick area behind the administration building.

Parents of students in Prep, Year 1, Year 2, Year 3: Please wait with your children in one of the following areas:

- Year 3/4 eating shed (shed next to K Block Hall)
- Yr 1 eating area (under G block)

Parents of students in Year 4: Please wait with your children the following area:

- Yr 2 eating area (under F block)

Parents of students in Year 5 and/or Year 6: Please wait with your children in the following area:

- Paved brick area behind the administration building

Pick up: Please refrain from gathering outside classrooms until the bell rings at 2:55pm. Prior to the bell ringing please wait in one of the following areas:

- Paved brick area behind the administration building
- Yr 1 eating area (under G block)
- Year 3/4 eating shed (shed next to K Block Hall)

Play equipment: For the safety of your own child/ren please do not allow them to play on the playground equipment before or after school, or ride bikes/scooters/skateboards through the school grounds.

Please don't forget that Rangeville Outside School Care provide a wonderful before and after school service for our whole school community.

Get Set for Prep – Our first open day for 2019

Next Wednesday, our Prep team will hold our first Get Set for Prep morning. These days are an important and supportive transition activity for our 2019 Preps and their families. The mornings are designed to provide our future children with safe and supportive activities that will enable them to become familiar with their future environment and staff, develop connections with other students while developing a sense of ownership and connection with our wonderful school. These days are not compulsory for 2019 students and families but certainly ensure the transition to school far easier for all.

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We currently have at least four classes of Preps for 2019 on our enrolment list. Interviews have begun with Mrs Hodgson for our in catchment students and Mrs Giles and Mrs Hodgson are in the process of scheduling these interviews for the rest of the year. Out of catchment interviews will begin towards the end of this term or early next term. If you have a child eligible for Prep in 2019, please contact the office and begin the enrolment process. The way our positive student numbers are going we will quickly fill our five classes again in 2019.

Staff News: Welcome to the following staff who will be joining our wonderful staff this term/semester:

- Mrs Lynne Brown will return two days a week (Mon & Tues) this semester. Welcome back Lynne
- Mrs Jodie Rigby who will be replacing Mrs Rochelle Larsen (5/6L) during Term 3 as she undertakes the HALT Assessor Role again.
- Ms Emma Libke who will be replacing Mrs Nicole Clarke (5CH) who has begun maternity leave (no word as of yet!) and Mrs Ann Huth will also begin Long Service Leave for all of this Semester.
- Ms Leah Holmes who will be joining our school as a mid-year graduate and an additional DRT for this semester.

Key Dates & Activities this Term (Other dates for specific year levels and curriculum areas included in Term and yearly calendar)

17th July: P&C Meeting

25th July: Get Set for Prep, Maths Olympiad

16th August: Range Zone Athletics

17th August: DD AWD Athletics Carnival

Week 6: Book Week + Combined Schools Music Camp (Tues – Thurs)

21st August: P&C Meeting

24th August: Grandparents Day and Book Week Dress Up Parade

30th August: Get Set for Prep

30 & 31st August: Father's Day Stall

Saturday 1st September: Rangeville State School Fete

6th September: Year 6 Cultural Excursion

7th September: School Support Staff Day

Week 9: Parent Teacher Interviews

17th September: School Musical

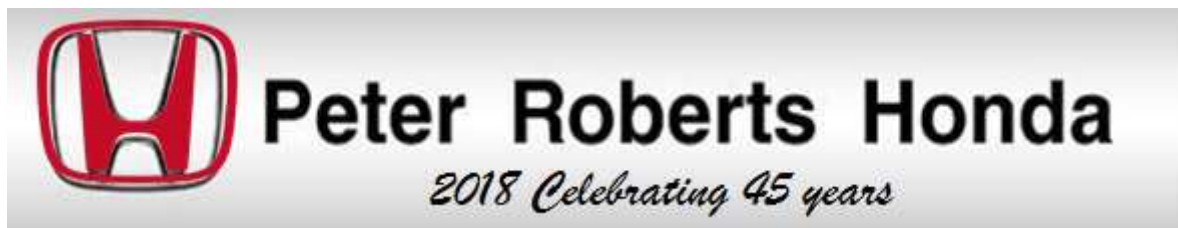
18th September: Get Set for Prep, P&C Meeting

20th September: TYME Festival

21st September: Talk like a pirate and dress up day + Carnival of Flowers + Last day of term.

We would all like to wish Josephine I (6M) all the best as she competes for Queensland at the National Primary Swimming Competition next week.

ICAS Digital Technology Certificate winners



POPULAR CAKE STALL RETURNS TO FETE

Whilst the kids will focus their attention on a number of major attractions at the Rangeville School fete on Saturday 1st September, we anticipate the older brigade will flock to the ever popular Cake Stall where there will be a huge selection of homemade goodies generously donated by our wonderful parents and supporters. We are assured of a wide variety of cakes, biscuits, slices and fudges. Each product will be labelled with the ingredients.

The Rangeville School community recognizes and appreciates the wonderful generous sponsorship of Peter Roberts Honda as the Cake Stall sponsor.

Other fete attractions include Batman and his Batmobile, Reptile Show, Rides galore, Dunk the Teacher with Principal Mr Kidd as participant, Pony Rides, Photo Booth, Face Painting and Show Bags plus an abundance of stalls and free Animal Nursery.

Don't worry about running out of cash..... an ATM will be located on site for convenience.

The fete will operate from 10am to 3pm.

Have you joined QParents yet?

If you didn't get an invite to join QParents email Gillian Ganly on gganl2@eq.edu.au



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CALENDAR OF EVENTS	
REGULAR EVENTS	
Wednesday	School Banking
Mon & Thurs	P&C Uniform Shop 8.30 – 9.15am
Wednesday	P&C Uniform Shop 2.15 – 3.15pm
3 rd Tuesday of the Month	P&C Meeting
JULY 2018	
Mon 16 th	First Day of Term 3
Tues 17 th	P&C Meeting
Wed 25 th	Maths Olympiad Get Set for Prep FF Girls Rugby League Trials
Mon 30 th	International Friendship Day
Tues 31 st	National Tree Day ICAS - English
AUGUST 2018	
Mon 13 th	Range Zone Athletics Carnival
Tues 14 th	ICAS-Maths
Wed 15 th	Maths Olympiad Chaplaincy Meeting
Thurs 16 th	Range Zone Athletics Carnival
Fri 17 th	DD AWD Athletics Carnival
Mon 20 th	Boys Cricket Trials Book Week
Tues 21 st	Boys Cricket Trials Combined Schools Music Camp – Yrs5–7 Book Week Pizza Day P&C Meeting
Wed 22 nd	Girls Cricket Trials Combined Schools Music Camp – Yrs5-7 Book Week
Thurs 23 rd	Combined Schools Music Camp – Yrs5-7 Book Week
Fri 24 th	Grandparents Day Book Week Dress Up Parade
Tues 28 th	DD Athletics Championships
Thurs 30 th	Get Set for Prep
Fri 31 st	Father’s Day Stall RSS Athletics Carnival for Prep – Year 2

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COMMUNITY NOTICES

Please note that although the following notices may be included in the school's Newsletter, they are published in good faith and do not necessarily have the school's endorsement .

School zones

School zones are installed to reduce traffic speed near schools during the times indicated in the school zone sign. School zones are identified by signs which are displayed on both approaches to the school and show the speed limit and the times during which it applies.

School zones are generally permitted on roads adjacent to schools where there is significant school related activity on and beside the road.

School zones do not apply on weekends, public holidays or during school holidays. You should always refer to the sign for hours of operation.

Lower speed limits reduce the risk of death or injury to pedestrians using the roads at these times. Speeds and times depend on the area, so you must always check the sign carefully. School zones at split campus schools generally apply for the duration of school hours.



School crossings

There are two types of school crossings:

1. Single or dual crossings with 'children crossing' flags
2. Zebra or pedestrian activated signal crossings.

Some children's crossings are operated by crossing supervisors employed by the Department of Transport and Main Roads.

Children's crossings are temporary and only operate at certain times of the day when the 'children crossing' flags are displayed. Where supervised, a crossing supervisor will step onto the road and display the 'stop' sign.

Motorists must wait until all pedestrians and cyclists have crossed the road and the crossing supervisor has returned to the footpath before driving through the crossing.

If there is a pedestrian or cyclist entering the crossing, all road users must stop before the 'stop' line at a children's crossing and wait for the individual to cross.

Drivers must not begin to accelerate until all pedestrians and cyclists are safely on the footpath on either side of the road.

If a vehicle has stopped to give way to pedestrians or cyclists at a crossing, do not overtake the vehicle while it is stationary.

Test your knowledge of school zones

Which of the following statements is true?

1. The speed limit in school zones does not apply if there are no children around.
2. The speed limit in school zones only applies to children from that school.
3. The speed limit in school zones applies on weekends only.
4. The speed limit in school zones applies on school days.

Answer: 4

