



# INFORM

## Romsey Primary School Newsletter

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Romsey Primary School is an inclusive and empowering learning community which fosters confident, creative, caring, curious and collaborative learners who "dare to be excellent".

## UPCOMING Events

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

### AUGUST

**Tuesday 19th**  
Year 5 & 5 Girls  
Netball—Region  
Swan Hill

**Thursday 21st**  
August Meal Deal Day  
Lunch orders are not available  
Over the counter sales only

**Friday 22nd**  
Book Character Costume Parade  
9.10am—Multipurpose Building

**Wednesday 27th—Friday 29th**  
Year 3 & 4 Camp  
Anglesea Discovery Camp

**Wednesday 27th**  
Yr 5 & 6 Girls Puberty  
Information Night

### SEPTEMBER

**Monday 1st**  
Year 1 & 2 Swim Program Begins

**Wednesday 3rd**  
Healthy Harold Incursion—Prep

Yr 5 & 6 Boys Puberty  
Information Night

**Thursday 4th**  
Fathers Day Stall

**Monday 8th**  
Foundation Swim Program Begins

## Congratulations to all of our recent Toot Toot award recipients !



Our School Values Are: *Respect Integrity Responsibility*



I respectfully acknowledge the Traditional Owners of Country throughout Victoria and pay respect to the ongoing living cultures of First Peoples.





Another fortnight of exciting learning and events has flown by! With the weather gradually improving, students have been making the most of the sunshine during their recess and lunch breaks.

You may have noticed a recent ***positive behaviour notification*** emails sent via Compass for your child. This is part of our ongoing commitment to fostering a strong, supportive school culture through our School Wide Positive Behaviour framework.

These notifications are designed to complement our existing ***Toot Toot*** and ***Deadly Awards***, which continue to be celebrated during school assemblies. We encourage you to share in these moments with your child, recognising and celebrating their achievements together.


### **Important Dates & Upcoming Events**

#### **Over the next fortnight:**

- **Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> August – Girls netball Swan Hill**
- **Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> August – offsite evacuation drill 10:20am**
- **Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> August – Whole school science incursion**
- **Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> August – Meal Deal Day**
- **Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> – Book week parade 9.20am in the MPB**
- **Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> – Friday 29<sup>th</sup> – Year  $\frac{3}{4}$  camp**

### **2026 Prep Enrolments**

It has been a pleasure meeting prospective families through our tours and information sessions, and sharing what makes Romsey Primary so special. We held our final information session on Monday 4<sup>th</sup> August and had a wonderful turn out. If you or someone you know is considering enrolling for **2026**, please collect an enrolment pack from the front office.

 **Individual Tours:** Available by appointment via the office

We encourage families to submit enrolment paperwork by the end of Term 3 so that important transition details for Term 4 can be shared.





## NEW SECOND HAND UNIFORM PROCESS

Dear Families,

From Term 3, the below process will now be followed for those wanting to purchase second hand uniform items:-

Order forms will be available from the office, on the Facebook page and Compass for parents to complete. Along with the most recent stock list for families to view.

Stock lists will be updated regularly, however please be patient with our volunteers while we implement this.

Complete the order form and return to the office or scan the order form and email it back to [Romsey.ps@education.vic.gov.au](mailto:Romsey.ps@education.vic.gov.au)

Orders will be ready for collection from the office and filled based on stock levels.

Filled/completed orders will then be returned to the office, where office staff will contact families to advise that their order is available to be collected. Families will also be informed of the total cost of the order at this time.

Payment is to then be made to the school, preferably by the Qkr app, however families can also pay by cash at the office.

**Payment must be made on pick up and not before order is confirmed by the school.**

*Just a friendly reminder, our second hand uniform sales are coordinated by parent volunteers, who have families, work and other commitments outside of school hours therefore we ask that you are patient and understanding as we roll this new process out.*

*We ask that if you have any queries or concerns, that you contact the office directly, rather than contacting our volunteers. Volunteers will no longer be replying to messages.*

Thank you for your continued support,

Jess & Nerrida



## Second Hand Uniform Order Form

Please complete the order form below and return to the office for picking and processing. Office staff will notify you once your order is ready for collection.

*Payment is to be made once order is confirmed and ready for collection. Please do not pay on Qkr prior to order confirmation.*

<u>Item</u>	<u>Price</u>	<u>Colour (if applicable)</u>	<u>Size</u>	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Comments/Notes</u>
Tracksuit pants	\$3					
Hats	\$3					
Book satchels	\$3					
Drill Pants	\$4					
Skorts & Shorts	\$4					
Summer Dresses	\$4					
Polo Shirts (long & short sleeved)	\$5					
Bomber jackets	\$5					
Vest	\$5					
Jumpers	\$5					
Spray Jackets	\$10					
School Bags	\$10					
Winter Tunic	\$10					
Shoes - <i>details required</i>	\$4-\$6					
Miscellaneous - <i>prices as marked</i>	\$2					
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<b>TOTAL</b>						

*Please use the spreadsheet to select from miscellaneous and bargain bin items*

*Please note that all items are subject to availability and will be distributed on a first in, first serve basis.*

### Office Use Only

Entered by

Date

Time

\_\_\_\_\_



## Romsey Primary School Canteen Menu – Term 3, 2025

**ORDERING IS AVAILABLE ONLINE @ Qkr**  
Canteen operates Monday to Friday.



Product Availability Please refer to Qkr for the latest ingredient selection & stock availability. Menu items & price increases are subject to change at anytime.

### LUNCH MENU

#### COLD FOOD

Boiled Eggs	\$1.00
Salad Box GF	\$6.50
Wrap (Mini)	\$4.00
Wrap Large	\$6.50
Salad with your choice of lettuce, tomato, cucumber, carrot, beetroot, cheese	
Add on Mayo, Relish, Ranch	
Virginian Ham	+\$1.40
Tuna	+\$1.90
Chicken	+\$1.90
Eggs	+\$1.50

#### SNACK HOT FOOD

Mini Vegetable Spring Roll	.80c
Tempura Chicken Nugget	\$1.00
Hash Brown	\$1.30
Sausage Roll (mini)	\$1.30
Party Pies	\$1.30
Steamed Dim Sim	\$1.30
Corn on the Cob (serve of 2) GF	\$3.50
Chicken Tenders	\$2.30
Jumbo Vegetable Spring Roll	\$3.70

#### HOT FOOD

Hot Soup refer to Qkr for selection	\$4.80-\$6.50
Croissants/ Toasty	\$4.00-\$5.80
Popcorn Chicken /Fish Bites & Wedges	\$6.00
Cannelloni	\$6.80
Butter Chicken & Rice	\$9.50
Bolognese w' Pasta	\$6-20-\$7.90

Chicken Schnitzel or Angus Burger	\$8.50-\$10
Lasagna (Beef & Vegetarian)	\$9.50-\$10.50
Lamb Kebab	\$8.80

More Hot Food options will be available please refer to Qkr app

#### SAUCE

Tomato Sauce	.50c
Soy Sauce	.60c

#### SNACKS

Popcorn	.70c
Pringles	\$1.40
Red Rock Deli (Sea Salt or Honey Soy)	\$1.60
Grain Waves	\$1.80

\* Baked Goods are also available daily via Qkr or over the counter at recess or Lunch until sold out (scones, Anzac biscuits, brownies, cake ext.)

#### DRINK

Water 300ml	.80c
Juice Box	\$2.60
Glee Juice	\$3.20
Milo	\$2.50
Milkshake	\$3.50

#### FROZEN

Queches icy poles (99% fruit juice)	.70c
Zooper Dooper (Sugar Free)	.70c
Bulla Mini Yoghurt	.60c
Mini Choc Bar	.60c
Fruit Popsicle (No added Sugar)	\$1.00
Twin Pole	\$1.50
Waffle Cone	\$2.00-\$3.00

#### Please note:

\***GREEN** - (healthiest choice) low in saturated fat/sugar /salt. Low in energy (kilojoules)

\***AMBER**- (Sometimes consumed) contains some nutritional value although contains saturated fat/added sugar / salt, also provides to much energy( kilojoules)

\***RED**- (Rarely Consumed) contains high energy, saturated fat/sugar /salt, low in important nutrients .

\***GF**- Gluten Free

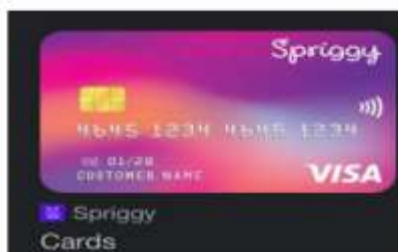
**IF YOUR CHILD HAS ALLERGIES OR ANAPHYLAXIS PLEASE FEEL FREE TO CONTACT THE CANTEN TO DISCUSS FOOD OPTIONS AVAILABLE**

**\*\*Lunch order bags/ tabs must be brought to the canteen by the student when they are collecting soup, hot chocolate, milk shakes and frozen items.**

**Absent Child with a lunch order via QKR app.**

**Please email or contact the office before 10:00am to notify us so your child's order is not wasted and can therefore be provided when your child returns to school.**

Over counter sales are sold via Cash or a minimum spend of \$1 on a Spriggy or Eftpos card





## Canteen Help Required

Dear Parents/ Caregivers,

If you can help as a volunteer in the canteen, please complete the slip below and return it to the school office or contact Trish (Canteen Manager) on 5429 5099.

Please note that pre-school children cannot attend while you are helping in the canteen due to OHS regulations.

You will need to have a current Working With Children card and RPS Induction survey completed upon entry to volunteer at school.

[www.workingwithchildren.vic.gov.au](http://www.workingwithchildren.vic.gov.au) (Its free to apply).

Help is required for a maximum of 1.5 hrs between 12:15pm - 1:45pm & you can even nominate the date below.

Without your help the canteen can not run effectively.

Your children and I look forward to having you in the Canteen in Term 3, 2025.

Kind Regards

*Trish Castle*

Canteen Manager

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### Canteen Help

Name: .....

Phone number.....

Please circle dates you prefer

#### August

Friday 1st

Friday 8th

Friday 15th

Thursday 21st

Meal Deal Day

Friday 29th

#### September

Friday 5th

Friday 12th

Thursday 18th

Meal Deal Day

**TERM 3- August 2025**



# Meal Deal



**When: Thursday the 21<sup>st</sup> of August 2025**

**Cost: \$7.60 - \$9.80**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Class \_\_\_\_\_

Hot Food – Please select one of the following		
2x Jumbo Potato Cakes <input type="checkbox"/>	Tomato Sauce <input type="checkbox"/>	\$7.60
1x Jumbo Vegetable Spring Roll <input type="checkbox"/>	Soy sauce <input type="checkbox"/>	\$7.60
3x Fried Dim Sim <input type="checkbox"/>	Soy sauce <input type="checkbox"/>	\$7.80
1x Hot Dog <input type="checkbox"/>	Tomato Sauce <input type="checkbox"/>	\$9.80
1x King Size Sausage Roll <input type="checkbox"/>	Tomato Sauce <input type="checkbox"/>	\$9.80
Drink included– Please select one of the following		
Chocolate Milk <input type="checkbox"/> Strawberry Milk <input type="checkbox"/>		
Apple & Raspberry <input type="checkbox"/> Tropical <input type="checkbox"/> Apple and Blackcurrant <input type="checkbox"/>		
Water 350ml <input type="checkbox"/>		
Snack included– Please select one of the following		
2x Choc Chip Biscuits <input type="checkbox"/> 1x Cinnamon Donut <input type="checkbox"/> Smith Salt & Vinegar <input type="checkbox"/> Popcorn <input type="checkbox"/>		



Available to order Via QKr App or at the Office by Friday 15<sup>th</sup> of August 2025

OVER COUNTER ITEMS ARE STILL AVAILABLE TO PURCHASE AT RECESS AND LUNCH

Normal Canteen menu is NOT available on this day

# Important INFORMATION

## Contacting The Office

Please be advised that during extremely busy times, the office phone may ring out and divert to our message bank service.

We kindly ask that if this happens, please leave a message and we will return your call as soon as possible.

Please refrain from calling the office again straight away as messages are usually responded to promptly.

We thank you for your patience.

## Canteen



**Please remember orders for the canteen automatically cut off on Qkr at 9:00am sharp each day so please ensure you place your orders early to avoid disappointment.**

If you have placed a lunch order via the QKR app and then your child is absent on that day, please contact the office **before 10:00am** to notify us so we can provide your child's lunch order when they return to school. After this time food is thawed and preparation begins therefore a credit or refund will not be given.

## RPS Late Arrivals & Early Departures Procedure

Please remember that if your child is late to school they must present to the office before heading to class to obtain a late pass. This eliminates absence notifications being sent to parents causing unnecessary worry.

If you need to collect your child early from school, please present to the front office to obtain an 'Early Departure' slip from the school Compass Kiosk iPad **before heading to your child's classroom**. Office staff will happily assist with this if needed.

**In an emergency you may phone the school to arrange for your child to be brought to the office for collection otherwise all parents/guardians are required to collect their child from their classroom to minimise announcements and interruptions to other classes.**

If you need to pick up your child for an appointment, we kindly ask that you arrive 5-10 minutes earlier to allow time to collect your child from their classroom.

For safety reasons, can we please remind families that only people listed as emergency contacts are able to collect your child. If you would like someone to collect your child on your behalf and they are not listed as an emergency contact, you must notify the school accordingly either by phone or email.

If you are not sure who you have listed as emergency contacts for your child, please enquire at the office. A maximum of 4 people can be listed for each family.

If you know in advance that you will not be able to arrive on time it is important for alternate arrangements to be made or to contact the Out of School Hours Program to see if there are any available spaces. This will ensure that your child is suitably supervised. (The Kidzone Out of School Hours Program number is 0481 212 047)

Just a reminder that assembly is held every Monday afternoon at 3pm, therefore if you need to pick up your child early on a Monday, we strongly recommend you arrive before 3pm.

We thank everyone for their cooperation and understanding.

# *Important* **INFORMATION**

## **Missed Calls From The Office**

Can we kindly ask that if you receive a missed call from the school that you please check your messages before calling the office.

Often times teachers will make phone calls to parents and not always inform office staff, therefore it is difficult to best direct your call.

We also phone families as well as messaging whenever a student is sent to the sick bay with a head bump. These calls will usually be just a courtesy call and may not require a call back, therefore it is important to check your messages first.

## **Labelling Personal Items & Lost Property**

Can we please remind families to label all items of clothing, hats, lunchboxes, containers and drink bottles so we can return them to students.

We have already accumulated quite a lot of **unnamed lost property** which will unfortunately be donated or disposed of if not claimed.



Lost property tubs are located in the office, gym foyer and all classroom atrium areas. If your child's lost property isn't in their classroom atrium tub it could be in any of the other tubs.

## **Unwell Students**

Please remember that if your child is displaying any virus or gastro like symptoms and/or is saying they are feeling unwell please keep your child home until they are symptom free.

If your child is sent to the sick bay feeling unwell or showing virus like symptoms, parents will be called to collect their children as soon as possible.

If any students develop symptoms at home we ask that parents keep their children home until they are symptom free.

The quickest and easiest way to notify the school of your child's absence is via the Compass app. You can also enter absences in advance using Compass.

Only listed emergency contacts will be able to collect your child if you are unavailable unless written consent is provided. Please ensure your emergency contacts are up to date.



**Romsey Primary  
School**

# ENROLMENTS NOW OPEN

Now accepting enrolments for 2026!

*School tours by appointment only*

**Foundation Orientation Program Dates**

- Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> November 9:15am - 10:15am
- Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> November 9:15am - 10:15am
- Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> December 9:15am - 10:15am
- Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> December 9:15am - 10:30am



Chat with us today!  
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# SPORT REPORT

## COBAW BASKETBALL

On Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> of August, we had 3 teams compete in the COBAW basketball competition held in Sunbury. Our 2 girls teams played some very competitive matches and had some success throughout the day. They had the opportunity to play against each other which was a lot of fun for the girls to play and also for the supporters to watch. The boys team had a very good day, winning 8 out of their 9 matches. They went down to the eventual champions by 5 points, and finished 2<sup>nd</sup> overall. This gives the team the chance to move onto the Division round in Castlemaine on October 17<sup>th</sup>.

Thanks to all the staff and parent support on this day, as the convenor of the competition your help made the day run smoothly and with success.



## UPCOMING SPORT

COBAW Athletics 15<sup>th</sup> August at Bendigo Athletics Track

Region Netball 19<sup>th</sup> August in Swan Hill

5/6 Girls Football match 12<sup>th</sup> September versus Gisborne PS at RPS

Jarrold Milsom  
Sport Coordinator





***HAPPY BIRTHDAY*** to everyone who has celebrated their birthday from 21st July to 15th August.

Mackenzie S	Luke VB	Ava SB	Max SB	Spencer N
Sonny H	Jax K	Britney S	Casey B	Charlie C
Veer G	Harry E	Asher G	Ruby D	Nate C
Luka C	Aiden S	Ruby B	Cooper S	Charlotte S

### Reading Nights Awards—CONGRATULATIONS!!

25 Nights	50 Nights	75 Nights	100 Nights	125 Nights	150 Nights
	<div> </div> Jimmy D Noah W		Frankie D Mia B Hudson F Harper B	Henry A Arlo B	Ayla A Les M Bailey C
175 Nights	200 Nights	225 Nights			

## Weekly Toot Toot Awards

Awarded 8th August —Week 3 Term 3  
To Be Presented Monday 18th August 2025

- Prep C** **Koa MW** for always putting in 100% effort into your writing and making amazing growth with your spelling and punctuation. Keep it up superstar!
- Prep M** **Holly K** for her positive attitude towards her learning and always trying her very best. Great work Holly!
- Prep S** **Oliver P** for making positive choices in the classroom. Well done!  
**Bonnie E** for always being kind to others and having a go! Amazing effort!
- 1/2K** **Sonny H** for always being the first person to help another class member pack up. Well done.
- 1/2G** **Astrid J** for showing resilience and having a 'No Drama Llama Attitude' when coming to school each morning. Well Done Astrid!
- 1/2M** **Charlie P** for his exceptional display of paleontological insight and his generosity in sharing that knowledge. Charlie you're an Expert Explainer!
- 1/2P** **Henry A** for the extra effort you are putting into the presentation of your work. It's great to see you monitoring your own work for quality and rewriting when required. Awesome, Henry!
- 3/4A** **Charlotte S** for her resilience and ability to 'bounce back' in the launch explore session this week! Well done!
- 3/4H** **Alyce B** for her courage and confidence to share her wonderful results in Irish dancing with the school at assembly.
- 3/4M** **Olivia R** for being brave and challenging herself during reading. Well done!
- 3/4S** **Ava S** for dedication to her learning by improving her work from feedback.
- 5/6H** **Peter Z** for working collaboratively with a partner on displaying equivalent fractions on a number line and sharing his work.
- 5/6K** **Peter Z** for working collaboratively with a partner on displaying equivalent fractions on a number line and sharing his work.
- 5/6M** **Spencer N** for his fantastic work so far crafting a scary story about creepy dolls. Well done Spencer!
- 5/6P** **Lain H-P** for demonstrating student agency in class by completing activities to a high standard and independently catching up on her learning after being away. Well done Lain!
- Art** **Ari J Prep S** for sharing his observations about Yayoi Kusama's artworks and putting effort into his work. Well done!  
**Britney S 5/6K** for putting effort into finishing her sculpture in a creative way and showing pride in her work. Well done!
- PE** **Emilia B PrepS** for always giving 100 per cent effort to all activities that she participates in class  
**Addilyn M PrepS** for having the confidence to answer questions and demonstrate skills to the class
- STEAM** **Matilda P 3/4S** for demonstrating persistence when conducting experiments about force and confidently sharing your results.  
**Nathan Z 1/2M** for your active participation in STEAM experiments and being creative in exploring pushing and pulling.  
**Jasmine R 5/6H** for your enthusiasm in conducting experiments about electrical circuits. It was great to see you so engaged Jasmine.
- Intercultural Studies** **Jaxson B 1/2G** for the amazing effort he put into creating his London Double Decker Bus picture.  
**Chase R 5/6K** for the great start he made on creating his personal Coat of Arms.

## Weekly Toot Toot Awards

Awarded 15th August—Week 4 Term 3  
To Be Presented Monday 18th August

<b>Prep C</b>	<b>Rylee P</b> for always demonstrating the school values, giving your best effort to all your learning and always having a beautiful smile on your face. Keep it up superstar!
<b>Prep M</b>	<b>Arlo B</b> for challenging yourself when sounding out and writing words during reading and writing. Fantastic effort Arlo!
<b>Prep S</b>	<b>Colton D</b> for always being ready to learn and using fantastic listening skills! Well done! <b>Addilyn M</b> for being a fantastic positive role model in our classroom! Well done!
<b>1/2K</b>	<b>Stewart B</b> for his amazing work ethic in all subjects, specifically literacy showing some incredible vocabulary in his narrative. Well done!
<b>1/2G</b>	<b>Leo B</b> for using team work skills with his partner to create a wonderful illustration based on the book 'Chooks in Dinner Suits'. <b>Hudson B</b> for using team work skills with his partner to create a wonderful illustration based on the book 'Chooks in Dinner Suits'.
<b>1/2M</b>	<b>Isla H</b> for demonstrating exceptional storytelling skills by crafting a compelling narrative with a beginning, a problem in the middle, and a solution at the end!
<b>1/2P</b>	<b>Reuben K</b> for the wonderful words you are using in your story. Words like 'humongous' and 'ginormous' are amazing. Top effort, Reuben!
<b>3/4A</b>	<b>Archer W</b> for his responsibility and sense of community in the way he has taken on his classroom job of ensuring the atrium is clean and tidy at the end of each day. Well done!
<b>3/4H</b>	<b>Matilda N</b> for showing she is always thinking about skills she has learnt and identifying an alliteration in a book she was reading even though this wasn't the focus. Excellent work Matilda!
<b>3/4M</b>	<b>Ruby B</b> for following class expectations and always completing her work to a high standard. Well done!
<b>3/4S</b>	<b>Ruby D</b> for showing bravery and challenging herself to complete a less familiar task.
<b>5/6H</b>	<b>Sasha M</b> for showing kindness and support by helping the Prep students make their Shape Monsters. <b>Casey K</b> for showing kindness and great excitement in helping his Prep buddy make his Shape Monster.
<b>5/6K</b>	<b>Rafael M</b> for working hard to build your writing stamina and remembering to reread your work. Top effort Raf.
<b>5/6M</b>	<b>Lyla S</b> for her challenging herself and showing resilience in maths. Well done Lyla.
<b>5/6P</b>	<b>Luke V.B</b> for demonstrating responsibility for his own learning, removing himself from distracting situations. Great work Luke!
<b>Art</b>	<b>Nathan Z 1/2M</b> for bouncing back and showing effort in his work in Art. Well done! <b>Prep M</b> for listening carefully and following instructions well when using paint in the Art room. Well done!
<b>PE</b>	<b>Matilda P 3/4S</b> for showing great teamwork and respect for her classmates whilst participating in all activities. <b>Marlee F 3/4H</b> for taking on advice to help improve her skills and understanding of gameplay in Net/Court games.
<b>STEAM</b>	<b>Leo B 1/2G</b> for always being ready to learn in STEAM. You have such a positive attitude towards your learning. <b>Maddie T 1/2M</b> for consistently demonstrating responsibility with your learning, showing great listening skills and challenging yourself with your STEAM learning. <b>Summer S 5/6K</b> for being willing to try new ideas when creating an electrical circuit.
<b>Intercultural Studies</b>	<b>Max B Prep C</b> for the fantastic effort he put into creating a Loch Ness Monster. <b>Hudson N 3/4A</b> for the amazing work he did both at school and at home to design his own castle.



## Deadly Award Recipients Week 3 - Term 3

*'Deadly Awards' are given to one student from each year level based on our school values.*

*This week the Deadly Award is for -*

***I keep hands, feet and objects to myself'***

**Prep      Archie B**

**Year 1     Astrid J**

**Year 2     Alexander R**

**Year 3     Sabrina TR**

**Year 4     Hunter B**

**Year 5     Levi S**

**Year 6     Sophie F**

**Term 3—Week 1 Award Recipients**





## **Deadly Award** **Recipients Week 4 - Term 3**

*'Deadly Awards' are given to one student from each year level  
based on our school values.*

*This week the Deadly Award is for -*

***'I walk in two quiet lines with my class'***

**Prep      Marley B**

**Year 1      Kudrat G**

**Year 2      Emily S**

**Year 3      Oaklen R**

**Year 4      Ruby P**

**Year 5      Vanessa A**

**Year 6      Ava D**

**Term 3—Week 2 Award Recipients**





## HOW YOU CAN COMMUNICATE WITH SCHOOL

# COMMUNICATION

**EMAIL** - you may email the school inbox on [romsey.ps@education.vic.gov.au](mailto:romsey.ps@education.vic.gov.au). This inbox is checked on a daily basis between 9am-4pm. Please allow a 48 hour response time. Please email this address if you wish to contact the classroom teacher.



**PHONE** - call the school office on 5429 5099. Teachers are unable to leave class to take phone calls during lesson time but will call back as soon as practicable.



**COMPASS** - you may communicate student absence reasons via the Compass app. If your child attends sickbay this will also be communicated via email through the app.



**FACE TO FACE** - You may quickly catch up with the classroom teacher in the morning between 8.45-9am or after school. Please be mindful that this is an informal quick chat opportunity.



**NOTE/DIARY** - you may write in your child's diary or a note to the teacher. Please ask your child to let their teacher know if there is a note/message for them.



**Facebook** - we have a school facebook page that is used for reminders and to share celebrations. This is not one of our communication tools that is monitored to answer questions.



Twilight Market  
2025

10TH  
OCT  
5 TILL  
8PM

## MARKET STALLS

## FOOD TRUCKS

**SHOW  
'N' SHINE**

## RAFFLE

**MUSIC**

ENTERTAINMENT

**SILENT AUCTION**

## AND MUCH MORE

KHS ADDRESS: 7/9 EPPING ST

# WALK OR RIDE TO SCHOOL



## Why walk or ride?

Physical activity is good for kids' physical and mental health

Kids that are active are more likely to continue healthy behaviours later in life

Kids who walk or ride to school have been found to be more attentive and focused in class

Kids who walk to school will have a greater connection with their community

## Remember

### Plan ahead

Plan with your parents or guardians so everyone knows which paths you will take, and who you will walk or ride with

### Safety first

Take care when crossing roads. Always follow the road rules. Plan for hot, cold, or wet days. Wear a helmet when riding

### Part way is OK

If you can't walk all the way, why not park the car a few blocks from school and walk, ride or scoot the rest of the way?

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Kindergarten Tours

## Drop-in sessions

Come and see our  
kindergarten services

No bookings required.  
To find out more scan the QR coder or visit:  
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tours available in  
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**Macedon Ranges**  
Shire Council



**your say**

Help us plan for our furry friends

Have your say on Council's:

- Draft Domestic Animal Management Plan 2026-2029
- Dog off leash and prohibited areas

Tell us what you think until 31 August 2025

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Macedon Ranges Shire Council

# KIDS CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Kyneton Daffodil & Arts Festival

WHAT?	WHEN?	WHERE?	TIX?
SCARECROW MAKING WORKSHOP	30 <sup>th</sup> & 31 <sup>st</sup> AUGUST 10:30-2:30PM	THE OLD AUCTION HOUSE	\$10
BLACK HILL RESERVE WALK	SEPT 6TH 10AM-12PM	BLACK HILL	FREE- BOOKINGS ONLINE
FERRET RACING	6TH SEPT 11AM-3PM	MECHANICS INSTITUTE	FREE
ROLLER SKATING SESSIONS	12 <sup>th</sup> SEPT 5:30PM	WATTS PAVILION	\$10- SCAN QR CODE
DOG DASH	SEPT 8TH 2PM-4PM	KYNETON VELEDROME	FREE
SCARECROW TRAIL	5 <sup>th</sup> SEPT- 15 <sup>th</sup> SEPT	AROUND TOWN	FREE
KYNETON FARMERS MARKETS	SEPT 13TH- 8:00AM-1PM	ST PAULS PARK, PIPER STREET	FREE
OUR DEVONSHIRE TEA AND CAKE STALL	6TH SEPT 10:30-3:30	ST MARYS HALL HUTTON STREET	FREE
GRAND PARADE	SEPT 14TH- 12:00PM-4:00PM	MOLLISON STREET	FREE

[WWW.KYNETONDAFFODILANDARTSFESTIVAL.COM.AU](http://WWW.KYNETONDAFFODILANDARTSFESTIVAL.COM.AU)

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Kyneton on riverside One of a kind

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## GISBORNE 2025

**MONDAY**

**4PM-5PM**

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Romsey Tennis Club



**ROMSEY TENNIS CLUB**

EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST - JUNIOR SUMMER SEASON

Our Club is now taking 'Expressions of Interest' for the **Summer 2025/26 Season**. If your child is interested in playing tennis, this might be an option for them? Let us know by **August 24**.

If competition is a step too far, why not try lessons by contacting Scott at Macedon Ranges Tennis Coaching



## NOW TAKING ENROLMENTS

### OFFERING:

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- High Performance Squad
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**M: 0414 493 948  
Scott Vaughan, Head Coach**

**E: [mrtc.scott@gmail.com](mailto:mrtc.scott@gmail.com)**

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**Call:** 03 9744 9252





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We're calling on **YOU** to have your say!

### What is the Active Living Census?

The ALC is a community survey that asks about:

- ✓ Physical activity participation
- ✓ Fruit and vegetable consumption
- ✓ Barriers to being healthy and active

### Why does your voice matter?

Your input will help guide decisions about programs, recreation spaces, and services in your community. Whether you're active or not, it's your chance to shape the health and wellbeing of your community – and it only takes 15-20 minutes.

### Participate, don't wait!

- ✓ Quick and confidential
- ✓ WIN your share of \$10,000 in prizes!
- ✓ Open to everyone! No matter your health or activity level, we want to hear from you

*Help shape a healthier tomorrow,  
one answer at a time!*



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Our Aussie Hoops program teaches basketball skills through activities and fun games in an inclusive environment for children aged 5-8 years old.

Where: Romsey Recreation Centre, Romsey

When: Saturday morning 9:00am - 10:00am



For more information, please contact Nikki:  
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