FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Once again it is time to farewell our graduating students.

This year our graduates are Iain, Daniel, Stephanie, Shelby, Nathan, Raine, Bailey, Samantha and Jordan. The staff, students and P&C wish you all the best in your future endeavours. We hope your time at Rockhampton Special School has been happy and beneficial. We shall miss all of your smiling faces and we hope you will drop in from time to time to let us know how you are doing.

The graduation last Wednesday night was a wonderful event. All of our graduates looked wonderful and their behaviour was exemplary. Thank you to all who made this event such a special time for our students.

We have been working through the process of voting for next year’s school captains. All of the students who applied gave wonderful speeches and I would be happy to have any one of them as a school leader. I will keep you informed as the process moves on. Our annual Multi-Cultural Day will be held on Thursday 1st December 2016 and will commence at 11:30am. Thanks to Emily for organising this event.

As always we will have our Children’s Christmas Party on Thursday 8th December 2016. Once again the P&C are holding raffles and we would appreciate a donation to this. Please drop your donation of food or Christmas items to the office or send it to school with your child.

Since we are approaching school holidays it is timely to remind our children of being safe near roads so this fortnights PBL lessons will focus on “I will follow appropriate road safety practises”.

Have a good week.

Regards

Jodie
Principal

IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

Multi-Cultural Day - Thurs 1st December
School Christmas Party - Thurs 8th December
Last Day of Term 4 - Fri 9th December
**STUDENTS OF THE WEEK**

The following students have received the Principal's Award:

Monday 14th November 2016:

**Angel** for improved attendance and being a positive role model to others

and

**Zachary** for working well on his communication using a yes/no response.

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

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**RAVI & RIVA MILESTONES**

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.

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**NDIS PARTICIPANT READINESS**

The Department of Communities, Child Safety and Disability Services are looking at organising NDIS Participant Ready workshops for Rockhampton Special School and are seeking expressions of interest from families.

Accordingly, it would be greatly appreciated if you could please indicate your interest by telephoning the school on (07) 49375333 or e-mail to admin@rockhampspecs.eq.edu.au as soon as possible.
Book Club

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

This will be the final book club issue for this year.

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.

Rockhampton Regional Libraries – Brick by Brick Lego Exhibition

The Brick by Brick Lego exhibition opened at the Rockhampton Regional Library 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.

Rockhampton Regional Council – Notice of Roadworks

Rockhampton Regional Council are continuing roadworks at the intersection of Denison Street and William Street consisting 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 apologies for any inconvenience as a result of these works, but is certain you will appreciate the result once finished.
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Learn with 30,000

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