

MANORVALE MAIL



ISSUE 6 - THURSDAY 21ST MAY 2026

UPCOMING EVENTS

MAY

22

Assembly 2:30 in
Gym

27

Ecolinc Excursion

JUN

1

1st Camp
Installment Due

8

Public Holiday - NO
SCHOOL

RESPECTFUL

WE ARE KIND AND FAIR, WE
LISTEN AND CARE.

RESPONSIBLE

WE COME READY, WE DO
OUR PART. WE MAKE GOOD
CHOICES FROM THE START.

RESILIENT

WE TRY AND NEVER QUIT,
WE LEARN FROM IT.

ASPIRING

WE ALWAYS TRY, WE AIM
HIGH.

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PRINCIPAL NEWS

Dear Students, Parents, and Staff,

We hope Mother's Day was a lovely opportunity to spend with family and celebrate the wonderful women in your lives. A huge thank you to the volunteers who supported our Mother's Day Stall. Without you, these events could not happen!!!

This week we celebrated Education Support Day and recognised the incredible contribution our Education Support staff make to our school community every single day.

Their care, patience, dedication and encouragement help create a positive and supportive environment where every student can learn, grow and thrive. From supporting learning in classrooms to building strong relationships with students and families, their impact is felt in countless ways.

Thank you to the Education Support staff for the compassion, professionalism and commitment they bring to our school. We are grateful for all that they do and the difference they make in the lives of our students each day.

STUDENT HOUSES

We are currently reviewing the school houses; Coorombong, Outlook, Manor and Greaves. These house names are the houses that surround the school. With the student leadership team, we will be reviewing these house names and the dispositions we will be teaching and practicing within the house groups.

SOCIAL MEDIA – SCHOOL INSTAGRAM AND FACEBOOK

We have started our Instagram and Facebook pages. Please find and follow us for insights into the school and events that are happening.

EVENTS

We had a small group of students who were fortunate enough to attend the Melbourne Writer's Festival at the State Library. The students took the train into the city to participate in the day. They participated in interactive events featuring award winning authors and acclaimed illustrators - James Foley, Dr Niraj Lal, Olivia Muscat and Penny Tangey. We even had a few books signed! It was a wonderful opportunity for our students, and we thank Kate Hooper, Belinda Paulet and Elmar Dridan who organised and attended with the students on the day.

ASSEMBLY DATES AND TIMES

Assemblies for the term will be held on Fridays on 22nd May, 5th June and 19th June at 2:30pm and the end of term assembly will be on 26th June.

ATTENDANCE

“Rise and Shine, 8:30 is the time”

It is important for students to be here at 8:30am for classes to begin at 8:40am. If your child comes after 8:40am they need to go to the office to get a late pass.

BUILDINGS

The pipework for utilities are in and the foundations for the concrete slab are underway. We should have all the concrete complete by the end of June! YAY!!!



Kind Regards,
Brianna



The Wellbeing Wrap

RISE AND SHINE 8:30'S THE TIME

This term we will be celebrating classes who have less than 3 late passes a week with Zooper Dooper icy poles as a reward.

If you do not wish for your student to participate please contact Jody via email.
jody.cole@education.vic.gov.au



STUDENTS OF THE WEEK

Prep A Saini	Wisdom for being responsible and helping by picking rubbish both in the playground and classroom. Katrina for showing respect and following instructions consistently.	3A Bates	Eh Tha Hser for consistently modelling all expectations of the school matrix in and outside of the classroom. Tara for consistently modelling all expectations of the school matrix in and outside of the classroom.
Prep B Rosewarne	Elijah for asipring to successfully complete work indepently. Brilliant work towards your goals! Ella for showing resliance when school work gets tough and always trying again. You are smashing it Ella!	3/4B Courtney	Elayna for making excellent progress in Numeracy. Hadeeqa for aspiring to do her best in all subjects and activities.
Prep C Schaap	Harley for putting in effort to improve his listening during instruction. You've been so focussed this week! Ethan for making good choices when sitting among his peers on the floor. Well done maintaining for such strong focus!	3/4C Pulford	Craig for being a dilligent worker and displaying a positive attitude towards his learning. Keh Meh for being an attentive and enthusiastic learner during Literacy and Literature lessons.
1A Anderson	Immi for learning most of the letters and sounds and sounding out 3 sound words. Ethan for using maths vocabulary to explain how he has solved a problem.	3/4D Russell	Boe for working really hard to understand everything about length and perimeter. Jot for having an aspiring attitude towards his mathematics learning.
1B Tompkins	Isla for confidently explaining the place value of 2 digit numbers and identifying 10 less and 10 more of 2 digit numbers independently. Aryan for consistently using sounding out, stretching and blending strategies to improve his spelling. Keep it up!	5A Tarbet	Brandon for with locking in during English lessons and creating a fantastic explanatory writing piece Atira for working really hard and completing some tough extension questions in English!
2A Flanagan	Henry for showing outstanding skills in maths and confidently applying his learning to challenging tasks. Shelly for making great progress in English by working hard to answer questions in full sentences.	5B Gittens	Logan for standing up for others and leading by example. Mona for vocalising his needs and coming up with an amazing story in English about a superhero finding his home. Dill for showing great focus, completing activities and contributing positively in class. Declan for showing maturity, focus and persistence in class while completing activities.
2B Nag	Oo Meh for responsibly engaging in her learning and making progress. Paityn for aspiring to become an expert in Maths by challenging herself and working hard to improve her skills.		
6A Butler	Peyton for noticable improvement in participation effort demonstrated in the classroom. Indi for taking pride in her work and deomstrating the school values in all areas.	6B Chandra	Hunter for settling into our classroom and school so well. You have shown kindness, confidence and a positive attitude while becoming part of our school community. James for always showing a fantastic can-do attitude and trying your best in all subjects. He completes his work with determination and effort. Well done!

STUDENTS OF THE WEEK

Italian Signora	Mia A for being an enthusiastic learner of Italian. Wallace for being an enthusiastic learner of Italian.
PE Spooner	
Library Hooper	
Art Carlisle	
Stem Kershaw	Connor for engaging enthusiastically in STEM and being a great help in setting up our Kitchen Garden. Alita for great problem solving in STEM to complete her paper seed pot.
ES	
Wellbeing Team	Tia for aspiring to complete multiple worksheets a session!
Office	Jason K for always being polite and respectful.
OSHC	Thomas for showing respectful interactions and following the rules. Jemimah for actively participating in the planned activities.
JSC	
Principal	Ruby F for being helpful with organising the student uniforms.

DATES TO REMEMBER

Term 2		Consent/ Payment Due	Event Date
Yr 3-4	Ecolinc Excursion	13/5/26	27/05/2026
Yr 5-6	Life Ed - Puberty Education		28/05/2026
Select Students	Camp Installment #1 Due	1/06/2026	7/12 - 9/12/2026
Whole School	Public Holiday - NO SCHOOL		8/06/2026
Yr 3-4	3/4 Planks Incursion	8/06/2026	22/06/2026
Whole School	Last Day of Term		26/06/2026

PARENTS' CLUB NEWS

The Parents' Club would like to extend a warm welcome to all our families, especially those who are new to the school community this year.

We're a friendly group of parents and carers who work alongside the school to support students, build community connections, and help make school life even more enjoyable.

Throughout the year, the Parents' Club help to organise events, create fundraising activities, and social opportunities that bring families together. Whether you can help regularly or just occasionally, we'd love to have you involved in whatever way suits you.

If you would like us to contact you when we have events coming up, please extend your details & interest to Leanne or Taylor in the front office.

Keep an eye on the newsletter for upcoming events and meeting dates—we look forward to getting to know you this year!

Uniform shop

Wednesday and Friday

2.45pm - 3.15 pm



Join Manorvale Primary School Parents' Club!

Want to meet new people, have fun, and help make a positive change at school?

It's easier than you think!

Why Join?

Meet new friends – Connect with other MPS families in a relaxed, friendly setting.

Have a say – Help out with school events and fundraisers that benefit your kids.

Keep it simple – You can contribute however works best for you, whether it's a little time or just joining in on events.



Get Involved. Have Fun. Make a Difference.

By joining the Manorvale Parents' Club, you'll not only enrich your own family's experience at MPS, but you'll also contribute to a positive, supportive school environment for everyone.

Whether you're looking to volunteer your time, offer skills, or just be a part of the community, there's a place for you here!

Want to Join?

Contact us at (03) 9741 6300 to learn more.

**End of Terms
Lunches**

**Mother's
& Father's
Day Stalls**

**The
Second-Hand
Uniform
Shop**

CSEF

The CSEF (Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund) is provided by the Victorian Government to assist eligible families with the cost of school trips, camps and sporting activities.

Families who hold a valid concession card or are temporary foster parents may be eligible to apply.

If you think you may qualify and have not yet applied, please contact the school office for more information and application forms.

We encourage all eligible families to take advantage of this valuable support program.

This year the CSEF payment is \$400 per child.

This can be a huge help and with a few camp spots still open, families who are eligible for CSEF would only need to pay \$31 out of pocket for camp this year.



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Manorvale Primary School - Werribee

VISIT OUR WEBSITE & ENTER THIS CODE

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UPDATE FROM OUR KITCHEN GARDEN

Students have been working together to plan and design our brand new Kitchen Garden. They have been learning how to safely use basic gardening tools to shovel, move soil, compost and plant, mulch and water vegetable seedlings.

I encourage families to have a walk around the Kitchen Garden. We have come a long way in 4 short weeks!!

A special thank you to the Millard family for their kind donation of a lemon tree.



Outside School Hours Care Newsletter



18/05/2026

Manorvale Primary School

Your
OSHC.



A message from your Coordinator

We are thrilled to announce that we have achieved a Meeting rating in our Assessment and Rating process. We would like to thank our school community and families for their ongoing support throughout the process.

We are excited to celebrate Flower Day on the 20th of May and Reconciliation Week from the 25th of May. During this time, children will participate in a variety of activities and have opportunities to share and learn about different cultures.

We encourage families to regularly engage with us and share more about their cultures and traditions to help create a rich and inclusive learning environment for all children.

We also have some exciting news to share about Big Art Friday. Our service was among the winners from Term 1 competition, as I submitted an entry for one of our children, Lima, whose artwork was truly amazing.

We encourage parents to continue supporting and motivating children to participate in future competitions and showcase their creativity and talents.

Activities coming up

- Under the Sea Week
- Flower Day
- Reconciliation Week
- Big Art Friday closing 29th May

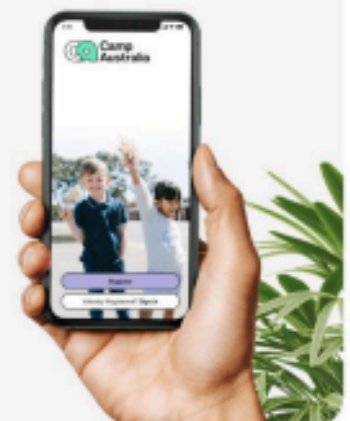
Make a booking

Join in the fun of Outside School Hours Care activities and experiences with Your OSHC and Rocketeers.

[Book now](#)

Register free and book in 24/7 via our app

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Find out more and book now at www.campaustralia.com.au



ROCKETEERS



**SCHOOL HOLIDAY
BOOKINGS
NOW OPEN**

Programs vary by location and are subject to change. Jump on our website to find out what's happening at your local Rocketeers.

Child Care Subsidy (CCS) available for eligible families.

*Please note the fees on the following pages are only of the maximum Child Care Subsidy (CCS) a family may be entitled to. To find out your eligibility, log into MyGov.

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FUN AWAITS!

YOUR WINTER HOLIDAY PROGRAM






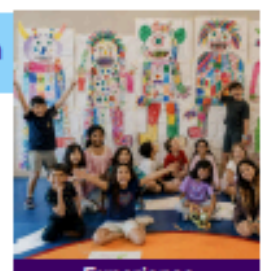




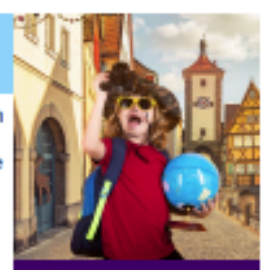
ROKETEERS

Extraordinary Holiday Adventures

Manorvale Primary School

Address: 232 - 246 Greaves Street North WERRIBEE VIC 3030

Phone: 0405 428 328 Program Times: 07:00 am - 06:30 pm

<p>Mon 29 Jun Operation: Opening Ceremony</p> <p>The adventure begins now! Step into a day full of colour, music, and celebration as we kick off something amazing together. Let the excitement begin!</p> <p>Full Fee \$77.79 After Max. CCS* \$7.78</p>	 <p>Base Camp Day</p>	<p>Tue 30 Jun Project: Striker Showdown</p> <p>Kick off the holiday with your awesome soccer skills! Build your own Soccer Striker Kit, design your player, test epic kicks, and learn about motion while scoring goals. And the best part, you can take home your kit for more action-packed fun!</p> <p>Full Fee \$116.29 After Max. CCS* \$11.63</p>	 <p>Project</p>
<p>Wed 01 Jul Adventure: Toy Story 5</p> <p>Join Woody, Buzz and Jessie for a brand-new Toy Story adventure! When a new toy takes over, the gang must work together to save playtime.</p> <p>Full Fee \$133.99 After Max. CCS* \$13.40</p>	 <p>Excursion</p>	<p>Thu 02 Jul Big Art Day: Monster Mash</p> <p>Grab your boldest ideas! A special guest from Star Time is coming to help you draw, craft and build a giant monster mural, then show it off with a fun monster dance. Let's mash it up!</p> <p>Full Fee \$113.61 After Max. CCS* \$11.36</p>	 <p>Experience Takeover</p>
<p>Fri 03 Jul Operation: Winter Wonders</p> <p>Step into a sparkling winter world! From frosty forests to twinkling lights, today is full of cosy fun, magical moments, and winter adventures.</p> <p>Full Fee \$77.79 After Max. CCS* \$7.78</p>	 <p>Base Camp Day</p>	<p>Mon 06 Jul Project: Stop, Play, Rewind</p> <p>Dive into a full day of play inspired by the world's biggest sport – with creative LEGO® builds, high-energy outdoor games, and plenty of fun. Plus, build and take home your very own LEGO soccer boots!</p> <p>Full Fee \$106.29 After Max. CCS* \$10.63</p>	 <p>Project</p>
<p>Tue 07 Jul Adventure: Game On! at AFL Max</p> <p>Kick, run, climb and bounce your way through an indoor footy playground packed with action, challenges and high-energy fun at AFL Max!</p> <p>Full Fee \$141.69 After Max. CCS* \$14.17</p>	 <p>Excursion</p>	<p>Wed 08 Jul Operation: Tasty Travels</p> <p>Follow the flavours! Today's all about exploring the exciting world of street food, from sizzling bites to tasty traditions found in bustling markets around the globe.</p> <p>Full Fee \$77.79 After Max. CCS* \$7.78</p>	 <p>Base Camp Day</p>
<p>Thu 09 Jul Project: Festival of Flavour</p> <p>Score big with global flavours! Cook pancakes from the USA, tacos from Mexico, and sweet Beaver Tails from Canada, then decorate your table. Eat, celebrate, and taste your way through the World Cup host nations!</p> <p>Full Fee \$116.29 After Max. CCS* \$11.63</p>	 <p>Project</p>	<p>Fri 10 Jul Operation: European Explorer</p> <p>Pack your imagination and explore Europe! From castles to cafés, today is all about discovering new places, stories, and cultures from across the continent.</p> <p>Full Fee \$77.79 After Max. CCS* \$7.78</p>	 <p>Base Camp Day</p>

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Big Art Week

4-8 May

Big Art Comp

4-29 May

A whole week of creative fun!



Create your masterpiece for the chance to WIN!



LEGO World Play Day

11 June

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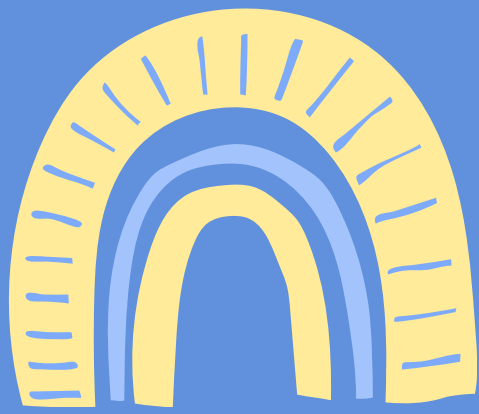
ULTIMATE WEEK OF Play

12-19 June



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Your OSHC.



Office ✨ Messages



REPORTING STUDENT ABSENCES

To avoid receiving a phone call or a note/letter from the school when your child is absent, please remember to enter their absence by entering an "Attendance Note" on Compass.

If you are unable to do this or unsure of how, please contact the office.

If families have not advised the school of a student absence, a text message will be sent at 9:15am alerting the family. Families are expected to respond to the school with a reason for the absence as soon as possible.



CSEF

CSEF applications are now open.

Any new families and new siblings attending the school who have a valid healthcare card may be eligible to apply for the Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund.

Forms can be collected in the office.

MEDICATION

If your child requires medication to be taken during school hours, we are able to administer their medication at Sick Bay.

We require a letter from the prescribing medical professional, the medication and you will need to complete a Medication Authority Form.

Please contact the office to arrange.

CONSENT FORMS/EVENTS

Please ensure all notes are returned by the due date listed on your child's note.

We will NOT be accepting forms returned after the due date.

If any special considerations need to be made please contact the office.

SCHOOL BREAKFAST CLUBS PROGRAM



Breakfast Club runs on a Tuesday and Thursday morning from 8am - 8:30am.

Breakfast Club is held in the Gym foyer and is run by our terrific staff using food supplied by Foodbank.

FOODBANK

Foodbank help supply many items for our students and families. The wonderful Education Support staff Mrs P orders and distributes all the fresh fruit we get delivered for every class and ensures there are spare food items for children who may have forgotten their food.

Any families who require any additional food products should notify the office or Leadership for any assistance. Foodbank offer a range of supports, we are here to help families as much as we can.

SAFETY TIPS AROUND SCHOOL CROSSINGS

Driving To and From school

- Always park legally and avoid dangerous maneuvers like U-turns and three point turns at or near the crossing.
- Always be alert for children and pedestrians.
- Children should exit the side of the car that is on the kerb side of the road **away from passing traffic at all times.**

Walking To and From School

- Plan your trip to school so that you are crossing the road at safe places, such as School Crossings.
- Always hold your child's hand up until the age of eight.
- Talk to your children about Stop, Look, Listen and Think, every time they cross the road.
- Drop off and pick up your child near the school gate, avoid calling them from across the road.



COMMON PARKING ISSUES AROUND SCHOOL CROSSINGS

To assist in keeping School Crossing areas a safe place for pedestrians and School Crossing Supervisors, Parking Officers monitor and patrol School Zones. Please find a list of common reasons for infringements below:

Double parking

- Do not stop next to another vehicle already parked next to a kerb, even if you are just quickly stopping to let a passenger in or out.

No Stopping Signs

- You must not park or stop in a No Stopping area for any reason.

School Crossings

- Do not park, or stop within or on a school crossing while it is in operation.

Bus Stop and Bus Zone Signs

- These areas are to be kept clear for school buses and public transport buses only

Nature Strips, Footpaths and Reservations

- Do not stop or park on nature strips, footpaths or reservations as it can create unsafe situations for children, as well as cause damage to council infrastructure.

Driveways

- Do not park fully or partially across a driveway, be respectful of residents that live in the area.

***If you would like more information relating to Parking Laws, please visit
Wyndham City: www.wyndham.vic.gov.au or
VicRoads: www.vicroads.vic.gov.au**



STOP LOOK LISTEN THINK

Regardless of your child's age or experience, to cross a road safely they should be taught to:

1. Stop at the kerb, not on the road.
2. Look in all directions for approaching traffic.
3. Listen for any vehicles coming.
4. Think about if it is safe to cross the road.

STOP

LOOK

LISTEN

THINK

SAFETY AROUND SCHOOLS

Children's crossings are usually part-time crossings that operate before and after school hours. When in use, red flags displaying the words **CHILDREN CROSSING** are used. Outside of these times, the area is not a pedestrian crossing.

During peak school zone times we ask parents and carers to take extra care to make sure they are parked safe and legally to ensure the safety of the children and themselves.

Watch for and obey the instructions of the School Crossing Supervisor who operates the school crossing.

School crossing supervisors need to have a clear field of vision in all directions around their crossing, so that they can spot approaching children and vehicles as soon as possible.



SCHOOL CROSSINGS

Pedestrians – Children and Adults

- When flags are displayed all pedestrians should use the crossing
- Always follow the instructions of the crossing supervisor.
- Make sure all traffic has stopped before stepping on to the crossing.
- Only cross when it is safe to do so and Stay Alert.

Drivers and Riders

- Should always watch out for children and pedestrians near schools.
- Must not overtake a vehicle stopping or stopped at the crossing.
- Must approach at a speed slow enough to safely stop.
- Must stop if a hand held 'Stop' sign is displayed.
- Must proceed only when all children and adults, including the supervisor are off the road.

Respect our school crossing supervisors. They do an essential job of keeping everyone safe.



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