

Term 1 Week 2 - 2024

TERM 1 2024 IMPORTANT DATES	
WEEK 1 JAN 29 – FEB 2 MONDAY TUESDAY WEDNESDAY THURSDAY FRIDAY	TEACHERS RETURN – PUPIL FREE DAY GETTING TO KNOW YOU INTERVIEWS – P-6 (Bookings via Compass) GETTING TO KNOW YOU INTERVIEWS – P-6 (Bookings via Compass) HALF PREP COMMENCE and GRADE 1-6 RETURN TO SCHOOL HALF PREP COMMENCE
WEEK 2 FEB 5 – FEB 9 MONDAY WEDNESDAY FRIDAY	ALL STUDENTS P-6 RETURN TO SCHOOL PREP LITERACY ASSESSMENTS COMMENCE (Bookings via Compass) BMPS SWIMMING TRIALS AT BACCHUS MARSH POOL
WEEK 3 FEB 12 – FEB 16 MONDAY FRIDAY	ASSEMBLY YEAR 1 BASKETBALL CLINIC
WEEK 4 FEB 19 – FEB 23 FRIDAY	PREP BASKETBALL CLINIC
WEEK 5 FEB 26 – MAR 1 MONDAY FRIDAY	ASSEMBLY BMPSSA DISTRICT SWIMMING AT MELTON
WEEK 6 MAR 4 – MAR 8	
WEEK 7 MAR 11 – MAR 15 MONDAY TUESDAY	LABOUR DAY PUBLIC HOLIDAY WESTERN RANGES SWIMMING AT MELTON
WEEK 8 MAR 18 – MAR 22	
WEEK 9 MAR 25 – MAR 29 WEDNESDAY THURSDAY FRIDAY	FINAL WEEK OF TERM SENIOR SPORTS DAY LAST DAY OF TERM GOOD FRIDAY

There will be no PUPIL FREE DAYS in Term 1.
 PUPIL FREE DAY dates for Term 2 and 3 will be communicated as soon as possible

Dear Parents, Carers, Staff and Students,

As we move into Week 2 we thank-you all most sincerely for the important part you have played in our smooth return to school across week 1.

Our students are looking fabulous in their uniforms and their sense of pride is evident.

We really look forward to this continuing across the term with an important focus on jewellery being left at home, shoulder length and longer hair being tied back and **HATS BEING ON IN THE YARD.**

Jonelle Barber's Prep B class, to the right, were the perfect uniform models as they toured our school in such a calm and orderly way last week.



We're really enjoying getting to know all of our delightful Prep students.

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WELLBEING and general care and SUPPORT for our students

It is early days in the settling in process for all students, but we are working really hard on our whole school approach to calm and orderly entry and exit routines for classrooms and movement transitions across our school.

Punctuality remains extremely important to assist our students in a smooth morning routine that sets them up for learning success. Thankyou for arriving between 8.35 and 8.45 as this gives our students time to complete their morning routine and catch up with a friend prior to the bell at 8.50am.

Important reminder that there is no formal yard supervision prior to 8.35am and families are encouraged to contact OSH Club on 0428 530 254 for before and after-school care bookings.

Thank-you for reaching out for support should your child be experiencing ongoing nervous anticipation and/or difficulty separating at drop off. Our classroom teachers will be doing what they can to assist and may extend the circle of support by referring you to a member of our Wellbeing Team who will promptly make contact and assist with a plan. Our team includes Ollie, pictured below and his very skilled owner, Linda, who are highly appreciated members of our BMPS team.



Please reach out if we can assist or support in any way and all the best for a great week 2.

Kind regards,

Melinda, Leanne F, Daniel and staff

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Moorabool

HOOK IN 2 HOCKEY

Join us for eight weeks of fun!

**Every Wednesday from
7 February - 27 March**

Ages 5-8
4:45pm - 5:30pm

Ages 9-12
5:30pm - 6:15pm



First session free!

Click link below for more info



Register today!

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The Shine Centre Social Communication Group Therapy Sessions

🌟 What We Offer: 🌟

- ◆ **Interactive Sessions:** Join our friendly and supportive group sessions designed to build on your child's social communication skills in real-life situations with similar-aged peers.
- ◆ **Professional Guidance:** Our experienced Speech Pathologists are here to design and tailor your child's group therapy programme, identify necessary supports and implement modifications as needed.
- ◆ **Boost Confidence and Self-Advocacy:** Help your child gain the confidence to express themselves, learn what supports benefit them, make friends, and connect with the world around them.
- ◆ **Fun and Inclusive:** Learning is always fun here! We incorporate games, activities, and creative exercises to make every session enjoyable.
- ◆ **Small Group Setting:** Benefit from personalised attention in a small, welcoming group of peers. Allied Health Assistants will facilitate the smooth running of the group sessions and groups are capped at 5 members to allow for maximum engagement and support.

Contact The Shine Centre Bacchus Marsh to request a referral form or for further information.

Phone: 1300 395747

Email: admin@theshinecentre.com.au



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UNDER 8 - GIRLS BASKETBALL **ARE YOU INTERESTED IN PLAYING BASKETBALL?**



Magic Basketball Club is looking for new players in the below age groups

Magic Basketball Club is looking for **U8 Girls**

Born 2016 – 2018

Training is Thursday at the Bacchus Marsh Leisure Centre

8pm till 8:40

Games are played in Bacchus Marsh on Saturday morning, moving to the new Stadium early next year.

No Experience necessary

Please **contact** Paul – bm.magic.president@outlook.com

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Grow, Learn, Excel;

Coaching for Young Minds

Life coaching for kids is a supportive and empowering process where we help children discover their strengths, overcome challenges, and set and achieve meaningful goals. Coaching for kids focuses on mindset development and using the power of thought and mind to thrive in life.

- Increase confidence
- Build higher levels of resilience
- Improved self-talk
- Understand emotions
- And much more

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VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

DISABILITY INCLUSION PROGRAM



Volunteer Requirements:

- ✔ Want to learn and grow
- ✔ Willing to help others
- ✔ Excitement and enthusiasm
- ✔ Working with Children Check
- ✔ Voluntary Reimbursement

Cobblebank Stadium
Friday's 4:15pm-5:45pm

NO ONE GETS LEFT BEHIND



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WHEELCHAIR BASKETBALL



EVERYONE IS WELCOME
COME AND JOIN

TRY SOMETHING NEW!
BRING YOUR FRIENDS AND
FAMILY!
A FUN ACTIVITY FOR ALL!

SUNDAYS
3PM-4PM
BACCHUS MARSH LEISURE
CENTRE

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