

OUT OF SCHOOL HOURS CARE NEWSLETTER – MAY 2015.

As of this month our newsletter will be included once a month online with the schools newsletter. We will print a few copies for the families that do not have access to the internet.

Vacation Care.

Bookings for the June/July Vacation Care will be from Monday 8th June. You will be able to book from the Multi Purpose room **after** 4.00pm only.

Wish List.

- We are seeking items that the children will enjoy 'breaking apart'; things like old telephones, printers etc. The children will enjoy prying these apart to see how they work. (We will not be expecting them to put them back together, so please do not send in anything that you want back).
- We are also on the lookout for a remote control that is suitable for our Sanyo television; ours has gone walkabout.

Parent Feedback.

We will be asking parents to fill out a survey sheet shortly that we can gain feedback via families from. We will make the survey very easy to fill out so as not to take too much time and energy. Families can also pass on feedback by contacting us via our email address; after@roxhomesteadps.vic.edu.au.

Peer Leadership

We are introducing a Peer Leadership Program into our Service. Children in Grades 4 and above are being asked to fill in an application to become a Peer Leader; they will be undertaking tasks such as helping staff to set out and clear away resources and activities and help to collect the prep children from their classes etc.

Peer Leadership helps children extend on their leadership skills and self help skills; helps to strengthen their sense of wellbeing and build their confidence.

The successful children will be undertaking their tasks for one term; (this time we are extending until the end of term 3). If you would like your child to participate, ask them to get an application and fill it in and we will take it from there.

Our Little Champs.

This month we are awarding the 'Our Little Champs; award to a brother and sister; Alexander & Annabelle Newlands.



These two children always enter Before School Care in the morning with big smiles and happy dispositions.

They are usually the first to offer help in the mornings either setting out the resources or helping other children to settle and feel comfortable.

Good work Alexander and Annabelle!