

MONNYYMAG

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Key Diary Dates 2026

2.40pm Friday Even Weeks Assembly
All Welcome

2nd Term 20 Apr to 26 Jun

30 Apr Tennis Incursion

1 May Gr3&4 Author Incursion

4 May Monday Mother's Day Stall

6 May House Athletics Mt Evelyn

11 May VR Animals Incursion

11 May School Council 7pm

22 May District Cross Country

27 May National Simultaneous

Storytime 12 noon

27 May Preps School Nurse Visit

29 May Gr3&4 C&C Incursion

2 Jun Division Cross Country

8 Jun King's Birthday Holiday

11 Jun Regional Cross Country

11 Jun Assembly 2.40pm

12 Jun Curriculum Day - No Students

15 Jun School Council 7pm

24 Jun Early Finish 1pm alternative prog

24 Jun Parent Teacher Interviews

Camps

31 Aug to 2 Sep Gr5&6 Sovereign Hill

2 to 4 Dec Gr3&4 Forest Edge Camp

MPS Full of Fun Fair

Sunday 22 November 2026

Lest we forget

We were proud to remember our ANZACs and all who have served last week.

Our Gr 5/6 students attended the Dandenong Ranges Schools ANZAC memorial at the 1000 steps, and laid a wreath for Monbulk PS. On Friday we held our ANZAC Assembly, and learned about a Monbulk ANZAC, John Henry Hogg. John was award the Distinguished Conduct Medal for his bravery in battle in France, and showed us how ordinary people can make an extraordinary difference in the service of others.

On Saturday, many students marched with the school, or with their other community groups.

Throughout all of these events I have been very impressed with the respect shown by our students through standing silently and respectfully.



Items to Action on Compass and Special Announcements

- Grade 6 - return your Application for Year 7 Placement form by 8th May
- Mother's Day Stall - check page 3
- Kiss and Drop reminder, 2 min limit, do not leave your car apart from helping your children in and out of it. **Please pass this onto to Grandparents/Carers**

I would also like to thank Monbulk RSL for their unwavering support with the installation of our new flagpoles. The RSL not only supported the grant application, Brain and Barry installed them. Monbulk PS thanks you for helping us show pride in our school through the flags.



Thank you Dianne!

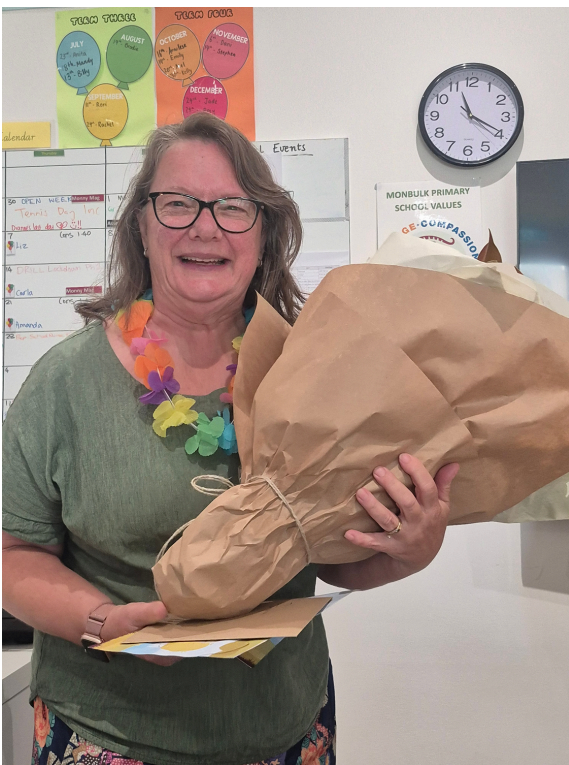
Today one of our long-standing Education Support staff, Dianne, is retiring.

Dianne has worked with us for many years, and has supported students across several schools for decades.

We thank Dianne for all of the wonderful support she has given to generations of children in helping them learn and engage with their schooling.

We couldn't do our jobs without the work of Education Support staff, and Dianne will be greatly missed.

All the best on your retirement – enjoy every well-deserved moment!



Estelle Alder
Principal

We acknowledge and pay respect of the Wurundjeri people of the Kulin Nation, their Ngurungaeta-Murrundindi, and their Elders, as the Traditional Owners of the land on which our School stands.



Fundraising News

Come and Join the Parent Support Group

Please contact the office if you would like to join a great group of Parents raising funds for our children's educational needs. Your involvement in fundraising activities is always welcome.

Tasty Tucker Thursdays

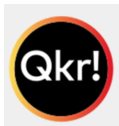
Order by 9am Tuesday on the QKR app

Every Thursday at Monbulk Primary School tasty treats are delivered from Edison's Bakery and Ethans Kitchen. Purchase your lunch order via the QKR app by 9am on Tuesdays. Lunch orders will be collected and delivered to the students classroom by 1.30pm each Thursday.

We urge you to support this fundraiser. Orders placed directly with the Bakery do not count towards this fundraising activity.

**If a student is absent on the day of the lunch order, please contact the office on 9756 6481 or Monbulk.ps@education.vic.gov.au to let us know if you would like us to hold the order for collection. If we do not hear from you, we will distribute the lunch to other students and/or staff. Click the link below to access the QKR App and download it on your phone

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Foody Fridays - Back on for 2026

Thank you to our wonderful parent volunteers who have made this happen!!
Term 2 \$1 Mini Hot Dogs in bread sold at Kitchen window 1st half of lunchtime on Fridays starting tomorrow. Small change \$\$ is appreciated.



Mother's Day Stall - Monday 4th May 2026

Calling for **donations** for the Mother's Day Stall. Craft, Baking (that will last a week) trinkets that Mums/carers will like, can be donated at the school office from the start of term 2.

Our wonderful parent volunteers have been busy sourcing items for the stall. There will be an array of items priced from \$1 to \$6. Each class will visit the stall with their teacher who will help the students purchase two or three items for their Mum. Aunty or special person. Please send your child/ren to school with small change and a bag to pop their purchased items in to carry home.



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Other News



Monbulk



Primary School

Phone 9756 6481

OPEN WEEK

27th April to 1st May 2026 Tours 9.30am Daily

28th April 2026 6pm Prep Parent Information Night

**2027
Enrolments
Now Open**



***TERM 2
BREAKFAST
CLUB!**

**CHANGE OF TIMES FOR
COLDER WEATHER**

- Starts Week 1 (22nd April)
- Wednesday and Friday Mornings
- 8.30am-8.50am
- Where: School Kitchen

**SCHOOL
BREAKFAST
CLUBS
PROGRAM
BREAKFAST
CLUB**

VOLUNTEER NOW

meg.fox@education.vic.gov.au

Community News

IT'S TIME...

net-set-go 2026

AGE

★ 5 - 8

WHEN

★ Every Tuesday 4 - 4:45pm
5th May - 28th July

WHERE

★ Monbulk Netball Club
13 Moores Rd



**REGISTRATIONS OPEN
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fun!**

CONTACT US:

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AUSTRALIA'S #1 NON-COMPETITIVE SOCCER PROGRAM

TERM 2, 2026 SOCCER FUN FOR GIRLS & BOYS AGED 2-12!

STARTING FROM 2ND MAY

Free FIRST 15 NEW ENROLMENTS RECEIVE COMPLIMENTARY SHIRT AND SHORTS!

FOR A **FREE** TRIAL P. 0437 037 207

MITE (2-3 YRS OLD)
35 MINUTE CLASSES
\$166 FOR 8 WEEKS

A GREAT INTRODUCTION TO SOCCER! CHILDREN WORK WITH THEIR PARENTS TO LEARN NEW SOCCER SKILLS AND DEVELOP THEIR MOTOR SKILLS (LOTS OF FUN GAMES IN A NON-COMPETITIVE ENVIRONMENT)

PINT SIZE (4-5 YRS OLD)
45 MINUTE CLASSES
\$170 FOR 8 WEEKS

CHILDREN TAKE THEIR FIRST TACKLES IN SOCCER! THEY'LL BE INTRODUCED TO SHOOTING, DRIBBLING, GOAL KEEPING AND MORE. CHILDREN GET TO PLAY LOTS OF FUN, SKILL-BASED GAMES. GRASSHOPPERS GET INTRODUCED TO PINT SIZE 'TVT BIG GAME'!

INTRO TO MICRO (5-6 YRS OLD)
MICRO (6-8 YRS OLD)
60 MINUTE CLASSES
\$180 FOR 8 WEEKS

THE ULTIMATE CHALLENGE FOR YOUNG SOCCER PLAYERS! THEY'LL LEARN THE RULES OF THE GRASSHOPPER SOCCER BIG GAME AND DEVELOP THEIR SKILLS IN PASSING, DRIBBLING, SHOOTING AND MORE!


MICRO PLUS (8-12 YRS OLD)
60 MINUTE CLASSES
\$180 FOR 8 WEEKS

THIS PROGRAM FOCUSES ON SKILL DEVELOPMENT AND TEAMWORK IN PREPARATION FOR CLUB SOCCER. (2-8 DEVS WILL ENJOY ALL THE FAVOURITE SOCCER BASED GAMES FINE TUNE THEIR SKILLS AS WELL AS PLAY THE GRASSHOPPER SOCCER BIG GAME!

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TERM 2 STARTING 2ND MAY 2026



ENROLMENT FORM

PERSONAL INFORMATION

CHILD'S NAME: _____ DOB: _____

PARENT/GUARDIAN'S NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____ SUBURB: _____ POSTCODE: _____

PHONE: _____ MOBILE: _____ EMAIL: _____

HOW DID YOU HEAR ABOUT US: _____

TERM CENTRES (PLEASE TICK)

FERRIS GULLY NORTH/GRAND SCHOOL 171 FOREST ROAD, FERRIS GULLY, VIC 3796
8 week program starting Saturday 2nd May to Saturday 20th June

FERRIS PRIMARY SCHOOL 1000A KING, FERRIS GULLY, VIC 3796
8 week program starting Sunday 3rd May to Sunday 22nd June

PROGRAMS						
CLASS TIMES	MITE	PINT SIZE	INTRO TO MICRO	MICRO	MICRO PLUS	
FERRIS GULLY - SAT	9:30 - 9:35 AM	9:00 - 9:30 AM	10:30 - 11:30 AM	10:00 - 11:00 AM	10:30 - 11:30 AM	
FERRIS - SUN	9:30 - 9:35 AM	9:00 - 9:45 AM	10:30 - 11:30 AM	10:00 - 11:00 AM	10:30 - 11:30 AM	
TERM FEE	\$166	\$170	\$180	\$180	\$180	

PLEASE TICK YOUR PROGRAM

MITE (2-3 YRS OLD)

PINT SIZE (4-5 YRS OLD)

INTRO TO MICRO (5-6 YRS OLD)

MICRO (6-8 YRS OLD)

MICRO PLUS (8-12 YRS OLD)

PAYMENT

PAYMENT OPTIONS: CASH, BANK TRANSFER OR CREDIT CARD GRASSHOPPER SOCCER HAS A NON-REFUNDABLE POLICY PLEASE NOTE: Enrolment fee is \$2000.00 for 12 weeks

NAME: (GIRL/MISS/MRS) _____ BSB: 013 402 ACC: 683703636 REFERENCE: CHILD'S NAME _____

CREDIT CARD PAYMENT (PLEASE TICK): VISA MASTERCARD

CREDIT CARD PROCESSED AS GRASSHOPPER SOCCER

CREDIT CARD NUMBER: _____ EXPIRY: / _____ CVV: _____

PARENT'S CONSENT: I HEREBY AUTHORISE GRASSHOPPER SOCCER TO ACT ON MY BEHALF SHOULD MY CHILD REQUIRE MEDICAL ATTENTION AND RELEASE GRASSHOPPER SOCCER FROM ANY LIABILITY INCURRED BY MY CHILD AT GRASSHOPPER SOCCER PROGRAMS. PHOTOS/VIDEOS OF CHILDREN ATTENDING THESE PROGRAMS MAY BE USED FOR REASONABLE PROMOTIONAL PURPOSES BY GRASSHOPPER SOCCER.

ADD: GRASSHOPPER SOCCER SHIRT & SHORTS - ENROLMENT SPECIAL - **\$65**

SIZE - PLEASE TICK: XS XI S M L

DO YOU APPROVE: YES NO

SIGNATURE _____

ENROLMENT SPECIAL: \$ _____
TERM FEE: \$ _____
TOTAL: \$ _____

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Community News



INTER-GENERATIONAL PLAYGROUP

Starting Wednesday 6 May
Runs every Wednesday until 24 June
11.15am - 12.15pm

Children aged 2.5-6 will enjoy stories, songs, craft, music, dance and free play in our intergenerational playgroup, building connections, confidence and joy across generations.

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