

OAKVILLE PUBLIC SCHOOL



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Dear Parents and Friends

Spelling Bee



Last week, our Stage 2 and Stage 3 students had the opportunity to participate in the Premier's Spelling Bee. Students put in a lot of study and revision of the word lists and did a great job of spelling under pressure and in front of an audience. Congratulations to, Neil D (winner), Lucas B (runner up) for Stage 2 and Alexandra W (winner), Mahad A (runner up) for Stage 3. Both Neil and Alexandra will now compete at the Regional level early next term. Thank you to Miss Thompson for coordinating the competition.

Debating



On Tuesday 10 June, the Cockatoos debating team participated in the second round of the Premier's Debating competition. The Cockatoos unfortunately lost the debate, against Freemans Reach Public School, on the topic "Children under 12 should earn their screen time by doing chores".

Well done on your wonderful efforts. Thank you to Mr Fraser for coordinating the debating team.



Dates for the Diary

Fri 13 June	PSSA Round 5
Tues 17 June	Kindergarten Excursion Calmsley Hill Farm
Fri 20 June	PSSA Round 6
Tues 24 June	Musica Viva
Wed 25 June	SRC Fundraiser for Stewart House Pyjama Mufti Day
Thur 26 June	Sydney West Cross Country
Fri 27 June	PSSA Round 7

Ridges PSSA Competition



The students were extremely excited to finally get to play in Round 4 of the Ridges PSSA interschool competition last Friday. No matter the result the students enjoyed the chance to participate after a couple of washed-out weeks. We look forward to Round 5 this Friday 13 June.

Road Safety

In the interest of student safety, please follow all road rules when dropping off or picking up students from school. It is extremely important that all parents/carers follow the guidelines listed below.



Please ensure:

- all cars are parked correctly around school grounds;
- students always cross roads accompanied by an adult;
- parents/carers do not double-park; parents/carers do not complete U-turns on Oakville Road and Ogden Road, as this creates an unsafe situation. Instead of doing a U-turn please complete a lap around the school; and
- parents/carers do not park in the staff car park.

It is important that everyone takes responsibility for student safety around school grounds. At times, police and parking officers do patrols and checks around school grounds during drop off and pick up times. Your cooperation with this matter is greatly appreciated.



Semester 1 Student Reports

Student reports for Semester 1 will be sent home to families on Thursday 3 July 2025. The Department of Education has changed some guidelines regarding student reports which will become

effective from Semester 1 2025. Please note, when you receive your child's progress report, the format of the report will differ slightly compared to previous reports. If you have any questions regarding your child's progress report, please contact your child's teacher.

School Works



Some school improvements have started at Oakville Public School and some new projects will commence soon. Please be aware that changes may need to be made to our school grounds during the time that the works are being completed.

Kindergarten Enrolments for 2026

We have started taking Kindergarten enrolments for 2026. If you have a child who will be enrolling in Kindergarten for 2026, please assist us by completing an online enrolment form or forms are available from the office. Please bring your child's birth certificate/passport, immunisation documents and proof of address with you. Your assistance in this matter helps with planning for 2026. If you are aware of a family in the area who has a child who will be enrolling in Kindergarten for 2026, please ask them to contact the school office.



Ron Burton
Rel Principal

Book Club



Book Club catalogues have been handed out in classes. The final date for orders is **tomorrow** Wednesday, 11 June.

Ordering from Book Club is a great way to purchase new books for home and support the school.

A percentage of all orders will go towards purchasing new books for our library.

Payment can only be made by credit card via the LOOP system. No cash or cheques can be accepted by the school. You can place your child's order at [scholastic.com.au/LOOP](https://www.scholastic.com.au/LOOP) or using the LOOP app, which can be downloaded from the App Store or Google Play.

Mrs Bryce
Librarian

Assembly Awards ~ Years K-2 Term 2 Week 6

Principal's Award

<i>Bondi</i>	Lila F
<i>Opera House</i>	Arianna S
<i>Big Banana</i>	Madison M
<i>Penguin</i>	Sienna A
<i>Rainbow Beach</i>	Ava R
<i>Whitsundays</i>	Elijah M
<i>Shelly Beach</i>	Harry W
<i>Taronga</i>	Otis L
<i>Forster</i>	Olivia B
<i>Lake Conjola</i>	Archer B
<i>Kakadu</i>	NFP
<i>Hamilton Island</i>	Tylan S
<i>Byron Bay</i>	Conrad B
<i>Lightning Ridge</i>	

Merit Awards: Emmanuel G, Sebastian M, Sasha H, Zachariah T, Thomas M, Avi M, Alex J, Neo L, Priyashka A, Mason S, Thomas A, Zya H, Emmy C, Dylan D, Juke B, Noah L, Sebastian M, Rubi R, Fletcher M, Coen T, Stella B, Jesse TE, Cleo A, Riordan H-C Zanyar S, Allegra M, Ansh S

PBL Awards: Ava S, Christopher P, Talia L, Elsa E, Harneez G, Chelsea K, Moksha B, James T, Zahli P, Isla H, Henry R, Mysha S



SRC Newsletter

The SRC newsletter is coming back soon! If your child has achieved something special outside of school for sport or engaging with the local community, please send in photos and a little blurb explaining what the achievement is. For example; if their sport team has progressed to the next level, if they were represented at the Hawkesbury show, if they danced at an Eisteddfod, etc. The photos and blurb will appear in the SRC newsletter. We're looking forward to seeing all the achievements which Oakville students have accomplished. Please send the photos and blurb by Monday 23 June 2025 via email with the subject being "Attention Mrs Hand" to this address:



oakville-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au.

Thank you, from the SRC and Mrs Hand



PYJAMA



MUFTI DAY



for gold coin donation



Wednesday 25 June



SRC Fundraiser for Stewart House

Please note, regular mufti rules apply – no singlet/strappy tops and please wear closed in shoes. School hats must be worn.



NO PARKING

No waiting. You have two minutes to drop-off or pick-up and must stay within three metres of your vehicle.

If no spaces are available you cannot queue on the road way or in any other zones while waiting for a space. You will need to drive away, park elsewhere and return when there is space.

Penalties from \$227
Demerit points: 2



BUS ZONE

You must not stop or park in a Bus Zone for any reason unless you are driving a public bus.

You can only park in a Bus Zone if it is timed and you are parking there outside of those times.

Penalties from \$410
Demerit points: 2



NO STOPPING

You must not stop in a No Stopping Zone for any reason (including queuing or waiting for a space).

Penalties from \$410
Demerit points: 2



PEDESTRIAN CROSSING

You must not stop on or within 20 metres before or 10 metres after a pedestrian crossing, unless signage is in place allowing you to park there. Do not let your children in or out of a vehicle at a pedestrian crossing as this is a No Stopping Zone.

Penalties from \$544
Demerit points: 2

SPEEDING



The speed limit in a School Zone is 40km/h. School Zones are in force on all days which are not a weekend, a public holiday or a publicly notified school holiday for government schools. School Zone days include development days / student free days.

Penalties from \$238
Demerit points: 2

SCHOOL ZONES & PARKING RULES

PENALTIES & DEMERIT POINTS



Children are small, harder to see, behave unpredictably and are extremely vulnerable. They need you to take extra care when driving and parking around School Zones.



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DOUBLE PARKING

You must not stop on the road alongside a car that is parked at any time.

Penalties from \$410
Demerit points: 2

FOOTPATH, DRIVEWAY OR NATURE STRIP

You must not stop across a driveway, footpath or nature strip for any reason.

Penalties from \$410
Demerit points: 2

U TURNS

U turns are illegal on or near pedestrian crossings and across double white lines.

Penalties from \$410
Demerit points: 3



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***SCHOOL
HOLIDAY
PROGRAM***

144/148 WINDSOR ST RICHMOND

MONDAY 10.30 - 11.30 AM – 7/7/25
THURSDAY 10.30 - 11.30 AM – 10/7/25
MONDAY 10.30 - 11.30 AM – 14/7/25
FRIDAY 10.30 - 11.30 AM – 18/7/25

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June 19th - 22nd & June 25th - 27th 2025
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HAWKESBURY FAMILY & YOUTH NAIDOC BALL

SATURDAY, 19 JULY 2025
NORTH RICHMOND
PANTHERS

Don't miss it! Join in celebrating NAIDOC at the
first Hawkesbury Family and Youth Ball

FAMILY BALL
5PM - 8PM
Tickets

- \$10 per person
- \$55 for 6 tickets
- \$90 table of 10
- 2 and under are FREE (no seat)

YOUTH BALL
9PM - 11:30PM
TICKETS
\$10 per person

Non alcohol event

YOUTH Ball is a separate event held at the same location. Tickets are sold separately.

BOOK YOUR TICKETS

To book your tickets, please send through full names of all people attending with any dietary requirements to Merana. All people attending must have their name secured on a ticket including children.

(02) 4588 5144 admin@merana.org.au

HAWKESBURY NAIDOC BALL

SATURDAY
26 JULY 2025
6PM - 12AM

Windsor Function
Centre

Tickets
\$110 pp + GST
\$1250 table of 12 + GST

18+ Event
Formal Dress

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