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Newsletter

Thursday 19th July 2018
Issue 10

Extra-Curricular Activities

Wednesday 25th July- Indonesian Day at Rollins

Thursday 2nd August- 100 Days for PREP students

Meetings

Monday 30th July- Prep Information Evening for 2019 Parents 6-7pm.

Monday 6th August- School Council 5pm

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WELCOME BACK!

It's great to see everyone back at school and ready for another very busy and exciting Term.

We would like to welcome Jordan Tomkin to Rollins. Jordan will be teaching in Prep H for the remainder of this year- I am sure the Preps will have many enjoyable experiences during this time.

RESILIENT MINDSET (Andrew Fuller/John Hendry)

Research has revealed a cluster of factors that together create a "resilient mindset".

The results of this research is that there are key actions to be taken by teachers, parents and students to develop a resilient mindset. The development of this mindset is related to increased engagement in learning, motivation and academic success. It also relates to factors that most predicts success in life and in relationships.

The resilient mindset relates not only to how we see ourselves but also how others view us as we attempt new tasks, make mistakes and learn new skills.

Indicators of a Resilient Mindset

Has a go and persists

Gets stressed but resolves it through support

Sees mistakes as necessary to learning

Doesn't use blame or shame

Energy is not focussed on escaping

Sleeps well

Resilience is strong enough to overcome challenges and upsets-it is present in the absence of social approval

Can make independent decisions and can seek the input of others when useful

Seeks feedback in order to improve

We have purchased a number of copies of a fantastic book called "9 Ways to a Resilient Child". If you are interested in reading this book please contact Freindy to borrow a copy.

2019 PREP PARENT INFORMATION EVENING

We already have a "full House" of Preps for 2019 with a substantial waiting list. We are conducting our Information Evening on Monday 30th July between 6-7pm. We consider this a compulsory element of the enrolment process even if you already have other children currently attending Rollins. Attendance at this night will allow us to confirm all places and give some closure to the parents on our waiting list.

INDONESIAN DAY

The staff and students are looking forward to celebrating Indonesian Day on **Wednesday 25th July**. On this day the students are asked to wear an item of clothing that is red and/or white or traditional Indonesian clothing e.g. a sarong. The students will be participating in various activities to support their understanding of the language and the culture. Parents are invited to attend a whole school assembly starting at 2.45pm. The students are required to bring their own snack and lunch on the day.

NEW LOOK BATESFORD

Over the holidays our Batesford campus received a "make Over". The classrooms have been painted and the room between the two classrooms revamped. Many thanks to the teachers and students who prepared this area before the school holidays. Please make a visit to the rooms and check out our renovations.

THANK YOU & GOOD LUCK

Over the school holiday break Melissa Macorra was successful in obtaining a new teaching position at Armstrong Creek P.S. This is a new school which is expanding extremely quickly. Armstrong Creek were keen to have Melissa start as soon as possible as they have many tasks to get up and running in a very short span of time. This meant that Melissa was only with us for a couple of days at the beginning of this term before commencing her new role. During this time we were unable to announce it formally to parents and students before the appropriate paperwork was formalised.

Over her years at Rollins, Melissa has influenced the development and growth of many students in her care and we thank her for her tremendous contribution to Rollins. We wish her well in her new pursuit and hope she enjoys this new adventure. Good Luck Melissa.

BELL POST KINDERGARTEN

Bell Post Hill Kindergarten is offering two groups of 3year old kinder and a 4year old kindergarten group of 15 hours per week across three days in 2019. Please make contact with the kindergarten re enrolment in these groups. PH: 52783817

Jenny Hassett
Principal

This week is Assembly Week- 2Z Music performance

ROLLINS STAR OF THE WEEK!

For the week ending Friday 20th July 2018

Prep H	Charlie McKenzie	For always listening and following instructions. Also helping Ms Tomkins when she was unsure. Great job!
Prep T	Jordan Ascjak	For his amazing recount writing!! Keep its up Jordan.
1C	Lewis O'Donnell	For his hard work this week in Buddy reading. What a great start to the term.
1W	Zarah Charles	For trying her best with her hand writing. Keep up the great work.
2W	Erika Webster	For a fantastic start to the term and leading by example. Well done!
2Z	Amelia Huybens	For settling really well and being a great member of 2Z.
34C	Stephani Beauchamp -Macumber	For having a fantastic six months at Rollins. You're the best!
34D	Owen McGill	For always coming to school with a smile and making our classroom an enjoyable place.
34H	Keira Blake	For having the confidence to use her student voice.
34L	Ebony Donatucci	For an outstanding start to Term 3. Keep it up Superstar!
34W	Danyon Bennett	For a spectacular start to Term 3! Awesome work Danyon.
56C	Noah James	For starting the term with a very positive attitude.
56J	Shaun Hobbelen	For a wonderful start at Rollins Primary School and settling in so well.
56M	Dean Trajkovski	For a great start to Term 3. Keep up the great work!
ART	Ethan Goodear	For a great job in Art this term.
STEM	Rocco Bianco	Fantastic skills on the computers this week.
Music	Peter Nikolic	For great listening and performing in Music.
Indonesian	Deondre Edwards	For always being ready at the beginning of the Indonesian lesson.

Please Tell Us What You Think!

Rollins Primary is conducting a survey to find out what parents think of our school. The **Parent Opinion Survey** is an annual survey offered by the Department of Education and Training that is conducted amongst a sample of randomly selected parents. It is designed to assist schools in gaining an understanding of parents' perceptions of school climate, student behaviour and student engagement.

Our school will use the survey results to help inform and direct future school planning and improvement strategies.

An electronic link will be sent out, with further information, to those parents selected on **Monday 23rd July**.



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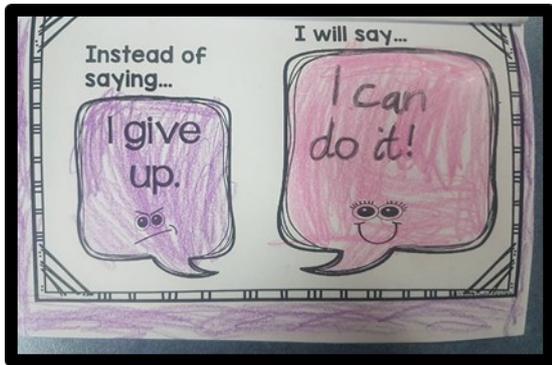


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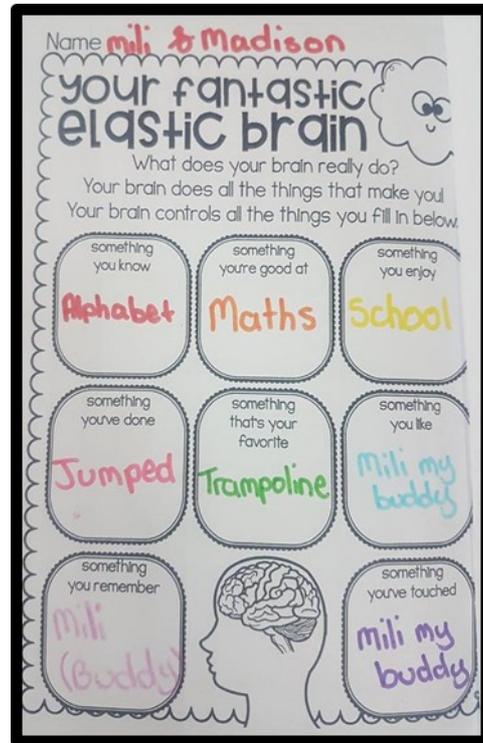
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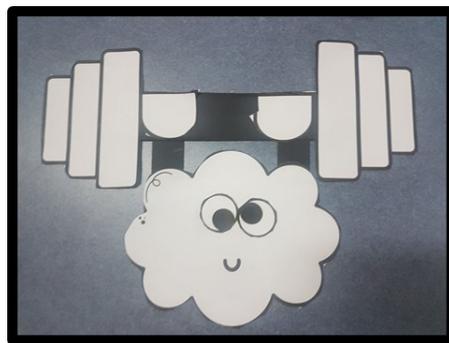
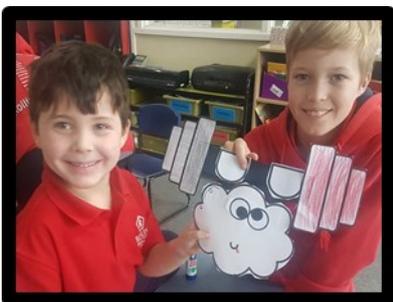
ISSUE 5 has been distributed to students this week. Please return any orders clearly labelled with your child's name and grade and with payment enclosed by **FRIDAY JULY 27TH**.



5/6 M Buddies



We talked about showing
ambition and never giving up!



SCHOOL COUNCIL MEMBERS

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