CONGRATULATIONS

Sean Leyland – GOLD – 100mts & 200mts, and Championship Record in both races. Sean will be representing QLD in the National Championships in Melbourne in January 2016. Well done to Ethan Hornby who placed 4th in Javelin throwing 49.89mt, only 24 cm behind 3rd place.

UPCOMING EVENTS …

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Dear Parents and Students

Last week I ran the first meeting around the Quadrennial Review with representatives from parents, community, staff and student groups. Thank you to those who attended or who gave feedback through surveys and forums. We looked at continuing priorities such as literacy, numeracy and academic improvement as well as other areas such as our approach to boys’ education. Based on this discussion and feedback from other sources I will be developing a draft strategic plan for the next four years. Once this is written I will be putting it out for feedback before finalising. I will keep you informed about this in the next newsletter.

The GenR8 Program

This year two Year 12 students Zac Montague and Kurt Newson participated in the GenR8 program. Both boys worked for Pacific Gold Macadamias and I would like to thank their manager, Tim Smith for his work with our students who gained invaluable experience relating to working as well as a Certificate II in Logistics. I was very proud to attend their graduation at Bundaberg State High School.

GenR8 is an award winning, industry endorsed school to work transition program for year 12 students. Students undertake a Certificate II in Logistics plus 20 days of structured work placement with a number of key regional employers. What sets the program apart from traditional school programs is the support, dedication and commitment from local employers including Bundaberg Regional Council, Beasleys Hydraulic Services, Bundaberg Brewed Drinks, Pacific Gold Macadamias, Stewart and Sons Coaches Just Freight and Australian Prime Fibre.

A number of the graduating students have already secured casual and ongoing employment next year. Following the overwhelming success of the 2015 program, The Department is currently recruiting next year’s year 12 students for the 2016 GenR8 as well as a new Health Support program. For more information on the programs contact the Department of Education and Training on 1800 210 210 to speak to a North Coast Region GenR8 Contact officer or email ncoasttraining@dete.qld.gov.au

A reminder that our Secondary Awards Evening is on Tuesday 17th November beginning at 6.30pm sharp. Finger food and student displays are available from 6.00pm. If your student is receiving an award they should have received an invitation to give you so that you know and can organise to be at the ceremony. Generally the night is finished by about 8.30pm as we are mindful of the distances families have to travel. We would love to share this night with you to see you support your child by coming if they are receiving an award. If you have any questions about the night please contact the Office.

Rosedale Know your Community Day
Spelling Cluster
The Discovery Coast Cluster Schools Spelling Bee was recently held at Rosedale State School. Students in years 4-7 participated in teams of four. The Spelling Bee included individual words that lead into team spelling challenges.

‘Thank you’ to Mr Buchanan, Principal of Agnes Waters State School for organising and providing the trophies, medallions and certificates. All Rosedale teams had a fantastic time with Rosedale 3 winning the Junior Division.

CONGRATULATIONS to all teams who participated and had a go!

Our winning team Gemma Nichol, Elise Hovey, Brianna Harris and Nevaeh Hine.

Count us in
As part of State Education Week, Rosedale State School was involved in the ‘Music Count Us In’ school initiative. This initiative involves more than 500 000 students from over 2 100 schools nationwide. Students from Prep-6 assembled in the year 5/6 classroom on Thursday 29 October. This year, students sang the song ‘Gold’.

Student Forum – Electronic devices
On Wednesday 28 October students were invited to attend a student forum to discuss the use of electronic devices at the school. This is part of our “Responsible Behaviour Plan for Students” review. It was great to see students attend from a range of different year levels and seeing them actively participating and sharing their ideas, suggestions and consequences. The responses are currently being collated and a survey is on the way for the community to fill in.

https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/XFTMQ2P

Pre-Prep Program
We have now completed two of our four pre-prep transition days. The students have been on a tour of the school and participated in class activities. Parents have been provided with additional information sessions, parent packs that contain information and an activity that can be completed at home that links in with the activity they have completed during that session. We still have two more transition days to go and would like to see you there! Our next two pre-prep days are Friday 20th November and Friday 4th December in the morning. Enrolments are open for prep students 2016 with packages available from the office.

We have our Primary Awards & Graduation Ceremony on Wednesday 25th November starting at 9:30am. Invitations will be sent home this week.
From the Senior School

Our Year 12 students are approaching the end of their schooling and embarking on their future careers. This is an exciting time for our seniors and there are a number of events that are occupying their thoughts in their final few weeks at school. These include Awards Night, the Swimming Carnival and of course what to wear to the Formal. Therefore, it is vital that students remain focused on their studies and completing the requirements of the final assessment tasks. That final piece of assessment can cement and in some cases lift a student’s level of achievement in a given subject. Unfortunately, non or sub-standard submissions can have a negative impact on their final results.

All results contributing to the Queensland Certificate of Education (QCE) and OPs will be available in student learning accounts on the Student Connect website -
http://student.connect.qcaa.qld.edu.au, from 9 am on Saturday 19 December 2015.

Students must know their Learner Unique Identifier (LUI) and password to log in and check their results. If any student has not previously been issued with a LUI please see Ms Bowman.

Students will begin receiving their Senior Education Profiles in the mail from Monday 21 December 2015.

From the Head of Junior Secondary

School and Work Balance

At Rosedale State School we have caring, committed and enthusiastic staff who work to develop a genuine learning culture in partnership with students, parents and community.

In Junior School our students are starting to explore their community more, including starting their first jobs. Please remember that under the Child Employment Act 2006 school-aged children must not work longer than 12 hours during a school week, 38 hours during a week that is not a school week, 4 hours on a school day and 8 hours on a day that is not a school day. In addition, school-aged children must not work between the hours of 10 pm and 6 am. [Some exclusions from these provisions apply to children working in the entertainment industry or working in their family’s business.]

In term four students become tired quicker and the balance between gaming, socialising, work, homework and school can sometimes skew. Please assist your children to keep these aspects balanced. Encourage them to attend school regularly, ready to learn, and respectful and tolerant of others.

Transition to Secondary 2016

The year 7 students provided morning tea for the visiting year 6 students this week as part of the transition program. This provided them with a ‘real life’ learning experience through catering for a small crowd. The visiting year 6 students enjoyed the friendly atmosphere and mingled with some of the students who they will be at school with next year. The morning tea was served in the “Rose Café”. Ask the kids what was served! Also on offer for the day were the Breakfast Club and a BBQ lunch.

138 ACU (Australian Cadet Unit) Rosedale will also be giving the year 6 students an insight into their group, with talks about camps and excursions, expected behaviour and criteria that needs to be met.

Mel Nunn from CQU will be running a program, giving the students a small look at the program that they will be part of in grade 8. Our students benefit from our liaison with the university in opening their pathways to a career.

Chappy, Terrence Hawes will be running a program “Who am I”, this is part of the extensive Pastoral care program that the school runs throughout the secondary school.

Dental Van

A reminder for all parents/caregivers, the Dental Van is visiting Rosedale School for the rest of the Term. If your student (Prep – Grade 10) has not brought home a form to fill out you can collect these from the front office. Please fill out and send back to the office ASAP.
On the weekend 7 cadets set off to the Army Barracks in Enogarra. Personally I had a really good and enjoyable time, I’m pretty sure everyone else who went did too. We got to experience new and fun things like shooting a machine gun and doing water obstacles. Our night activity was really cool, we had to go in and rescue civilians in the dark. The people you meet on camps are pretty fun and cool people. Everyone starts off shy but eventually everyone comes out of their shells, and you make some really good friends. Overall it was a very fun and memorable weekend.

Tiarina Trilford.

Baffle Creek Boat Club INC.

Baffle Boat Club meets every Saturday at Flat Rock boat ramp from 10am, September – May. Bring the family along and learn to sail / kayak.
Annual Membership Fees:
Day $ 5
Single $ 40
Family $ 80
Contact: Ruth Gledhill 41566704
Email: baffleckboatclub@hotmail.com

Sailing, Kayaking or just having fun in the sun
Contact: Ruth Gledhill 41566704 / Sueirnalya Symons 41566765
From our Indigenous Liaison

Mrs Sonya Weir

I would like to thank India Owen for her support and our display at Rosedale’s Family Fun Day. We had a great time and met many locals in the area interested in Bushtucker, Native Bees, with the children enjoying the art.

Over the last couple of Friday gatherings we have had the privilege to incorporate Luke Watson from The WYLD project Bundaberg and George Getano and Lisa from Indigenous QLD Mental Health. The WYLD project will be all things cultural and delivered in a culturally respectful manner to our students, incorporating the importance of education with guest speakers and elders embedding positive attitudes towards their goals and future whilst in a traditional Yarning Circle.

Getano and Lisa will also continue visiting our Yarning Circle creating a relaxed atmosphere sharing a holistic approach to social and emotional wellbeing in the form of activities relating to Identity and Emotional Wellbeing in an age related task identifying the importance of Family, Relationships, Money, Mental Health, and Recreational activities.

We are always grateful for Les Lowe’s (Beeman) presence within the school. Les and Youth Worker Dale Harker will be travelling down to Maroochydore with SGT Annie Dufficy for the ADF YOU CAMP. Students from Cadets and the Indigenous group have a great opportunity to attend.

We had a surprise visitor last Friday with past student Ritchie Tomlin big Bro to Adrian and Brandy Brand. Ritchie came in his traditional colours sharing his deep connection and knowledge from his desert country, relaying Dreamtime Stories of his homeland. It was an honour to hear his stories and I thank him for sharing with us all.

9TH AND 10TH of November we have Michael Young Optometry back in the school to run clinics. This service is open to all students from Year 1 to Year 12. If your child is presenting with symptoms such as headaches, issues in the classroom with eg: board work or tracking do not hesitate to complete a permission form in school front office.
Greetings everyone. My name is Caren Rattray, and I am the Chairperson of the Student Representative Council (SRC). My role is to run and manage the Student Council meetings. The student council has been very productive this year.

One of the main achievements of this years’ Student Council is organising the Thursday Barbeque. I would like to acknowledge the contributions of Terry the Chaplain for his generous donation of bread each week, as well as Fay Rattray for volunteering her time to cook the barbeque every fortnight this year. Miss Wilson created a roster each term and organised student representatives to help prepare food and serve the students. All of the funds raised were donated to the SRC funds.

In term 2, we conducted a student representative survey. All students involved in the SRC were asked what they would like to see the funds from the barbeque go towards. This initiative was called “Project Legacy”. They were also asked which charities they would like the Student Council to support. The overwhelming result was a cold filtered water bubbler and Cancer Council.

Another initiative of the SRC was to create more fun things to do during lunchtimes. In first term, we held a game of Capture the Flag for the 10, 11, 12 students. In second term we organised a soccer team tournament, where Slater, Thorpe and O’Neil competed for house points.

At the end of term 3 the SRC held a free dress day to raise money for Jeans for Genes day. All donations were given to the Cancer Council. We thank the school community for their support.

The water cooler was finally installed during the term 3-4 holidays. We chose its location in order to make installation easier. I would like to thank Mr Falabella and Mr Hey for installing it over the holidays.

This year we have assisted the promotion and culture of numerous school and community events. We were involved in promoting the quiz tournament, and all SRC members were encouraged to attend. We participated in the inaugural spelling bee tournament. We gave the P&C feedback and recommendations towards the sports shirts. We also organised a shirt design competition.

We were approached by Mrs Moore to organise a Random Acts of Kindness Day. We were involved in promoting the event, making cards, buying gifts for the teachers, and delivering them to the teachers and teacher aids on World Teachers’ Day.

Finally, we will be donating money to the MAD (Make A Difference) camp. This is a camp which is designed to help students who have struggled with personal challenges to make a connection with others and build skills and support to help them overcome their challenges.

I wish to thank Miss Wilson for making the student council possible. I would also like to thank all of the students who regularly attended and participated in meetings. I have enjoyed working on our school’s Student Council and hope that the 2016 SRC has such a positive and worthwhile year.

Caren Rattray
Hospitality

Our Hospitality class travelled to Bundaberg to complete their Responsible Service of Alcohol (RSA) certificate. All completed successfully. Thank you to parents for transporting students to Bundaberg for this, especially the Morgan family who were able to take additional students.

From our Student Support Officer

Mrs Nancye Manteit

Make Plans for your future...

SCHOOL BASED-APPRENTICESHIPS & TRAINEESHIPS

Paid School-based Apprenticeships and Traineeships (SATs) allow students to commence an apprenticeship or traineeship whilst still at school, usually in years 11 and 12. Once SATs are successfully completed, most roll over to a full time apprenticeship, with the young person then commencing year 2 of their apprenticeship. Traineeships are of a shorter duration and often lead to full-time employment or a better paid job. This is a great way to transition from school to employment.

If you are currently working in a part-time job, perhaps you could ask your Employer if s/he is interested in providing training for you in a school-based apprenticeship or traineeship? Information about SATs can be supplied to your employer if s/he contacts the school.

Phone: Apprenticeships info (1800 210 210)
Website: www.apprenticeshipsinfo.qld.gov

Bits' n' Pieces:

“The secret of getting ahead is getting started.” Mark Twain

“To succeed one must be creative and persistent.” John H. Johnson

We have had such great success this year with MultiLit that it will be continued next year, offered to students from year 3 to 12 according to their needs. MultiLit is an intense Reading Tutor Program delivered one to one to help low progress students achieve reading success. MultiLit stands for making up lost time in literacy.

We are also pleased to be able to run MiniLit for students from Prep to Year 2 next year. These valuable programs will be run by our teacher aides, Deb Little and Sue McFarlane. These programs are funded by the extra literacy funding provided to schools under “Investing for Schools”. MiniLit (Meeting Initial Needs in Literacy) has been specifically designed for young struggling readers. It is a small group instruction program, designed to be delivered up to four students at a time.
Swimming lessons held at the Norville Pool, all students and staff enjoyed the two days of water activities.

MT LARCOM HORSE SPORTS
The final Horse Sports Day for 2015 will be held at the Mt Larcom Showgrounds on Saturday 14 November.
Commencing at 3pm, there will be a range of activities before the competitions. We have a lot of prizes to be given away, so this is going to be a good one! One of the competitions will be Ring Riding. We will be taking all participants through the rules before the event.
Nominations are $10 per rider.
There will be a BBQ tea - with home-made desserts!
If you will be coming, please let Jenny know so that groups can be arranged, activities planned and prizes allocated.
It is also very helpful to let us know if you will be staying for dinner.
Contact Jenny on 0409 751 158.
## Student of the Week

### Term 4 - Week 3 & 4

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<td>Being a great classroom helper.</td>
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<td>Baillie Cross</td>
<td>Working hard to follow instructions and stay on task.</td>
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<td>Chloe Grindrod</td>
<td>Being a great classroom helper.</td>
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<td>Sapphire Sincock-Murray</td>
<td>Her efforts at learning new sounds and using decoding strategies to sound out new words. What a great reader you are!</td>
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<td>Year 1/2/3</td>
<td>Georgia Abbott</td>
<td>Being a responsible learner and always trying to do your best.</td>
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<td>Jye Barker</td>
<td>Showing improvement in his work ethic.</td>
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<td>Anna Wellsteed</td>
<td>Showing great improvement in her attitude to learning.</td>
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<td>Riley Burgess</td>
<td>Completing tasks and joining in with class discussions.</td>
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<td>Year 4/5</td>
<td>Jason King</td>
<td>Working hard and showing an improvement in maths and spelling.</td>
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<td>Breann Harris</td>
<td>Taking her time and making sure that work is completed to the best of her ability.</td>
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<td>Deljay Waikato</td>
<td>Consistently being a respectful and responsible member of the class.</td>
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<td>Lilly Dudgeon</td>
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<td>Year 5/6</td>
<td>Zayne Dudgeon</td>
<td>Listening well and contributing enthusiastically to classroom discussions.</td>
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<td>Gemma Nicol</td>
<td>Working hard to improve spelling results.</td>
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<td>Jack Abbott</td>
<td>Being a responsible and helpful class mate.</td>
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<td>Jasmine Wellsteed</td>
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<td>Year 7</td>
<td>Tayla French</td>
<td>Always engaged and on task in English.</td>
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<td>Matt Davitt</td>
<td>Always leading discussions and enthusiastic about topic, in Geography.</td>
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<td>Codie French</td>
<td>Always engaged and on task in Science.</td>
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<td>Kylie Fleming</td>
<td>Engaged in Math and always willing to help peers.</td>
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<td>Jaslyn Millar</td>
<td>Writing creatively in English.</td>
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<td>Djawarri Turner</td>
<td>Responsible attitude to learning in Literacy.</td>
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<td>Year 8</td>
<td>Kash Bishop</td>
<td>Positive and respectful contributions to class discussions.</td>
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<td>Jamie-Lee Lucas</td>
<td>Consistently working responsibly in Math.</td>
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<td>Wade Rhodes</td>
<td>Polite, co-operative and consistently demonstrating effort in English.</td>
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<td>Codie Trilford</td>
<td>Consistently polite, co-operative and respectful in Geography.</td>
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<td>Bianca Achilles</td>
<td>Responsible approach to learning in Geography by consistently demonstrating effort.</td>
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<td>Year 12</td>
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<td>Responsible approach to assessment, willingly seeking feedback in English.</td>
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<td>Liam Impey</td>
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