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Respect Honesty Pride Success

Child Safety Standards

The Roxburgh Homestead Primary School Community is committed to the safety and empowerment of all children.

This statement underpins our unwavering resolve to ensure the safety of all children through policies and sound practice and processes. The RHPS community includes School Council, parents, staff, outreach workers, volunteers, contractors and visitors to the school.

This statement means that everyone connected to our school has a responsibility to keep our children safe. It means we have zero tolerance of child abuse. We already have policies and processes in place to protect the care, safety and welfare of children but new child safe standards go further than child protection arrangements did in the past. Keeping children safe is everyone's responsibility.

We will be posting policies and processes on the school website in the near future that outline how we, the community of RHPS can better protect our children. Every school, sporting club or organisation that works with children will be mandated to be compliant with the new Child Safe standards by the end of the school year.

The above statement is the beginning of that commitment.

Have you enrolled your Prep child for 2017?

Term three is the time we begin our workforce planning for the next school year. The prep numbers are vital in estimating how many teachers and grades we will require. If you are currently a parent at the school and have a child starting in prep next year, please enrol your child now!

If you know of any friends or relatives who are intending to send their children to our school in 2017, please inform them that the enrolment process started in April and we are still taking enrolments. The number of students across the rest of the school influences grade structures.

The number of students plus our community demographics has direct impact upon the 2017 budget.

The more students we have enrolled before census day at the end of February 2017, means extra money in the budget, which means we can offer additional resources for our children.

Please help us in this matter, so we can support our students and staff. To retain teachers, we need to know our student numbers.

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'If you have trouble understanding this notice, please contact the school office'




**Bu notu anlamak için yardıma ihtiyacınız olursa,
lütfen genel ofise gelin.**

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dates to Remember

AUGUST/SEPTEMBER

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Sat / Sun
8	9	10 Year 6 Camp 	11 Year 6 Camp	12 Year 6 campers return	13/14
15 Year 3 to Planetarium 	16	17 Year 2 to Lego Centre 	18	19	20/21
22	23	24 Student Led Conferences 12.30—8pm	25	26	27/28
29	30 Yr 6 Transition Workshop @ school Yr 6 Transition parent Workshop 6pm in Gym	31	1 SEPT	2 5/6 Hooptime	3/4

Welcome to Week 4, Term 3 everyone,

Term 3 is certainly a very busy term with our school camps, our Student Led Conferences and of course our whole school focus on demonstrating Pride.

Student Led Conferences will be held on one day only this term on Wednesday the 24th August. Students will attend school for a half day only. They will commence at the usual soft start time of 8.50am and finish school at 12.00pm. Our after school care program will commence at 12.00pm for regular users. If you are not a regular user please contact OHSC staff in the Multipurpose Room, phone 0417594511 or email after@roxhomesteadps.vic.edu.au to secure a booking.

Please note that if students are not collected from school at 12.00pm, they will need to be sent to after school care and an additional fee will need to be charged.

Student Led Conferences will begin at 12.30pm and bookings are open now. I know our staff, students and families enjoy this opportunity to take Pride in our student's achievements and listening to their individual goal setting and progress. The Conferences give us all an excellent opportunity to listen and celebrate the effort our students and teachers put into our teaching and learning throughout the year.

The frequent updates from our grade 3/4campers this week are very encouraging and a great time is being had by all. No doubt our grade 5/ 6 students who will be attending camp next week are as equally excited. Camp is such a unique and rewarding experience for our students, where a whole new set of skills and knowledge, along with friendships and independence can be learnt in a new environment.

We thank you for your ongoing support with collecting your children after school in the safety of the new gym away from the busy street. We would ask however that you continue to remind your children to go directly to the gym straight after school and not play with their friends.

I hope you all have a lovely week and stay safe

Kind Regards

Sandra James (Assistant Principal)

FREE ENGLISH CLASSES AT SCHOOL

Come and join us every Friday from 9 to 12pm. Have fun learning English in a supportive and professional environment.

دروس مجانية في اللغة الانجليزية في المدرسة

انضموا إلينا كل يوم جمعة من الساعة ٩ وحتى الساعة ١٢ ظهرا. تمتعوا في تعلم اللغة الانجليزية في بيئة من الدعم والمهنية.

Bedava Engilizce sinifi

Cuma gunleri 9 -12pm arasi

Eglenerek samimi bir

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ogrenmek isteyenler katilabilirler