

# Rangeville State School

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## Newslink

Term 4

Week 4

27<sup>th</sup> October 2017



### World Teachers' Day

Today is Queensland World Teachers' Day, a day to celebrate our educators for their commitment, resilience, passion and care.

Our Rangeville teachers make a real difference in shaping lives, providing inspiration, and igniting a passion for learning. I openly take this opportunity to thank our teachers for the part they play in the growth of all students and acknowledge their hours and hours of hard work throughout the year to ensure every child at Rangeville Achieves, Grows and Learns every day.

Thank you to our families who have also taken the time to recognise the impact that their child's teacher has made this year – those simple words Thank You mean so much!

### 2018 Book Lists

These will be distributed through students in Week 9 so if you have not received yours by Friday 1 December please don't hesitate to contact the Office. This year High Street News will be our preferred supplier for the resources on the 2018 booklists. High Street News will provide online ordering and we greatly appreciate the support that our local business provides our great school. Rangeville State School has a policy which seeks to minimize the items and costs on its annual booklist. We are conscious that purchasing school uniforms and books for school is a costly business for parents and I assure you that Year Level Booklists have been checked by Admin to ensure they are reasonable. It is to be expected that some schools will vary in the size and scope of their booklists but we have found that to provide adequate resources to support the teaching and learning at this school, the current booklist is ideal.



### Call for parent input into class allocations for 2018

If your child has special considerations that we may need to factor in to 2018 class lists could you please put the information into a letter or an email [admin@rangevilless.eq.edu.au](mailto:admin@rangevilless.eq.edu.au) and we will give it every consideration. I take this opportunity to remind parents that no guarantees can be provided in relation to friendship groupings. I would also hasten to point out that demands for having or not having a particular teacher for your child cannot be considered since I have every confidence in the entire teaching team at this great school.

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## Tuckshop Day



Next Friday will mark our annual collective opportunity to thank our awesome tuckshop volunteers and P&C who consistently put in huge hours and efforts to ensure that our whole school community is provided with nutritious food each Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. Again this year, Nicky and her small band of volunteers have worked tirelessly for your child providing nutritious food and drinks this means families can have one less task to worry about at the start of their day and helping our students to concentrate and learn well in class. For your efforts and commitment we collectively say Thank You!

### Positive Behaviour for Learning: Weekly Expectations

Each week on parade we have begun a weekly introduction of one expectation aligned to our schools playground expectations. This provides an opportunity for all students to receive a consistent message and provides our classes with opportunities for explicit teaching of these expectations throughout the following week.

Below are the expectations as presented and taught for Weeks 4 and 5:

Week 4: Eating Area Expectations	Week 5: Before School Expectations
<p><b>Student Expectations</b></p> <p><b>BE SAFE</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Stay seated in year levels and eat quietly.</li><li>• Stay within the covered area.</li><li>• Bin the rubbish at bell times as directed by the teacher.</li></ul> <p><b>BE RESPECTFUL</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Hand up to ask permission to move to the toilet or bubblers only - no access to classrooms.</li><li>• Wait quietly for teacher instructions to move to play area.</li></ul>	<p>In 2017, supervision is provided from 8:15 am - 8:35 am on the paved area outside the office.</p> <p><b>Student Expectations</b></p> <p><b>BE SAFE</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Stay seated and talk quietly.</li><li>• Stay within the paved area between garden beds.</li><li>• No games, balls or toys</li><li>• Wear your hat</li></ul> <p><b>BE RESPECTFUL</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Hand up to ask permission to move to the toilet or bubblers only - no access to classrooms.</li><li>• Wait quietly for teacher instructions to move to classrooms.</li></ul>



Having trouble logging on, can't find your email with your logon details, know your child was late but their absence record indicates ½ Day Unexplained Absence. These are all simple fixes that Mrs Ganly can help you with. Please call the office to arrange support. Once QParents is working, it's just like online shopping!!!

What a huge week we have all had at Rangeville, Year 4 have attended Peace Haven Park and sung beautifully on parade today, Year 5's had a blast at the Emu Gully Leadership Day, our Black and White Disco was absolutely fabulous and then Day for Daniel was well supported by our entire school community. Each of these activities have received sincere, positive comments from external agencies and or staff praising the efforts, commitment, willingness to try new activities and overall excellent behaviour of all of our children. Our staff have done an amazing job providing these excellent opportunities and supporting all children to achieve their best during all situations. We should all be so very proud of our whole school and community. The day in the life of a Rangeville student and staff member is fantastic! Thank you everyone.

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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

### UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHERN QUEENSLAND

#### Would you like to host an International student?

When: 10<sup>th</sup> March – 25<sup>th</sup> March 2-18

We are expecting 83 Japanese students from Kyoto. These students are 16 years, bright, enthusiastic and keen to learn about Australian culture and lifestyle.

#### What is expected of me?

You will need to provide breakfast, a packed lunch, dinner, transport to USQ and include your student in your family activities. You will be reimbursed for out of pocket expenses.

If you are interested , please email [glp@usq.edu.au](mailto:glp@usq.edu.au) or phone 4631 1794

CALENDAR OF EVENTS	
<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>OCTOBER</b>	
Tue 31 <sup>st</sup>	Pizza Day
<b>NOVEMBER</b>	
Fri 10 <sup>th</sup>	Remembrance Day Service
Sat 11 <sup>th</sup>	Remembrance Day
Tue 14 <sup>th</sup>	Swim Carnival 8 year olds – 12 year olds
Wed 15 <sup>th</sup>	Swim Carnival 8 year olds – 12 year olds
Mon 27 <sup>th</sup>	Year 3 Swim Carnival
Mon 27 <sup>th</sup> to Fri 1 <sup>st</sup> Dec	Year 6 Camp
<b>DECEMBER</b>	
Tue 5 <sup>th</sup>	Year 6 Graduation
Wed 6 <sup>th</sup>	Prep – Year 2 Concert <b>TUCKSHOP CLOSED</b>
Thur 7 <sup>th</sup>	Year 6 Social <b>TUCKSHOP CLOSED</b>
Fri 8 <sup>th</sup>	Last Day of Term 4 <b>TUCKSHOP CLOSED</b>
<b>JANUARY 2018</b>	
Mon 22 <sup>nd</sup>	Start Term 1
Fri 26 <sup>th</sup>	Australia Day