**NAPLAN**
A big congratulations to all the Year 3 and Year 5 students for the effort they have displayed during the NAPLAN tests. You should all be extremely proud of your writing, spelling, grammar, reading and mathematical skills! Well Done!

Mrs Ruth Jones
Ruth has been working at school over the last week completing the Rolleston State School art piece for the Emerald Exhibition. It looks amazing and the children have enjoyed doing it. Thank you for your donation of time and wonderful art skills Ruth!

**ICAS – Digital Technologies**
Good luck to the boys and girls who are participating in the Digital Technologies ICAS assessment on Tuesday 17 May - (tomorrow).

**Regional Shield**
Congratulations to all the girls who went to trials in Springsure to participate in the Netball Regional Shield Team playing in Rockhampton in July. Well done to Georgia, Macey, Claire, Charlotte and Libby who were chosen to be part of the team! Fantastic!

**RUGBY LEAGUE REGIONAL SHIELD**: While the girls trialled for Netball the boys were trialling for Rugby League! Congratulations to Darcy who has made this team - now heading to Rockhampton too! Awesome!!

**RUN TO CANBERRA** - Only 782.5 kilometres or 1,562 laps to go!

**Value of the week** - Waiting Your Turn
**Rule of the week** – Giving Full Effort

Have a great week,

Elizabeth Webb
Principal
**NETBALL NEWS:** Local Netball Training will be on again TODAY Monday 16th May, still at same time of 3:30pm to 4:30pm at the Rolleston Community Oval. Coach Theresa will be in attendance! Everyone is welcome.

Training in Springsure will be this Thursday for all the girls heading to Rockhampton for Regional Shield Team from 4:30pm to 5:30pm.

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**Term 2, 2016 - Mark Your Calendar**

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**STUDENT COUNCIL NEWS**

**HUNDREDS BOARD:** Our Board is READY TO ROLL and is filling up! These tickets are $2 each. Pop into the office to secure your favourite number! We hope to draw this next Hundred Board next Friday! Good Luck! Remember you could win $100.

**WATERMELONS FOR SALE AT THE SCHOOL FOR $4 each (profit goes to student council)**

We thank you in advance for your support to get our Rolleston Kids to Camp Canberra 2016.

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ATHLETICS COACHING WITH MRS GIBSON! WILL BE ON WEDNESDAY THIS WEEK TO FIT IN WITH TAP DANCING CHANGE OF DAY!

Term 2 Tuckshop Roster 2016

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Subbies: Imelda S, Nikki U

UNDER 8’S DAY: Under 8’s Day will be held on Tuesday 24th May. All children 8 years old and under are invited and welcome to attend. Our day will begin at 9am and conclude at 11am. Please bring morning tea and ensure that your child has enclosed shoes, a hat and sun safe clothing.

Rolleston’s Biggest Morning Tea
Rolleston State School has been invited to attend Rolleston’s Biggest Morning Tea being held on Thursday 26 May at the Transaction Centre. Our Student Council will be selling cupcakes and all money raised will go to the Cancer Council. We would be very grateful for any donations of cupcakes or treats to sell on the day. Thank you.

CANBERRA CAMP FORMS & PAYMENT

Please ensure that dietary requirement / food allergy form, activity consent form, and medical agreement forms are returned to school as soon as possible. It is Only 3 weeks until Canberra!

Thank you to everyone who has paid the Canberra Camp Payment. If you could please send payments in when convenient to school office or pay via direct debit this would be greatly appreciated. Just pop us an email when you have completed payment if doing this online. If you any concerns, please call the school office to discuss options. Thank you!

CARE ~ COURTESY ~ COMMITMENT
Prep: Paityn – Able to recognise 40 M100W Sight Words
& excellent retell of the Hungry Caterpillar! Fantastic!

Year 1: Samantha (Absent)

Year 2: Evie for creative writing and improved self-editing.

Year 3: Flynn for his enthusiasm for taking part and assisting others with Robotics.

Year 4: Gus, for outstanding handwriting.

Year 5: Georgia for creative handwriting.

Year 6: Sophie, for excellent Math Problem Solving Skills!

last week - to Libby for Cleaning out the Cubby. (Absent Last Week)

To LAURA! Wishing you a wonderful day! Hip Hip Hooray!

CARE ~ COURTESY ~ COMMITMENT
GOTCHA - Liam S for emptying our Compost Bins (last week)!

From eLearning Japanese Class

Recently, I attended the State School Language Teachers’ Conference in Brisbane. There were about 80 language teachers across the state attending. One of the main topics the presenter was focusing on was Achievement Standards. Since most of the eLearning students have finished their first exam, it is an appropriate time to share what ACARA/the national curriculum is looking for from language learners. The achievement “C” in ACARA is what language students should be aiming for and in order to achieve “B” or even “A”, they must demonstrate higher order thinking skills using higher literacy skills. I’ve started to use the ACARA Literacy learning continuum to encourage them, not only to think outside of their comfortable box but also to remind them to use the English Grammar Knowledge Element when they answer challenging questions. I hope your child will gain more opportunities to practise languages, English and Japanese in my class.

Next unit is all about speaking. Your child might ask to practise with you. I hope you don’t mind.

Should you have any enquiries about your child’s progress please do not hesitate to contact me at kiwak1@eq.edu.au and 49993333 at Crescent Lagoon State School.

Yours in language, -

Kanako Iwakura

eLearning Japanese Teacher

CARE ~ COURTESY ~ COMMITMENT
Regular school attendance

Did you know? Research shows that in Queensland, higher student attendance at school is associated, on average, with higher student achievement.

Why is regular attendance at school important?
Regular school attendance will mean that your child gets a better chance at life. Your child will achieve better when they go to school all day, every school day:
- they learn better
- they make friends
- they are happier
- they have a brighter future.

Why must I send my child to school?
Under Queensland law, you must make sure your child of school age is enrolled and attends school all day, every school day unless they have a reasonable excuse. Illness, doing work experience, competing in a school sporting event or going on a school excursion are reasonable excuses for being absent from school.

Principals decide if the excuse given for your child’s absence is reasonable.

Avoid keeping your child away from school for:
- birthdays, shopping, visiting family and friends, if they sleep in, looking after other children, minor check ups or care such as hair cuts.

Routine medical or other health appointments should be made either before or after school or during the school holidays.

While it is a last resort, it is important to understand that you may be prosecuted if your child is not attending school regularly.

What should I do if our family is going on a holiday in school time?
You are encouraged not to schedule holidays during school time. If your family holiday is during school time, let the school know in advance and talk about what arrangements can be made for your child. Depending on the circumstances the school may be able to provide tasks for your child to complete while they are absent or assist you to organise an exemption from schooling.

Do I need to let the school know if my child has been away from school?
Yes, you must let the school know the reason why your child is absent from school, if not beforehand, then within two school days of their return to school.

Having problems getting your child to school for some of these reasons?
- won’t get out of bed in the morning
- won’t go to bed at night
- can’t find their uniform, books, school bag ...
- slow to eat breakfast
- haven’t done their homework
- watching TV

Every day counts – Is your child at school today?
www.education.qld.gov.au/everydaycounts
have a test or presentation to do, have an assignment to hand in
☐ it’s their birthday.

A set routine can help
☐ have a set time to go to bed
☐ have a set time to get out of bed
☐ have uniform and school bag ready the night before
☐ have a set time for starting and finishing breakfast
☐ set a time for daily homework activities
☐ speak about school positively
☐ be firm, send your child to school every school day including their birthday and the last day of term!

What should I do if my child won’t go to school?

You should contact the school as soon as possible for advice and support.
ROLLESTON HEALTH CLINIC UPDATES: Doctor Clinic is on again this Friday 20th May at the Rolleston Health Clinic. Nurse Nikki has advised there are still a few FLU VACCINES available for anyone wishing to have their Flu Shot. Please Phone Health Centre for bookings. Phone: 49 843 491
Got something to sell?
~ Household items to heavy machinery and anything in between (price reserves welcome) ~

Calling all outside vendors!

**AUCTION**

Orion Community

Clearing Sale & Auction

**SATURDAY 9th July 2016**

Please contact:
Graham Lloyd – 0428871870 / 49846000
Gratton McNamara – 0428544141
Jono Tibbles – 0417279992

by 25th June 2016 (the sooner, the better!)
## Rolleston Roos 2016 Season Draw

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- Rolleston Roos
- Acres Rural Supplies
- Villa Capri
- Mayfair Ridge Tavern
- Marshall Seed & Grain Services
- Pioneer

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Contour Repair Field Day

Have you invested time in ensuring your contours are designed to minimize erosion and run-off and maximise valuable farming land?

This is a session not to be missed covering soil conservation, contour planning and design, and erosion control.

The field day answers the following key questions:

- Have your contours and waterways been damaged by recent rainfall events?
- Are you losing valuable topsoil?
- Do you need to consider design before you rebuild your contours?
- Are your contours the correct height, level and depth, and what is the maximum bank length for optimum results?
- Have you considered your farm layout and interaction with Controlled Traffic Farming (CTF)?

Date: Monday 23 May 2016
Location: Broken Plains', Rolleston
Time: 10.30am for an 11:00am start concluding at 5.00pm. Lunch and an early BBQ dinner supplied.
RSVP: Vicki Horstman
E: admin@chrup.org.au
P: 0427 320 539
Cost: Free
Please bring hat, water bottle and chair.

Guest speaker:

- John Day, Soil Conservation Officer
  Burnett Mary Regional Group

This field day is supported by the Regional Landcare Facilitator through funding from the Australian Government’s National Landcare Programme.
PUBLIC HEARING

Vegetation Management (Reinstatement) and Other Legislation Amendment Bill

You are invited to the Agriculture and Environment Committee's public hearings on the Vegetation Management (Reinstatement) and Other Legislation Amendment Bill:

Thursday 19 May 2016
5:30pm - 7:30pm
Emerald Explorers
Inn
Emerald

Anyone interested in attending the hearings is invited to register their attendance by phoning 3553 6662 or emailing aec@parliament.qld.gov.au
Athletics Coaching

Tuesday Afternoons

4pm to 4.45pm grade 4, 5, 6.
5pm to 5.45pm grade 1, 2, 3.

$5 to attend

May 3rd & 10th Sprints and throws

May 18th & 24th Sprints and jumps (18th is Wed)

May 31st Throws and jumps (400m will be run that morning)

Please email any newsletter items to mclar453@eq.edu.au by 10:00am each Monday morning.

CARE ~ COURTESY ~ COMMITMENT
BAUHINIA’S BIG DAY OUT!

TUESDAY 7 JUNE 2016
10.00 AM TO 2.00 PM
BAUHINIA COMMUNITY HALL

Something for everyone!
Get together with old friends and even make some new ones.

- Morning tea & free BBQ lunch
- Market & information stalls
- Fashion parade
- Wild dog trapping display
- Drone display
- Free health checks
- Kids corner

FOR MORE INFORMATION PLEASE CALL JUDY NOBBS ON 4996 3164.

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