

Week 6 18th August 2014

# Roseville Girls

We were very fortunate to have ten year nine girls from Roseville College come last Friday to help the Primary students on the playground. This is the start of a program where these girls are going to come each Friday during lunch play and develop some play activities for our students. This time they met the students and trialled some activities such as bubbles and drawing with chalk. As you can see from the photos, many of the students were engaged with the support of these girls. We are very excited to have another relationship begin with a local school to enrich the learning of Cromehurst students.

















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Welcome to week six.

A big well done to all our students for their cooperation at last Monday's school photo day. We managed to have a whole school photo taken in Nelson playground with all our students and staff. Students then had class photos and individual photos as per parent requests. The photo sessions ran very smoothly and the photographers were impressed by our students' ability to wait and cooperate. I am looking forward to seeing the results in the next couple of weeks. Thank you to parents for ensuring our students were in full school uniform and to all staff for the effort they put in to support the organisation of the day.

Unfortunately we did have to postpone our sports day last week. Although the rain had eased off the ground surface was too wet and slippery. We had aimed to have it tomorrow, August 19 but the weather over the last two days along with what is forecast for tomorrow has forced another postponement. We really hope to do it on the next fine Tuesday but will have to reassess as the day draws closer. A postponement notice has been sent home today.

Thank you to all the parents who have been able to attend program planning meetings with your child's class teacher. The meetings have been very positive in determining agreed individual goals and support strategies. We understand the difficulties for some parents in taking time from work and other commitments and appreciate your attendance. Your input is greatly valued and if you cannot physically attend one of these meetings please inform your child's teacher who will arrange a phone interview at a mutually convenient time.

Our P&C have organised a fundraising activity at Bunnings Chatswood on Saturday 30 August. They are encouraging our parents and family friends to come along and volunteer on the day and/or donate items for the cake stall. These events raise funds which enable our P&C to support our school in the cost of our school buses and the purchase of resources for our school programs. Please see the included notice in this newsletter for contact details if you are able to assist.

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#### Cromehurst Sports Day Celebrations Cancelled 2014

Our Carnival of Colours sports carnival will not be on tomorrow-Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> August, due to the weather. It is just too wet!

Please send your child to school in normal school uniform.

Thankyou

Melinda and Bec (sports coordinators)



Daffodil Day Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> August

This Friday is Daffodil Day and all students are asked to wear yellow and donate a gold coin to support the cancer council.

All students donating a gold coin will receive a thank-you key ring.



### Family Planning NSW - Forum for Parents / Carers of People with Intellectual Disability

What?	Parents, relatives and unpaid carers can find out how to support their family member's personal development and sexuality in a positive way across the lifespan. Experienced presenters will answer questions in 6 interactive workshops. You can choose 2 of the following presentations on: Dating and Intimate Relationships, and Friendships and Relationships - Liz Dore, Relationships and Private Stuff; Puberty and Boys. Matthew Parsons, Family Planning NSW; Becoming a Wonderful Woman. Rosalie Power, FPNSW; Sex, Safe and Fun. Ee-Lin Chang, FPNSW; Sex Services for People with Disability. Saul Isbister, Touching Base Inc. Meet other parents, receive a resource bag, and visit the bookshop.
When?	Saturday 6 September, 1pm - 5pm.
Where?	Family Planning NSW, 328-336 Liverpool Road, Ashfield NSW 2131.
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Cost? \$50 per person, includes afternoon tea. Unable to provide respite or child care.

RSVP? For information and registration, see <u>www.fpnsw.org.au/325504\_6\_62338894.html</u>. Contact Danielle Fehir, Health Promotion, on 8752 4388 or <u>daniellef@fpnsw.org.au</u>. This forum is not intended for service providers – see <u>www.fpnsw.org.au</u> for professional development courses.

#### P & C needs Volunteers!



#### Saturday 30 August

Bunnings Chatswood Cnr. Gibbes & Smith Street, Chatswood

P & C is encouraging all Cromehurst parents and family friends to come and volunteer for a couple of hours to help on the day, or assist with baking for the cake stall.



Cake Stall Contact: Nimali Dissanayake 0433 987 536

BBQ Roster Contact: Anthony Moran cromehurstpandc@gmail.com





This is a fun day! Get to know other parents and raise vital \$\$'s for our P&C which helps to fund the running of our school bus, plus various school projects and programs for our children.

Please support in any way you can.

Week 5 Term 3 11th Aug—15th Aug 2014



## cromehurst Awards

Class	Awarded For:
Rainbow	Excellent work in Special Olympics
Purple	Making everyone feel welcome in Purple Class
Aqua	Walking safely to and from the shops
Orange	Washing his hands after sneezing
Red	Joining in with the group and having a go on the stilts
White	Helping yellow and white to learn how to play tug of war
Blue	Walking safely with the class
Yellow	Playing sports with friends on the playground
Art	Helping others in Art
Art	Helping her friends in Art
Principals Award	Joining for school, class and leaders photos when asked once
	Rainbow Purple Aqua Orange Red White Blue Yellow Art Art Principals



To create a consistent whole school approach for safe and effective learning"

Our students continue to develop social skills linked to our expectations of "Be Safe"' Be Friendly" and "Learn Together".

This week our students of the week are:



Mahi—Being Friendly James B –Being Friendly

### **Events for your Diary**

(Please note: Newly added events will be in **bold**)

22nd Aug—Daffodil Day—Wear Yellow 10th Sept—Vaccinations 19th Sept—Last day of Term 6th Oct—Public Holiday 7th Oct—Staff & Students return to school 27th Oct—Dentist Visit 3rd Dec—Graduation

17th Dec—Last day Term 4





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