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P&C Meeting

The first meetings for 2014 were held last week. The AGM was convened first and a financial report for 2013 was tabled along with comments from the Auditor.

All positions were declared vacant and nominations called for. With no other nominations, office bearers were elected to serve another year and the AGM declared closed.

President: Stacey Radecic

Secretary: Wendy Fox

Treasurer: Kristen Germantse

The general meeting then followed. Main items covered included a report on the swimming lessons, information about upcoming activities (including our school camp), fundraising and the issue of transport for school events.

Unfortunately less than 50% of our families were represented at the meeting and without the attendance of staff members, a quorum would not have been achieved. We hope for a better turn out next time. Don't forget, the 2014 annual membership subscription of \$4.00 is now due and can be returned to school in the envelope attached.

Easter Raffle

The annual P&C Easter raffle will be drawn on Easter Saturday, 19th April. In the weeks leading up to Easter, tickets will be sold on Saturdays at the shopping centre.

A roster has been sent home with students already. Please check your time slot and ensure you arrive on time. A small raffle book is attached to this newsletter for students to sell to their family and friends. Please return the raffle books, with sale proceeds, to school as soon as possible.

Donations of eggs and other Easter goodies are also needed – these can be brought into school. Thank you.

Community Golf Day

The charity golf day is being held on Saturday, 22nd March 2014. Each year the P&C assists the Progress Association to hold this event and in return receives a very generous donation. This year, the P&C will be assisting by making sandwiches and parents are asked to donate one hour of their time to come to school to assist (all ingredients are supplied).

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100 Club

Over the holiday season, P&C members have conducted a number of 100 Club prize draws at the Talbingo Country Club, raising \$900.00.

It is anticipated that the draws will take place again during the Easter holiday period and on other occasions when practical. If you would like to help out by selling tickets, please see Stacey.

Diary Dates

Week 8 - Beginning Monday, 17th March	
Saturday	Progress Association Golf Day
Week 9 - Beginning Monday, 24th March	
Monday-Tuesday	Rosewood Athletics Camp
Week 10 - Beginning Monday, 31 st March	
Monday	NSW Teachers Federation – Principal's Conference
Week 11 - Beginning Monday, 7 th April	
Wednesday	Life Education Van
Friday	Last Day of Term 1

Winter Uniform Orders

Don't forget that Uniform orders are **due tomorrow!** This may be the only opportunity to purchase winter uniforms so make sure you get your order in.

If you have lost your order form, or are unable to return payment with your order, please see Mrs Levey or Mrs Germantse immediately so you don't miss out.

Rosewood Athletics

The annual Athletics and Cross Country carnivals will be taking place during the Rosewood Sports Camp on Monday and Tuesday, 24-25th March 2014.

A permission note is attached to this newsletter and must be returned to school by next Wednesday, 19th March.

Please note, this year each family is required to make their own transport arrangements for their child/children to attend.

Students not attending the camp are required to attend school for normal lessons on both days.

National Parks & Wildlife Service – Ride for Kidney Disease

A number of NPWS staff are undertaking a charity motor bike ride to raise money for research into Kidney Disease, and will be visiting our school for a short time on Tuesday, 18th March 2014.

The Student Representative Council will be holding a multi-day and making a donation to this cause. Students are encouraged to come dressed up as a "bikie" or in other suitable casual clothes.

Any community members wishing to come down and look at all the motorbikes and make a donation are welcome to do so. The group is expected to arrive at school at **10.00am.**

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