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Term 2

Week 9 & 10

17th June 2016

Athletics Trials or Altitude Training???

Congratulations to all students who have competed in this week's athletic trials for their respective houses and individual glories. It was wonderful to hear one of our students communicate their apprehension to competing in the 800 m on the top oval due to the degree of altitude that would hamper their performance. We can safely report that they successfully competed and watch out when our Rangeville students compete at low altitude in the future!!!

Road Safety – our kids are precious

Recently we have had a number of near misses on High and South Streets involving students, families and members of the public. Parents and families have reported cars driving at high speeds and carelessly causing damage to parked cars. Please report any dangerous driving to police.

Also please help our neighbours, we've had a recent increase in neighbourhood complaints about families parking on footpaths and in driveways.



Contact Details Need Updating

As we quickly move to ID Attend going live in Term 3, please let the office know if your contact details have changed. These details include:

- Phone numbers – home and mobile
- Address details
- Email addresses
- Change in guardianship

Principal News

This week, I was formally informed that I will have the privilege to continue in the position of Principal Rangeville State School for Semester 2, 2016. Mr Mike Ludwig will be officially retiring throughout Semester 2, which will enable Education Queensland to begin the appropriate recruitment and selection process by the end of this year.

Health and Physical Education Curriculum

Recently we have received enquiries into if our school is implementing the Safe Schools Program as part of the Health and Physical Education program. At Rangeville we fully support diversity and inclusivity for all. Our implemented Health and Physical Education program is solely based on the Australian Curriculum only. As Principal, my commitment is to ensure all stakeholders – families, staff and students are provided with effective communication on any changes to any curriculum area implemented and if changes were to occur all stakeholders would receive ample opportunities and communication to express concerns or opinions either positive or negative.



Special Education Afternoon Tea – Wednesday 15th June

What a wonderful opportunity and experience for our families, students and staff to connect in a warm and supportive environment. The students excitement and pride to showcase their work achieved this semester and show off their families was amazing to be a part of. Congratulations to all of our staff who enabled this wonderful activity to occur. Thank you to our families for making this experience so special for each and every student.

Congratulations to all of our students who competed in this week's Sing Out performances. The judges' comments positively reflected and celebrated all of the hard work and exceptional standards you all have achieved.

All the best to our competitors in next week's Athletics Carnival.

“Learning Achieving and Growing Every Day.”



Awards: Xavier, Torah, Kelson, Lachlan, Lola, Jetarah, Joshua, Max, William, Lennox, Zakk, Aston, Salma, Olivia, Hannah, William, Logan, Tyasia, Amy, Harry, Connor, Jean-Pierre, Millie, Sharni, Ben, Cleopatra, Adrian, Elijah



YCDI: Marcus, Isaiah, Ewan, Tallara, Cherry, Kate, Li'ai, Nathaniel, Kari, William, Madelyn, Keira, Julia, Lucas, Laura, Anuja, Edward, Tayla, Flynn, Eva, Sienna



Gotcha: Congratulations to 1G for an awesome total of Gotchas. Jean-Pierre was our individual class winner.

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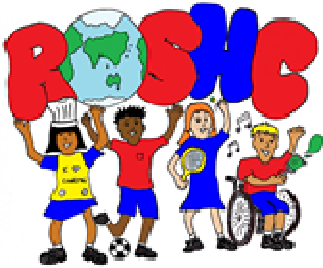
Year 5 Cultural Day



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FROM THE SPORTS DESK

Due to the anticipated wet weather on the weekend the Athletics Carnival has been changed to Tuesday and Wednesday. The events that were being held on Monday are now being held on Tuesday and the events that were being held on Tuesday are now being held on Wednesday.



Hi everyone,

On behalf of the OSHC committee, I would like to update you on some upcoming and quite significant changes.

Rangeville State School is one of the last schools in Toowoomba to be able to offer an outside school hours care service that is run by a branch of the schools P&C. Most schools have now moved to outsource this service.

We would love to see our P&C run services continue as is for our children, with an awesome team of educators lead by our fabulous coordinator Susan. In order for this to remain a viable option, changes must be made.

To sustain our service, we must be self sufficient and be able to cover all our own costs. To achieve this, the fee structure need to change, and OSHC fees will increase from September.

To minimise the impact fee increases will have on our families, we have started conducting a complete review of all our costs to see where we can continue to find efficiencies and save money. After this 4-6 week review, the committee will review the savings and be able to confirm what the September fee increases will look like.

We have also reviewed a number of other outside hours care providers, and even with our increases, we will still remain one of the best value options around.

If you have any suggestions or ideas regarding our review, we would love you to raise them with any of the committee members or mention them to Susan and she will certainly pass them on. And, as always, you are very welcome to join the OSHC committee, we are always looking for new people and new ideas.

Thank you for your understanding of these changes and we look forward to the Rangeville OSHC being a lower cost option for the care of our kids for a lot longer!

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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
JUNE	
Tues 21st	Athletics Carnival
Wed 22nd	Athletics Carnival P&C meeting
Fri 24 th	Free Dress Day
JULY	
Mon 11th	Term 3 begins

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

HELP WANTED

20km and \$20,000 in 20 weeks

Wanted - loom bands and loom Banders .To break a world record and raise funds for the Leukemia foundation 😊

Please contact Jasmine Smith on 0400743568, or catch me at Prep H around school pick up time.

Thank you for your support.

TOOWOOMBA SOUTH BY-ELECTION:

There will be a state government by-election for the South Toowoomba district to be held on **Saturday, 16th July**. To update or check your enrolment, visit: www.aec.gov.au

Pre-poll (early voting) will be available at **Unit 1/189 ANZAC Avenue, Harristown**, and **Shop 2/140 South Street, Southtown**, from Monday 4th July till Friday 15th July.

For pre-poll opening hours, please visit www.ecq.qld.gov.au or phone 1300 881 665.

There will be 12 polling booths open on **Saturday 16th July**, from **8am til 6pm**.

For polling booth locations, please visit: www.ecq.qld.gov.au or phone 1300 881 665.

For further information or enquiries regarding this election, please visit: www.ecq.qld.gov.au or phone 1300 881 665.

Remember, voting is compulsory.



When 9:00 am - 11:00 am
Saturday, 18th June 2016

Where RE/MAX Success Car Park
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At the roadside — how to teach your child road safety actions

From their first steps in life, parents play a vital role in a child's education, development and future. Guarantee your child's safe and long future by teaching them how to walk to and from school safely — ideally by ensuring they are always either accompanied by an adult or old enough to responsibly judge different traffic situations.

Therefore, if possible, parents should walk their primary school children to school, the local shops or to a friend's house so they can point out the dangers to them. While walking with them, they should talk about what you're doing and explain what they need to watch out for to remain safe.

All adults, whether parents or not, can play a part by always looking out for vehicles coming in and out of driveways, parking lots and busy intersections. This way, by example, they can teach children to do the same.

Additionally, if children will be required to continually walk to school throughout their school lives, they should be shown the safest route to and from school — this is usually the way with the least traffic and the fewest roads to cross.

Children should always be encouraged to walk on the footpath as it is the safest place for them to walk. They also need to be discouraged from playing with toys or balls when walking, as they may dash onto the road to retrieve them.

Finally, all motorists can also play a part by setting a good example and always following the road rules. By all pitching in and teaching young Queenslanders how to safely travel on the roads, we can help ensure safer future drivers and a lower road toll.

Queensland Transport,