



# Rappville School Newsletter

Week 3, Term 4

29th October, 2018



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All students did an exceptional effort when presenting their public speaking topics last week. It is a very daunting task to speak in front of an audience. All students should be very proud of their achievements and effort.

**Public Speaking:** One student from Stage 2 and from Stage 3 will represent Rappville Public School at the CLASS small schools Public Speaking Competition to be held at the RSM Club tomorrow, Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> October from 10am-12pm. The small school competition will be judged by Jenny Dowell.

All students in 3-6 are to attend the Small Schools Competition at the RSM club as this will give them all valuable experience in preparation for the following year. Students will travel by private transport (Mrs Collis is able to transport some students but will need the support of parents as well). Permission notes are due for this event. The cost for this event is free for all students.

**Homework Club:** This week there will be Homework Club on Wednesday only this week. Students are reminded to bring their homework and nightly readers with them so that they can continue their learning from where they are up to. Students are expected to return their book-a-nights each week, if they are not returned students will not be given new readers until they are.

**Mosquitos/Midges:** Due to the wet weather and then warmer weather that we have had recently we have now been inundated with mosquitos and midges. If you would like your child/ren to have Aero guard on they can bring their own roll on (aerosol cans are not permitted on school grounds) otherwise the school has purchased some roll on that students can use.

**Names on Jumpers/Hats:** We are noticing that as it is still cool in the morning students are wearing jumpers and then as the day warms up they are taking them off. We try our best to return all jumpers/hat etc to students but it is difficult at times when names are not on tags. Can we please ask that you check your child/ren's clothes and add their name if required.

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## Calendar Dates

### October/ November

Every Thursday	Student Banking Transition
Tuesday 30/10/18	Stage 2 and 3 Public Speaking @Casino No Homework Club
Wednesday 31/10/2018	Homework Club 3-4pm

**Be Safe Be Respectful Be Responsible Be a Role Model**

**October: Democracy-Accepting and promoting the rights, freedoms and responsibilities of being an Australian Citizen.**

**November: Integrity-Being consistently honest and trustworthy.**



### *School Awards*

School awards are awarded to students who display good manners, behaviour and work ethics at school.



**Head Lice/Nit Information:** Please see the attached information in regards to treating head lice/nits. There has been a few cases over the last week.

As infestations are particularly common in Primary Schools, it is best to choose a treatment that can be used over time. There is no single solution to eradication, only persistence.

Regularly check your child's hair.

Teach older children to check their own hair.

Tie back and braid long hair.

Keep a fine tooth head lice comb in the bathroom and encourage all family members to use it when they wash their hair.

## *Play To Learn dates for Term 4-2018.*

**Please note the DRAFT Play to Learn Policy is not being implemented until all Stakeholders have had the opportunity to have input.**

*Week 4: 5th November*

*Week 8: 3rd December*

*Week 9: 10th December*

*Week 10: 17th December*

*Days will run from 9-11am.*

