To Parents/Carers,

One of the exciting aspects of RPS is our Arts and Performance focus. We have welcomed Ms Bairbre Williams to our team to lead our Arts programme in the absence of Mrs Primero while she is on leave. Our instrumental programme and commitment with the NT School of Music is stronger than ever. This Tuesday our instrumental students participated in the 2016 play day at Woodroffe Primary School. Students I spoke to thoroughly enjoyed the experience and actively participated and honed their skills.

Our Rosebery Dance group which works with Mrs Banicek has also experienced success recently with a performance at Fred's Pass Show. We have other opportunities to perform coming up which we will keep you posted about. This same group of students have been working with Bakewell and Moulden year 6 students to build relationships across the schools before attending Rosebery Middle School together. Over the last few years this has been a successful model with positive feedback from RMS staff about the impact it has on a smooth transition.

I would like to acknowledge Mr Nathan Barrett and his donation of a new Northern Territory flag to our school. After some minor tweaks to the mechanics of raising the flag it was finally hoisted against a perfect dry season sky.

I have attended the Principal Business days this week. The key work across the Palmerston and Rural region is the Continuous School Improvement framework. This will involve looking at how we are tracking across a number of areas including; professional learning, leadership and teaching and learning. This work will evolve over a 12 month period. We have a range of data we can use to stimulate discussion such as recently released Australian Educational Development Census (AEDC), NAPLAN over a number of years and perceptual data such as our student led conference survey.

We have some fantastic work happening in our classrooms. If you haven’t had a chance to drop in to school recently I encourage you to pop in and check in with your child’s teacher and to see the high standard of work they are producing.

Rachel Turton
Acting Principal
VALUES

AWARDS

Ethan Hall ~ Confidence
Makenzie Hornstra ~ Cooperation
Tori Brinkworth ~ All Values
Anonymous ~ Cooperation
Ruva Nesvinga ~ Integrity
Ashlee Scully ~ Confidence
Alex Rotumah ~ Cooperation
Noah Merrett ~ Respect
Tahlia See ~ Cooperation & Respect
Zoe Allen ~ Resilience
Anonymous ~ Integrity
Mackenzie Goodall ~ All Values
Sheila Odhiambo ~ All Values
Wiremu Taurima ~ Integrity
Aria ~ All Values

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

SPORTS HOUSE SHIRTS
Sports house shirts are now available for purchase at reception. Parents are encouraged to purchase a sports shirt to support their child’s team. Shirts can be worn at Friday assemblies to earn points for your child’s house.

Student Shirts $30 each
Parent/Carer Shirts $32 each

Date | Event
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May
Thurs 26th | Cancer Council Biggest Morning Tea
June
Thurs 2nd | School Council Meeting @ 5.30pm
Thurs 16th | Red Nose Day
Thurs 23rd | Sports Day
Fri 24th | Last Day of Term 2
July
Tues 26th | Students Resume for Term 3

Name | Indigenous Language | English | Colour
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Balli | Murrinh-Patha | Mudcrab | Red
Marnba | Burarra | Dolphin | Blue
Menida | Kriol | Crocodile | Green
Wamba | Kunwinkju & Iwaidja | Shark | Black

School Sports Vouchers are due to expire 31st May 2016. Please be advised if your voucher has not been collected by this date it will be unavailable to use.

Vouchers not collected by May 31st 2016 will be sent back to Department of Sport & Recreation.
CONGRATULATIONS
Noah Harris on being short listed for the write4fun competition. Noah wrote an amazing short story titled, ‘Gamelord’. Noah has also received an offer to publish his story.

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Fundraising Update
Thank you to all of our families who supported our latest fundraisers. With great success we raised the following amounts to go toward outdoor fans for our eating areas.

Mother’s Day Stall $1744.75
Mother’s Day Breakfast $266.00
IGA Rosebery BBQ $396.75

Cancer Council Biggest Morning Tea
Merchandise for sale at reception.
Please help support a great cause.

Tea Towels $10 each
Coffee Mugs $10 each
Badges $1.00 each
Teddy’s $5.00 each
Thank You to Nathan Barrett MLA for all of your support to our school community. Just recently Nathan Barrett has been very busy supporting our school with the donation of a new NT Flag, working with us to have the grass mowed on Applegate Drive near the Middle School and his full support was given to fully fund our lovely Mother’s Day Breakfast held on the 6th May raising $266 for the school.