

Turtle Times

Rosebery
PRIMARY SCHOOL



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A note from the Principal

2024 Goals

Our school goal for 2024 is to improve student achievement in Reading and to improve our student attendance data.

This term teachers and students have been working very hard during literacy blocks. The daily two-hour literacy block includes explicit teaching of aspects of reading, such as phonics (learning about sounds and letters), fluency (reading with speed, accuracy and expression), vocabulary (learning new words every week) and comprehension (understanding what is said and read). Families can help at home by talking about things they have watched or read, by listening to their children read every day, by talking about new words and their meanings.

We are very proud of Rosebery students and the hard work they are putting into their learning.

A note from the principal continued...

Parent Teacher Interviews and Progress Reports

Thank you to all the families who attended the parent teacher meetings last week. Regular communications between home and school are essential to support our students be the very best learners. If you were unable to attend you can make a time to see your child's teacher by contacting them directly through Reception, via email or Seesaw. All families should have received a **Progress Report** for their child. This is a less formal report that gives information about efforts and study habits and also whether your child is working above, at or below year level in English and Mathematics. Parents will receive the formal full Written Report at the end of each semester (June and December).

A reminder about before and after school routines

A few friendly reminders about safety before and after school. Supervision in the playground starts at 7:50am. Students arriving before 7:50am are expected to be either in Outside Hours School Care or supervised by an adult. Any students who are not being supervised by an adult are asked to sit next to the canteen.

At the end of the school day, students who are waiting for brothers or sisters who attend Palmerston College are asked to wait at the front of the school – please be aware that Rosebery Primary School finishes at 2:25pm and students may not be fully supervised whilst waiting for siblings. Students catching a bus can wait at the front of the school until 2:35pm and then they are expected to go directly to the bus stop. Both Rosebery Primary School and Palmerston College playgrounds are unsupervised out of school hours and should not be accessed by Rosebery Primary School students. Students are not to walk through Palmerston College during their school hours.

What's on the calendar

After the holidays we will be having a special ANZAC Day assembly on Wednesday 24 April and all families are invited to attend. We now have a one-week school holiday and school will resume next term on **Tuesday 16 April**. I hope you all have an enjoyable holiday and look forward to seeing you back for Term 2.

The Rosebery Primary School vision:

*“Growing and learning together through curiosity,
creativity and collaboration.”*

Tania Kolomitsev , Principal





Save the date! SPORTS DAY



Upper Primary Field Events 11 June 2024
Whole School Tabloids and Races 12 June 2024

A visit from Bary's friend.

This week Bary had a friend from the Reptile club visit us at school. Miss Kiah gently caught the visitor she named Cuddles, keeping him safe in a pillowcase and then inside a box for their trip to The Ark Animal Hospital. Cuddles had an X-Ray and was given a clean bill of health and released to continue his day. Thank you to Lily-Paige Carr's parents for transporting Cuddles.



Easter Raffle Winners

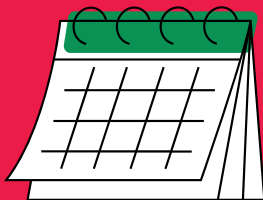


Congratulations to our basket winners:

Waqqa family	Davis Family
Mamounis family	Poynter Family
Hayes family	Walker family
Lluch family	Kearney family



Dates to Remember Term 2



EVENT	DATE		
		Whole School Assembly Host: Transition	19 April
School Holidays	8-12 April		
Pupil Free Day	15 April	Whole School Assembly Host: 1/2 Moir Bolton	3 May
First day of school	16 April	Whole School Assembly Host: 3/4 Baker Pathak	17 May
Anzac Day Holiday	25 April		
May Day Holiday	6 May	Whole School Assembly Host: 5/6 Gary Nichols	31 May
Musica Viva	10 May	Whole School Assembly Host: Performing Arts	14 June
Year 4 Camp	23-24 May		
King's Birthday Holiday	10 June	Early Years Assembly Every Second Wednesday 8:20am	Rugrats Playgroup Every Wednesday 9-10:30
Sports Days	11-12 June		
Last Day of Term 2	21 June		

School Holidays

RECEPTION WILL BE CLOSED FROM
MONDAY 8TH APRIL AND REOPEN ON
MONDAY 15TH APRIL (PUPIL FREE DAY)

**School resumes for all students
on Tuesday 16th April**



Rosebery Primary School

2024

ANZAC DAY



Please join us in the commemoration of ANZAC Day at our Rosebery Primary School ANZAC Assembly, ANZAC Day March and Veteran commemoration wall.

ANZAC School Commemoration Assembly

Date: Wednesday the 24th of April

Time: 8:30am

Location: Rosebery Primary School

ANZAC Day March

Date: Thursday the 25th of April

Time: 8:30am

Location: Palmerston City

Veteran Commemoration Wall

This year's theme for ANZAC Day is the Veterans in our community. This year at Rosebery Primary School we would love to create a Veteran Commemoration wall full of photos, and drawings of the veterans in our families and our community. This will be displayed at our ANZAC School Commemoration Assembly.



ANZAC DAY
Lest We Forget

If you have any questions or would like more information please contact our Defence School Mentor Kiah Mackenzie

Tel: 79230100 Email: kiah.mackenzie@education.nt.gov.au

MATES 4 MATES

Here for those impacted by service.

All events are free for current and ex-serving Defence Force members, and their families, registered with Mates4Mate.org. Visit Mates4Mates.org to complete the online new client form and our team will be in touch soon.

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Territory Wildlife Park

Looking for a fun school holiday activity?

Join us at Territory Wildlife park for an exciting day out exploring the park. Daily talks and presentations occur - please see their website for further timings.

We encourage participants to bring their bikes, trikes or scooters for ease of transportation around the park.

Where:
Territory Wildlife Park, Cox Peninsula Rd, Berry Springs

When:
Time: 0930
Date: Saturday 06th April

EOI Required:
Please email the full names of all participants to ntactivity@mates4mates.org

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Sky's The Limit

Mates4Mates have been kindly invited by 1AVN to play with their incredible flight simulator these school holidays! If you have ever wanted to know what it's like to fly, then this is the perfect opportunity.

This activity is for the children of current serving members, aged 5-17 years (must be accompanied by a guardian).

Where
1AVN REGT
Gaza Lines
Robertson Barracks

When
Time: 1500 - 1630
Dates: Tuesday 9th April

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Swell-ebrate The Holidays

Where is a Zombie's favourite place to swim? The Dead Sea.

Join Mates4Mates at SWELL Palmerston for a morning of swimming to celebrate the school holidays. Morning tea and cold drinks will be provided.

This activity is suitable for the entire family (Participants must comply with SWELL guardian supervision ratios).

Where
SWELL Palmerston
31 Tilston Ave
Palmerston

When
Time: 1000 - 1200
Dates: Wednesday 10th April

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It's Hip-Notic!

How do you get a cow to dance? You need to pick the right moo-sic...

Bring the kids down to Mates4Mates for a morning of fun these school holidays. Staff from Jameelah Belly Dancers are running two children's belly dancing classes with a nutritious morning tea to be provided.

Where
Mates4Mates Veterans & Families Wellbeing Centre
39 Stuart Highway, Stuart Park NT 0820 (Access from Ramirez Rd)

When
Time: 10:00am (Under 7s & Parents)
10:30am (Morning Tea)
11:00am (8-17 Year Olds)
Date: Thursday 11th April

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Dietitian's Workshop on ADHD and Autism

Dietitians NT will be joining Mates4Mates for an information session unpacking eating differences in neurodivergent young and adult brains. A discussion to understand more about how our differences can impact the way we eat.

Where
Mates4Mates Veterans & Families Wellbeing Centre
39 Stuart Highway, Stuart Park NT 0820 (Access from Ramirez Rd)

When
Time: 1700 - 1800
Date: Friday 12th April

EOI Required
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Classroom Spotlight

Performing Arts - Ms Wulf

Lower Primary

Lower Primary students have been exploring a different theme each week (e.g., fish, trains, farms) and doing activities such as singing songs and action songs, playing percussion, musical movement games, and craft related to that theme. It's always busy and lots of fun, and students have settled into the routines of Performing Arts very well.



Upper Primary

Upper Primary students have been focusing on Drama this term, with an emphasis on improvisation and roleplay.



Classroom Spotlight

Performing Arts - Ms Wulf

They have also enjoyed playing percussion to both classical music and pop songs using cups, drumsticks, buckets, and body percussion.

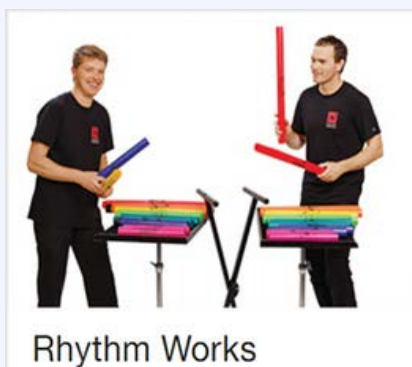


We also squeeze in a Just Dance song or two if time permits.



Musica Viva

Students are looking forward to Musica Viva's live performance of Rhythm Works next term and are learning about elements of the pieces of music every week in the lead up to the performance and interacting with the music through a series of learning activities.



School holidays April 2024



School Holiday Program

Need help keeping the kids entertained these SCHOOL HOLIDAYS?

Join us @ City of Palmerston Library for our School Holiday Program! 1 week only - Mon 8 April - Fri 12 April

All sessions are FREE for ages 6-11 & activities kick off 10AM DAILY.

SAVE THE DATES :

Monday 8 April	Tuesday 9 April	Wednesday 10 April	Thursday 11 April	Friday 12 April
Movie Monday: Wonka (PG)	Movement Disco with Hyper the Clown	Library Bag Making with Janie Andrews	Amazing XR with Amazing Miss Deb	Badge Making

Wonka

Armed with nothing but a handful of dreams, young chocolatier Willy Wonka manages to change the world, one delectable bite at a time.

Movement Disco

Hyper's movement disco is designed to keep children of all ages engaged and entertained with musical games, dances, and other fun interactive activities.

Library Bags

Print onto a calico bag to create your very own library bag to take home.

Amazing XR

Embark on a virtual adventure into digital realms, where you'll explore, create, and interact in entirely new dimensions.

Badge Making

Badge-making is a creative and engaging project where participants design and create their own badges.

For more information feel free to call our friendly Library staff on (08) 8935 9999



School Holiday Program

Holiday activities 8-13th April 2024 are FREE.

Children 10 years and under must be accompanied by an adult at all events.

School holiday activities are open to members and non-members of the libraries. Check out their schedule of [school holiday activities](#).

School holidays April 2024



Monday 8 April until Friday 12 April, daily from 9am – Noon

Peninsula Lawns | 6yr - 16yr

Welcome to Water World, where we'll be transforming the Darwin Waterfront into an epic water warzone for the entire week!

Pack your sun-smart bathers and towel to enjoy this free water extravaganza – perfect for the whole family! We highly recommend adding a visit to the Wave Lagoon to your day to complete the Water World experience.

APPLY ONLINE



Children living in an urban area are eligible to receive two \$100 sport vouchers each year - one in January and one in July for sport, recreation and cultural activities.

Redeeming your child's voucher is now even easier with a new online application form.

Parents or carers need to apply for vouchers online each semester.

TO APPLY FOR YOUR VOUCHER

1. Visit sportvoucher.nt.gov.au/apply
2. Click apply online
3. Follow the prompts to complete the form



If your child's details are in the system, your voucher will be available to print or save immediately. If your child's details are not found in the system, a voucher will be sent to your associated email address within 10 working days. Further information is available by calling 1800 817 860 or email sportvoucher@nt.gov.au

sportvoucher.nt.gov.au



LITCHFIELD COUNCIL & TAMINMIN LIBRARY PRESENT

YOUTH WEEK 2024

FREE RURAL ACTIVITIES

	Reserves	Library	Dw Cmnty Arts
MON 8/4	PaRBA Basketball Village Green Hall Humpty Doo 3:00pm-5:00pm	VR Gaming with Level Up 2:30pm-4:30pm	Free Day - Borrow a how to book from the library
TUE 9/4	AFL Nines SDistricts Norbuilt Oval Freds Pass 3:30pm-5:30pm	Mario Kart Racing Rounds 2:30pm-4:30pm	Free Day - Work on your craft project
WED 10/4	PaRBA Basketball Berry Springs Rec Reserve Hall 3:00pm-5:00pm	VR Gaming with Level Up 2:30pm-4:30pm	Learn TShirt Printing 2:00pm-4:00pm
THU 11/4	PaRBA Basketball Freds Pass Reserve Market Area 3:00pm-5:00pm	Minecraft Hub with Level Up 2:30pm-4:30pm	Leathercraft Workshop 2:00pm-4:00pm
FRI 12/4	AFL Nines Berry Springs Rec Reserve 3:30pm-5:30pm	Just Dance Party 2:30pm-4:30pm	How To Draw Manga 2:00pm-4:00pm

MEET WHERE? >>> Litchfield Council Reserves as listed above

BOOKINGS REQ >>> Taminmin Library On College Grounds Chatterer Cct Humpty Doo

library@litchfield.nt.gov.au 8988 1200 <https://litchfield.nt.gov.au/community/taminmin-library>

PALMERSTON COLLEGE



YEAR 5 & 6 PARENT INFORMATION NIGHT

For Year 5 and 6 students enrolling in Year 7 in 2025 and 2026 who reside in the Palmerston area. Come along and meet the staff and have your questions answered. No appointments necessary.

WHEN: Thursday 18 April 2024
WHERE: Years 7-9 Campus, Rosebery
TIME: 5:30pm to 6:30pm



More information, please contact the college on Ph: 8997 7999 or palmerston.college@education.nt.gov.au



**We wish you an exciting yet relaxing holiday.
Don't worry about Bary. Miss Jones will feed and
look after Bary during the break.**



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