

# Rangeville State School

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## Newslink

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Term 1

Week 10

31<sup>st</sup> March 2017

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**Wow where has the last 10 weeks gone.**

Thank you to everyone for their commitment and dedication to our school this term. This term we have achieved our school, team and individual goals. This term we have seen and achieved:

- Greater communication and interactions with home – Class Comms were a big hit with the families and staff, welcome to Rangeville BBQ and Movie night was the biggest school event Toowoomba Regional Council has supported
- Greater autonomy from school committees in the decision making of the school – Behaviour, ICT, Finance, Student Support Services, Work Place Health and Safety, Local Consultancy Committee and Social Club all contributing new ideas that are benefiting students, families and staff
- Inclusive Education Practices – all student learning with peers in classrooms & playgrounds and Autism Ambassadors Launched
- New furniture ordered for classrooms (Year Three, Five and Six) without furniture from previous infrastructure projects – furniture expected to be delivered in Mid-April
- The completion of the Interactive Projectors installation project – all teaching spaces now have interactive projectors installed
- Professional Learning Communities’ – continuing to grow and achieve collaborative curriculum leadership amongst year levels and specific individualised learning being achieved for students

This is just a summary of achievements for our school. The individual learnings by students each and every day are the things that should and need to be celebrated each and every day.

### **Wet Weather**

This week’s unprecedented weather event across our State has caused devastation and heart break for many. Our large rainfall yesterday also caused great confusion for the Toowoomba community. Thank you to our P&C and in particular Mrs Shinnars for her ability to maintain the effective communication lines with our whole school community.

On behalf of my staff, I would like to wish everyone a safe and relaxing Easter break and hope that we all recharge the batteries for what promises to be another wonderful ten week term at Rangeville State School, where we will achieve: Learning, Achieving and Growing Every Day!

*“Learning Achieving and Growing Every Day.”*

## **FUN RUN**

Due to the postponement of the Prep to 2 cross country, the closing date for online and cash donations for the fun run has been extended until the 27th April 2017. All prizes need to be ordered online by the 4th May 2017. Any cash donations need to be in the P&C box in the office no later than the 27th April 2017. Please place the cash and sponsorship book with your child's name and class in the P&C box. We thank you for your understanding and patience in regards to having to extend the date .

## **FLASHING SCHOOL ZONE LIGHTS**

Great news, the Department of Transport advised they will be installing flashing school zone lights in South Street. These flashing lights will help improve visibility of the school zone and remind motorists to slow down. They will only flash on school days.

## **PICTURE PLATES**

Turn your child's treasured memories into durable, high quality melamine Pictureplates that will last a lifetime.

Your child can use photos, markers, hand and footprints, paints and crayons to create an artwork on a supplied template. The template will be sent away for processing and be returned by around the end of July as a beautiful plate, mug, clock or water bottle.

Multiple orders of a single drawing are available or multiple drawings can be done. Pictureplates are \$25 each.

Also available are pictureclocks \$25 or \$28, calendars \$14, mugs \$20 and water bottles \$20 or \$25.

Templates can be collected from the uniform shop. Order forms will also go to all Prep and Grade one students. Completed templates will need to be returned by 15th May 2017.

For more information contact Margaret Spinks 0400710277.

<b>CALENDAR OF EVENTS</b>	
<b>REGULAR EVENTS</b>	
Wednesday	School Banking
Mon & Thurs	P&C Uniform Shop 8.30 – 9.15am
Wednesday	P&C Uniform Shop 2.15 – 3.15pm
<b>MARCH 2017</b>	
Fri 31 <sup>st</sup>	Last Day Term 1
<b>APRIL 2017</b>	
Fri 14 <sup>th</sup>	Good Friday
Mon 17 <sup>th</sup>	Easter Monday
Tues 18 <sup>th</sup>	1 <sup>st</sup> Day of Term 2 P&C Meeting
Mon 24 <sup>th</sup>	ANZAC Day Service