Quarry Hill Primary School

POPPET HEAD BLAST

Thursday 6th November 2025

2025 TERM DATES

Term 4: 6th October - 19th December

2026 TERM DATES

Term 1: 27th January (students start 28th January) -

2nd April

Term 2: 20th April - 26th June Term 3: 13th July - 18th September Term 4: 5th October - 18th December Principal: Anne Rochford

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

~OUR VALUES~

OVARRY MIL

Kind

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

Curious

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.



IMPORTANT DATES

NOVEMBER		
Thursday 6 th -	8:30am-9:00am	Book Fair Open
Wednesday 12 th	3:00pm-3:45pm	
Thursday 6 th	Various times	2026 Prep Transition
		2026 Leadership Speeches
Friday 7 th	All day	Blast Cricket- selected students (Excursion)
Tuesday 11 th	Various times	P-6 Stomp Dance Co. Incursion
Wednesday 12 th	9am-12:00pm	5/6 STEM (Incursion)
	5:00pm-7:00pm	Spring Picnic in the Bushland
Thursday 13 th	All day	Curriculum Day (no students at school-
		OSHC OPEN- bookings required)
Friday 14 th	All day	Professional Practice Day (no students at
		school- OSHC OPEN- bookings required)
Tuesday 18 th	8:15am-3:30pm	Grade 2 Kyabram Fauna Park (Excursion)
Wednesday 19 th	Various times	2026 Prep Transition
Thursday 27 th	Various times	2026 Prep Transition
DECEMBER		
Thursday 4 th	2:30-3:30pm	Junior School Disco (P-2)
	3:30-4:45pm	Senior School Disco (3-6)
Monday 8 th	TBC	5/6 Movie Day
Tuesday 9 th	9:30am-11:00an	Statewide Transition Day
Tuesday 16 th	5.45pm for a	Grade 6 Graduation – BSE Auditorium
	6.00pm start	
Friday 19 th	9:00am-1:30pm	Last Day of Term 4- Early Finish

Reminders:

• Scholastic Book Fair

-Book Fair is running this week, until next Wednesday 12th November. It is being held in the Library from 8:30am-9:00am, and 3:00pm-3:45pm. Payments can be made online, or at the Book Fair.

• 'No hat, no play'

-Spare hats available at the office for \$12.

• Booklists and contributions

-Booklists have been sent home with each student. Orders for booklists need to be completed online, with all instructions included on the sheet. Any questions regarding the booklist or contributions, please do not hesitate to contact the office.

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ENROLMENTS & CLASS PLACEMENTS 2026

If your child will not be attending Quarry Hill Primary School in 2026, we would appreciate you letting us know as soon as possible. If there are any considerations for placements for student classes in 2026, please discuss with Anne Rochford or your child's teacher and then send in writing by **Friday Nov 14th**, to Anne.Rochford@education.vic.gov.au

Please note that it is not possible for parents to request specific teachers.





STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS

KIND			
Henry K	Room 7	For sharing items in the classroom to help classmates.	
Olivia J	Room 13	Going above & beyond to help QHPS by unlocking the toilets each morning. Thank you for your leadership & positive attitude.	
Wilhelmina S	Room 5	For always showing kindness to your friends and classmates	
CURIOUS			
Swayde P	Room 1	For setting a great example in Room 1 during independent reading time.	
Olive P	Room 17	For always trying your best and asking clarifying questions.	
Oden M	Room 5	For sharing his interesting questions during class discussions.	
Mila H	Room 6	For always working hard in class and for always working well with others.	
Freya C	Room 9	For your consistent hard work in Maths. Your dedication has been amazing. Well done Freya!	
BRAVE			
Logan T	Room 16	For improved focus and attention to his work.	
Logan C	Room 17	For your brave start to QHPS.	
Macey D	Room 12	For always being open to feedback to improve in all areas.	

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