



RosehillSecondaryCollege

NEWSLETTER

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CALENDAR

18th June to 29th June

Work Experience Year 10

Friday 29th June

**End of Term - Reports Distributed
Students Dismissed at 2.30pm**

Term 3

Monday 16th July

First day of Term 4

Tuesday 24^h July

Athletics Carnival - **All Students must attend**

Friday 17th August

Curriculum Day

Students are not required to attend school on this day.

Attendance

Please call the absence line on **9331 9639** when your child is absent from school or is going to be late. Lunchtime detentions will be given to students arriving to school late if they do not have a note explaining why. Students must report to the General Office on arrival with their diary.

**IT'S NOT OK
TO BE AWAY**

Coles and Woolworths Promotions

The College has signed up to be part of the "My Woolies - Earn & Learn" competition and Coles "Sports for Schools" promotions. Simply shop at Woolworths and collect the stickers and collect vouchers from Coles checkouts. Both are to be placed into the boxes located at the General Office. The more vouchers collected the more prizes we get. Sticker cards are available from the general office.

FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Welcome to the last newsletter for Term 2. Our Year 12 students sat their first lot of exams last week and they have come out with mixed feelings about some of the questions. Across the state most students will find the same questions difficult or easy and results are moderated to reflect this so no one will be disadvantaged. These results are important as they give students a good indication as to what sort of outcomes can be expected at the end of the year.

Semester 2

Semester 2 classes begin next week for all students. Students should already be aware of what subjects they are doing and timetables will be given out this week. There will be some staffing changes but I will notify parents of these changes through the newsletter at the start of next term.

Student Reports

Next week students will receive their reports. Please take the time to read them thoroughly and at the start of next term contact the school if you wish to seek feedback about your child's progress or assistance in the future.

Work Experience

Our Year 10 students are currently on work experience. I have looked at all the work placements and am impressed with many of the choices students have made. This is an important part of the Year 10 ID program as a fair amount of time next term is devoted to students selecting VCE subjects based on determined career pathways.

The Performing Arts Gala

Last night I attended our Performing Arts Gala and once again I was extremely impressed with the talents of our students and their enthusiasm for hard work. The majority of the performers were from Years 7 to 9. The show is an indication of just how much these students are capable of developing in the future. The coming years will be exciting. Next week we have our Music Department putting on a night of Blues and Jazz called the Blue Rose Club. Details are included in this Newsletter.

Principal class news

For the first five weeks of next term Sandra Smart, one of our Assistant Principals, will be Acting Principal at Essendon North Primary School. The DEECD Western Region was looking for someone with suitable expertise and experience and I was approached to see if she could be released from her duties here. I was fully supportive of the suggestion and we wish her well with this position.

Next week

I will be on long service next week. While away Sandra Smart will be Acting Principal.

Peter Rouse
Principal

Junior School Report

Congratulations to all Year 7-9 students for their excellent behaviour during exams last week. Semester Two is starting next week and all students have been given their new timetables. It is important that students spend the weekend getting their Semester Two books organised ready to start on Monday.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank Katarina Puskaric for all her hard work with our Year 7 group this year. From Monday Stephanie Barbaro will be the Year 7 Coordinator. Any concerns regarding Year 7 should be directed to Stephanie or myself.

Ann Russell
Junior School coordinator

Athletics Carnival

The annual school Athletics Carnival is coming up on Tuesday 24th July (2nd week of Term 3) and will be held at Coburg Athletics Track.

Permission slips will be handed out next week and need to be returned by Friday the 29th June (Last day of term 2) to the general office. There will be a house meeting early in term three where students can sign up for events and be given information about the carnival.

Gabriel Sarpa
Sports Coordinator

Good Shepherd Buying Service

Good Shepherd Buying Service for Concession Card Holders

The Good shepherd Buying Service is a free statewide telephone service assisting Pension/Health Care Card holders to obtain lower prices on household goods. Using a network of trusted traders, the Buying Service is able to negotiate discounted prices on a range of appliances, furniture etc. There is no obligation to buy.

To get a quote from the Buying Service for an item, look for the item that suits your needs and call the Buying Service with the brand and model number of the item:

Refer to www.goodshepvic.org.au/buyingservice for more information or call 9495 9655.

Kerry McKay
Assistant Principal

Jordan Motsianos

Congratulations to Jordan Motsianos for being selected to participate in the Manchester United Premier Cup in the Under 15 Boys.

Jordan will be travelling to Shanghai China for the finals mid July.

Good luck Jordan we will be following your progress.

Jazz & Blues Night – “The Blue Rose Club”

Tickets are on sale at the General Office for Rosehill's Blues/Jazz production held on Thursday 28th June at 6:30pm - 8:30pm. Do not miss out on seeing the Music Departments talented students take the stage for what is sure to be an entertaining night. There are both table and row seats on offer so snacks / non-alcoholic drinks can be brought into the venue. Drinks and sweets will also be sold on the night. Tickets are strictly limited so get in early!

Tickets are \$10 Adults, \$5 Students/Children



State Schools' Relief

A big thank you to all of the students who came to school on Tuesday in their casual clothes and donated their \$2 to the State Schools' Relief. We were able to raise just over \$1000 to help struggling families throughout Victorian State Schools purchase uniforms and shoes which is especially needed in these cold winter months.

Melissa Bonett & Student Council Team

Lowes Sale

**HURRY OFFER ENDS SAT 30th JUNE
INSTORE ONLY!**

20% off Basic school wear

EXCLUSIVE OFFER TO OUR EZY-WAY CUSTOMERS

Offer limited to available floor stock only. While stocks last, 20% includes existing Ezy-Way 5% discount.

Excludes special designs or embroidered distinctive uniform items.



