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VERESDALE SCRUB STATE SCHOOL

“Caring and Challenging for the Future”

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Be a Learner



Be Safe



Be Respectful



STUDENTS OF THE WEEK

Term 4 Week 8

Prep	Joshua
1/2	Zietta
2/3	Shylo
3/4	Rohan /Nash
4/5	Elliana
5/6	Harrison
Choir	Tilly-Rose
Music	Grace
P.E.	Garry
Playground	Dakota
Principal's	Jack
Science	Katia /Charlize
LOTE	Rohan

Term 4 Week 9

Prep	Arabella
1/2	Dylan
2/3	Ivie
3/4	Myles
4/5	Olivia
5/6	Murray
P. E.	Joseph
Playground	Violet
Principal's	Monique
Science	Joseph /Eloise /Dylan

YEAR 6 GRADUATION



The Graduation Dinner for the Year 6 students was held last Thursday night at the Beaudesert RSL. Everyone had a fantastic night and the students, and the venue, looked lovely. Thank you to the organisers - a lot of fundraising and work went into arranging the night.

To those families who are moving on from our school, we thank you for your involvement and support over the years, and wish you and your families well for the future.

To our graduating Year 6 students, we wish you every success at high school and into the future.

***Be bold, be courageous, be your best.
You are capable of amazing things.***

BIKE SAFETY COMPETITION

Congratulations to the winners of our Bike Safety competition.

Prep – Year 3 Section – Mahalia (Prep)

Highly commended – Ruby, Jorja

Year 4 – 6 Section – Abbey (Year 4)

Highly commended - Courtney and Eli

Well done to everyone who entered the competition. The entries were of a very high standard. We thank our Adopt-A-Cop, Constable Ellis, for the donation of scooters and helmets for prizes.



HOME READERS/LIBRARY BOOKS

Parents are reminded to check their child/ren's bedrooms and bags for missing home readers and library books. It is unfortunate that we still have so many outstanding. Reminder notices have been sent home today.

INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC - YEARS 4-6

If you would like your child to participate in Instrumental Music lessons in 2018, please ask at the office for the relevant forms.



Our end of year Awards Night will be held on Wednesday night (December 6th) at 'The Centre' in Beaudesert. As we will be starting at 6.00pm sharp, we request that everyone is seated by 5.45pm. Choir students will need to arrive by 5.15pm to run a sound check. All other students should arrive by 5.30pm. There will be no food or drink for sale on the evening so please make sure your children have eaten something and that you bring along a water bottle for them. All available tickets have now been allocated.

REWARDS DAY

Our end of term Rewards Day will be held on Thursday 7th December during the last session.



Gold level - Students still on Gold level will be taken by bus to the Beaudesert Pool for an afternoon of swimming and water activities. Unless otherwise advised on your returned permission form, parents are expected to collect their children from the pool at 3.00pm. These students will need to bring swimmers, towel, sunscreen and hat in a suitable bag on the day. Goggles and swimming caps are optional. Everyone will be getting changed into their swimmers at the pool. Please ensure all items are clearly named. School staff and lifeguards will be on duty at the pool.

The permission forms for this were sent home early last week and were due for return by Thursday 30th November. Attendance numbers have been forwarded to the pool. Thank you to all those people who returned their forms.

Silver level – These students will enjoy a waterslide activity at school.

Bronze level – Will watch a Christmas movie and then play some basketball.

Tin level – Any students on this level will complete work with a teacher.

SCHOOL BUS PASSES FOR 2018.

Please find below details regarding school bus passes for 2018.

All students with no change of school or home address details will have a new bus pass printed automatically. These passes will be available for collection from the Park Ridge Transit office between 9th January 2018 to 20th January 2018. Once the first day of school arrives no passes will be available for collection as they will be sorted and sent out with the school bus drivers.

New applications for the 2018 school year are now being accepted at the Park Ridge office.

Please call Park Ridge Transit on 3802 1233 or email info@busqld.com.au if you have questions regarding bus passes or bus routes.

THANK YOU

We would like to take this opportunity to sincerely thank:



- all of the students for their efforts this year
- all parents/carers who have assisted/supported the school in any way throughout the year.
- the P&C for their generous donations to the school and for their efforts with Breakfast Club and tuckshop

We wish you all a very Merry Christmas and a very safe and relaxing holiday.

MERRY CHRISTMAS

Staff would like to wish everyone a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. Stay safe and enjoy this time with your children.

DATES TO REMEMBER

January 17th – Staff return to work for Professional Development activities in the Region

January 22nd – Term 1 begins for all students

January 26th – Australia Day public holiday

2018 ENROLMENTS

Thank you to those families who have already returned their 2018 enrolment slip. If you have not yet returned your slip, please complete and return as soon as possible. This will enable us to commence organising possible class configurations for next year. Please note that it is not necessary for parents of current Year 6 students to return the form.

2018 ENROLMENTS

My child/ren _____

will be returning to Veresdale Scrub State School in 2018.

will not be returning to Veresdale Scrub State School in 2018.

Family _____

Name: _____

SCHOOL WATCH

**Your eyes and ears are our security.
LOOK, LISTEN, REPORT Phone 13 17 88**