Hello Rosebery PS families,

It's been another very active fortnight around Rosebery PS. Our teachers are busily preparing student reports for the end of this semester. We believe our communication with parents, particularly in regard to student learning, should be a feature of our school. As such, our teachers are working hard on ensuring you have high-quality information when you receive your child’s reports in Week 11. From those that I have read so far, I know you’ll be pleased with the progress our students are making.

Restorative Practices – Parent Information Evening

We hope that you’ll come along to this event on Tuesday 21st June at 6pm. I’ll be presenting on exactly where our use of Restorative Practices fits into our processes to promote great student wellbeing for your kids. We’re lucky – as a school we have the opportunity to research the best in behaviour management practices, so we’re hoping you might find this valuable for home as well. I certainly use Restorative Practices with my own kids. We look forward to having you along to talk about the way this approach underpins our behaviour management practices in our school.

Uniform – it’s a bit chilly!

I’ve had some students and families suggest it’s a little cold before school at the moment for our shorts and shorts – and I can get that. Students are permitted to wear long pants (most preferably black) over their shorts/skorts before school. When the music plays to enter school, the long pants can then be removed and placed in school bags. School jackets are on their way for these drier and cooler days too. Please help us make full school uniform a hallmark of our school and something that helps our students feel less pressure and more identity with their school community.

Play Day and Musica Viva

I had the pleasure of attending the NT Music School Play Day last week. And it was indeed a pleasure! All families should feel very proud of our students who put on a stunning display of skill, collaboration and determination. As a Principal, it was so heartwarming to hear comments from many parents and teachers from other schools about just how many RPS students were involved and also how proficient they have become so quickly. My sincere thanks goes out to our wonderful Ms. Meleene Primero in organising this event – with Musica Viva in the same week!

Friday Friendly

We’ve had wonderful community support in getting our book resources covered and “on the floor” for students to use – but there’s still more! You can also participate in our Friendly Friday book covering sessions after assembly, in our General Purpose room. It's also a chance to meet with other parents and enjoy morning tea.

Have a wonderful long weekend everyone. Students are back to school on Tuesday 14th June. As always, myself and our Assistant Principal Shona Henderson are available if you would like to discuss anything about our school.

Kind regards,

Adam Voigt
Principal

Every Child, Every Day - improving student enrolment, attendance and participation is everybody’s responsibility and everyone’s business.
Friendly Friday is here and we need your help! We are looking for parents/guardians to join other willing RPS community members each Friday morning for ‘Friendly Friday’, a morning dedicated to covering our much needed resources whilst getting to know each other. Morning tea, tea and coffee will be welcome, play corner provided. See you from 9am onwards each Friday in the Multipurpose room adjacent to the reception.

Electronic Student Profile, or esp, is an online system that manages student records and enables you to keep in touch with your child’s performance and development at school.

esp is the first online student profile system in Australian public schools where your child will have their own profile that will last their entire NT school life. It will include the up-to-date records of your child’s enrolment history, attendance records, assessments, achievements, certificates, awards and sample of your child’s work. esp will help you keep in touch with your child’s attendance and progress from the office or at home.

esp will also connect teachers with students. You will be able to view how our NT Government teachers have coordinated the educational progress, development and individual needs of your child. This will help children when they advance in year levels and if they move between schools.

Please contact Rosebery Primary School to obtain a Login ID and password to access your Childs esp.

HOLIDAY OFFICE HOURS
Reception will be closed from the 27th June to 15th July. Reception will reopen from 18th July to 21st July from 8.00am to 2.00pm.

Date | Event
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**June**
Mon 13th | Public Holiday - Queens birthday
Fri 17th | Whole School Assembly
Fri 24th | Last Day of Term 2
**July**
Fri 22nd | Public Holiday - Darwin Show
Mon 25th | Pupil Free Day
Tues 26th | Students Return For Term 3

- Hamish Stewart, Makaila Smith
- Keagan Grundmann, Jonathon Leong
- Ethan Baker, Ruth Elsey
- Jayden Humphreys, Adam Morgan
- Tia Koulouvi, Spencer Siu
- Alizbeth Ferry, Zoe Allen
- Simon lecompte, Jake Lichtwark
- Kaylee Dobe, Cooper McKay
- John Rekia, Kayla Araujo
- Jack Maher, Cameron Williams
- Chloe Thorneycroft, Lincoln Shean
- McKenzie Davey, Diamond Taufalele
- Performing Arts: Mickaela Derschow
RPS “Beginner Band at work”,

“Yr 5/6s Percussion – hitting and clicking and clanging and beating”. Percussion “Click Sticks”.

**Staff Profile**

**Preschool Assistant**

**Name**: Carolyn Symes

**Background**: Brisbane QLD

**What do you love about RPS?** I love everybody’s enthusiasm and passion about being part of a new school and community. The meeting of new people, families and new friendships!

**What was the last book you read?** Indelible

**What’s the funniest thing that has happened to you?** When my husband insisted I give him a haircut and I forgot to put the attachment on the clippers. Took a nice strip of hair off to his scalp! I thought it was pretty funny although he was not so amused. Hence my hairdressing days are over.

**What do you like to do in your spare time?** Spending time with my family, sleeping, reading and shopping!