Dear Parents, Carers and Family Members

On Friday we had our external visitor Ian Hall come and visit Rockville. He was really impressed with our school and could certainly see how we are becoming a ‘great place to learn’. Ian said that as a school we are High Performing and he was really impressed with our Going For Gold strategy and of course by our wonderful friendly students. Within the next few days we should get our final report which I will share with you…..however at this stage I am just really proud of how this school community has grown from strength to strength in the last few years.

NAPLAN

Next week is our NAPLAN testing week for our Years 3, 5 & 7. This is an important week for our students and we have been working really hard over the past few weeks to get your children ready. If your children are worried just reassure them and ask them to try their best. Below is the NAPLAN timetable:

- Tuesday 13th May—Language Conventions (spelling) and Writing
- Wednesday 14th May—Reading
- Thursday 15th May—Numeracy

If your children are away at any point we are able to do a catch up day on Friday.

Friday Shirt

We have been working with our new uniform supplier and have a final match for our colours so our new Friday shirt is off being made...we will keep you posted as to when they arrive.

Upcoming Events:

- Mondays—Homework Club re-starts for Term 2
- Thursday and Friday—Mother’s Day stall...get all your gifts for mum afterschool

Wishing you a great week—Simon & the Rockville Team
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Thank you.

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Sta.onery Packs

- If you still have not paid off your stationary packs, could you please see Rose to discuss a payment plan?

Mothers’ Day Stall

- If you have any donations for the Mothers’ Day Stall please drop them in to the tuckshop on either a Wednesday or Friday.

Quilt Raffle

- Tickets have been handed out. Money and tickets are to be returned by Wednesday, 7 May and drawn Friday, 9 May at parade. $2.00 a ticket

Student Banking

- Every Friday except last week of term. New Ocean prizes this year, only need to make 10 deposits to get a prize.

Tuckshop

- Days are Wednesday and Friday. Orders to be in by 8.45 a.m. Please ensure that if you do not supply paper bags for your child’s lunch they need to be purchased from the tuckshop for $0.05 each. Volunteers to help on these days are more than welcome, so if you are interested in helping out please see Vanessa.

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