FROM THE PRINCIPAL

I have some wonderful news about our new school bus. Last Thursday I received a cheque from Rocky Swap for $52,000.00 towards our new bus. A huge thank you to this organisation for their very generous assistance. Our P&C are putting $20,000.00 towards the cost and I thank them for the hard work they have done to raise this money. We have ordered the bus and when it arrives it will require altering to fit wheelchairs. So, we should have the bus operational by the end of the year or to start the new school year.

Congratulations to the students who attended the Noosa Triathlon. I have had excellent reports on good sportsmanship and behaviour while they were away. Thanks to the staff who accompanied the students to this event.

This Friday is Remembrance Day and we will be holding a short ceremony to mark this event.

Please don’t forget to purchase your tickets for the graduation which will be held at the Frenchville Sports Club next Wednesday night 16th November. This year we have ten students graduating.

Our PBL focus for the next two weeks will be “I will always be kind and courteous to others”.

Students will be talking about and engaging in activities on this topic in class.

Have a wonderful week.

Regards

Jogie
Principal

IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

Remembrance Day Ceremony
- Friday 11th November

Graduation Dinner
- Wednesday 16th November

Last Day of Term 4  - Friday 9th December
The following students have received the Principal’s Award:

**Wednesday 26th October 2016:**

Lochlin for excellent participation during camp activities;

and

Shelby for consistently following the school rules and completing work to the best of her ability.

**Friday 4th November 2016:**

Jaz for responding well to social interactions;

and

Ethan for making an excellent effort to settle back into school routines;

and

Shia-Lee for working well on her communication using a yes/no response and scanning her PODD.

Well done to these students, keep up the great work!

The following students have recently achieved the following RAVI and RIVA milestones:

10
Nicholas C

75
Chelsea
Katelyn
Aurelia
Harley-Rose
Nicholas P
Nathan T

100
Josh
Alexa
Phoenix
Tjanara
Alex
Josh S

150
Cheyanne

200

250
Shelby
Stephanie
Shyan
Iain

Congratulations to all of you and keep up the great work.
2016 SPECIAL CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS PARTY

The Special Children’s Christmas Party will be held on Saturday 12th November 2016 from 11:00am to 2:30pm at the Rockhampton Showgrounds.

All invitations have been distributed to eligible students.

If families have any questions about the day, please refer to the website www.sccp.com.au and the tab “YOUR INVITATION”.

BOOK CLUB

Issue 8 of Book Club has been distributed to all students.

If you wish to place an order, please return all cash orders to Administration by Friday 25th November 2016.

Alternatively you can pay online by credit card via www.scholastic.com.au/LOOP.

If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact Administration.

BANDANNA DAY

Thank you to everyone who purchased a bandanna on Bandanna Day.

In total, Rockhampton Special School raised the amount of $268.00 to support young people living with cancer.

ROCKHAMPTON REGIONAL COUNCIL COMMUNITY CONVERSATIONS

Rockhampton Regional Council is undertaking a community consultation for Rockhampton City and surrounding areas at the Rockhampton Art Gallery on 17th November from 6.30pm to 8pm.

At this community consultation Council will provide information on local works and seek to understand community priorities to help inform Council’s budgeting and planning processes.

Please refer to the attached flyer for further details on the community consultation.

ROCKHAMPTON REGIONAL COUNCIL – NOTICE OF ROADWORKS

Rockhampton Regional Council have commenced roadworks at the intersection of Denison Street and William Street and will consist of work to construct underground piped stormwater drainage, concrete footpaths and concrete kerb and channel.

The works are expected to take approximately ten (10) weeks to complete, subject to weather conditions.

Whilst works are in progress please observe the following:

- Exercise caution and obey all signs and traffic controller directions.
- Please drive slowly to minimise the risk of accidents.

Council apologises for any inconvenience as a result of these works, but is certain you will appreciate the result once finished.
Rockhampton Regional Library will be opening their Brick by Brick Lego exhibition on the 9th November 2016.

Play, create and learn with 30000 pieces of Lego at Rockhampton Regional Library.

This is a free event and kids from 4 years of age and upwards are encouraged to design and build something that is important for them, that they would want to see in their capital city.

Please refer to the attached flyer for full details.
Community Conversations
We want to talk to you!

Council is holding Community Conversations throughout October and November 2016.

Take this opportunity to discuss:

• Scheduled Council work in your area
• Major projects Council is currently working on
• Your community priorities
• Council's services and the draft Corporate Plan

LOCATION

Date: Thursday, 17 November 2016
Time: BBQ 6.30pm Meeting 7pm-8pm

For more details call Community Engagement Officer Wade Clark on 4936 8577.

If you cannot attend a meeting you can provide feedback online at www.rrc.qld.gov.au - Community and Events - Regional Voice - Current Engagements.

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