



RSC NEWSLETTER

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A VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS TO ALL OF OUR COLLEGE COMMUNITY!



We hope you have a wonderful, relaxing
and safe Summer Holiday!
Good luck to all of the 2017 graduating
students and all the best in your future endeavours.
Thank-you and good-bye to the staff that are leaving us!

THE COLLEGE OFFICE WILL BE CLOSING FOR THE SUMMER BREAK ON
THURSDAY 21 DECEMBER 2017 AT 4:30PM AND
WILL RE-OPEN MONDAY 29 JANUARY 2018 AT 8:00AM
THE OFFICE WILL ALSO BE OPEN FOR LAMONT BOOK COLLECTION DAY
ON WEDNESDAY 24 JANUARY FROM 12NOON –5:30PM

WELCOME CLASS OF 2023!

Tuesday 12th December saw 144 enthusiastic, smiling Grade 6 students enjoy a fun filled day at RSC. They met their teachers, made new friends, and enjoyed a BBQ lunch. The students were all very positive and we are looking forward to working closely with the group next year.



WHAT'S ON AT RSC

DECEMBER:

- 13-15: Yr. 7 Phillip Island Camp
- 18: Yrs 8-11 Awards Night
- 21: Yr. 12 Valedictory 7pm
- 18-20: ACTIVITIES WEEK YRS 7-9**
- 18: Yr. 7: In-school Activities
Yrs 8 & 9: Gravity Zone & BBQ Rosebud
- 19: Yr. 7: In-school Activities
Yrs 8 & 9: Southland Shopping
- 20: Yr. 7: MSAC
Yr. 8 & 9: In-school Activities
**COLLEGE WORKING BEE
9am-3:00pm**
- 21: **YR. 12 VALEDICTORY 6:30PM**

JANUARY:

- 23: Uniform Shop Re-Opens
8:30am-5:00pm
- 24: Lamont Book Collection
Language Centre
3:00pm-6:00pm
Uniform Shop
12 noon-6:00pm
Office 12 noon-5:30pm
- 25: Uniform Shop
8:30am-5:00pm
- 30: First day of school for 2018
Day 2 of timetable



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CREDIT CARD PHONE PAYMENT
AND BPAY ARE AVAILABLE
THROUGH THE
COLLEGE OFFICE

At Rosebud Secondary College,
teachers are on bus duty from
8:05 to 8:30am and 3:15 to
4:00pm. The yard is supervised
from 8:20am in the morning until
3:30pm in
the afternoon



PRINCIPAL'S NEWS

The past two weeks have been full of celebrations and new experiences. On Monday night we celebrated the achievements of our 2017 Year 7 students at our Awards Night. It was nice to acknowledge their hard work and commitment to their *personal best* with family and friends. I am looking forward to the Year 8-11 Awards night on Monday night, and of course Year 12 Valedictory evening this coming Thursday to celebrate the Class of 2017.



On Tuesday we welcomed our 2018 Year 7s. They were an excited bunch who eagerly participated in a range of activities during the day. We look forward to seeing them next year as they start their six year journey with us, starting as young teens and leaving as young adults.

On Wednesday I was lucky enough to attend the Year 7 camp at Phillip Island. It was a hot day and the students were clearly enjoying the range of activities on offer, especially the pool.

None of our students would be able to reach the heights that they have without the teaching and guidance of our fantastic staff – I would like to publicly thank each and every one of them for their commitment and dedication to our students.

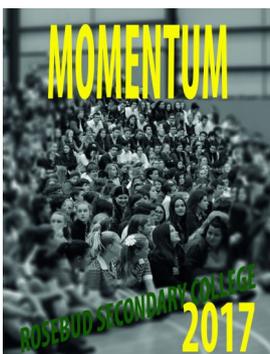
As the year comes to a close I would especially like to thank the three people with whom I work most closely and who have been a great support to me during my first six months as Principal. To my three Assistant Principals – Geoff Seletto, Glenn Powell and of course Geoff Pattison – my sincere appreciation for all that you do. I would like to wish Geoff Pattison all the best in his future endeavours at Toorak College.

I would also like to thank the members of the College Council and in particular the College Council President Bill Faulkner for their support and hard work and dedication to the College.

We believe that the students are lucky to attend Rosebud Secondary College but more importantly we as adults are very lucky and privileged to be part of the lives of our fantastic students, to watch them grow, develop, learn and achieve. I look forward to another great year in 2018, when we can once again achieve great things together.

Enjoy the summer, stay safe and see you in 2018.

Lisa Holt
Principal



**A REMINDER TO PAY AND COLLECT
THE 2017 COLLEGE MOMENTUM
VIA THE FRONT OFFICE - \$20**

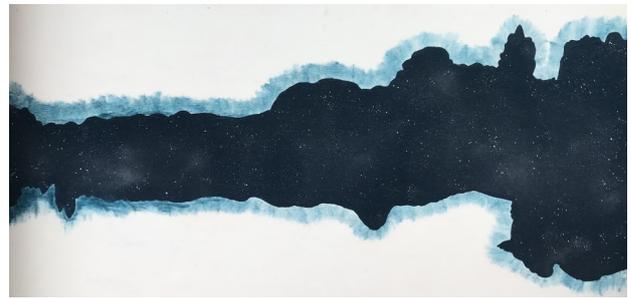


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MELBOURNE STREET ART TOUR

The Year 11 Art & Studio Art students took part in a Street Art Tour through the laneways of Melbourne. As a further extension to this learning, the students were given the opportunity to take part in a community event which explored this theme through the creation of a collaborative Art Show with Studio Sorrento.

The Street Art Show will open on New Year's Day around the Rye Carnival and will feature the paintings that the students have produced in class. The artworks will be for sale, with the proceeds going towards the Wellness Pavilion at Rosebud Secondary College and the students work will also be eligible for some fantastic prizes.





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DUPLO DONATIONS

The Art Department is looking for donations of Duplo for our Year 11 Visual Communication and Design classes to complete three dimensional drawings from observation. If you have any Duplo blocks that you no longer use, we would be very grateful to put them to good use.





COLLEGE NEWS

FULL STEM AHEAD!!

The Year 9 STEM elective launched into action at the beginning of Jumpstart, rocketing students into a learning area doused with challenge, frustration and excitement.

STEM is an integrated approach based on the idea of educating students in four specific disciplines — Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics, rather than teach the four disciplines as separate and discrete subjects.

At Rosebud Secondary our STEM program aims to integrate these disciplines into a cohesive learning model based ultimately on addressing a real-world problem. As part of this collaborative approach, students are encouraged to develop a growth mindset when presented with various challenges. To get them fired up, Jumpstart has been packed with small-scale tasks including: purpose based catapults, the no hands cup stack, the newspaper chain challenge and designing and creating a printer wobble bot. Each of these tasks were designed to promote collaboration and discussion as well as demonstrate failure as a pathway to success, and ultimately an opportunity to extend their own thinking and abilities. During our lessons, we also discussed the components of Design Thinking, linking a student's success to their ability to empathise, ideate, test and modify within given parameters. All in all a great way to end an already fabulous year in Science!

Melissa Mavridis

STEM Educator





HOL NEWS

It has been another busy term for Hands on Learning, and the weeks have just flown by. We started off with finishing the green house in the Vegie garden, then we have been busy carving totem poles again. This is in an effort to get all the totem poles carved and in the ground at Tootgarook wetlands before the school term finishes. On the 29th of November, the Pump and Fitness tracks were officially opened and we invited all ex HOL students plus the Bank of Melbourne and Hillview Quarries to come along. Without the support of these community minded businesses, this project could not have been completed. It was also great to have Living Culture open proceedings with a welcome to country and smoking ceremony.

Last Tuesday was also was our annual Raft race down at Mills Beach, and because we had so much on this term, we just gave last year's raft a bit of a wash and away we went. We competed against three other local HOL schools and won! It was great to see all the students put in big efforts to ensure first place.

It has been another huge year for us at HOL and the students have achieved amazing results around the school and local community. We would both like to take this opportunity to thank everyone who has supported the program this year and also thank all the students for working so hard to achieve some great results, well done!

Cheers,

The HOL guys

Right: Lionel Lauch, conducting the smoking ceremony at the Pump and Fitness track & below Mills Beach Raft Race.





COLLEGE NEWS

BASKETBALL LEADERS HELPING OUT THE NEXT CROP OF FUTURE STARS

A number of our Year 9 sporting leaders have been involved for the last six weeks in a before school basketball program at Rosebud Primary School. All students played a valuable role in coaching and mentoring up to 100 students from Prep to Grade 6. The effort and willingness of these students to give up their own time to help others is an attitude that should be truly commended. Not only did their participation assist the future basketball legends at Rosebud Primary School, it also provided a fantastic opportunity for our Year 9 sporting stars to develop their own leadership skills. Thank you to the below students who got involved and their parents for getting them to Rosebud bright and early.

- Mr. O'Connor

TAYLA CHRYSTIE * TARA BOND * RHIANNON MURRAY * CHARLOTTE WESTON * BREE PEIRCE * EDEN MATHESON-COLES
* JED HALL * OSCAR RICHARDS * CAMERON JACK * MAX HUMBLE



Photo taken after a
Basketball Development Squad Clinic

COLLEGE WORKING BEE WEDNESDAY 20TH DECEMBER

We will be holding a working Bee on Wednesday 20th December from 9:00am til 3:00pm. There are many jobs that need to be completed before the end of the school year, these include:

- Mulching the Fitness Trail
- Removing parts of the playground ready for 2018
- Paving (in need of a bobcat if somebody could loan us one for about an hour)
- Fencing (chain fence using poles already in ground)
- Building of stairs
- Decking
- Painting

If you are able to give up some of your spare time at this extremely busy time of the year it would be much appreciated. Please contact the front office and give your name and number so that I can follow it up.

Hope to see you on the Wednesday and thank you in advance!

Glenn Powell



LIBRARY NEWS



If you are looking for the antidote to your child's eventual cries of "I'm bored" these school holidays, then keep reading. This summer, RSC students can access more than 1200 free ebooks and 500 free audio ebooks with a few taps on their smartphone or tablet.

Simply:

Download the free 'ePlatform by Wheelers' app to your device.

Open the app, click on 'Find Library' then type in Rosebud Secondary College.

Click on the menu icon in the top left corner of the screen, then select sign in:

Username: school student code

Password: RosebudSC

Start browsing.

Users can browse the ePlatform One collection using the categories 'Most Popular', 'New Releases' and 'Recently Added' as well as alphabetically. The 'Search' function allows users to locate titles by title, author or popular genres. There are fiction and non-fiction titles suitable for all teen and young adult interests.

All book covers that are not 'greyed out' are available for loan. Students can borrow two items at one time and the loan period is 14 days. Loans can either be returned by the user when finished or will automatically 'return' via the app after two weeks (great if your child struggles to keep track of 'due dates'.) Items on loan to other users can be reserved. Clicking on 'borrow' will download the ebook to your device, so it can later be read offline. Audio ebooks are a fantastic way for young people to develop their literacy skills and pass the time, especially on long car journeys. On ePlatform One, audio ebooks are indicated by the speaker icon at the bottom of the cover. The duration of the story and name of the narrator is in the description and users can listen to a sample of the book being read before borrowing.

When you borrow an audio ebook on ePlatform One you are 'streaming' it. To listen to it offline, you need to download and store it on your device. To do this:

Click on 'Play'

Click on the menu icon in the top right corner

Click on 'Store Offline'

As audio ebooks are a larger file size than ebooks, the app will prompt you to connect to wi-fi prior to downloading one for offline listening.

Happy reading = happy holidays!



FINANCE NEWS

2018 COLLEGE FEES

ESSENTIAL STUDENT LEARNING ITEMS (ESLI)

10% DISCOUNT ON COLLEGE FEES PAID IN FULL BY 21 DECEMBER 2017.

School Council, at its last meeting, approved the above discount to 2018 fees paid in full by the end of this term.

This excludes payments for VETis as this charge is passed on to the provider of the VETis course.

The College has various methods of payment which can be used by families.

One of our most popular payment plans is the 'Drip Feed'.

Many have set up automatic BPAY on a weekly/fortnightly basis with an amount suiting their financial needs.

They keep this going all year, even when charges have been fully paid, building up credit which may then be used towards books for Jumpstart or uniform or giving them a head start to the following year's charges.

Do you hold a Health Care Card, Pension Concession card?

If you do, you may be able to access Centrepay. This is a service provided by Centrelink where you can have money from your Centrelink entitlement deducted before being paid to you.

Education is one of their nominated categories and also works well for the 'Drip Feed' payments.



CONGRATULATIONS ANNABELLE!

The College Community congratulate past student Annabelle Paffett. She was College Dux in 2011 and has just graduated from Melbourne University as a Doctor of Veterinary Medicine. She is undertaking an internship at the South Eastern Equine Hospital



UNIFORM SHOP

ROSEBUD SECONDARY COLLEGE UNIFORM SHOP PRICES - (Correct at October 2017)

JUMPERS WITH LOGO		TROUSERS (All Sizes)	\$ 50.00
<i>COTTON JUMPERS ARE \$5.00 EXTRA</i>		SHORTS	
Size 10 - 14	\$ 69.00	Size 10-16	\$ 43.00
Size 16 - 20	\$ 75.00	Size S - 4XL	\$ 45.00
Size 22 - 26	\$ 80.00	SUMMER DRESS	
VCE JUMPERS		Size 8 - 14	\$ 66.00
Size 12 - 16	\$ 80.00	Size 16 - 18	\$ 68.00
Size 18 - 22	\$ 84.00	Size 20 - 26	\$ 70.00
Size 24 - 26	\$ 86.00	SUMMER SKIRTS (All Sizes)	\$ 43.00
BLAZER (With Logo)		WINTER SKIRTS	
Size 10 - 18	\$ 200.00	Size 8 - 14	\$ 67.50
Size 4M - 10M	\$ 220.00	Size 16 - 20	\$ 72.00
WHITE POLO (With Logo)		Size 22 - 28	\$ 75.00
Size 10 - 16 (S/Sleeve)	\$ 23.00	SHOWER PROOF JACKET	
Size XS - XXL (S/Sleeve)	\$ 25.00	Size 12 - 16	\$ 35.00
(L/Sleeve)	\$ 27.00	Size S - XL	\$ 40.00 / \$ 49.00
WHITE SHIRT (With Logo)		BLACK SOFTSHELL JACKET-LOGO	
Size 12 - 16	\$ 27.00	Size 12 - 16	\$ 75.00
Size 18 - 26	\$ 29.00	Size S - 3XL	\$ 80.00
WHITE BLOUSE (With Logo)		SCHOOL BAGS	\$ 50.00
Size 10 - 16	\$ 39.50	TIE	\$ 22.00
Size 18 - 24	\$ 41.50	SOCKS (3 Pack)	\$ 15.00
SPORT POLO (With Logo)	\$ 35.00	TIGHTS	\$ 12.00
GIRLS SPORTS SHORTS (With Logo)	\$ 35.00	SCARVES	\$ 10.00
GIRLS SPORTS LEGGINGS (With Logo)	\$ 55.00	SCHOOL APPROVED HATS	\$ 12.00
SPORT SHORTS (With Logo)		DANCE TOPS	\$ 20.00
Size 10-16	\$ 27.00	APRONS	\$ 10.00
Size XS-XXL	\$ 29.00	SAFETY GLASSES	\$ 6.00
SPORT RUGBY TOP			
Size 12c-16c	\$ 75.00		
Size XS-XL	\$ 80.00		

All College uniforms and second-hand books are available at the Uniform Shop. Second-hand uniforms and books can be bought and sold for parents on a consignment basis. The Uniform Shop (situated in the College hall) offers LAY-BY, credit card, EFTPOS or cash facilities. **NO CHEQUES.**

You may also fax an order on 97876087 or 5981 2276 with credit card details and signature so that the student can pick up the goods from the Uniform Shop. Parents/Carers can also ring the school, pay over the phone and their child can pick up the items.

NORMAL OPENING HOURS	TUESDAYS 8:30 am - 11:30 am	THURSDAYS 12:00 pm - 5:00 pm	Last SATURDAY of each Month (Term 1 and 4) 9:00am - 11:00am
EXTRA HOURS			
18 th December	TUESDAY 19 th	8:30am - 5:00pm	LAST DAY OF TRADING FOR 2017
29 th January 2018 - 26 th January 2018	TUESDAY 23 rd : WEDNESDAY 24 th : THURSDAY 25 th :	8:30am - 5:00pm 12:00pm - 6:00pm 8:30am - 5:00pm	LAMONT YEAR 7 BOOK COLLECTION DAY 3:00pm - 6:00pm
28 th January & 1 st February	MONDAY 29 th : TUESDAY 30 th : THURSDAY 1 st :	8:30am - 5:00pm 8:30am - 5:00pm 8:30am - 5:00pm	STUDENTS' FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL

The hours of the uniform shop will then be published in the daily bulletin and the fortnightly newsletter. For further information during the above hours call into the Uniform Shop or telephone on 5986 8595 to be put through to the Uniform Shop.



COLLEGE INFO



**We Can Save
YOUR STUDENTS MONEY**

TI-Nspire CX CAS & NON-CAS

The end of the year is fast approaching and its time to think about calculators. Unfortunately prices have gone up but compare our prices to your booklist and you will see we can save your students money.

Discount \$10.00*



**TI-Nspire CAS &
NON-CAS \$209.00**

Regular Price \$219.00*

Includes Bonus Padded Wallet



***To get these savings purchases must be made through our website using your school's DISCOUNT CODE.**

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UNIFORM SHOP HOURS

TUESDAYS: 8:30AM-11:30AM

THURSDAYS: 12:00PM-5:00PM

2nd HAND BOOKS....

A REMINDER TO ALL PARENTS WHO PLACED BOOKS IN THE 2ND HAND BOOKSTORE TO SELL. PLEASE CONTACT THE BOOKSHOP on 5986-8595 OR DROP IN TO COLLECT CHEQUES FOR ANY SOLD ITEMS.

HAVE YOU MOVED HOUSE OR CHANGED YOUR EMAIL?

PLEASE NOTIFY THE COLLEGE OF ANY CHANGES TO FAMILY DETAILS, OCCUPATIONS, QUALIFICATIONS, ADDRESSES, PHONE NUMBERS & EMAILS ETC.

MATHS TUTORING

Free Maths Tutoring Sessions are on after school from 3:00 - 4:00pm

Week 1: Wednesday Day 3

Week 2: Thursday Day 9

Years 7-9: Room 111

Years 10-12: Room 113

Bring your homework or come to get extra help.

Any questions, please contact the Maths Department at the College.



COMMUNITY NEWS



REGISTRATION DAY Sunday 11th February 2018



GET YOUR GAME ON!

We are an established, fast growing club which in 2017 had 240 registered players with 16 teams. We look forward to welcoming you to Rosebud Heart and seeing you on registration day.

When: **Sunday 11th February 2018**

Where: **Truemans Road Recreation Reserve, Tootgarook**

Time: **U6's to U11's - 10am to 12 noon**
U12's & up - 1pm to 3pm

- Junior teams ranging from U8s to U17s.
- Under 6's & 7's (Hub) - play at our home ground weekly as part of the Rosebud Heart SC Soccer Champs program.
- All girls teams for 2018 - up to 18's.

2018 REGISTRATION FEES

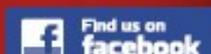
Age Group	'ON THE DAY' FEES (Paid in FULL* on Registration Day)		FULL FEES (Paid after Registration Day)	
	1st Player	Family (2 players or more)	1st Player	Family (2 players or more)
U6s & U7s (Hub)	\$200.00	\$185.00 per player	\$220.00	\$200.00 per player
U8s - 17s	\$300.00	\$270.00 per player	\$330.00	\$300.00 per player

* Payment options: Cash, EFTPOS or Credit Card

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Hard copies are available at the front office for anyone

without internet access.

Street Team

Date	Location
Monday 8 Jan	Sorrento Skate Park
Tuesday 9 Jan	Rosebud Skate Park
Monday 15 Jan	Sorrento Skate Park
Tuesday 16 Jan	Balnarring Skate Park
Monday 22 Jan	Sorrento Skate Park
Tuesday 23 Jan	Balnarring Skate Park

All sessions 10am – 1pm

About the Street Team

Qualified youth workers set up a range of fun, free, supervised activities around the Mornington Peninsula for young people aged between 10 – 17 years. Activities include sports, art and craft, music and games. Street teams can also provide a range of information on activities and programs that are available for young people within the community and refer them to specialist support services if needed.

For more information

/mornpernyouth

mpys.com.au

Shed 11 Youth Centre

11 Marine Parade, Hastings

5950 1666

The Corner Youth Centre

91 Wilsons Road, Mornington

5975 3114

YLounge Youth Centre

1 Nepean Plaza, Rosebud

5986 3585

Mornington Peninsula
Shire Youth Services

January 2018 School Holiday Program



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FINANCE NEWS



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Join Saver Plus and we'll match your savings, dollar for dollar, up to \$500 for school costs.

-  laptops & tablets
-  specialist subjects
-  uniforms & shoes
-  books & supplies
-  sports fees & gear
-  camps & excursions

To join Saver Plus, you must have a Centrelink Health Care or Pensioner Concession Card, be at least 18 years old, have some regular income from work (you or your partner), and have a child at school or attend vocational education yourself.

Contact

Angie O'Toole & Claire Butler
your local Saver Plus
Coordinators

Phone

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0407 948 506

Email

FrankstonSP@bsl.org.au

Web

www.saverplus.org.au



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