Parents/Carers,

We had a wonderful morning tea at school yesterday for Australia’s Biggest Morning Tea raising money for the Cancer Council. Thank you to everyone who contributed in food and cash for this wonderful cause. We take this event very seriously as so many people have been touched by this dreadful disease in one way or another across our school community, so thank you to everyone involved to make this such a successful day.

I would like to congratulate Karen Jeffery who has won the position of the Early Years Senior Teacher here at Rosebery. As many of you know Karen is an experienced and dedicated Early Years teacher who only last year, won the regional Early Years Teacher of the Year Award and has now officially stepped up to lead our Early Years Team here at Rosebery Primary School. Well done Karen!

It is with regret that we farewell Janine Toft who finishes today as she is having an operation on her knee next week which will require considerable recovery time. She then goes on long service leave for the remainder of this year. I would like to wish her well in her recovery. Ms Andrea Forlani will be replacing her in Transition with Ms Barrick. Some of you will remember Andrea as she did a contract here with us last year in the 3/4 class. Please make her welcome when she returns on Monday.

If you have a child who turns four before the 30th June next year and you already have children enrolled at our school can you please contact the office to provide a name and date of birth for your preschool aged child for 2014, before the end of this term so we can ensure we cater for enrolling our current families first. Next year we are only going to be able to cater for 40 preschool students across 2 classes as we will need the room we are currently using in the transition area for Early Years classes. This issue has been raised with other schools in Palmerston and we will be referring all students above our limit of 40 to Woodroffe Preschool for enrolment.

Change in Preschool times

Results of our preschool survey clearly indicated that the large majority of parents are happy with the change in preschool times. The School Council has been briefed on the outcome and requested that advice to parents be made as soon as possible. Therefore beginning in Semester 2 on Tuesday 23rd July, which is the first day of Term 3, our preschool hours will be as follows:

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If you are a preschool parent please ensure you make appropriate adjustments to your current arrangements to accommodate this change in preschool times. Please note that Group 1 and Group 2 days will remain the same.

This is another reminder to all parents about ‘kiss and go’ areas when dropping off or collecting your children from school. Please be aware that our car parks are busy places and everyone should be using the paths and crossings not walking behind cars to cross the roads in the car parks to get your children into the school grounds. We are looking into getting another path joining up to the transition path to cross safely on the crossing into the transition area in coming weeks so that should make things a bit safer also.

We are looking like being able to run another Triple P program next semester beginning on Thursday 15th August from 8.00am – 10.00am over a four week period in our General Purpose Room. If you are interested please email roseberybps@admin@ntschools.net to express your interest.

The last day of this school term, Friday 21st June has been approved by School Council and the Department as a Professional Learning Day for staff at Rosebery Primary School. This day will see teachers learning more about our focus on data to inform teaching and learning and feedback to inform students about their work. We are having a major focus on Reading and the way in which we teach reading across the school and this all links together to improve student outcomes. So students will not be required to attend school on that last day. If you require child care the After School Care Service run by Janet White here at Rosebery will offer a fee for service on that day. Please approach her if you require care for your child. We are pleased to be able to offer parents this service.

Enjoy a cooler approaching weekend.

Gail Smith
Principal
Rosebery Primary hosted the first NT Music School Play Day in 2013. Students from Rosebery, Driver and Moulden Park Primary Schools joined together in a combined band workshop led by 6 specialist music teachers on Tuesday, May 21st. Play Day culminated in a concert performed by 90 participants. 60 of these students are from our school. We are very proud of our students.

In order to assist students in our school with severe nut allergies we are asking all of our parents to help us promote a nut free environment. Please assist us in keeping your children safe.

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**Value Awards**

**Resilience**
- Tye Allan ~ Confidence
- Stevie-Leigh ~ Resilience
- Jye Parsons ~ Cooperation
- Dakota Miller ~ Resilience
- Sebastian Loftus ~ Respect
- Jamie ~ Integrity
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ARE YOU LEAVING TOWN?

If you know that your leaving town, please call by reception to let us know the last day your child will be attending and a forwarding address.

Thank You

A big thank you to all our families who supported this years Mothers Day stall and a very special thank you to Cerise Sherwell for her organisation. The total amount raised for 2013 was $1666.20 a fantastic effort. All funds raised will go towards new resources for our school. We hope all of our Mothers and Grandmothers had a lovely day and enjoyed their gifts.

Rosebery Primary school is supporting ‘Angels for the Forgotten’ this month by helping to collect NEW PJs and underwear items for kids who are going into foster care or crisis accommodation in Australia.

Angels for the Forgotten are in need of:
- PJs from size 000-18
- Singlets size 00000 -18
- Underwear for boys and girls 0-18 suitable for kids and teens
- Bras, training bras
- Socks for kids and especially for teen boys
- Boxer shorts for teen boys
  - Face washers
  - Hair brushes

Donation can be left at the school’s front reception to be forwarded on to this worthwhile cause.

Rosebery ASC Vacation Care Mon 24 June to Fri 19 July 2013 – Enrol now!

To Enrol:
Call or email Janet
Mob 04 9999 4158
ose-nt.rosebery@bigpond.com

$44 per day
+ up to 10% discounts and CCB/CCR rebates

WE START 7.30am
WE CLOSE: 6:00pm

Activities
- Arts and crafts
- Masterchef Cookery
- Team Games
- Sports
- Excursions

Every week a Mr Big Ticket Event:
An excursion or special event

Key Information
- Children MUST be signed IN and OUT
- Morning & Afternoon tea will be provided
- PLEASE provide a LUNCH for your child (NO NUTS!)
- Please provide a change of clothes

Outside School Care NT
Thank you to all of our Rosebery Primary School Community for making this year’s Cancer Council’s Biggest Morning Tea such a great success. As you can see by the photo’s great efforts were put into cakes, biscuits and savoury plates of food. A very big thank you to all of our Parents, Grandparents and Carer’s who sent their children along to school with a plate to share. We really do have some great cooks amongst our Rosebery Primary families.

The simple gesture of sharing a plate of food and drinking a cuppa together raised a total amount of $752.10 for such an important cause.

Thank you