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ROSENEATH SCHOOL

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**DISH**

There is still one dish left from the kind donation of food for the Livengood family. It is a green and white rectangle oven dish. Please collect from the office.

**YUMMY STICKERS**

Thanks to all who have been sending in their yummy stickers. We are still collecting.

**PRELOVED PHONES**

We are still collecting these for recycle. Thanks

**THE GREAT ANNUAL ROSENEATH QUIZ NIGHT  
THURSDAY 13<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER 'SAVE THE DATE'**

Dear Roseneath Whānau - we have scheduled our annual quiz night for Thursday 13th September. More details will follow but please book your babysitter now for a great fun night out and a chance to relax with the school community.

**WE NEED YOUR SUPPORT!** Can every family at Roseneath School please provide a \$10 prize (approx) to be used for mystery envelope prizes at the quiz. Have a look in your present draw, go to your business, or get creative with a prize that we can use on the night. Please leave the prize with your child's teacher before September 7th.

All funds raised will go towards the playground upgrade. We are hoping to have some new things installed this year!

Tēnā koutou Roseneath whānau

**TEACHER STRIKE ACTION: 15TH AUGUST: SCHOOL CLOSURE**

Thank you for your understanding with the NZEI strike yesterday.



**100 DAYS OF SCHOOL**

This week Aft are celebrating 100 days of school this year! They are doing lots of activities using 100. They are also collecting 100 cans of food for the Wellington City Mission. Thank you for all of the donations- you can drop a can or two into Aft this week.

**SUNHATS, AND SUNSMART POLICY**

In anticipation of another great Wellington summer, the Board reviewed its 'Sunsafe Policy' at its meeting earlier this week. The policy requires that our students wear a sunsafe hat when outside in Terms 1 and 4.

The policy now clarifies the sunsafe requirement; that students wear either a wide brim hat (minimum 7.5cm brim) or bucket hat (deep crown and minimum 6cm brim). Hats that do not meet the standard (including baseball caps) do not offer enough protection and are therefore not suitable hats for use at school.

- STRIKE
- 100 DAYS
- SUNHATS
- SPORT
- CAMPS
- CORRIDORS
- FRIENDS
- VARIETY SHOW
- RASC

A group of parents and senior students have developed a 'Roseneath School Hat' that meets this standard. This hat costs \$20 and will be available to purchase from the Office later this term.

The Board also considered whether to make the wearing of a Roseneath School Hat compulsory from Term 1:2019. Before making this change are seeking your view on this proposal via a short survey. The survey is available at - <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/9DDRMNS> and should take no more than 2 minutes to complete. It will remain open until Thursday, 6 September and results will be considered by the Board at its meeting on Monday, 10 September.



Roseneath School prototype sun hat

## SPORTS

### Netball

This week we played two games and we won both. The first one we played, we won 12-4 and the second one we won 11-5. We think we played better and we are working better as a team. The two teams we versed were Seaton and Hataitai.

*By Allegra and Orla*

### Motu Kairangi Netball Year 1 to 4 Term 4

This starts 27 October to the end of term. If you want to show interest in this for your child please contact Mr Thomson on [hayden.thomson@roseneath.school.nz](mailto:hayden.thomson@roseneath.school.nz)

## CENTRAL ZONES SWIMMING

Next Monday 20th August, 12 students are going to compete in the Central Zones Swimming Tournament in Championship or Non-Championship races. We wish them well. Thank you to the parents who have offered to help with transport and supervision at the pool.

## YEAR 5-8 SCHOOL CAMPS TERM 4 2018

Please contact Joanne on [office@roseneath.school.nz](mailto:office@roseneath.school.nz) if you would like to set up an automatic payment to go towards your child's camp costs for this year.

## CAMP FUNDRAISING

Please let us know if you would like to help to organise a fundraising opportunity for the Middle or Senior camp.

## YEAR 5/6 CAMP FUNDRAISER

Thank you to Sarah, Bridget and Trish for organising our next Year 5/6 Camp Fundraiser- Delicious Hot Chocolates and a cookie at our Hall "Cafe". BYO named keep-cup or mug on Wednesday morning and have your hot chocolate on Thursday morning tea!

Are you available to help with making and serving the Hot Chocolates on a shift or two on Thursdays from 10am-11am? Please email us on [office@roseneath.school.nz](mailto:office@roseneath.school.nz)



**YEAR 7/8 CAMP****Parent Help**

A letter is going home this week for those parents who are accompanying us on our trip to Abel Tasman National Park. Thank you for everyone who volunteered their time and support for this camp- we are lucky to have so many who are skilled and willing to give up their own time to help us.

**THE ROSENEATH WAY: MANNERS IN OUR FOYER AND OFFICE AREA**

Next week we will be focusing on being kind and respectful in the foyer and office area. This means:

- Walking feet
- Sit on the waiting bench sensibly
- Quiet voices as people are working (and might be on the phone)
- Be patient and use manners when talking with our office staff
- Be aware of visitors- greet them warmly!
- Be aware of people who might not be feeling very well- show kindness and also give them space



School Netball team in action

**ROSENEATH VARIETY SHOW: THURSDAY 6TH SEPTEMBER, AT EVANS BAY INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL.**

Each class is working hard on their part for the Roseneath School Show: *Let's Dance!*

Evans Bay Intermediate School have offered us the use of their hall, so we will have plenty of tickets available for sale for a "one-night only" performance for the whole family to enjoy.

As always, we really value your expertise, knowledge and skills. Can you help us with any of the following?

- Costume design
- Props and/or basic set items
- Hair and makeup ideas and help on the night
- Student support and encouragement before the show
- Operating sound
- Ushering and ticket (and possibly food) sales

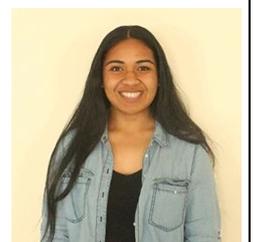
We would love to hear from you! Talk to your child's class teacher or email [office@roseneath.school.nz](mailto:office@roseneath.school.nz)

Following our school show, we will move our focus to preparing for the ArtSplash Festival. Several classes are exhibiting visual artworks, Upper Bridge will be showcasing their Wearable Art on Tuesday 18th September, and our 65 DanceSplash performers will perform at MFC on Friday September 21st, at 7:45pm.

**MEET THE TEAM: ROSENEATH SCHOOL AFTER SCHOOL CARE PROGRAMME**

**Monday-Friday 3-6pm**

My name is Afu 'Aleva and I am a New Zealand born Tongan. I have lived in Auckland my entire life and have recently moved to Wellington to study at Victoria University. I major in history and law with a minor in criminology and am looking to further my studies in the areas of Pasifika history and family law. One of the many things I love about working at RASC is getting to know the children. They each bring their own uniqueness to the RASC program which enhances my experience as a RASC leader.



Kia Ora! My name is Sakara I'm 20 years old and have been working at RASC for almost 3 years. I'm currently in my third year of Commerce and Law at Victoria University. I love children and working at the after school programme is often a highlight of my day. I enjoy playing card games my favourite being UNO but I also love getting in some exercise with a game of ultimate tag.



**Hi I'm Solomon.** I was born in Wellington, and went to Roseneath School from 2004 - 2011! Afterwards I went to Wellington College for secondary school. I'm currently in my 2nd year of university at Victoria, studying Psychology and Management for a Bachelor of Science. My aspirations are to get a Masters in Psychology and see what jobs come as a result of that! Definitely in the field of psychology. In my brief time at RASC I've loved getting to know the kids and hearing about the stuff they get up to that I too experienced when I was at the school :)



### CONTACT INFORMATION

Over the last few weeks we have been taking the chance to check your contact information. Teachers of Year 1-3 students without older siblings will touch base with you if we haven't already, to check if we have up to date, correct information.

We use this information to contact you if your child is unwell, or if there is a sudden school closure or emergency. We are moving towards more efficient systems around the way we collect and use contact information, so thank you for helping us to keep our records up to date.

Noho ora mai,

Adelle Broadmore and The Roseneath Team