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# “The Rocky Review”

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## PRINCIPALS MESSAGE

Welcome back to another exciting term at Rocky River. We have hit the ground running this week.

Yesterday our teachers participated in professional learning on improving writing

Students began their day today at Healthy Harold Life Education Van.

The Life Education Van runs alongside the Personal Health and Development part of our curriculum. The program consists of 13 curriculum based modules focusing on issues around food and nutrition, personal safety, physical activity, cyber safety, safety with medicine and legal drugs; tobacco, alcohol and caffeine.

Tomorrow we are all heading to Bellevue Oval at UNE to participate in the Armidale Small Schools Cross Country. Students will be leaving the school by bus shortly after 9am to ensure we are ready to walk the course at 10am. Students will return to school by 3pm. If you haven't handed notes or payment in could you please do so by tomorrow morning.

On Friday our stage 3 students will be spending the morning in Tamworth at the Spirit of Anzac exhibition. This is an exciting way to complete our unit from last term looking at the spirit of the Anzacs.

Thank you to all the students who proudly attended the Anzac march in Uralla on Monday. I was very proud as the Relieving Principal of Rocky River to have so many students representing us at the march. Thank you.



This term we will begin celebrating student's achievements with assemblies throughout the term. Students will present an item and receive class and YCDI certificates. Our first assembly will be on Thursday 5 May at 2:30pm to celebrate mother's day. All parents, carers and community members are welcome to attend.

Thank you also to the P&C for purchasing our new banner. It was lovely to see our captains holding it proudly at the Anzac march on Monday. Our next P&C meeting is next Wednesday 4 May at 5:30pm. Please come along and support your child's education.

This term Rocky River will again be focusing heavily on implementing the 'Keys to Success' for You Can Do It. This term we will be focusing on Confidence.

Confidence means knowing that you will be more likely to be successful than to fail at things when you are giving effort. It means not being afraid to make mistakes or try new things.



I would like to congratulate Mrs Temoso on the announcement of her baby news.

Mrs Temoso has announced she is expecting again and will welcome a sibling for Violet in late October. Congratulations to Sam, Ompsy and Violet.

Thank you to the P&C for purchasing our new BBQ. This is a wonderful asset to the school for future functions and fundraising events.



**Cross Country 28 April 2016**

**Kelly's Plains P & C Canteen**

Pies \$4

Sausage Rolls \$3

Salad Wraps \$4

Large Pumpkin Soup \$4

Water \$2

Poppers \$2

Tea/Coffee \$2

Lolly Bags \$1

Biscuits/Slice \$1.50

