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NEWSLETTER

Vision

To provide all students with opportunities to become successful life long learners.



**ROXBURGH RISE
PRIMARY SCHOOL**

Learning for Life

Mission Statement

To provide a comprehensive curriculum that improves student learning in a safe, caring and challenging environment.

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Roxburgh Rise News

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What's coming up:

16th—20th October—Teeth on Wheels

16th—24th October—Commonwealth Bank Smart Money Incursions

17th October—Family Maths Night 6pm

19th October— Makers Conference selected students Grades 3—6

19th October—Hoop Time Grades 4s

20th October—Woodlands Division Softball Final

24th October—Grade 2 Sleepover Parent Information Night @ 4.45pm

31st October— 2018 Foundation Information Session @ 5pm

2nd September— Grade 2 Sleepover @ 5pm



Principal's Corner:

Hi everyone,

I hope that you all had a relaxing holiday break after what was a busy Term 1. The term ended on a very high note with our school concert. I am sure you will agree that our students put on a wonderful performance showing us what great talents they have! To show our appreciation of the hard work and dedication of our staff and the parents who assisted with costume and prop making, we are having a thank you morning tea for all concert helpers on Wednesday 18th October at 11:00am in the Library. We hope to see everyone there!

We have had a great start to the term. Our Grade 3 students and staff had an exciting time at Portsea Camp last week. The students were very excited to attend their very first camp and are to be commended for their excellent behaviour. Well done everyone! I would like to acknowledge the hard work and dedication of the staff who give up their time away from their own families to attend our camps in order to provide our students with a great camping experience. Thank you.

This week we will be celebrating Health and Physical Education Week. A variety of activities have been organised throughout the week such as: Fitness activities and fresh fruit in the Piazza every morning from 8:30am, Staff vs student games at lunchtime on Wednesday and Friday and a Commando course in the gym at lunchtime on Thursday. Our Grade 4 HoopTime Basketball team will be representing our school in the Regional competition at Mill Park Stadium on Thursday and our Grade 6 Softball team will be competing in the Woodlands Division finals on Friday. A big thank you to Nick Hero and Nicole Stillman for the work they have done training these teams. We wish them good luck!



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Principal's Report continued

On Tuesday night we are looking forward to holding our annual Family Maths night, which is always a well attended and engaging event for all our families. It will be held in the gym and will run from 6:00 - 7:00pm. We look forward to all our families attending and participating in the exciting Maths challenges we have for you. Thank you to Ms Halton, the Maths Committee and our staff for their organisation of the night.

Last but not least, on Friday we will be saying goodbye to Vicki in the office, who will be taking up another office administration position at Beveridge Primary School, which is closer to home. Thank you, Vicki for the wonderful job you have done in the office and in supporting our families. We will miss you and wish you all the best in your new position.

Please continue to keep up to date with school events occurring this term through our Newsletter and school app, Flexibuzz. It promises to be a busy but exciting one!

Regards,

Chris Bozikas

Principal

WELLBEING

IS YOUR CHILD MISSING OUT? Every absence comes at a price. As parents it's your responsibility to ensure your child attends school. **DON'T MAKE THEM MISS OUT.** Regular school attendance is essential, as absence from school means that your child can experience learning difficulties. Please make sure you:

- ✦ **Provide the school with an explanation if your child is away**
- ✦ Arrange doctor and dentist appointments out of school hours
- ✦ Do not allow your child to stay at home for minor reasons

Contact the school if your child does not want to come to school



If you are experiencing difficulty getting your child to school, we can offer a range of support options and strategies. Please contact Susan, Student Wellbeing Officer for further information.

Welcome to Spring! It is time to enjoy this warmer and sunnier weather. It is time to get outdoors to admire beautiful flowers and their fragrance in the gardens. This October there is no better way to do that than walk, ride or scoot to school or back home again.

Walk to School Month

The whole family can get active and healthy by walking to school together. If the distance is too far, then try walking part of the way. The fresh air and exercise helps the mind get ready for learning.

Walking, riding or scooting to and from school is a great way to work towards the recommended 60 minutes of physical activity, every day. Plus, kids who are active are more likely to develop healthy habits that lead to lifelong health benefits.



Universal Children's Day (Free Community Event)

Wed 25 October, 9.30am–1pm

Broadmeadows Aquatic and Leisure Centre

41-85 Tanderrum Way, Broadmeadows 3047

A fun morning of activities for families with children aged 0 – 5 years old. There will be local early years service providers along with Hume Council to celebrate children and families. Enjoy multicultural crafts, storytelling, games, an animal farm and much, much more.

Lunch will be provided for free.

Website:

www.hume.vic.gov.au/childrensday



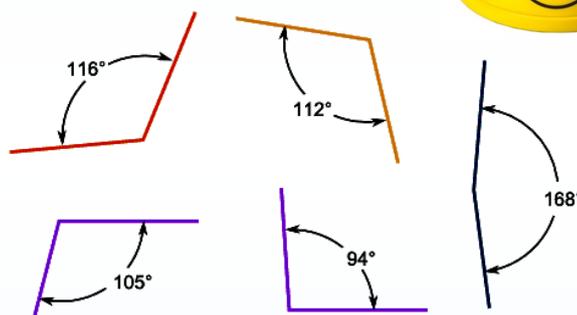
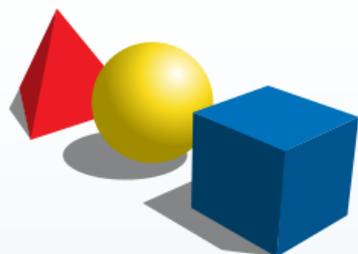
FAMILY MATHS NIGHT



Roxburgh Rise Primary School would like to invite you and your family to a fun night. We will have a variety of exciting math's activities for all including:



- **Number Games**
- **Geometry**
- **Shapes**
- **Measurement**



PRIZES TO WIN

Date: Tuesday 17th October

Time: 6:00 pm—7:00 pm

Where: Roxburgh Rise Primary School Gym

Come Dressed in your Pyjamas for this event

HEALTH & PE NEWS

Hello Roxy Risers!

As part of Health & PE week for 2017 the PE department is going to be running lots of fun activities throughout week 2 in Term 4. We would like for all our students to get involved in Health & PE week by promoting a healthy and active lifestyle.

From Monday to Friday, Mr Hero & Mr Karahan will be running a skipping club in the mornings from 8.30am to 8.50am. We hope to get as many students involved, so that they begin their day with exercise to warm up for a day of learning ahead.



On Tuesday we will be providing fresh fruit at recess in the piazza for you all to enjoy, so make sure you come down and get yourselves a piece of fruit that will keep you energized throughout the day.

On Thursday there will be a commando course in the gym during lunchtime. The commando course will include lots of fun stations including tunnel crawls, ladder climbs, sprinting and agility races. We encourage you all to come and try to complete the commando course as a fun and challenging way to test your fitness levels!

On Friday we will be running a student V teachers basketball game outside on the basketball courts at lunchtime. The teachers look forward to testing their skills against our talented interschool basketball team!



As you can see, there are heaps of fun activities throughout Health & PE week which you can get involved in. We hope to see as many faces as possible!

Thank you,

Mr Karahan & Mr Hero.

TECHNOLOGY FREE WOW DAY

Grade 4 What were the pros and cons of the day?

Pros	Cons
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gave you a feel what It was like in the olden days, before technology. • No lights turned on, therefore we saved electricity. • Saves money by saving electricity. • Less interruptions due to no announcements over PA. • You can last without technology. • Interesting to see how people would cope. • Used your knowledge more and relied less on technology. • Less time looking at a screen, therefore eyes don't hurt. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Couldn't hear announcements • Couldn't do inquiry • Couldn't research for our work • Couldn't use the air conditioner • It was hard to know when sessions changed and when it was time for recess and lunch. • Can't call for people over the PA • Can't receive phone calls about early departures and other messages. • Couldn't watch video for reading.

Could we sustain no technology more than a day?? If yes why, if no why??

Yes (Why?) 16	No (Why?) 10
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Don't use much technology • Peaceful at school without the electric bell (manual bell is more peaceful) • Other ways to be entertained • Reading is satisfying • Spend more time outside • Jump on my trampoline • Socialise • Spend time with family • 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Need YouTube • Bored easily • Want to communicate with family overseas • Nothing to do apart from YouTube. • Play games online with friends • Microwave and alarm clock are necessary • play station if its raining

What benefits do we have with the use of all this technology?

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Helpful in emergencies • Helps people at work • Can learn from internet • Can cure cancer and other sicknesses | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Military (robots/ bomb threats) • Helps us look for jobs |
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We're holding the *CUA School Fun-Run* as a major fundraising event this year! The event will be held on **FRIDAY 10 NOVEMBER**. This is a sponsorship based fundraiser, and we're looking to raise **funds** to **improve our school grounds**.

The *CUA School Fun-Run* is a healthy fundraiser that we hope you'll support. The event sends the right message to students about having fun while getting involved and being active.

We're organising a great day for our school community and looking for all students to participate, so we'd love our parents and friends to come down on the day to cheer the students on.

Sponsorship forms which will be sent home with your child this week. Students who raise \$10 or more will receive a reward. Also, by jumping online, your family has the chance to win a \$30,000 Ultimate Family Experience!

Thanks for supporting your child's wellbeing and we hope to see you at school for this event.

Nick Hero
Sports co-ordinator

Class Act 50 Task Challenge–E Learning



Just like in real life, the online world needs caring, considerate and respectful people to make it safe and enjoyable. In every edition of our Newsletters this year, I will be putting in one task that will help build a better online world for everyone. Here goes:

Make a list of all the advice you could give a younger person about posting pics online.

Lili Arganaraz

WOW Day

Prep A and B spent the morning exploring old style games that don't require technology. We played Pick Up Sticks, Jenga, Twister, hoop games, skipping rope games, quoits and we also used chalkboards.

The Prep students enjoyed our Technology free day. They were excited to listen for the bell which was rung by the Grade Six students.



Brain Busters

Please note all Brain busters must be written on the supplied paper provided at the office. Please collect your paper and submit your answers in the box provided.



Grade Prep – 2 Problem.

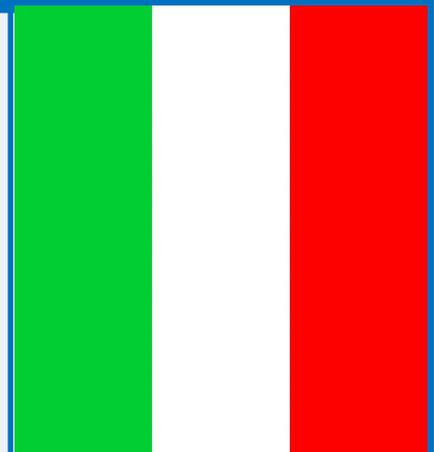
Sally gives $\frac{1}{4}$ of her lollies to Maria and another $\frac{1}{4}$ to George and she keeps the rest. What fraction does Sally have?

Grade 3—6
What is three sixths of 54?

Italian Word of the Week

Week 1
Benvenuti
Welcome

Week 2
Ben fatto!
Great effort!





Student of the Week



	WEEK 10 (Term 3)	WEEK 1 (Term 4)
Prep A	Ali	Roberto
Prep B	Summer	Omar
Prep C	Adam	Mina
Prep D		
Prep E	Noah	Celine
Prep F	Andro	Declan
1A	Onella	
1B	Ishaq	Liam & Jessica
1C	Lucas	
1D	Christiano	
1E	Whole Class	Merola
1F	Whole Class	Fatima
2A		John
2B	Lydia	Mohsen
2C	Isabella & Mr Merlino	Scotty
2D		
2E		Rita
3A	Whole Class	
3B	Minuka	
3C	Whole Class	
3D		
3E	Adam	
4A	Maryam	Nashat
4B	Aylin	Achkar & Sara
4C		Nayder
4D		Abanoub
4E	Elise	Ranya
5A	Rick	Zak
5B	Whole Class	Isaac
5C	Mario	Christian & Muatez
5D	Whole Class	Hajer
6A		Jarryd & Maricris
6B	Chloe Little	J.C & Asraa
6C		Saif & Cooper
6D		Hassan
6E		Nourhan
P.E.	Kayan – 6A	Anthony – 6B
P.E.	Taj – 4D	
Art		
Music	George – 00C	
Music		
LOTE	Lara – 1A & Mario 5C	Larson – 5A & Yasmin – 00B
Performing Arts		
Library		