



Zest



Social
Intelligence



Self-Control



Curiosity



Optimism



Gratitude



Grit

Leadership Report / Weekly Roundup

GRADUATION DINNER

Tonight, we have our Graduation Dinner (photos next week) to celebrate the achievements of our super six students who have successfully completed their schooling at Rainbow P-12 College. The night will provide an opportunity to toast (and ever so lightly roast) our graduates and wish them well for their upcoming adventures in whatever form they take. I, for one, am exceedingly proud of the Year 12 class of 2022!

ROBE CAMP

It was great to see the Robe Camp (Yr 10 & some Yr 11) was such a success. This was a student led and organised camp. The effort that went into the planning and costing of this camp was of a detailed and thorough standard. Celie Fuller & Clarissa Bigham should be congratulated for their drive and determination to ensure that the camp went ahead. Student voice, agency and leadership in action!



MAINTENANCE AROUND THE SCHOOL



Students may have noticed some large fans around the school. They have been set up to reduce the moisture in certain areas (where we have leaks or water features) and limit the growth of mould. We also have had to support a small part of the ceiling in the MPB that has some structural issues. The safety of students and staff will always be our number one priority. These proactive actions are to ensure that

the environment at the College is a safe and healthy one. If you have any questions relating to this please contact the school.

RESPECT FOR PROPERTY, EACH OTHER & OURSELVES

Unfortunately, over the past couple of weeks there have been some incidents at school that have damaged property, have wasted resources or have been potential health and safety issues. The foundation of how we tick at Rainbow is based on respect and trust. It is important that people think before they act and that if they do something silly or unacceptable, they take responsibility for their actions.



Calendar

Term 4

Week 8

Wed 23rd HOL Breakup

Week 9

Mon 28th - Grand Military Tour -
Wed 30th 6/7/8/9 Elective

December

Week 10

Tue 6th - Student Free Day
(Berry Street)
Wed 7th - Rainbow Lake Opening

Week 11

Mon 12th - Presentation Night
Tue 13th - Statewide Transition Day

Week 12

Mon 19th - Last day of school



Upcoming Meetings

School Council - Monday
5th December

Parents and Friends - 8th
December @ 2pm - Webex
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YEAR 10 & 11 EARLY FINISHING TIMES

Students at Year 10 & 11 who have completed all their school work and have paid employment lined up need to collect a Post Compulsory Work Experience/Placement – Term 4 form from Mr Glover or Mrs Petschel. This needs to be signed by all of their teachers to confirm that they have finished their school work. They will also need to produce a letter from their employer outlining their work details and/or the completion of a work experience or work placement form.

BUILDING WORKS – UPDATE #32 2022

The letter is still a work in progress



HEALTH UPDATE ...

COVID is still out in the community. Please be vigilant with ventilation and hand hygiene. The school still has an unbelievably HUGE supply of masks and RAT tests that are available at any time. If your child is ill, showing signs of a cold or of a sore or tender stomach please keep them home. This is for their health as well as the health of their fellow students and the staff at school.



STUDENT VOICE, AGENCY AND LEADERSHIP

UPCOMING EVENTS

JUNIOR SRC MEETING: TBC

SENIOR SRC MEETING: TBC

STUDENT FORUM: 26th Nov



Junior School Council will be selling icy poles for 50 cents on Wednesdays throughout term 4.

HATS

Many children have been using spare hats - **PLEASE** check in with your child about their hat. If they are using a spare, or don't have one, please send their own. If any students need a new hat, these can be purchased at the front office - 3 sizes are available S/M, M/L or L/XL - for \$10.

REMINDER MEDICAL FORMS

Families with children that have allergies or asthma were recently sent home forms to be updated. **Please return these ASAP.**

STUDENT ABSENCES

When your child is absent, PLEASE contact the front office or submit a Compass note. **DO NOT contact Teachers directly.**

RETURNING LIBRARY BOOKS

Could all students who have library books please return them by the end of next week (25th November).

We are cataloguing our books, and want to make sure they are all done before the end of the year. There will be no borrowing for the next 3 weeks, but you will be able to borrow books at the end of term to take home for the holidays.

Thanks, from Miss Wizz and cataloguing superstar Allira Roberts.

Student Achievements

Reading Certificates



Tanner
125 nights



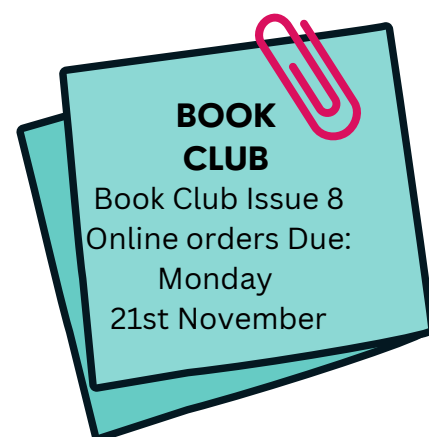
Sophia
Orange words
and
Green words



Eliza



Annika



Amaya



Addison



Giaan



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HAPPENINGS AROUND OUR SCHOOL

3/4 Billabong Ranch Camp

On Wednesday the 9th of November 2022 we headed off on a school trip to Billabong Ranch. I could not wait to get there because I thought it would be so much fun. I was completely right. My room had Pippa, Fliss, Maddi, Honey, Emma, Lane and myself. The first activity we did was camel riding. I went on a camel ride with Miss Newton. We rode Wally. After camel rides we had bungee trampolines. It was fun. These are only some of the things we did on the first day. On Thursday for breaky we had toast, orange juice and cereal. Some things we did that day were commando course, trivia walk, orienteering and bush first aid. We also had free time that day and I did a lot of different activities. I went to the playground with Miss Newton, Maddi, Honey, Lane and myself. For tea we had chicken schnitzels, beans, corn and potatoes with gravy. For dessert we had jelly and ice-cream. For lunch that day we had hot dogs with cheese and sauce. I just had hot dogs though with no cheese and no sauce. After tea there was whip cracking and fire twirling. On Friday some things we did were bouldering, mini golf, archery and packing up. My favourite thing that day was mini golf because I was in a group with Miss Newton and Fliss. Miss Newton won. Bouldering was really hard for me. In archery I won two lollies in one shot. It was so much fun. After lunch we headed home. I really loved my camp at Billabong Ranch because it was so much fun. **By Adalyn**



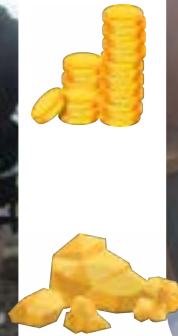
On camp I had fun when I got to know my cabin mates. My cabin mates were Harry, Will, Hugo and I. The first activity was a camel ride. The camel I was on was called Alex or Alice and Callum was on the same camel I was on. We got to feed some of the animals. There were goats, one got out. There was a shop there and I got an ice cream. One the way there and on the way back we saw a playground that was flooded. **By Kolby**



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BALLARAT GRADE 6 CAMP



DAY 1 We got on the bus and were off to Sovereign Hill! After a 5-hour trip we finally arrived. We all were excited to see who would be in our cabins. I was in cabin 2. We all settled in and went to our first activity of the day. Our first activity was writing. We learnt what it was like to use slate boards. Once we finished it was off to lunch. Then we went to our cabins while we waited for the sound and light show to start. At the sound and light show we got given 3D glasses (lucky they fit over my glasses!) and the show started. I tried so hard not to laugh as people grabbed rocks flying at them. The film ended, and we went to the second show on these weird truck – train carriage things. The second show was about the Aborigines and the land they lived on. Finally, we went to the last show. We all thought that it was a basic show on a screen until the screen opened up to reveal a real-life model! The last show ended, and we all went back to our cabins and went to sleep.

DAY 2 We all got up and it was off to the café for breakfast. We all had breakfast and got into our groups. Our group had already made a list, so we got straight to it. Our first activity was going to the lollies shop, I bought a bag of raspberry drops. Next, we climbed a massive tower with a Sovereign flag. We got up the top and took selfie. We got down and went to see lolly making. They made raspberry drops and we all got to try one warm and the other 2000 were sold. Next, we went to the gold pour gift shop, and I got a gold coated coin that said "First School Camp Ever". I got it because I am a coin collector and I think it is a great souvenir. Next, we went gold panning. We panned for a while, and I was giving up when I had one more go and I found GOLD! I could not stop thinking about it. Next, we went on a horse and carriage ride. Then we all had to go to our cabins except our group who went bowling. We finished up and headed to our cabins and went to sleep.



DAY 3 The next day we left for the art gallery where we made pirate pets. We finished up at the art gallery and headed back to Rainbow. I think Sovereign Hill is a great experience to live back in the past.

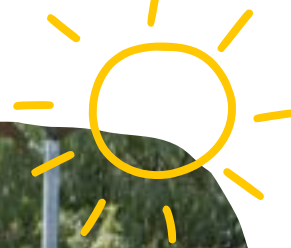
By William Boyle

What's been happening around our School?

MAKING MEMORIES



With the weather improving this week the students have been making the most of their time outside.



Moment of the Week:

Year 11 students Lucy and Mitch playing Go Fish with Grade 1 students Noah, Elsie and Nate



FISHING SINKERS FOR SALE

The fishing elective students still have sinkers for sale - bead, round, teardrop shape and some with swivels are available. If you would like to purchase any please contact Zach, Jasper, Kane, Riley or Mr Cook to arrange a time to buy. They are a lot cheaper than if you had to buy them in a store. The money made will go towards funding of fishing trips to local areas for the group. Special thanks to Alan Edmonds for all of his assistance with the Fishing Elective and making the sinkers at home.



Join our Growing Team!

Warrack Electrical are looking for a new apprentice.

Applications are now open!

We are offering a 4 year apprenticeship with full training and support. Cert III in Electrotechnology Electrician.

Applicants must have a good work ethic, a positive attitude and be able to work well in a team environment. For more information Call 0417567500 or email resumes with 2 references to warrackelec@gmail.com

Work Experience – Warrack Electrical welcome any students wanting to do work experience with us.



**Contact Us
For More Information**

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Rainbow P-12 College PRESENTATION NIGHT

Monday 12th December

At The Rainbow P-12 College
Assembly Hall
6:30pm

Student Work Displays

Doors Will Open At 5:30pm For
The Community To View
The Student's Work

All Welcome



Bullying



Bullying is an ongoing or repeated misuse of power in relationships, with the intention to cause deliberate psychological harm. Bullying behaviours can be verbal, physical or social. It can happen in person or online, via various digital platforms and devices and it can be obvious or hidden. Bullying in any form or for any reason can have immediate, medium and long-term effects on those involved, including bystanders.

Despite the efforts made to reduce bullying behaviours, the research tells us that one in four students still report being bullied every few weeks. However, not all negative behaviour should be considered bullying. The key difference is that bullying does not stop on its own. It's important young people learn how to identify behaviours that are rude, behaviours that are mean, and behaviours that are related to bullying.

Often the reasons for bullying can be complex. Some young people do it to get approval from others, some do it to regain control, whilst others may do it because it makes them feel safe. Supporting young people as they work through their emotions will help them unpack the motivation and reason behind the behaviour.

In this edition of SchoolTV, caregivers can better understand why some young people engage in bullying behaviours and what to do to support a child experiencing it. We hope you take time to reflect on the information offered in this month's edition, and we always welcome your feedback.

If you do have any concerns about the wellbeing of your child, please contact the school for further information or seek medical or professional help.

Here is the link to this month's edition <https://rainbowp12.vic.schooltv.me/newsletter/bullying>



LOST PROPERTY

This beanie and glasses were recently found in Albert Street. If they're yours they can be collected from the front office. We also have a collection of kids jumpers and jackets - please ask your child to check out the lost property!