Parents/Carers,

We are underway with interviews for our new preschool classes at present and places are filling fast. If you know of anyone who has not yet called reception to be added to our list please ask them to do this to ensure their child has a place for this year in preschool which automatically gives them enrolment into transition for next year if their birthday is prior to June 30th. Other children who have not attended our preschool may not be offered a place in Transition for 2016 as we will take current families first. Please pass this information on to families living in Rosebery, Bellamack and Zuccoli.

NAPLAN testing was completed last week so I would like to take this opportunity to congratulate all our year 5 and year 3 students who took part. Results won’t be available until later in the year but I am sure all our students put full effort into this national testing regime. We like to remind parents that some of the most important learning children can demonstrate cannot be measured through this test. We aim to assess the child as a well rounded student with evidence to support this. Reports are currently being written by teachers and they will be focussing on letting you know what your child/ren have achieved. Remember we are only half way through the year and all students should be demonstrating evidence for teachers so they can accurately report. Reports will be sent home in the last week of school this term.

Just as an update for parents/carers of children in Year 2 Ayres/Jeffery, Mrs Debbie Loke will be remaining with us now through until the end of term as Karen Jeffery has had to take additional recovery time.

We have asked the Youth Engagement Police Officer to spend time around our car parks and roads nearby checking on traffic safety and helmets with children riding or scooting to and from school. Reminder: it is law and therefore compulsory that all children wear a helmet when riding or scooting to school. Please ensure your child understands this as we would hate to see people being fined. This is really a major safety issue for us so please address this with your children.

Enjoy the weekend

Gail Smith
Principal
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**VALUES AWARDS**

- Kaelan Gott ~ Cooperation
- Felicity Winkler ~ Cooperation
- Emily Hurst ~ Respect
- Georgia Fitzell ~ Cooperation
- Jackson Ross ~ Respect
- Sarah Williams ~ Cooperation
- Abby Alpen ~ Cooperation
- Kelsie Strange ~ Cooperation & Respect
- Chloe Marshall ~ Respect & Cooperation
- Tahlia See ~ Respect & Cooperation
- Sherry-Ann Castle ~ All Values
- Zoe Billiris ~ Cooperation
- Edwan Nieva ~ Confidence
- Nife Olusoji ~ Cooperation
- Lacey Avnell ~ Resilient
- Xavier Loftus ~ Respect
- William Brown ~ Resilience
- Jadzia Wright ~ Resilience

**Thursday 18th June Red Nose Day**

SIDS and Kids is dedicated to saving lives of babies and children during pregnancy, birth, infancy and childhood and supporting bereaved families. Please help us to raise funds for this important cause by bringing along a gold coin donation and sharing in your child’s class teddy bear picnic on Thursday 18th June. Merchandise is available for purchase at reception.

For further information on class picnics please contact your child’s class teacher.
Sports House shirts are now available for purchase at reception. Parents are also encouraged to purchase a sports shirt to support their child’s team. Shirts can be worn on Friday assemblies to earn points for you and your child’s team.

**Student Shirts** $30 ea  
**Parent/Carer Shirts** $32 ea

**SPORTS TEAM WRISTBANDS**
Sports house wristbands are available for purchase now at reception for $4.00 each.

**House Team Winners**
2012 Balli  
2013 Wamba  
2014 Balli

**SPORTS DAY RECESS AND LUNCH MEAL DEALS**
**Wednesday 17th June 2015**
Rosebery Primary School Sports Day is being held this term on Wednesday 17th June. We will be running a special recess and lunch meal deal for this day.

**RECESS PACK** — $4.00ea
Homemade Muffin & Fruit Bowl

**LUNCH PACK** — $6.00ea
Fresh Chicken & Salad & Popper  
OR  
Chicken Fried Rice & Popper

If you would like to purchase a recess and/or lunch meal pack for your child or yourself please contact reception for an order form. All money and orders are due by **FRIDAY 12TH JUNE** NO late orders will be accepted due to catering reasons.

**Please Note:** The school canteen will be closed on this day and there will be no over the counter food sales.
The dry season has finally arrived and with this comes a lot of training exercises and courses taking parents away from home, if your child requires some extra TLC during this time or is having any issues please let me know so I can provide them with some extra support. Also, you may register for Absent Partner support from DCO, please contact the Defence Family Helpline (1800 624 608) to access this fantastic service.

Billeroy Road Community Centre is hosting a “Youth Zone” science night on Friday 29th May. Transition to Year 2 session from 5.30pm-6.45pm and Year 3 to Year 6 from 7.00pm-8.30pm. There will be heaps of crazy experiments for the children to participate in. For more information or to RSVP please contact: billeroyroadcommunitycentre@hotmail.com

Remember if you are within 18 months of a posting and your child is having educational difficulties adjusting to a new school you are eligible to apply for Educational Assistance Tutoring.

Please contact me if you have any questions or wish to apply.

Dannielle Smith
DSTA

Rosebery Primary School has an absentee line for students who will be absent from school. Parents or Carers can ring 89305140, follow the prompts and leave your message.

**URGENT STUDENT CONTACT DETAILS**

It is extremely important to ensure that all contact and phone numbers are up to date for our students so that we are able to contact parents or carers in the event of an emergency or to notify you of great work your children are doing. If you have changed jobs or have a new phone number please contact reception immediately to update your details.

**SCHOOL SPORT**

We’d like to congratulate Zach Borrelli for his selection in the NT School Sport AFL team and wish him the best of luck at the Championships in Geelong VIC.

**CONGRATULATIONS**
**Entertainment Book Fundraiser**

The Darwin Entertainment Book for 2015/16 has arrived and is available for purchase at reception. This Entertainment book offers discounts locally and costs $55 for $20000 worth of savings. There is also an electronic version if you’d prefer. $11 from each book sold comes back to our school.

If you would like to preview the Darwin book online follow the link below:


To purchase your online version please visit:


**Holiday Fun Raffle**

To finish off this term and in preparation for lots of holiday fun Rosebery Primary is running a Holiday Fun Raffle. Tickets were sent home Thursday 21st May so please check your child’s school bag for these. Each ticket is $1 each with an amazing prize to be won which include vouchers from:-

- Playshack
- Planet TenPin
- Cmax Cinema
- Territory Wildlife Park
- Crocosaurus Cove
- KJS Entertainment
- Aquascene
- Flight Path Golf
- Wave Pool Lagoon
- Pedicure (for Mum)

Tickets are due back Monday 15th June. The raffle will be drawn at the end of sports day Wednesday 17th June. All funds raised will go towards the school’s playground enhancements.

Total prizes are valued at over $300

Good Luck and Happy Holidays

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- Always include fresh fruit and vegetables.
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- Offer a variety of whole grain breads, rolls, pita bread and flat breads.
- Use avocado as a spread instead of butter or margarine.
- Use reduced fat dairy foods. Cheese and yoghurt are ideal.
- Kids need a serve of protein at lunchtime. Ensure you include lean meat, egg, chickpeas or tuna.
- Add a chilled bottle of water and limit juice.

For more information visit:


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**More details can be found online by visiting the Daniel Morcombe Foundation site**


We urge you all to discuss with your child(ren) the Daniel Morcombe Foundation message of Keeping Kids Safe.

All those students who were with us at Rosebery Primary School in 2013 would have had the privilege of being a part of the Daniel Morcombe Assembly in which Daniel’s parents taught us the Keeping Kids Safe message.

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**Recognise React Report**

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Student Led Conferences at

Results from our Student Led Conference parent and student surveys in Term 1 indicate that they were well received by parents and students.

**Summarised Student survey results for Transition to Year 3**

93% of our T to Yr 3 students felt proud to share their goals with their parents.

93% of our T to Yr 3 students felt the student led conference helped them talk to their parents about their goals.

94% of our T to Yr 3 students felt the student led conference, and getting ready for it, helped them understand what they need to do to help reach their goals.

**Summarised Student surveys Year 4 to Year 6**

98% of our Yr 4 to Yr 6 students agreed that the process of getting ready for and leading the student led conference, helped them understand their strengths and challenges as a learner.

82% of our Yr 4 to Yr 6 students prefer student led conferences to parent teacher interviews where the parents talk to the teacher.

97% of our Yr 4 to Yr 6 students agreed that the student led conference helped them to talk to their parents about what they are learning in school.

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**Parent surveys Transition to Year 6**

85% of our parents stated that their children were able to answer their questions extremely well or very well.

98% of our parents stated that their children's goals were extremely reasonable or very reasonable.

79% of our parents believed that the student led conferences were extremely useful or very useful in helping their child work towards achieving their set goals.

80% of our parents agreed or strongly agreed that by having their child lead the conference, they gained more meaningful information than previous parent/teacher interviews.

87% of our parents rated student led conferences as better or much better than prior parent teacher interviews.
ADVENTURE BOUND CAMP 2015

“We have to care about others, not just ourselves”. —Ryley Year 6

“We encouraged our teammates and didn’t give up on them”. —Alarni Year 6

“We had to help others to try something they’re afraid of”. —Jordan Year 6

“Everyone is different and we all have an ability to try new things”. —Kaylem Year 6

“Everyone was nice and we’ve seen a more positive side of each other”. —Zac Bo Year 6

“We had to cooperate successfully together, like putting up our tents”. —Evelyn & Tahlia Year 6
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**Queen Elsa, Princess Anna & Kristoff**

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Followed by meet & greet & photo opportunities

**Sing Along to All Your Favorite Frozen Songs**
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That's Right Elsa Really Sings!

On Stage 11am Sharp

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**Dry Season Sixers**

Females of All Ages and Abilities

**Dates:** Wednesdays
27 May - 1 July

**Time:** 5:15 for a 5:30pm start

**Venue:** Marrara Cricket Ground

**Cost:** $2.50pp per game

**Canteen:** Open 5:15pm

**Teams:** 6 players per team

**Rules:** Modified

**Equipment:** Provided

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**Let's Keep It Safe on Territory Day!**

Fireworks can be fun but they are dangerous.
Take care when using them by following these safety tips.

- It is illegal to possess fireworks outside of Territory Day. Only buy what you can use on Territory Day.
- Use a sand bucket to stabilise fireworks and keep a 4 Litre water bucket around the bucket.
- Have a hose or bucket of water ready for emergencies.
- Avoid wearing synthetic clothing (e.g. nylon, polyester) when around fireworks as stray sparks can cause them to catch fire.
- Dust fireworks can still go off, leave them for 15 minutes and then douse with water.
- Never point, hold or throw if fireworks and don't hold more than one lit sparkler at a time.
- Supervise children at all times. Never give fireworks to children under 12 years of age.
- Alcohol can affect your judgement and coordination, so don't drink before using fireworks.
- If you receive a burn injury cool the area immediately by placing under cool running water or submerging in cool water for at least 20 minutes.

In emergency situations dial 000 to contact Fire, Police or Ambulance.

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