Dear Parents and Caregivers

A REMINDER TO PARENTS THAT THE SCHOOL WILL CLOSE FOR THE TERM ON THURSDAY 10TH APRIL. STUDENTS RETURN ON TUESDAY 29TH APRIL

This will be the final newsletter for Term One. We have had a very busy but very successful start to the 2014 school year.
As a way of improving communication to our community we are trialling the “Skool Bag” app. Please see details further into this newsletter, we welcome your feedback after the trial.
Our new web page is almost ready for launching, watch this space for the date it will be open to the community.

Unfortunately some community members continue to ignore my plea for safer driving around the school and to park legally especially at the beginning of the day and also after the final siren. Parents and caregivers continue to park illegally on the verges of school grounds or use the kindergarten car park as a kiss and drive facility.
If we continue to ignore simple courtesy or the road rules a child is going to be injured.
PLEASE do not park illegally, take extra care when driving around the school and make use of the kiss and drive facility that is manned after school every day by an administrator.

Should Parents/Caregivers wish to take their child on holidays during a school term of more than a day or two I request that you make an appointment with me in order to discuss the absences. In most cases a work package will be provided and expected to be completed and handed in on the child’s return to school. This will be discussed at the meeting.
The Education Department has advised principals that vacation absences during school time must be discussed with parents. We do realise and understand that families need to take holidays when working parents can get the time off.

Our school is about to get Waste Wise status, stay tuned for different projects that will be run at school that we need assistance with, apart from the collections that we already run. If you would like to get involved have a chat to Ms Hodgson. The programme will be launched next term.

I wish to invite our community to commemorate ANZAC Day with us on Thursday 10th April at 2pm. There is more information and a request further into this newsletter. We ask that during the assembly that all mobile phones are turned off and please refrain from clapping.

As the holidays are just about here I would ask our community to keep an eye on our school as you go about your day. Should you see anything that is of concern please do not hesitate to contact School Security on 9264 4771 or the police on 131 444.

I would like to thank our community for your support this term. Please have a restful safe holiday and we will see you next term.

Mrs Lesley Meyers
Principal
Congratulations to the following children who received Merit Awards at the assembly on:

- Jaden from Room 1
- Joshua from Room 5
- Zachary from Room 8
- Hayden from Room 8
- Olivia from Room 10
- Ruby from Room 12
- Kirsty from Room 16
- Steve from Room 18
- Eilish from Room 17 for Italian
- Sebredin from Room 8 for Phys Ed
- Aaliyah from Room 10 for Art
- Ben from Room 16 for Music
- Ty from Room 2
- Alaria from Room 7
- Romy from Room 8
- Kaelin from Room 9
- Justine from Room 12
- Corin from Room 15
- Keon from Room 17
- Aimee from Room 18

We would like to say a huge thank you to Prime Trophies in Malaga for supplying the Plaque for our time capsule at no cost.

In conjunction with and support of the Children’s Leukaemia and Cancer Research Foundation and ‘Keep The Flame Alive 2014’, Steph Sexton, a former Shenton College student working in Los Angeles, has written and produced ‘Find a Cure’, a music video in which Hollywood celebrities from film, television, dance and music performed. This video was created to be an uplifting experience for people and their loved ones, especially children, who are facing pain and suffering through some serious illness. It is to honour their struggle and to give them hope in finding a cure. All the backdrop visuals were sent in from around the world in this celebration of hope. Copy and paste the link below into your browser to watch ‘Find a Cure’

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ns4Sxi97DAE

Alinjarra Sports Flash

Early morning Fitness before school has started again on Monday, Tuesday or Thursday. Children who are at school at 8:15am can walk or run laps, with each lap going towards points for their faction. Family members are quite welcome to join in. I’m sure your child would love to see you involved.

Self Defence classes will begin in week 3 of next term for Years 1-6. The cost is $10 to be paid through the classroom teacher. It will be a very practical course and lots of fun for the children.
"Our School is conducting trial our own Skoolbag iPhone App to help us communicate more effectively with our Parent/Student community. We are trialling the iPhone version for 30 days, if we continue with the App after the trial we will then get the Android version in the Google Play Store. We are asking parents/students to install our Skoolbag App. To install it, just look for our school name "Alinjarra Primary School" in the Apple App Store, and install it on your iPhone."

FOR IPHONE AND IPAD USERS:

1. Click the "App Store" icon on your Apple device.
2. Type your school name in the search, using suburb name will help.
3. If iPhone, you will see your school appear, click "Free" then "install".
4. If iPad, change the drop list to "iPhone Apps", your school will then be visible, click "Free" then "install".
5. When installed click "Open"
6. Select "OK" to receive push notifications, when asked.
7. Click the "More" button on the bottom right of the App, then "Setup".
8. Toggle on the Push Categories that are applicable for you.

ANZAC SERVICE

Dear Parents / Caregivers

Our ANZAC Service will this year be held at 2.00 pm on Thursday 10th April in the school’s undercover area. As in previous years, we will include the laying of wreaths and class bouquets as part of our commemoration. If you have flowers available, we would be grateful if your child could bring a small selection to school on Thursday morning April 10 as a contribution to their class bouquet.

ROSEWORTH DENTAL THERAPY CENTRE

The Dental Therapy Centre at Roseworth Primary School will be closed during the April school holidays and will re-open on Tuesday 29th April.

For any dental emergencies please contact Hudson Park Dental Clinic on 9342 4217.
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*Children do not attend* | 29<sup>th</sup> April | 30<sup>th</sup> April | 1<sup>st</sup> May | 2<sup>nd</sup> May |
| 2    | 5<sup>th</sup> May | 6<sup>th</sup> May  
Assembly Rm 12 | 7<sup>th</sup> May | 8<sup>th</sup> May | 9<sup>th</sup> May  
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PP Dental Screening | 17<sup>th</sup> June  
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| 10   | 30<sup>th</sup> June | 1<sup>st</sup> July  
Assembly Rm 16 | 2<sup>nd</sup> July | 3<sup>rd</sup> July | 4<sup>th</sup> July |

*Students commence Term 3 on Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> July 2014*

This Term Planner is provided as a guide for coming school events. However, it is possible that changes/additions may occur. Parents will be notified of any changes.