



**ALLANSFORD & DISTRICT  
PRIMARY SCHOOL No3**

*Safe, Respectful & Responsible Learners*

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## KEY DATES

Allansford and District Primary School has been built on the traditional lands of the Peek Whurrong people of the Eastern Maar Nation and wish to acknowledge them as the custodians of the land and waterways. We pay our respects to their Elders, past and present, and extend that to all Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people.



### TERM 2

#### WEEK TEN

**Friday 26th:**

**Last Day of Term - 2.30pm finish**

### TERM 3

#### WEEK ONE

**Monday 13th July:**

First day of Term 3

**Tuesday 14th:**

GALS Workshop @Deakin

#### WEEK TWO

**Tuesday July 21st:**

**STUDENT FREE DAY**

Parent/Teacher Interviews

#### WEEK THREE

**Monday 27th:**

F-2 Swimming 12-2pm

**Tuesday 28th:**

F-2 Swimming 12-2pm

**Wednesday 29th:**

100 Days of School -Foundations

#### WEEK FOUR

**Monday 3rd August:**

F-2 swimming 12-2pm

**Tuesday 4th:**

F-2 Swimming 12-2pm

GALS workshop 2 at school

#### TOASTIE TUESDAY

Each Tuesday of Term 2 and Term 3.

## ALLANSFORD ALIVE SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

### STUDENT LEADERS

Congratulations Henry on preparing and leading assembly confidently.

### School Values

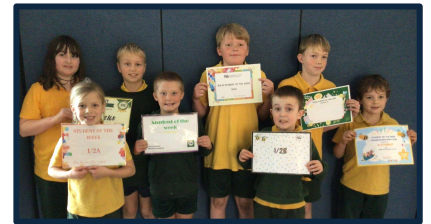
**Our school has four key values which guide our daily practices:**

**Be Safe + Be Respectful + Be Responsible + Be a Learner**

*"I feel being responsible is an important value at ADPS so people can follow the rules and therefore no one gets hurt."*

### STUDENT AWARDS

Congratulations on the fantastic efforts you have all shown for a huge range of skills and achievements. You should be proud of your achievements – We certainly are!



Our '**Values Award**' is presented to a student demonstrating our school values. This was awarded to *Arlo* who always tries his best and this week produced his best writing ever.  
**Congratulations** Arlo.

The '**Melo Award**' is presented each week to a person who has made a positive choice to help an individual or group.

The **Melo Award** was presented to *Oscar* who stopped his work to quickly help a solve always encourages his classmates and friends..

**Congratulations** Oscar.



The "**Wellbeing Award**" went to *Zachary M.* who had a go at playing basketball with the big kids  
**Congratulations** Zachary.

# FRIENDLY REMINDERS



## SHOWCASES

★ Foundations- Presented their Writing

★ 3/4s - Spoke about the Community Connections visit from 360 Southwest

## REPORTS

Due to the current A.E.U. stance, teachers who are union members will not be providing student comments on student reports this term.

However, there will be an opportunity for parents to discuss reports in Week 2.

## JEWELLERY

Please refer to the Uniform Policy on our website (*Student Dress Code- School Uniform 2026*) in relation to jewellery. The only acceptable items of jewellery are sleepers, studs and watches.

*Please note, this is a slight change to the information presented at the beginning of the year.*

## FROM THE PRINCIPAL

*I'd like to wish the whole Allansford and District Primary School Community a safe and relaxing holiday period ahead. We have certainly had a very busy term.*

*I'd like to announce that Mrs Kerry Arnott will be returning from long-service leave to work two mornings a week and Mrs Wendy Reinheimer will be continuing as our full-time Foundation teacher.*

June 2026

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
22 Sporting Schools- Year 5/6 Lawn Bowls @ City Memorial	23 Toastie Tuesday	24	25	26 Last Day of Term 2 2.30pm finish	27	28

July 2026

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
13 First Day of Term 3	14 Toastie Tuesday GALS Workshop 1 @ Deakin 9.30-2.30pm	15	16	17	18	19
20	21 <b>Student Free Day</b> Parent/Teacher/ Student Interviews	22 Parent/Teacher/ Student Interviews in the afternoon	23	24	25	26
27 F-2 swimming 12-2	28 Toastie Tuesday F-2 swimming 12-2	29 100 Days of school for Foundations	30	31		



# YEAR 3/4 HIGHLIGHTS FROM THE 360 Southwest Community Connections Program

Our Year 3/4 students recently reflected on their favourite moments from participating in the 360 Southwest Community Connections Program. Their reflections highlight the friendships, skills, fun, and sense of inclusion that made the experience so memorable.

Meeting all the participants and playing Boot Ball with Sheree and tennis with Wes (Mr Allen). **Billy**

Talking to Izzy and Tamika because it was nice to get along with some 360 Southwest participants. **Isla**

Seeing the participants get good at Boot Ball and tennis skills, and seeing them have a good time with Year 3/4. **Teddy**

Getting to know Izzy and finding out she loves horses too! **Amelia**

Having a conversation with Mel about Panmure netball and Footy. **Oscar**

Seeing all the participants again, learning how to play Boot Ball and developing new tennis skills. **Harvey**

Playing Boot Ball with Kobe, Harry and Tamika because everyone was included, and playing tennis with Wes (Mr Allen) because he taught us some cool tricks. **River**

Playing soccer and tennis. **Ayla**

Having fun with the participants and having a conversation with Tamika and Kobe. **Emma**

Playing Boot Ball because it was fun and I got to kick the ball and then run to the next base. Thank you to 360 Southwest for all the fun! **Mia**

Seeing all the familiar and unfamiliar faces from 360 Southwest. **Spencer**

They were really nice and I loved all of it! **Freya**

Everything, because I had so much fun doing tennis and Boot Ball! **Gypsy**

Cheering on the opposite team so they felt happy and ran faster! **Bella**

Talking to Tamika and getting to do skills with her. **Frankie**

When they taught us about tennis and I had so much fun! **Crisha**

Getting to chat with Kobe and playing Boot Ball and tennis. **Zach**

Everything in general, but especially booting the ball far in Boot Ball. I made a home run and we ended up winning. It was very fun! I also liked talking to my friends and doing some tennis skills. **Darcy**

When Kobe got a home run in Boot Ball and he was really happy about it! **Tom**

Seeing all the participants happy and seeing that they liked the games. **Matilda**

Having a chat with Melanie. All of my time with 360 Southwest was fantastic. **Scarlett**

Thank you, Seb, for asking how I was going and for being nice to me! **Louis**

When Wes (Mr Allen) told me that I was good at saying "well done" to others. I had fun with 360 Southwest! **Connor**

Seeing Harry C because Harry and I are related and this was my first time meeting him. Even though we are related, we are still friends. **Henderson**

A big thank you to 360 Southwest, the participants and facilitators for another wonderful session. Our Year 3/4 students have loved making new friendships, developing their skills and learning alongside others. We are already looking forward to continuing these connections when the program returns next term.

# 360 Southwest Community Connections



## Practicing Perseverance

*This fortnight, students will learn about perseverance and managing frustration. Perseverance is the ability to keep going when faced with challenges or setbacks without losing motivation - even when things feel frustrating or difficult. It means staying focused on our goals, adapting when needed and maintaining a positive mindset to overcome obstacles and succeed.*

### In the classroom, we can show perseverance by:

- *Staying focussed even when tasks are challenging.*
- *Breaking big tasks into smaller steps*
- *Trying a new strategy if one isn't working*
- *Asking questions to help us understand*
- *Keeping going after mistakes*
- *Using positive self-talk and regulation strategies*
- *Supporting others and working as a team*



### How parents can support this at home:

**Encourage effort not results** - Praise persistence, trying different strategies and learning from mistakes.

**Model problem solving** - Talk through challenges and talk about/demonstrate how you adapt when things don't go as planned.

**Practice coping strategies** - practice breathing, counting or positive self talk statements with your child, to build muscle memory and ease of use in the moment.

**Encourage teamwork** - Provide opportunities to collaborate with siblings or friends, emphasising support and shared problem-solving.



## WARRNAMBOOL TRAVEL KICKBACK

Allansford & District Primary School is pleased to partner with Warrnambool Travel again for 2026 as part of a Kickback Program to raise funds for our school.

For every booking made by an Allansford and District Primary School community member, including grandparents, Warrnambool Travel will offer 1% of each booking as a donation back to the school at the end of the school year.

For example, if we have multiple families book holidays, adding to a grand total of \$30,000, this would equate to a donation of \$300.

The more bookings that come from the Allansford school, the more funds raised, with all monies going toward updating the school's digital devices.

We thank Warrnambool Travel's commitment to giving back to the local community.


This partnership has been endorsed by our Allansford & District Primary School Council, and we invite all extended families looking to book a holiday through a travel agency, to please consider Warrnambool Travel.

Warrnambool Travel Manager: Joshua Campbell Phone: 03 55612233

Email: [travel@wbooltravel.com.au](mailto:travel@wbooltravel.com.au)




In one fun-filled day, kids will learn and play footy in a safe, inclusive environment. They'll pick up new skills, play mini-games and get creative with designing a footy or uniform. Plus have a footy goodie bag to take home.



**4-7 YEAR OLDS**

Our youngest players learn footy through fun, age-appropriate games that build skills, confidence and teamwork, led by NAB AFL Auskick coaches.



**7-12 YEAR OLDS**

Older kids level up their footy skills through modified game play and challenging activities that build teamwork, leadership and lasting memories in a fun, energetic day.

\*Kids can join NAB AFL Auskick if they are turning 5 in the calendar year (before 30th June in WA)

### WARRNAMBOOL SCHOOL HOLIDAY PROGRAM

**WEDNESDAY JULY 8 | 9AM - 3PM**

Contact Tristan Gibbs - 0476 980 108

# KIDFEST WARRNAMBOOL

Ages 0-10 years, a vibrant, interactive festival packed with creativity, discovery and hands-on fun!

## 4-6 JULY 2026

**WWW.KIDFEST WARRNAMBOOL.COM.AU**

Scan to explore the full program



- ✓ Hands-on activities
- ✓ Creative workshops
- ✓ Building & discovery sessions
- ✓ Music & movement sessions
- ✓ Soft play area for under 2's
- ✓ Local food vans
- ✓ Giant sandpit
- ✓ Free face painting

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### WARRNAMBOOL ALL GIRLS SCHOOL HOLIDAY PROGRAM!

**4-7 YEAR OLDS (AUSKICK)**



**7-12 YEAR OLDS (SUPERKICK)**



**DISCOUNTED PROGRAM!**

**JULY 6TH | 9AM-3PM**

Friendly Societies Park

## WARRNAMBOOL WINTER HUNT

WOODFORD PRIMARY SCHOOL FUNDRAISER



**THE HUNT RETURNS!**

**THESE WINTER SCHOOL HOLIDAYS, TAKE YOUR CREW ON AN ADVENTURE THEY'LL NEVER FORGET!**

**NEW LOCATIONS, CREATIVE CHALLENGES AND LOADS OF LOCAL FUN TO BUST THOSE WINTER BLUES!**

**\$40 PER TEAM**

**27 JUNE - 12 JULY**

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