



Rocky River Public School

Newsletter

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IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

- 2nd December – 13th December – Swim School.
- 4th December – Carol's in the Park.
- 6th December – visiting performance – the Conservatorium of Music.
- 7th December – Golf Day 11am
- 11th December – Presentation evening – 6.30 pm.

Canteen



Prices are as follows:

Pies \$2,
Lasagne \$2.50,
Sausage Rolls \$2,
Nuggets x4 for \$2,
Chicken Burgers \$3,
Pizza scrolls \$1.50,
Carrot muffins \$1.50,
Ice Cream \$1,
Choc/Strawb milk \$1.50.

P&C

The next P&C meeting
will be held
TONIGHT
at 3.30pm

TERM 4, WEEK 9 – 4th December 2013

PRINCIPALS MESSAGE

The days are racing by rapidly and there are still some important events to get through. This afternoon there is a P&C meeting at 3:30 with a number of items that need to be finalised.

The carols evening is also on tonight starting with a free sausage sizzle at 5:30. The carols will commence at 7:00. We are singing 2 carols, "Little Drummer Boy" and "We wish you a merry Christmas." We need as many students to attend as possible for volume. Students who are singing with us must come dressed in full school uniform.

This Friday we will be having the Conservatorium of Music visiting to play for the students. The school will be paying for the cost.

The P&C Golf Day will be held this Saturday and volunteers are needed to run the canteen. If you are able to assist please nominate the times you are available on the attached sheet.

Our Presentation Night will be held next Wednesday commencing at 6.30pm.



Carol's In The Park

The combined churches of Uralla will be hosting 'Carol's in the Park' at Alma Park Uralla **TONIGHT**. There will be a free BBQ from 5.30pm and Carols will commence at 7pm. Santa is going to drop by at about 8pm

All Welcome !

Look what's happening in Lower Division

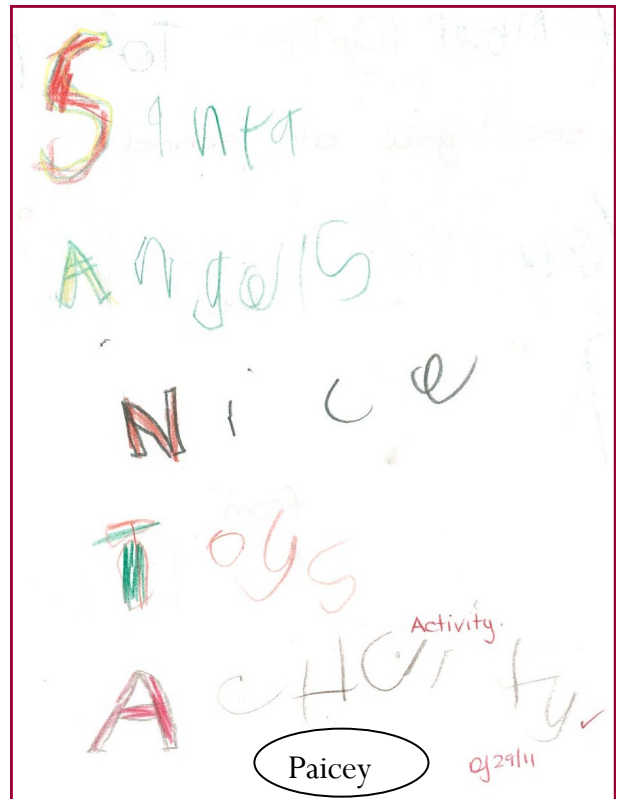
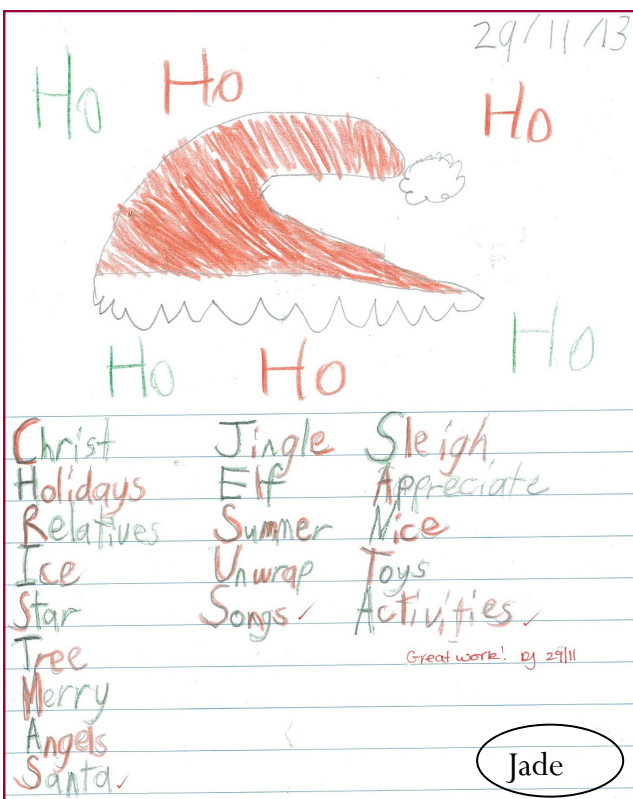


Lower Division students were very busy this morning creating art works to enter into the Uralla Show early next year.

What a lovely atmosphere of creativeness with Christmas Carols playing softly in the background.

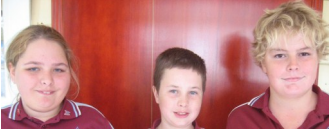


Some lovely Christmas writing by Jade and Paicey.



Look what's happening in Upper Division

FROM OUR STUDENT LEADERS



Katahna is away for the week so was unable to contribute to this weeks newsletter.

Carols by Candlelight

Tonight is the carols by candlelight there will be a sausage sizzle at 5:30, the singing of the schools starts at 7:00 and we will have a very special guest arriving at 8:00.

Joseph Feitz Yr 6



SCHOOL PLAY COMING CLOSER

WITH THE SCHOOL PLAY COMING CLOSER EVERYONE IS GETTING EXCITED ESPECIALLY MYSELF.

THIS YEAR THE PLAY IS ABOUT A CURIOUS SHEEP. IT'S ABOUT BABY JESUS AND ONE LITTLE SHEEP THAT IS INDIVIDUAL AND SHE\HE IS FEELING RATHER CURIOUS OH NO!!! SPOILER ALERT I'VE SAID TO MUCH WELL; YOU'LL HAVE TO WAIT AND SEE. HAVE A MERRY CHRISTMAS AND A HAPPY NEW YEAR AND THOSE WISE MEN ARE BACK, ANYWAY HAVE A GREAT DAY

YOURS SINCERELY

Stelios Charnas Year 4



The present

Year 6 has got a finally got the present for the school. We got them a lovely frog pond with a bench. It is so relaxing. It has got pine stepping stones. Donated by Jas. Thanks a lot Jas. The pond even has a waterfall !

By Harry. Rowbottom Yr.6

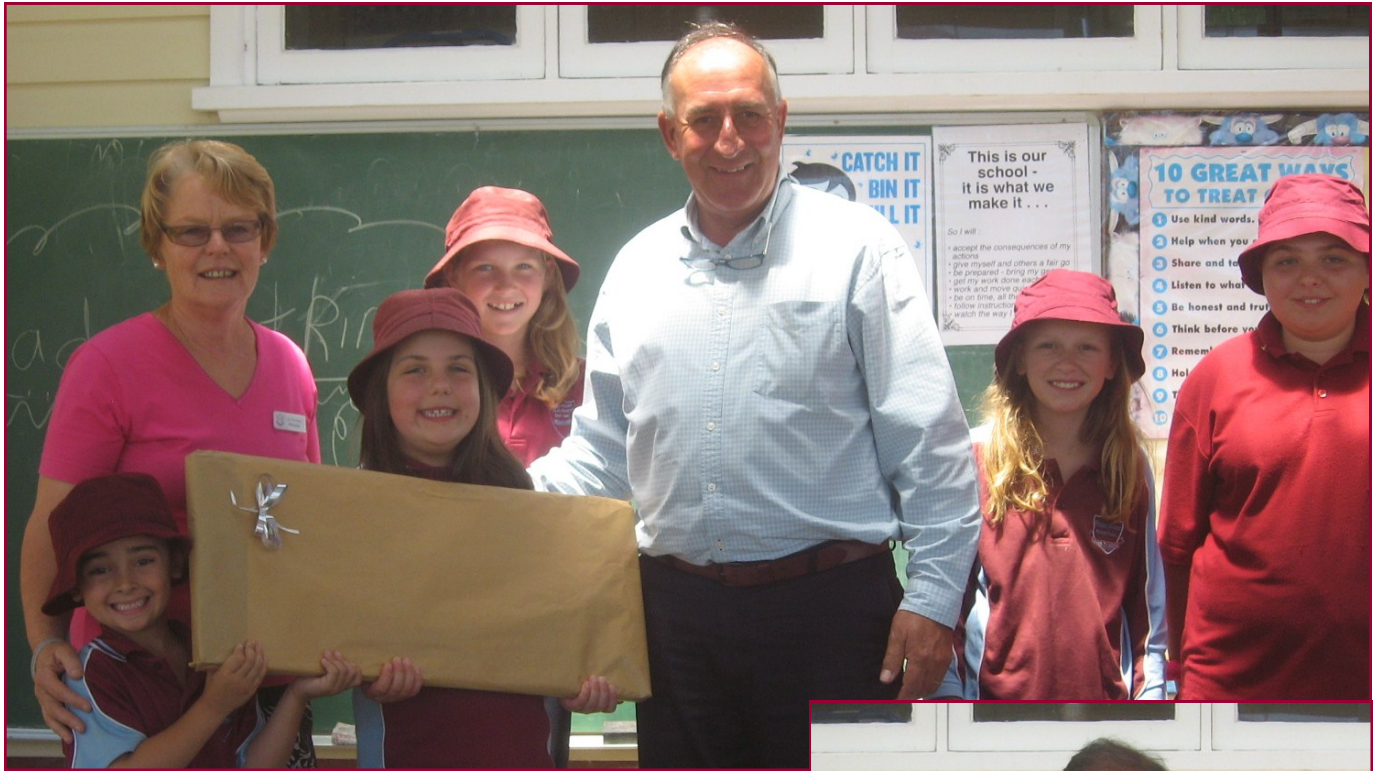
REQUEST FOR DONATIONS

We are still seeking donations of lollies for our Presentation Night if you are able to donate please leave them at the school.

NO LOLLYPOPS PLEASE

Thank you





Farewell Mr Sanders

Last Thursday was a sad day for our school as it was Mr Sanders' last day with us. He was feeling sad too because he has really enjoyed his time teaching here.

Although he said "he didn't want a fuss" staff and students were eager to give him some tokens of appreciation for all that he has done for us.

We wish Mr & Mrs Sanders all the best as they move on to the next chapter of their lives.





A Papercraft Exhibition by Katherine McKinnon

ONCE UPON A TIME

7TH DECEMBER – 31ST JANUARY



FEATURING CANVASES, FRAMES AND MINI ALBUMS

Opening 7th December 2013 3-5pm

Afternoon Tea provided

GRANNY FI'S TOY CUPBOARD

42 BRIDGE ST. URALLA

PLEASE NOTE!

We desperately need donations of prizes for the Golf Day and any assistance you can give no matter how small will be greatly appreciated.

Summer holiday fun

Sport and Recreation is giving away a kids' camp for two. Simply tell them in 25 words or less why you'd love to win a Sport and Recreation holiday, and like their [Facebook page](#). The competition closes on 13 December, 2013.

Enter the competition: dsr.nsw.gov.au/win

For the love of science

Science is a method of engaging with, and trying to understand, the world. Professor Tim Flannery says if a child is interested in pursuing science, encourage them to develop persistence and humility – the idea that they won't always be right.

Listen to the podcast: [http://](http://www.schoolatoz.nsw.edu.au/homework-and-study/other-subjects-and-projects/science/science-tips/for-the-love-of-science)

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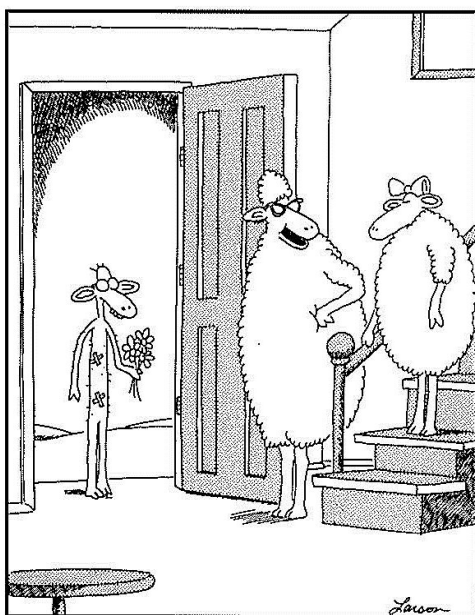
Pleasures of free play

Allowing free time for children to play on their own, making up games and activities, can help kids to be comfortable in their own company, teach them how to cope with boredom and, importantly, foster their imagination.

Under scheduling your child: [http://](http://www.schoolatoz.nsw.edu.au/wellbeing/health/benefits-of-underscheduling-your-child)

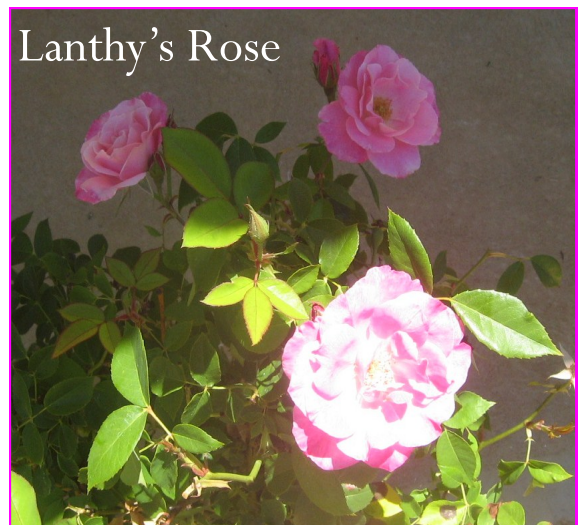
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The Far Side®



"Oh, and here's Luanne now. ... Bobby just got sheared today, Luanne."

Lanthy's Rose



Warm regards Rocky River Students & Staff.

ROCKY RIVER PUBLIC SCHOOL

CHARITY GOLF DAY –Saturday 7th December commencing at 11am.

ADVICE OF TIMES AVAILABLE TO ASSIST.

NAME:.....

• 10.30—11.30 ☐

• 11.30—12.30 ☐

• 12.30—1.30pm ☐

• 1.30pm—2.30pm ☐

• 2.30pm—3.30pm ☐

• 3.30pm—4.30pm ☐

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GOLF DAY

Saturday 7th December @ Uralla Golf Club

11.00am Shot-gun start



3 Person Ambrose

\$30.00 per person inc. steak sandwich

Lots of prizes

Call Uralla Golf Club on 02 6778 4059 to register your team

PLEASE NOTE! We desperately need donations of prizes and of serviettes, sauce, frozen chopped onion or anything that can be used for the BBQ, any assistance you can give no matter how small will be greatly appreciated.

Thank you.