



SCHOOL NEWS

Here we are in 2026! Welcome to all our families, new and returning.

It was great to see our students embracing the new year and being prepared for learning. All students from year 6 - year 9 have been issued a School Diary by their teachers with students in years 3/4/5 to receive theirs in coming days.

All students have been introduced to our new notetaking system, and we will go through that in greater detail on our open evening coming up.

Our focus for this term is Organisation and Intention.

Organisation

- Students to have all their equipment - pencil case, book and diary - at all classes.
- Wearing the correct uniform, to prepare themselves for the learning environment.
- Having healthy food options and water to fuel the engines in their bodies.

Intentions

- We want to start with the students how we want to proceed for the year, goal setting, both personal and educational. Learning to improve and self-correct, the ability to level themselves up in regards to learning goals and personal achievement.

In the next Newsletter we will have a term calendar attached showing all the upcoming events for the term, including an Open Evening at the School in Week 3.

See the list on page 2 of important dates – correct at time of publication.

School Camp

We have a camp booked for all students in May. This will appear on your portal later today or early next week. More information will come out as we lock in the activities. This will be a great time of relationship building, forming great connections with staff and students.

School Photo Forms handed out today.

All students have their photo forms for you to order their photos. Photo day is on Friday 13 February.

20 Year Anniversary

According to a plaque in the garden under our (newly replaced) flags, Monday 2 February is the anniversary of the burial of ashes from the previous school building. In October this year it will be 20 years since our school was officially opened.



During the holidays Chelsea went to the Sunshine Coast and competed in the Bend the Air Nationals. She placed 3rd for her silk solo. Congratulations Chelsea on a wonderful effort.

Kindest regards,

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Term 1 2026 IMPORTANT DATES:

- **5 February** – School assembly, 9am till 9:15am
- **9 February** – School open evening, 5pm till 7 pm
- **13 February** – School Photo Day (back up day Wednesday 18 February)
- **16 February** - Vice Regal visit
- **5 March** – Swimming Carnival (with Wodonga Middle Years College)
- **9 March** – Public Holiday in Victoria (no school)
- **17 March** – Athletics Carnival (with Wodonga Middle Years College)
- **2 April** – Last Day of Term