



News from the Vale

Week 7 ~ Term 3 ~ 2026

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Upcoming Events

3 & 4 Sept	Book Fair
9 - 11 Sept	Year 6 Camp
10 Sept	RUOK Day (Dress in Yellow)
15 & 17 Sept	Interschool Athletics Carnival

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 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,

Since our last newsletter, our students and staff have continued to achieve great things, demonstrating the commitment, talent and sense of community that make our school such a special place.

In Week 5 Staff Development Day, our staff came together to continue our important strategic planning and school improvement work. A significant focus of the day was the **analysis of the recently released NAPLAN assessment data**.

Staff examined the results closely, identifying areas of strength and opportunities for improvement across the school. This valuable data has also been used to establish **long-term student achievement and progress targets that will form a key part of our new Strategic Plan 2026 - 2029**, which will be released before the end of this term.

Our staff also reviewed the work undertaken by our Positive Behaviour in Schools (PBIS) team over the past term and a half. This work will lead to the **implementation of new processes designed to encourage positive student behaviour and provide consistent responses to unproductive behaviours**. These changes will offer greater clarity for students, staff and families, directly addressing feedback received through our consultation and review processes last term. An important component of this work will be the introduction of a **Good Standing Policy**, which will provide a clear framework to promote positive behaviour and adherence to school expectations. The policy will outline the criteria students need to meet to maintain their Good Standing, as well as the circumstances under which this status may be lost. We will begin a soft launch of these new processes next term, allowing students, staff and families time to become familiar with them before their full implementation in 2027.

We are incredibly proud of our amazingly talented choir students, who represented our school so magnificently at **One Big Voice** at RAC Arena on Friday, 21 August. Congratulations to all the students involved for their outstanding effort and enthusiasm. A special thank you goes to Ms Speelman for her coordination of the event, Mrs Nightingale, and our wonderful parent helpers who supported the students on the night.

Our P&C has been hard at work once again, delivering a truly wonderful **Father's Day Stall** this week. Thank you to our P&C volunteers!

Finally, wishing all the fathers, grandfathers, stepfathers and father figures a very happy Father's Day.

Warm regards,
Alex Di Felice



Parents and Children on School Site After School

To support the safety and wellbeing of our school community, please be advised that all school gates will close at **3:15pm each day**. We ask that all parents, carers and students have exited the school grounds by this time. This expectation helps ensure the safety of our staff and students attending Camp Australia and also allows our teachers the opportunity to meet, reflect on the day and prepare for the next day's learning without interruption.

Families wishing to continue socialising after school are welcome to make use of the oval and surrounding playgrounds located outside the school grounds.

Thank you in advance for your cooperation and support in helping us maintain a safe and productive environment for all members of our school community.

Book Week Parade

A fabulous Book Week culminated with an amazing Book Week Parade. Our student's creativity shone through, with some wonderful costumes and dress-ups. From much loved book characters to some incredibly unique designs. A big thank you to our wonderful families for their time and effort in creating costumes and for attending the assembly. Well done everyone!



A6 and A7 Department of Fire and Emergency Services Incursion

A6 and A7 had an incredible visit from the Department of Fire and Emergency Services. Students began with an engaging presentation where they learned about the many important roles firefighters have, not just fighting fires. They explored safe and unsafe situations, the importance of home escape plans, how to exit safely using “stay low and go, go, go,” and how firefighter protective gear works.

Students were full of questions and deeply engaged throughout the session. They then headed outside to explore the fire truck, use the hose, see the jaws of life, and learn more about the equipment firefighters use in emergencies.

One key takeaway was the importance of every family having a clear escape plan at home. Students may be keen to create one, we encourage families to support this conversation.







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.

www.campaustralia.com.au/rocketeers

by  Camp Australia

Camp Australia – Spring Holiday Program

FUN AWAITS! YOUR SPRING HOLIDAY PROGRAM



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Address: 44 Keatley Cres WOODVALE WA 6026

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

Tue 29 Sep	Big Art Day: Bloom and Discover		Wed 30 Sep	Adventure: Dreamworks Animation Forgotten Island	
Step into a world where ideas grow! Paint, build and design as creativity blossoms all around you. What will you bring to life today?		Base Camp Day	Get ready for a magical cinema adventure! Step through a mysterious portal and into a magical world filled with unforgettable creatures, hidden secrets and an incredible friendship put to the ultimate test in Forgotten Island.		Excursion
Full Fee \$95.29 After Max. CCS* \$9.53			Full Fee \$151.09 After Max. CCS* \$15.11		
Thu 01 Oct	Project: Realmz Kingdom Builders		Fri 02 Oct	Special Event: Grand Final Fever with Coles Healthy Kicks	
Build your own kingdom with our exclusive Realmz Cubelings magnetic building system. Then unbox a special surprise to discover which character will join your Castelands adventure!		Project	Compete, cheer and level up your game in the ultimate AFL Max showdown! From fast-paced challenges to interactive activity zones, every moment is packed with movement, fun and excitement.		Excursion
Full Fee \$119.90 After Max. CCS* \$11.99			Full Fee \$151.04 After Max. CCS* \$15.10		
Mon 05 Oct	Operation: The Big Mix		Tue 06 Oct	Adventure: Barnyard Buddies at Landsdale Animal Farm	
Mix, match, and make something amazing! Combine ideas in unexpected ways and discover what can happen when innovation takes the lead.		Base Camp Day	Get ready for up-close animal encounters! Hand-feed friendly farm animals, explore the farm at your own pace and discover plenty of furry, feathered and fluffy friends along the way.		Excursion
Full Fee \$95.29 After Max. CCS* \$9.53			Full Fee \$152.09 After Max. CCS* \$15.21		
Wed 07 Oct	Big Art Day: Wild Wild West		Thu 08 Oct	Operation: Emoji Express	
Saddle up for creativity! Design your own hobby horse with colorful manes and expressive eyes. Your imagination, your ride!		Project	All aboard the Emoji Express! Create, play and explore emotions in a day filled with fun, creativity and self-expression.		Base Camp Day
Full Fee \$129.90 After Max. CCS* \$12.99			Full Fee \$95.29 After Max. CCS* \$9.53		
Fri 09 Oct	Special Event: Ultimate Ninja Challenge by Proactivity		Mon 12 Oct	Project: Spinstorm Showdown	
Race against the clock and tackle giant challenges in the ultimate Grand Final showdown packed with action, teamwork and high-energy fun!		Excursion	Build three powerful spinning tops, battle it out in your own Spinstorm Arena, and discover which creation can spin its way to victory!		Project
Full Fee \$155.29 After Max. CCS* \$15.53			Full Fee \$132.29 After Max. CCS* \$13.23		



GRAND FINAL GAMES

10 DAYS • 10 CHALLENGES • NON-STOP GAMES



EARN GAME POINTS

Take on a new challenge every day and earn Game Points along the way.

Plus, there are bonus points up for grabs for getting involved, giving things a go and showing off your skills!



GRAND FINAL STORE

Winners can cash in their Game Points at their service's Grand Final Store! What prizes will your Service Leader have for you to choose from?!



CHAMPION TAKEOVER

Will you be our Champion?

Our overall Grand Final Games Champion wins the ultimate prize - a chance to take over OSHC!

Choose the activities **and** what's on the menu for your winning session.



SPORT CHALLENGES

Get active, and put your skills to the test.



PROBLEM SOLVING

Think, solve the puzzle, crack the code.



TEAM BUILDING

Work with friends to achieve together.



CREATIVE CHALLENGES

Get imaginative and bring your ideas to life.



WEAR YOUR TEAM COLOURS DAY

Rep your favourite team from any sport or league on our Grand Final Day and join in the celebrations.



READY TO PLAY?

Book now to secure your spot

Terms & conditions apply. See the website for more details.

14-25 September

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