



MELROSE PRIMARY SCHOOL

# NEWSLETTER & REMINDERS

MONDAY 31ST MARCH – FRIDAY 4TH APRIL – 2025

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Mon 31st March

Tue 1st April

Wed 2nd April

Thur 3rd April

Friday 4th April

Police Visit - Years 3-6 students - Information session about online safety and bullying  
Year 1/2 Students - Animal Nursery Incursion

Year 3/4 only - Open Classrooms - 3.00-3.20pm - Families welcome to come to their child's classroom, and have a look at their completed Wildlife Guardian Project from their Nature and Nature Discovery Unit of work.

**EASTER RAFFLE DRAWN - Tickets \$1 each**  
**LAST DAY TERM 1 - Students will be dismissed at the earlier time of 2.30pm**



**Last Day of Term:**

This Friday 4<sup>th</sup> April  
**Students finish at 2.30pm**

**Term 2 Starts :**

Staff & students return to school on

**Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> April**

as the Monday is the Easter Monday Public Holiday.

**Country School buses** run early on the last day of term (Friday 4th April) coinciding with the early bell times at Wodonga Government Schools.

## YEAR 1/2 ANIMAL NURSERY INCURSION THIS TUESDAY 1ST APRIL

Students will have the opportunity to watch and pet animals from a visiting animal nursery. The animals will predominantly be farm animals and will be both adult and baby animals.

This will give students an opportunity to see animals at different stages of their life cycle.

### Activity Location

Melrose Primary School, 25 Silva Drive, Wodonga, VIC

### Consent Due

27/03/2025

Cost = \$5

If you do not have CSEF or if you have not transferred over your School Savings Bonus to the school.



## TICKETS IN THE EASTER RAFFLE

On the last day of term -

Students will be able to bring in **\$1 per ticket** to enter the draw - prizes will be drawn on the last day of term (after second break) and prizes will be sent home with the winning students.



## DONATIONS FOR THE EASTER RAFFLE

If you are still wanting to donate items for the raffle prizes, these can be left at the school front office prior to Wednesday this week, thank you



## CANBERRA CAMP & STATE SCHOOL SPECTACULAR - DEPOSITS NOW OVERDUE

Please be reminded that deposits are now overdue for the following camps/events:

- **Canberra Camp** - Year 5/6 students - deposit \$150 was due 26/03/25
- **State School Spectacular** - selected students - \$100 deposit was due Friday 21/03/2025.

If you would like to use your **School Savings Bonus (SSB)** to help pay for either of these events, please contact the school office and we can help you allocate these funds to the school.



**POLICE VISIT - INFORMATION SESSION ABOUT  
ONLINE SAFETY AND BULLYING  
YEARS 3-6 STUDENTS  
THIS TUESDAY 1ST APRIL**

On Tuesday 1st April Leading Senior Constable Dimity Hinch from the Wodonga Proactive Policing Unit who liaises with schools, will talk to our Year 3/4 and 5/6 students about online safety and bullying.

All aspects of student safety are important to us and this is one more way to keep students informed about the appropriate use of technology and cyber safety.



**ANZAC DAY SERVICE**

Join us for the school ANZAC DAY SERVICE on **Thursday April 24th at 9.10am**, taking place at the Anzac Garden at Melrose Primary School. (near the Foundation playground outside A16, A15 & A14. Families welcome to attend.

**ANZAC APPEAL** - We currently have items available for purchase from the front office, prices as follows:

**Badges** - from \$1 up to \$5

**Pens** - \$5

**Wrist Bands** - \$3



Student monitors will be taking these around classes first thing each morning for students to be able to purchase.

**YEAR 6 to YEAR 7 TRANSITION  
TALLANGATTA SECONDARY COLLEGE  
INFORMATION EVENING**



Tallangatta Secondary College

2026 - Year 7

**INFORMATION  
EVENING**

Wednesday  
7th May 6pm



**Big Enough to Deliver,  
Small enough to Care**

School tours available 9.30am every Tuesday during May.  
Please contact the College to make a booking.  
For more information please phone (02) 6071 5000

## 2026 Enrolments - ENROL NOW!!!!

Dear Melrose Families,

We are now taking new enrolments for 2026 across all year levels. If you are a current family of Melrose Primary, that may have a sibling needing to enrol for 2026, or you know of any other families that have a student/s wishing to enrol for 2026, then now is the time to get your enrolment forms into the school office.

Please find attached an enrolment form that you can print out, complete and return to the office, or alternatively the form is fillable - so you can type onto it, and then email it back to us at the school [nicole.harvey@education.vic.gov.au](mailto:nicole.harvey@education.vic.gov.au)

**Your enrolment form will also need to include a copy of your child's birth and Immunisation certificates.**

Should you have any queries with enrolling for 2026, or require a hard copy of the enrolment form sent home, please contact the school office on 60591955 and we will be more than happy to help.

## TERM 2 - IMPORTANT DATES TO NOTE

### WEEK 1

- **Monday 21st April - PUBLIC HOLIDAY - NO SCHOOL**
- **Tuesday 22nd April** - Student return to school for Term 2
- **Tue 22nd - 23rd May** - Smile Squad at Melrose Primary School
- **Thursday 24th April** - ANZAC Service at Melrose PS ANZAC Garden 9.10am
- **Friday 25th April - ANZAC DAY PUBLIC HOLIDAY - NO SCHOOL**

### WEEK 2

- **Mon 28th April** - Friday 2nd May - Swimming Program Years 3/4
- **Friday 2nd May** - VSSS Mass Dance Rehearsal

### WEEK 3

- **Mon 5th - Wed 7th May** - Year 5/6 Canberra Camp
- **Monday 5th May** - School Council Meeting - WFGS Combined session

### WEEK 4

- **Mon 12th - Fri 16th** - Education Week
- **Thursday 15th May** - Melrose Cross Country
- **Friday 16th May** - Year 5/6 Winter Sport afternoon

### WEEK 5

- **Thursday 22nd May** - Boys to the Bush - selected students
- **Thursday 22nd May** - National Simultaneous Storytime
- **Friday 23rd May** - Year 5/6 Winter Sport afternoon

### WEEK 6

- **Thursday 29th May** - Boys to the Bush - selected students
- **Friday 30th May** - Upper Hume Cross Country

### WEEK 7

- **Wednesday 4th June** - STOMP Dance Company at Melrose PS
- **Thursday 5th June** - STOMP Dance Company and Boys to the Bush
- **Friday 6th June** - Year 5/6 Winter Sport Afternoon

### WEEK 8

- **Monday 9th June - KINGS BIRTHDAY PUBLIC HOLIDAY - NO SCHOOL**
- **Thursday 12th June** - Boys to the Bush - selected students
- **Friday 13th June** - Regional Cross Country, Winter Sport afternoon & VSSS Mass Dance Rehearsal

### WEEK 9

- **Monday 16th June** - School Council Meeting
- **Thursday 19th June** - Boys to the Bush - selected students
- **Friday 20th June** - Year 5/6 Winter Sport afternoon

### WEEK 10

- **Thu 26th & Fri 27th June** - Reporting to parents - Student LED Conferences by booking appointment

### WEEK 11

- **FRIDAY 4TH JULY - LAST DAY OF TERM 2 - 2.30PM FINISH**

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