



# ROSEWORTHY PRIMARY SCHOOL

MONDAY, 4TH MARCH, 2019

Newsletter 3 Term 1 Week 6

*Together we learn, together we grow*

## From the Principal

On the 22nd of March all staff will have a focussed day of learning on our first Pupil Free Day centred around our Site Improvement Plan. Our learning planned for this day aligns directly our Site Improvement Plan with key messages from the recent 2019 DfE Leaders Day and Literacy Summit.

The Leaders Day focussed on DfE being a World-Class Education system through sustained evidence based learning strategies to enhance the learning of all students.

The 2019 DfE Literacy Summit key messages from Keynote Speaker, Professor Douglas Fisher, centred on the sustained explicit teaching of phonograms (as featured at our recent Start Right Night), and the explicit teaching of vocabulary skills to enhance students' knowledge and skills in Writing and Reading (all key messages linked closely with our 2019 Site Improvement Plan priorities).

## Restricted Access to Playground

You will notice that the playground area has been bunted off to restrict access to certain areas. This is in response to broken glass being spread around the playground over the weekend. The incident has been reported to SAPOL. With the support of the Department for Education corporate security team and our DPTI Facilities Manager we will be undertaking remediation of the area to ensure student, staff and school community safety. Sincere thanks to the community members who attempted to clear the area of glass and contacted the school so that we could erect barriers to keep students and community members safe as quickly as possible over the weekend.

## Best Wishes and New Staff

We wish Mrs Renee Slater all the very best with her impending newest arrival after beginning maternity leave from today. We all look forward to her return during term 3. As a result of Renee's leave and gaining some additional funding to support student learning we have 2 new staff members. Ann Kenrick has joined our team until the end of the year having worked as an SSO in Northern Adelaide centres for the last 2 years and Sam Bussenschutt who is currently studying teaching and will be with us until Renee returns. Both Ann and Sam have already begun building positive relationships in the learning environments that they have joined.

## Governing Council 2019

On the 19th of February, the 2019 Roseworthy Primary School Governing Council AGM was held in line with the constitution. At this meeting the 2018 Annual Report (containing successes, areas for improvement and results with data analysis) was tabled. The 2019 Roseworthy Primary School Site Improvement Plan and Budget were formally endorsed.

At the AGM retiring member Tracy Holtze was formally acknowledged for her long-term contribution to the Governing Council and RPS. The Governing Council also welcomed new member Linda Burton, with Aron Fenton, Kim Hudson, Jazz Knott, Chelsea Peterkin and Chris Johnson all nominated and elected to new 2 year terms, with Belinda Matz, Kerryn Miller and Kerry Johnson continuing members.

The 2019 Governing Council members are:

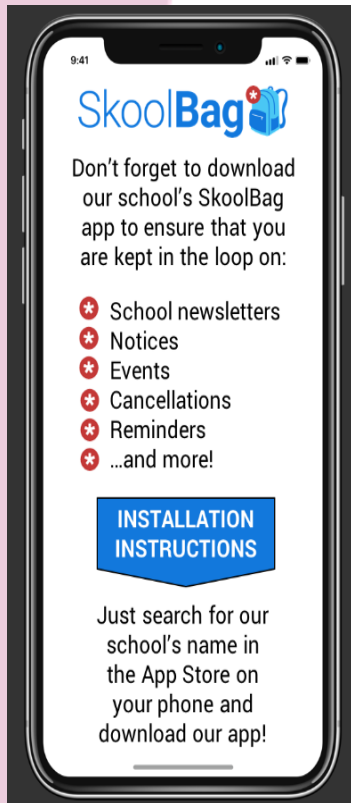
- Aron Fenton – Chairperson
- Kim Hudson – Treasurer
- Jazz Knott – Secretary

## Diary Dates

MARCH	
4-8	Water Safety Week
8	Assembly—Room 7 hosting
11	Adelaide Cup Holiday
19	Fundraising Hotdog lunch
21	Assembly—Room 8 hosting
22	Pupil Free Day
25-29	SAPSASA Swimming
APRIL	
1-5	3-way interviews
4	Year 6/7 Aquatics Day
5	Assembly—Room 6 hosting
8-12	SAPSASA Softball
12	Last day of Term 1 Casual Clothes Day 2:10pm dismissal
JUNE	
7	Pupil Free Day
SEPTEMBER	
2	School Closure Day
3	Pupil Free Day
NOVEMBER	
15	Pupil Free Day



*Respect – Excellence – Responsibility – Honesty*



Linda Burton  
Chris Johnson  
Kerry Johnson  
Chelsea Peterkin  
Kerryn Miller  
Belinda Matz

### 3D Printing in Technologies

It has been exciting to see the amazing creations that students have been producing in their work with Mrs Sandercock already this year. We have recently received our prize (another 3D Printer) as a result of students coming 2nd in a State wide competition at the end of 2018. I encourage everyone to follow the link in the article from Mrs Kathy Sandercock and Miss Jess Clarke to see the level of creative and critical thinking these students are using.

### SCHOOL UNIFORM

It is pleasing that students are consistently wearing full school uniform. As families begin to shop for warmer clothing in coming weeks, I'd like to remind families that plain black pants, shorts, skirts/skorts (not denim or with logos) are an expectation for all students. If you have any questions about the suitability of clothes don't hesitate to contact me at the school.

### HATS

Thanks to all of the families that recently supported us with our Hat Audit by purchasing new hats for students. This has ensured we are providing a Sun Safe environment for all students and that all hats are meeting the uniform policy.

*Matt Saunders*



### How Roseworthy PS Students Help Wheelchair Sports Athletes with 3D Printing

As part of our Technologies lessons and STEM learning students have been designing and printing items using our 3D printers. Last year we participated in a Design Thinking/3D Printing project with many other schools in the state.

7 students who worked on the project were selected to attend the showcase where we presented our work. The Showcase Event was an opportunity for students and teachers to share and celebrate their design thinking projects. Our project was selected as one of the runners up and we won a 3D printing!

This year Makers Empire have recognised the work the students have done in a Blog: <https://www.makersempire.com/how-roseworthy-primary-school-students-help-wheelchair-sports-athletes-with-3d-printing/>

If this link does not work try putting 'makers empire blog Roseworthy Primary School' into your search engine. It shows the short film the students made about the process of design thinking.

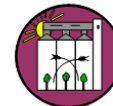
Jess Clarke and Kathy Sandercock



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## Visible Virtues

Each class has a poster in the front office show-casing our school Virtues of Respect, Responsibility, Excellence and Honesty, in action. These posters will be updated twice a term, so check out our virtuous students next time you visit the front office!

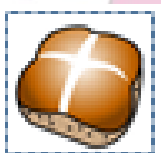


## Fundraising

The Kyton's Bakery Hot Cross Buns & Lamingtons drive orders are due to the front office, together with payment, by no later than Wednesday 3rd April 2019 (Wk 10). **NO LATE ORDERS WILL BE ACCEPTED.**

Orders will be available for collection on Wednesday 10th April (Week 11).

The Fundraising Committee thanks you for your support.



## Library News

### PREMIERS' READING Challenge

Champion Class! Room 7 are the first class to complete the challenge. A fantastic effort by all students – Well done.

The following students have successfully completed the Premiers Reading Challenge:

Room 4: Bobbie, Will, Sophie, Lucas, Abbi, Sophie G, Isabelle, Austin and Jake

Room 5: Evan, Sophie C, Annabelle, Riley, Aliah, Sophie W, Scarlett, Brock, Ashton, Xidyn, Harper, Jax, Brody, Bailey, Blake, Axle, Ruby and Archer

Room 6: Brandon and Evan B

Room 7: Ziggy, Eddie, Zenayah, Jana, Jayla, Henning, Cooper, Sienna, Charlotte, Kane, James, Ben, Jasmine, Jack DK, Katie, Lilly, Amber, Tino, Jedd, Jacob and Tiahna

Room 8: Noah, Eadi, Mikaylah and Jye G

Room 9: Lara, Edward, Monique, Sophie and Reilly

This years Book Week theme is 'Reading is my Secret Power' so students will get a small 3D printed object, based on the theme, that they have designed.



## Learning Zone Challenge (Week 1-5)

Who has read the most words in the first 5 weeks of school? The winners will be announced in the next newsletter.

Kathy and Kylie D  
Librarians



## ROSEWORTHY PLAYGROUP

*For Babies, toddlers  
& pre-schoolers*

*Meets on MONDAYS, 9am – 11am*

*@BER Hall*

(Roseworthy Primary Hall near basketball courts)

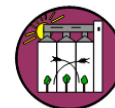
**Wk2-Wk 10 of term**

**Starts Monday Feb 4 2019**

Bring along a gold coin donation & a piece of fruit to share

For more info contact Bec Barrett 0411 241 853





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SA Dental Service

## Keep your kids smiling



Dental care is FREE for ALL babies, preschool and most children under 18 years at School Dental Service clinics.

The School Dental Service is a Child Dental Benefits Schedule provider.

**Call us now for an appointment!**

Your local clinic is: Evanston School Dental Clinic

Phone: 8522 3575

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**HOOKIN2  
HOCKEY**

**Gawler Hockey Club**

**RECRUITING NOW**

Junior & Senior Players

No experience necessary - The club is registered in the sport vouchers program.

**FREE Come'n'try Evening for Juniors (5-12 year olds):**

Wed 20<sup>th</sup> & 27<sup>th</sup> March 2019 5-6pm

at our home ground:

Karbeethan Reserve

Angle Vale Road, Evanston Gardens

For more info Please visit our website [www.Gawlerhockeyclub.com](http://www.Gawlerhockeyclub.com)

or contact Lisa Johnson 0419 110 725.

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