

# Rosebery Primary School

## The Turtle Times

24th September 2021

Term 3 Week 10



**CONFIDENCE - COOPERATION - INTEGRITY - RESILIENCE - RESPECT**

### NT School Survey

Thank you to those who completed the online NT School Survey. The survey is developed by the Department of Education with schools having the option to add additional questions appropriate to their context. The data is then accessed by individual schools for the purpose of strategic planning and school improvement. The results are shared in detail with teachers and school council to guide future decision-making processes, professional learning and to consider areas of strength and improvement. Each year we look closely at the survey results and comments, discuss implications and use the information to inform our current practice and the strategic plan for the following year.

This year 106 parents answered the survey and 85 Year 5 and Year 6 students answered the survey.

#### Some of the key areas of strength according to parents:

- The school is well maintained
- Teachers expect children to do their best
- Their child has good friends at this school
- Parents can talk to teachers about their concerns

#### Some of the key areas of improvement according to parents:

- Managing student behaviour
- The school taking parents' opinions seriously
- The school taking students' opinions seriously
- Opportunities for parents to have a say in the direction of the school and its programs

#### Some of the key areas of strength according to students:

- Teachers expect students to do their best
- There are opportunities to be a leader
- My teachers make sure I understand the work
- The school looks for ways to improve
- The school gives me opportunities to do interesting things

#### Some of the key areas of improvement according to students:

- Managing student behaviour
- The school is well maintained
- Taking student opinion seriously
- Teachers understand how I learn

Your feedback is important. I encourage all parents to ring, email or make an appointment with their child's teacher or a member of our leadership team to discuss any concerns or ways to improve. We are always working hard to improve and keep the learner at centre of all that we do.

### Student Led Conferences

What a fantastic turn out for our Student Led Conferences. Most classes recorded over 80% of students and families attending to share learning. Follow up interviews were made and many parents left positive and constructive feedback. Our Defence School Mentor was also visited by many families and it was great to hear that many parents had a look at what has been happening in Performing Arts and PE (I heard there was a push up / sit up challenge!). It is such an important part of the school year and I was thrilled to see so many families sharing the love of learning. Thank you to our parent volunteers who helped prepare and serve at the BBQ. The parent volunteers are essential at the Student Led Conference evening as all teachers are supporting students in the classroom. **A special thank you to Jack and Julie Mather, Penny Seamer, Naomi McKeown and Lesley Vella who helped at the BBQ.** Thank you to those families who supported the school by popping by to buy a drink or grab a sausage sandwich.

### Planning for 2022

We are beginning to plan for the number of classes and teachers we will need for 2022. It is very important that every family informs us of their intentions and lets us know if they will be at Rosebery Primary School next year. This information ensures we can create the right number of class with the right number of students and not make any changes once the school year begins. Teachers and leadership be planning classes for 2022 in mid to late November. A very short survey will be emailed to all families early next term to collect this information. We ask that you answer the survey as best you can and keep us informed if your situation changes.

### End of another term

Term 3 certainly flew by! I hope you all have a safe, fun and relaxing holiday. I look forward to welcoming you all back for the last ten weeks of the 2021 school year. School resumes Monday 11 October.

***"Respectfully and cooperatively striving for excellence with confidence, integrity and resilience."***

Tania Kolomitsev  
Principal



**Our Ambition: Every child in the Northern Territory has the best start in life and, through early learning and school education, gains a bright future.**

# Awards

## Value Awards

T Ayres/Platt	Georgia Gibbons, Charli Millar
T-1 Parry/Roe	Sophia, Hudson Milosevich
Yr 1/2 Baker/Coxhill	Sakkhota Dey, Cooper Olsen
Yr 1/2 Moir/Moxham	Theodore Marshall, River Waqa, Molly Sharp, Will Rowston
Yr 2/3 Carroll	Daly Jackson, Mia Bryan
Yr 2/3 French	Laurenti Ndiokubwayo, Amy Lindenschmid
Yr 3/4 Gray/Kalaf	Max Sharp, Jiya Patel
Yr 4/5 Evans/Lucas	Taboka Dube, Kain Parsons, Awab Muzaffar, Senan, Mayadunna, Mason O'Brien, Mason Wrigglesworth
Yr 5/6 Canning/Filipi	Lucas Kingham, Jamielyn Mingi
Yr 5/6 McFee/Gates	Rhianna Natt, Keely McCormack, Freya Lassig



## Principal Awards

T Ayres/Platt	Kai Harvey, Declan Chan, Ruby Gillard, Evelyn Gilroy
T/1 Parry/Roe	Sarah Albaghdady, Ilyana Hayat
1/2 Baker/Coxhill	Zara Vornam
1/2 Moir/Moxham	Brighton Jones
2/3 Carroll	Riley Harkness
2/3 French	Lily May, Havana Hayes
3/4 Gray/Kalaf	Harvey Simmons, Zachary Millard, Zahra Ali
4/5 Evans/Lucas	Imogen Alexander
5/6 Canning/Filipi	Abby Holmes, Jamielyn Mingi,
5/6 McFee/Gates	Mia Anne Aristorenas, John Hall



# Defence News



Thanks everyone for returning your posting information, if you still have your form could send me a photo or email so I can add your information to my list.

Next term will be a time to reflect on the time your child has spent in Darwin and look forward to moving to a new location and school.

I will run several sessions with your child to prepare them for their move and also check in with the senior student who will be moving on to middle school.

Thanks to all those who came along to the open night on Tuesday it was lovely to catch up and show off our amazing room.

Please contact me if there is anything I can do to help over the coming months with postings, schools and new classes or to access ADF programs.

Defence member and family support are running KidSMART for the last day of the mid term break.

This event is only for children of Australian Defence Force members aged 5-12 years old.

KidSMART is a one day workshop to help kids learn how to manage change, stay connected to friends, and cope when feeling stressed or anxious (particularly during times of parental absence and deployment). Children will also learn relaxation strategies

Have a great break and I will see you all next term, Amanda.

If you are interested please book in using the link below.

<https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/an-adf-families-event-kidsmart-for-5-to-12-year-olds-darwin-tickets-174018613357>

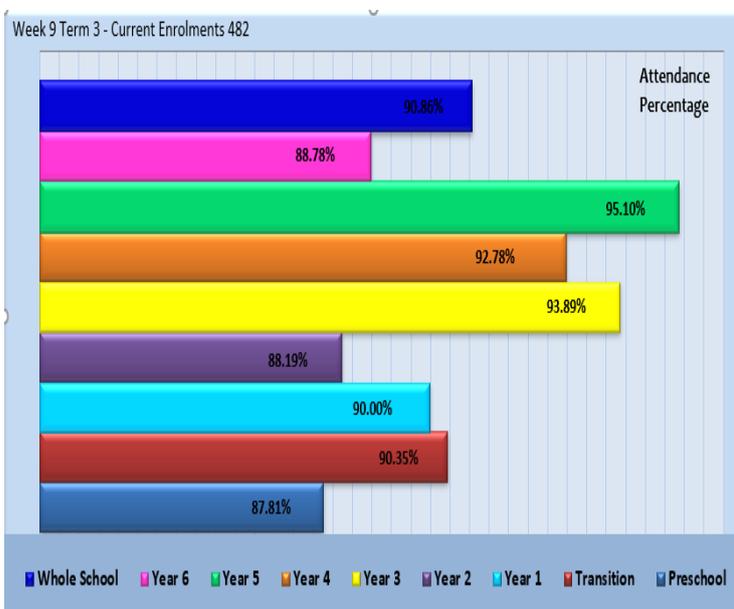
## Lunch Club Term 4

**Monday**  
Transition, Year 1 & 2,  
bring a friend

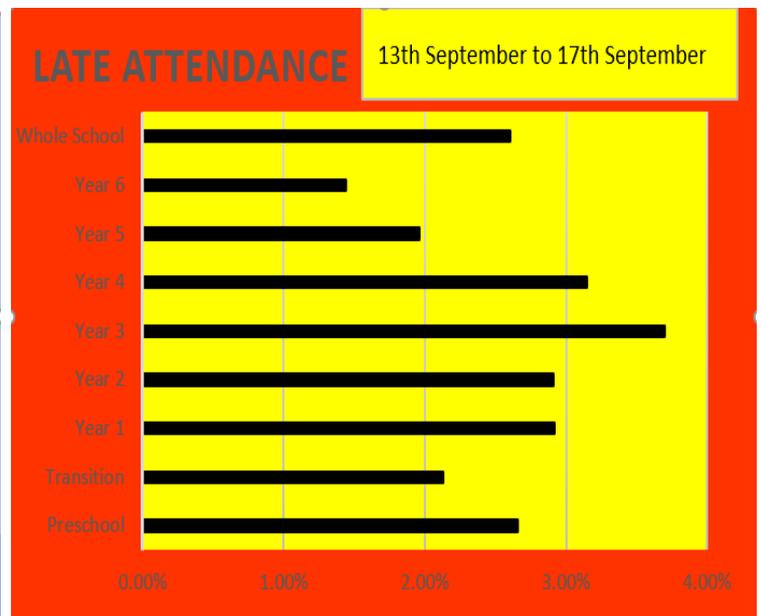
**Tuesday**  
Years 3,4,5 & 6,  
bring a friend

**Friday**  
All Years, Defence Kids Only

## Attendance Week 9, Term 3



## Late Arrivals Week 9, Term 3





**Term 4**  
**Commences**  
**Monday 11th**  
**October**

**2022 Enrolments**

Preschool positions are now open for current Rosebery Families. Please see Reception to secure your child's spot for 2022.

Children must turn 4 before 30th of June to be eligible to start Preschool in 2022.

**PRESCHOOL**

**canteen | national bandanna day**  
**Friday 29th October**

**Wear your  
bandanna to  
support  
canteen**

**\$5**  
each

**Bandannas  
available for  
sale in  
reception**



# Student Led Conferences

Thank you to all families who attended the Student Led Conferences. Students were very proud to share their hard work and personal learning goals.

Thankyou to our volunteers for running the Family BBQ total raised from the BBQ was \$659



# Transition "My First Year"



On Wednesday this week Transition students from all over the Territory featured in a printed lift out celebrating their first year at school. Here are the class photos that featured in the newspaper.



**Rosebery PRIMARY SCHOOL 2021**

*Back Row (l. to R.):* Donovan Espie, Tate Mansfield, Nathaniel Dempster, Elsie Thompson, Ruby Gillard, Hunter McAway, Klerma Ndihokubwaye, Kylan Peters

*Front Row (l. to R.):* Olivia Wilson, Evelyn Gilroy, Hunter Beckstrom, Isaac Calma, Yvona Patel

**Transition Platt**

**Rosebery PRIMARY SCHOOL 2021**

*Back Row (l. to R.):* Tapiwa Nswings, Evie Russell, Max Keam, Lyra Whiteside

*Front Row (l. to R.):* Axel East, Paige Clifton, Darcy Heywood, Ashleigh Curtis, Erika Stewart

**Transition Parry**

**Rosebery PRIMARY SCHOOL 2021**

*Back Row (l. to R.):* Nesh Jackson, Zayden Loder, Jacob Green, Ella Munckton, Ilyana Hayat, Lilly Whitelaw

*Front Row (l. to R.):* Nathan Melas, Summer Southern, George Pkos, Akshata Dhungana, Jason Clarke

**Transition Roe**

**Rosebery PRIMARY SCHOOL 2021**

*Back Row (l. to R.):* Daly Civitarese, Riley Leavold, Scarlett Bailey, Charlotte Mangwai, Kai Harvey, Declan Chan, Jensen Warby, Billie Dingle, Charlotte Richardson

*Front Row (l. to R.):* Harlem Brown, Dalvonne Mow, Liam Clarke, Georgia Gibbons

**Transition Ayres**

# T/1 Parry Roe

What a wonder filled term for T/1 Parry Roe. Students have explored some fantastic fairy tales, we have looked at what materials we use and their properties. We have learned about 3D shapes and hefting. Students have been involved in stem challengers, designing bridge homes for trolls, houses for the 3 little pigs, boats to save the gingerbread man and clothing for elves. Here is some photos of all the fun and learning we have experienced in Term 3.



# Beat Performances

What an amazing **BEAT** week. Tiring I know for all our students, however blowing the crowd away with our finale was such a highlight for everyone especially our kids. **WE ROCKED IT !!!**

Thankyou to all our families for getting all our kids where they needed to be and a huge thankyou to Mrs. Jeffery, Ms. Marnie and Ms. Amanda for all your behind the scenes efforts, you ladies really are the Dream Team.

Our kids definitely shone over the last 3 days and received plenty of positive feedback from the NT Music School staff and random strangers, including many parents from other schools. A lot were very impressed at the amount of boys we have in our group.

Just a remarkable bunch of Rosebery kids that consistently demonstrated the core of our school values and were true representatives of what this dance program is really all about.

I'm so proud of each and everyone one of them.

Mrs Banicek





. FREE FUN .

# WATER SAFETY WEEK 2021

Visit FREE events and activities held around the Territory  
Calendar for Darwin, Palmerston, Katherine & Top End

DATE	EVENT	LOCATION	TIME
SUNDAY 19 <sup>th</sup>	<b>SPLASHFEST</b>	Darwin Waterfront	9am - 12pm
MONDAY 20 <sup>th</sup>	Story Reading	Casuarina Public Library	10am - 11am
TUESDAY 21 <sup>st</sup>	Story Reading	Nightcliff Public Library	10am - 11am
		Palmerston Library	10am - 11am
WEDNESDAY 22 <sup>nd</sup>	Story Reading	Darwin City Library	10am - 11am
		Katherine Public Library	10:30am - 11:15am
	Pool Lifesaving Carnival	Katherine Aquatic Centre	2:30pm - 4pm
		Parap Swimming Pool	5pm - 7pm
THURSDAY 23 <sup>rd</sup>	Story Reading	Karama Public Library	10am - 11am
FRIDAY 24 <sup>th</sup>	Water Safety Fun with Boof	Leanyer Recreation Park	3:00pm - 4:00pm
SATURDAY 25 <sup>th</sup>	<b>AQUAFEST</b>	Palmerston Swimming Pool	10am - 1pm

*Safety rules are your best tools!*

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## SCHOOL HOLIDAY PROGRAM

27TH SEPTEMBER TO 8TH OCTOBER 2021

All activities are FREE and start at 2 PM

Art and Craft sessions are limited to 25 children. Tickets are available 15 minutes prior to session starting, at the Front Desk.

Week One	Week Two
27 September - 1st October	4th - 8th October
Monday: Movie Monday - Big Hero 6	Monday: Movie Monday - Raya & The Last Dragon
Tuesday: Back to the Roots Music Come n Try African Drumming	Tuesday: Janie Andrews Beaded Creatures craft session
Wednesday: Midweek Vid - The Secret Garden	Wednesday: Bush to Beach Nature-Based Programs Nature Collage Sun Catchers
Thursday: Danielle Aqualina Scales and Tails Craft Session	Thursday: Sachi Hirayama Japanese Origami, Paper Cranes
Friday: Friday Flick - Monsters University	Friday: Saltwater Samba Make, Learn & Play Samba Drums

For more information call 89359999 or email [askus@palmerston.nt.gov.au](mailto:askus@palmerston.nt.gov.au)

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## TERRITORY GYMNASTICS ACADEMY

### TERM 3 2021 HOLIDAY CAMPS

**3-DAY CAMPS Age 4+**  
\$99 PER 3 DAYS OR \$40 PER DAY

Monday, Wednesday & Friday - 11am - 130pm

WEEK 1 -  
Monday 27<sup>th</sup> Sept  
Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> September  
Friday 1<sup>st</sup> October

**TGA'S HOLIDAY CAMPS - SUITABLE FOR AGE 4 - 12yrs (boys and girls)**

Does your child like to do handstands, cartwheels and all things gymnastics ???

**YES - Our Holiday camp is the place to be !!!!**

**EXISTING MEMBERS** - this is a great way to continue gymnastics during the holidays

**NEW & INTERESTED MEMBERS** : These are a great way to try gymnastics before enrolling for a term - 5% term discount if you register for the following term .

To register contact : Michelle  
Email : [info@tgadarwin.com](mailto:info@tgadarwin.com)

LOCATION :  
TERRITORY GYMNASTICS ACADEMY  
426 STUART HIGHWAY, WINNELLIE

**COME AND PLAY SESSIONS -**  
\$5 drop in - under 5 yrs

TUESDAYS & THURSDAYS 10 - 1130 am  
These sessions will run every week during the holidays

# SIGN ON DAY

**NEW PLAYERS WELCOME!**

**SATURDAY 2nd OCTOBER**  
**10AM - 2PM**  
**CROCS RUGBY CLUB HOUSE**  
**81 BONSON TCE, MOULDEN**

THE NT'S OLDEST RUGBY CLUB,  
PALMERSTON RUGBY UNION CLUB  
INVITE NEW AND CONTINUING PLAYERS  
TO SIGN-ON FOR  
2021/22 RUGBY UNION SEASON

**Junior Girls and Boys**  
**Under 6 through to Under 18**

**Senior Men's A & B**  
**and Women's**

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT THE CLUB ON FACEBOOK OR EMAIL: [juniors@palmerstonrugby.com.au](mailto:juniors@palmerstonrugby.com.au)