



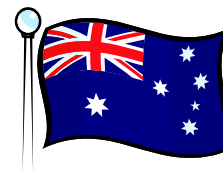
# RINGROSE PUBLIC SCHOOL

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## NEWSLETTER

8 August, 2012 – Week 4

### CRAZY HAIR DAY

A Mufti Day and Crazy Hair day will be held next Wednesday 15 August to support the school fete coming in October. Students will wear mufti clothes and are asked for a gold coin donation.

### PHOTOS

Thursday will be class & family photos. Students are asked to be in full uniform including black shoes, boys in grey trousers or shorts. Please do not allow the children to wear track pants on this day. For the uniformity of the photos we ask that girls do not wear their dress uniforms but their gold shirt and maroon pants.

### KINDERGARTEN 2013

Enrolment forms for next year's Kindergarten students can be picked up from the office any time. Forms can be taken home and completed and then returned with the original birth certificate, immunisation certificate and proof of address, which will be copied and returned to the parent.

### EDUCATION WEEK

A BIG thank you to all those parents and other visitors who came along to our Education Week Open Day last week. The students look forward to having you visit with them for this day.

### EVENING FOR OUR NEW KINDERGARTEN PARENTS IN 2013

An information evening for our new Kindergarten parents will be held tonight at 7.30pm in the library. If you are new to Ringrose and have children enrolled for Kindergarten next year please come along to the evening. If you are interested in attending please contact the school on 9631 8637 to confirm your attendance.

### **DATES FOR YOUR DIARY –**

#### **Term 3**

August 8 – Group Photos / New parents to Ringrose information evening  
August 9 – Class Photos  
August 15 – P & C Meeting  
August 22 – 5<sup>th</sup> Canberra (last) payment  
August 24 – Zone Track events  
August 29 – Zone Field events  
August 30 – Fathers' Day Stall  
August 31 – Fathers' Day Breakfast  
September 10 – 12 – Stage 3 Canberra Excursion  
September 12 – Sydney West Athletics carnival  
September 14 – Disco  
September 21 – Last day of Term 3  
Assembly every second/even week this term at 11.25am in the school hall.

### WOOLIES – Earn & Learn Promotion

This promotion is finishing on **12 August**. Please keep collecting the stickers until the Woolies people won't give any more out. If you don't have a sheet to put them on, put the stickers in the box in the foyer, we will put them on the sheets for you.

**Thank you to everyone who has contributed to this Earn and Learn program. We have had a wonderful response – thank you.**

As of today we had 58,987 points.

### CLASSROOM JOKES

Teacher: You're always bottom of the class in exams, Otto. When are you going to get ahead?

Otto: I've already got one, Sir.



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# Fete 2012

**Saturday 20 October 2012**

The fete and 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary celebrations are coming around fast and I hope that everyone has it marked in their calendars to attend. The fete committee, 50<sup>th</sup> committee and the school are working together to ensure the day is lots of fun but it takes a lot of support from the whole school community.

Of course though, there are a few ways that we need your support and anywhere you can help out is very much appreciated and will go towards making the day a great success.

## **Stall Helpers**

Last week, brochures were available at the open day to nominate where you would like to help on the day. Please return your details and preferences as soon as possible so that you are successful with securing your first preference on the day. Please email for more details if you haven't seen the brochure with the times available.

A big THANK YOU to those people who have already given their note to the office.

## **Dates for your Calendar**

### **Dates to be advised - Mufti Days**

Between now and the fete there will be two mufti days. One will be a gold coin mufti (with a theme to be decided) which will be held in this term. The other will be held in the first week of Term 4

and will be for the bottle stall. More details, including dates, will go out in notes home closer to the days.

**From 10 September - White Elephant**  
Donations of used goods for the white elephant stall will be accepted from Monday 10 September. A note will go home about what can be donated and the donation days. If there is anyone available at the school in the mornings to assist with sorting donations please let me know.

### **19 & 20 October - Cake Stall**

Trays for cake stall donations will go home in week 2 of term 4 with cakes to be brought in to school on the day before the fete or the day of the fete.

### **19 October - Plant Stall**

Don't forget to consider donating to the plant stall if you have a 'green thumb'. Donations for this stall will be on Friday 19 October.

**Fete countdown - 10 weeks to go!!!**

## **Fete Committee**

Kelly Burton

Jo Seymour

Chris Fitzpatrick

Lisa Harvey

Amanda Caine

Sue Burnett

Rita Buttenshaw

## **Contact Details**

### **Email**

[ringrosefete@yahoo.com](mailto:ringrosefete@yahoo.com)

### **Phone**

0425 369 722 (Kelly)

### CANTEEN INFORMATION

Lunch bags are 10c each. Ice blocks and slushies are NOT to be ordered on lunch bags. These frozen items have to be bought over the counter at the canteen.

Helpers are needed on a Tuesday or Wednesday. If you are able to help out for the day or until recess please phone Ann on 0411 143 609.

Helpers for the next three weeks are:-  
Week 5

Monday 13 August	Mirijana Adamson
Tuesday 14 August	Martina Giorgi until 11.30 & Cathy Tate from 12.30
Wednesday 15 August	Leisa Reid until 11.30
Thursday 16 August	<b>Helper required</b>
Friday 17 August	Amanda Caine

Week 6

Monday 20 August	Cheryl Ryan
Tuesday 21 August	<b>Helper required</b>
Wednesday 22 August	Jenny Briggs
Thursday 23 August	Arsha Hussein until 11.30
Friday 24 August	Toni Clements

Week 5

Monday 27 August	Rita Buttenshaw until 11.30 & Cathy Tate from 12.30
Tuesday 28 August	<b>Helper required</b>
Wednesday 29 August	Cheryl Ryan
Thursday 30 August	Felicity Ayodele
Friday 31 August	Sue Wilson-Deeth

Thank you,  
Ann Brett (Canteen Supervisor)

### GRUESOME FACTS

After being removed from the body, the lungs can survive longer than any other organ

## TERM 4 MUM'S CHRISTMAS DINNER NIGHT OUT

(We need to book now as tables are filling fast – due to it being Christmas time)

Join us for a fun night out & celebrate another year of school!

### ***DIRTY DICK'S THEATRE RESTAURANT***

**Where:** Northmead Bowling Club  
166 Windsor Road, Northmead

**When:** Saturday 24 November, 2012

**Time:** 6.30pm for 7pm sharp show start!  
Dinner and Show \$59

(Drinks extra @ club prices)

**RSVP:** \$30 Deposit by Friday 1 June.

**To secure your seat on the table contact -**

**Sue Wilson-Deeth – 0403 922 839 or  
Tamara Wyer – 0415 636 646**

**Alternative bookings can be made directly to Dirty Dicks:**

Ph: 02 9958 2910 (Booking is under Ringrose Primary School)



**ON THE LIGHTER SIDE - Courtesy of Mr. Arnold (Our GA)**

Did you hear that Willie Nelson got hit by a car? He was playing on the road again.

## SILVER CERTIFICATE WINNERS

Samantha  
Alana  
San  
Ethan  
Rusty  
Zac  
Annaliese  
Arash  
Angeline  
Rory  
Rose  
Chris  
Denny  
Charlotte  
Eleanor  
Taurn  
Connor  
Tom  
Sophia  
Jack  
Nathan  
Kaylee  
Prapavann  
Zachary  
Petar  
Stefan  
Dilang  
Sophia  
Stephen  
Nic  
Keagan  
Thomas  
Tyra  
Jordan  
Tarik Z

## STAGE 2 & 3 REPORT

A huge response to the Stage 3 'Cake Day' made this a successful fundraising event. Thank you to everyone who participated. We raised over \$800 for the Year 6 Farewell. Please have a look at some of the photos that were taken on the day. (You may see yourself there!)

Both Stages report that the class visits went extremely well. It was wonderful to see so many parents and grandparents at this event. The students were especially thrilled to share some of the hard work that they have been involved in at school, with their families.

## WHOLE SCHOOL SOCIAL SKILLS PROGRAM

You may like to discuss the weekly social skill with your child and how they can apply these skills outside of school.


In weeks 1, 2 & 3 we are focusing on:

**We show resilience by:**  
**Dealing With Fear**

STEPS

1. What? ?
2. Choose.
  - a. Ask to talk.
  - b. Relax.
3. Do it.

When we deal with fear right way we demonstrate the rule:  
Respect myself and others, and  
Be a good learner




**We show respect by:**  
**Deciding How Someone Feels**

STEPS

1. Watch the person.
2. Name the feeling.
3. Ask.

When we decide how someone feels we demonstrate the rule:  
Respect myself and others.




**We Show Cooperation and Respect by**  
**Showing Affection**

STEPS

1. Decide if you have nice feelings.
2. Choose.
  - a. Say it
  - b. Hug.
  - c. Do something.
3. When?
4. Do it.

When we show affection we demonstrate the rule:  
Respect myself and others.





# Year 6 Fundraising on Open Day

Thank you to all of the people in Stage 3, 4M and Ms. Pompey, Celine's mum, ( from 1D), for donating the cakes for our fundraising. Thank you also, to all the boys and girls, mums and dads, grandparents and other family members who bought a cake as well. It was a very successful event!





Lots of yummy cakes!!!!



Thank you all very much – we raised over \$800.

## **PREMIERS READING CHALLENGE**

The Premiers Reading Challenge is drawing to a close for this year. If you have not completed reading your required amount of books, you have only 4 more weeks left.

If you have read your books and are having trouble entering your list on the computer, please see me in the library and I will help you.

All lists have to be completed by Monday 27 August so that I can validate all entries by 1 September.

Congratulations to the following students you have completed the challenge:-

Most of the students in K-2

Caitlin 3O

Elli 3O

Kristie 3/4C

Max 3/4C

Natasha 3/4C

Nithilann 4M

Courtney 4M

Christine 4M

Isabelle 5/6E

Wellin 5/6F

Jordan 5/6F

Keep up your excellent reading.  
Carol Lee (Relieving Librarian)