Quarry Hill Primary School

POPPET HEAD BLAST

Thursday 14th August 2025

2025 TERM DATES

Term 1: 29th January - 4th April Term 2: 22nd April – 4th July Term 3: 21st July – 19th September

Term 4: 6th October – 19th December

Principal: Anne Rochford

School Council President: Andrew Ellis PFA President: Michelle Kennedy PFA Vice President: Rhayven Milliner

IMPORTANT DATES

AUGUST		
Thursday 14 th	All day	School Nurse Visit for Preps
Friday 15 th	All day	School Nurse Visit for Preps Writers Workshop- selected students (Excursion) Grade 3/4 Art Workshop (Incursion)
Thursday 21st	All day	Curriculum Day (no students at school)
Friday 22 nd	All day	Book Week Dress Up/Parade and Multi-Age Activities Grade 3/4 Art Workshop (Incursion)
Friday 29 th	12:00pm 2:30pm	3-6 Book Week Performance Incursion P-2 Book Week Performance Incursion
SEPTEMBER		
Tuesday 2 nd	2:30pm	Writers Workshop- selected students (Incursion)
Friday 5 th	All day	Division Basketball- selected students Grade 3/4 Art Workshop (Incursion) Father's Day Stall
Monday 8 th -Wednesday 10 th	All day	Grade 6 Urban Camp
Friday 12 th	All day	Grade 3/4 Art Workshop (Incursion)
Friday 19 th	9:00am-2:30pm	Last day of Term 3- Early finish
OCTOBER	1	
Monday 6 th	All day	First day of Term 4
Tuesday 21 st	2:30pm	Writers Workshop- selected students (Incursion)
Wednesday 29 th	All day	Bendigo Cup Public Holiday

Reminders:

- Term 3 Assemblies in the Multi-Purpose Room
 - o Prep-Year 2 at 9:00am, Grade 3-6 in the afternoons (usual time)
- Curriculum Day- Thursday 21st August
 - No students at school.
- Book Week Dress Up (All day)/Parade (9:15am)/Multi-Age Activities (12pm)- Friday 22nd August
- <u>Father's Day Stall- Friday 5th September</u>
 - Donations to be handed into the school office.
- Smile Squad Visit
 - o Register at the website (https://bit.ly/smilesquadvic), or by collecting a paper form from the office.
- <u>SunSmart</u>
 - The UV is starting to rise and soon students will require hats on heads whilst outside. Please ensure your child's hat is clearly marked with their name and is in their bag ready. Replacement hats are available from the office for \$12.



~OUR VALUES~

Kind

I understand

that everyone is different. I co-operate. I respect myself, others, and the environment. I am Community minded.

Curious

I belong.

I am a learner.
I seek knowledge.
I ask questions.
I explore and
wonder.
I create.

Brave

I am honest.
I am
independent.
I have high
expectations.
I am resilient.
I am open to
feedback.









STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS



KIND				
Mason D	Room 10	For being a superstar leader in our 100 days of Prep sports rotations.		
Audrey H	Room 1	For being a kind friend and making sure everyone is included.		
Mietta S	Room 11	For consistently showing kindness and respect to everyone in our classroom community.		
CURIOUS				
Zali A	Room 7	For displaying strong work habits on all learning tasks.		
Will F	Room 5	For sharing his knowledge around clockwise and anti-clockwise concepts. Well done Will.		
Cove R	Room 6	For challenging herself and having a positive attitude towards class activities.		
Aahan S	Room 2	For successfully skip counting using 5 cent coins to find a total.		
Romsey T	Room 16	For working hard to improve his sentence structure when writing.		
BRAVE				
Aleks D-T	Room 2	For wonderful fluency while reading, making the story engaging and enjoyable to listen to.		
Maysa H	Room 12	For her openness to feedback and her consistent effort to improve in class. Great job, Maysa!		
Nixon S	Room 13	For respectfully representing the school in a range of sports including Cross Country, Athletics		
		and Football. An amazing sporting effort!		
Henri T	Room 14	For always contributing to classroom discussions and answering questions.		
Arlo W	Room 9	For your resilience and the progress you are making with your reading. Your hard work and		
		determination is inspiring.		

100 DAYS OF PREP

Preps participated in their 100 Days of School celebration on Thursday 7th August. They had a fun day joining in a parade at the start of the day showing off their colourful clothes and receiving a standing ovation from the audience for their efforts in completing 100 days of schooling. The Preps then entertained with their rendition of the song 'Little Bit Of Love' completing actions to accompany their vocals. Prior to lunch, students completed various craft activities related to the number 100. Hot chips were on the menu prior to completing sports activities run by their Grade 5 buddies. The movie 'Sing' was watched at the end of day followed by the presentation of their special certificate. Thank-you to all parents and carers for their support of this event.



WINTER SPORTS

Congratulations to the students who recently competed in District Athletics, Division Netball, and Division AFL. We are proud of our students for the great sportsmanship they have shown whilst representing our school. At the Division AFL, the girls won the Grand Final in Division 2! The boys had a good day but just missed the finals in Division 3.



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