



News from the Vale

Week 7 ~ Term 2 ~ 2026

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Upcoming Events

9 June	P&C Meeting 7pm
11 June	Lightning Carnival (Yr 5 & 6 students)
15 June	Board Meeting 6.30pm
19 June	Area 15 & 16 Assembly

Important Information

Reporting Student Absences

Absences can be logged through the **Compass Parent Portal**. Alternatively, you may notify the school directly by contacting the office on 9408 3800. Please refer to the following documents to log absences via Compass.

Desktop Computer



Mobile App



School Development Days (Student Free Days)

Term 3 – Monday 17 August
Term 4 – Monday 12 October & Friday 18 December

Classroom Library Days

Tues	K2, A16, A3
Wed	A9, A8, A13, A5, A12, A11
Thurs	A1, A4, K1, A7, A6, A15, A2

Principal's Message

Dear Families,

It has been an amazing few weeks since our last newsletter. Our students continue to learn at high levels, set high expectations for themselves and truly embody our belief in **excellence in everything we do**.



We've certainly been busy. School photos ran smoothly and our senior students proudly represented Woodvale PS at the Rugby Carnival.

I was particularly pleased to hear about the exemplary behaviour and positive sporting values they demonstrated, so much so that they earned additional points for these reasons alone. Well done to all involved. The same can be said for our Year 4–6 students who took part in the Interschool Cross-Country. There were some outstanding personal achievements and collectively our students once again upheld the strong reputation our school holds in the community. A big thank you to Mr Sturmer for coordinating these events and to the staff who supported on the day.

Our early childhood students also enjoyed a very special visit from Old McDonald's Farm, with the area buzzing with excitement as a variety of animals came to visit. On a personal note, I even faced my long-standing turkey fear head-on!

Our undercover area has also received a much-needed splash of colour with the completion of our murals representing our four factions. They look absolutely fantastic. A heartfelt thank you to Torryn, local artist and Woodvale PS parent, for her incredible work over the past few weeks.

At our Staff Development Day on Friday 29 May, our staff engaged in a focused and productive session analysing student data alongside insights gathered from our recent student, staff and community consultation process. I then led a planning session to identify effective current practices and areas for improvement. This work is an important milestone in developing our new four-year strategic plan. I look forward to updating you on its progress and sharing the final plan in Term 3.

Finally, I am delighted to announce that Deb Westcott was the successful applicant for the Manager Corporate Services position and will be in this role until Term 2, 2027. We are also excited to welcome Nicole Hatch, who will be joining our team in the School Officer role for the same period.

Congratulations to both.

Warm regards,

Alex Di Felice

Public School Review (PSR)

On Thursday 21 May we had our PSR validation visit. This was a return visit since the school's last review in Term 2, 2025. The reviewers spoke to our Executive leadership team and several staff looking to determine how the school has progressed on the key recommendations set in 2025. The reviewers felt there had been sufficient progress made and due to recent leadership stability were satisfied that our school was on track to meet the recommendations in the future. Our next review will be in 2028 and will cover all 6 domains of the Department of Education Standard.

Staff Development Day – Friday May 2026



Lunch Order Volunteers - We Need You!

We are seeking volunteers to assist in handing out lunch orders each day between 12.30pm - 12.45pm. This is a valued service for our students and community and we want to have this continue, but it may be unlikely without assistance. Any assistance in joining a volunteer roster would be much appreciated. Please enter your name [here](#) if you would like to volunteer. Thank you

A8 and A9 Class Assembly - Wilfred Gordon McDonald Partridge

Our Year 2 students recently delighted the school community with their wonderful assembly presentation based on the much-loved story Wilfrid Gordon McDonald Partridge by Mem Fox. This heartwarming book explores themes of memory, friendship, and how different generations can help each other.

As part of their HASS learning about the past, students explored how life has changed over time and the important role older generations play in helping us understand history.

Dressed in character, the students brought the story to life with enthusiasm, confidence and creativity. They impressed the audience with their clear, loud voices, expressive acting and excellent stage presence. Their ability to remain in character and engage the audience throughout the performance was outstanding.

The assembly was a wonderful celebration of learning and showcased the students' growing understanding of the connections between the past and present. We are incredibly proud of all the Year 2 students for their hard work, dedication and memorable performances.



Merit Award Winners



A1	Nikolaos Kangleas	Tiaan Groenewald	
A2	Connor Greenwood	Imogen Waey	
A3	Franklin Chandler	Jacob Gonsalves	
A4	Billie Denton - Lean	Sophie Seddon	
A5	Willow Stevens	Nitya Panchal	
A6	Connor Matthews	Mae Ryan	
A7	Georgia Wayne	Jaxon Holding	
A8	Shayla Daly	Jayden Thompson	
A9	Lukas Jacobs	Isla Graham	
A11	Bobby Tran	Piper Yeu	
A12	Harper Mills	Kou Tsui	Tia Rao
A13	James Montaldo	Adelyn Ward	Eunice Cong
A15	Anthony Contarino	Tessa Dempster	Darcy Wall
A16	Bailey Hodnett	Lucy Jones	Noah Jones

Rugby & Interschool Cross Country Carnivals



Old McDonald's Farm Incursion



School Faction Murals





ROCKETEERS



Child Care Subsidy (CCS) available for eligible families.

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.

*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.

FUN AWAITS!

YOUR WINTER HOLIDAY PROGRAM



ROCKETEERS

Extraordinary Holiday Adventures

Woodvale Primary School

Address: 44 Keatley Cres WOODVALE WA 6026

Phone: 0401 006 481 Program Times: 07:00 am - 06:00 pm

Mon
06 Jul **Operation: Opening Ceremony**

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!

Full Fee \$95.29 | After Max. CCS* \$9.53



Base Camp Day

Tue
07 Jul **Project: Striker Showdown**

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!

Full Fee \$132.29 | After Max. CCS* \$13.23



Project

Wed
08 Jul **Special Event: Pitchside Action with Perth Glory**

Hit the field for fast-paced soccer fun, share laughs with a lively mascot and take home tickets to a real match. It's a day packed with play, energy and unforgettable moments!

Full Fee \$155.79 | After Max. CCS* \$15.58



Excursion

Thu
09 Jul **Project: Festival of Flavour**

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!

Full Fee \$132.29 | After Max. CCS* \$13.23



Project

Fri
10 Jul **Operation: Goal Getters**

Lace up and get moving! Today's all about footy fun, teamwork, and scoring big in a day packed with action, skills, and exciting challenges.

Full Fee \$95.29 | After Max. CCS* \$9.53



Base Camp Day

Mon
13 Jul **Operation: Asian Adventure**

Pack your imagination and journey across Asia! Discover bustling cities, ancient wonders, and vibrant cultures in a day full of colour, stories, and adventure.

Full Fee \$95.29 | After Max. CCS* \$9.53



Base Camp Day

Tue
14 Jul **Big Art Day: Monster Mash**

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!

Full Fee \$129.50 | After Max. CCS* \$12.95



Experience Takeover

Wed
15 Jul **Project: Stop, Play, Rewind**

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!

Full Fee \$123.79 | After Max. CCS* \$12.38



Project

Thu
16 Jul **Adventure: Toy Story 5**

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.

Full Fee \$150.49 | After Max. CCS* \$15.05



Excursion

Fri
17 Jul **Operation: Oceania Quest**

Set sail for Oceania and discover tropical islands, sparkling waters, and rich cultures in a day full of imagination, colour, and adventure.


Full Fee \$95.29 | After Max. CCS* \$9.53



Base Camp Day

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Before & After School Care may cost less than you think



At Camp Australia, we believe every child deserves access to high-quality Outside School Hours Care (OSHC) and engaging school holiday programs. Through the range of enriching experiences provided in our Before & After school care programs, your child can enjoy fun and learning with their peers while you get peace of mind that they're having fun with friends, as well as getting time back for yourself to work, study, run errands, or simply relax.

The Child Care Subsidy (CCS) makes our services more affordable for eligible families. Through the CCS, your expenses could significantly decrease, offering immediate financial relief. And it's a simple process that could provide you with lasting benefits. So, take advantage of CCS and enjoy the savings!

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Before School Care	Hours	Full fee	Fee after max. CCS	Fee after 70% CCS
Recurring	7:00 – 9:00	\$30.23	\$7.17	\$12.30
Casual	7:00 – 9:00	\$32.73	\$9.67	\$14.80
After School Care	Hours	Full fee	Fee after max. CCS	Fee after 70% CCS
Recurring	2:55 – 6:00	\$42.85	\$7.30	\$15.20
Casual	2:55 – 6:00	\$45.35	\$9.80	\$17.70

Did you know that After School Care could cost as little as \$7.30?

For this, your child will have access to:

- A safe, supervised environment
- Fun and learning through socialising with peers
- Masses of toys, games and experiences to suit their interests
- Afternoon tea

To check your eligibility and find out how much you can save, visit Services Australia or go to [education.gov.au/early-childhood/child-care-subsidy/family-eligibility-and-entitlement](https://www.education.gov.au/early-childhood/child-care-subsidy/family-eligibility-and-entitlement) to learn more.

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