

TERM 3 ISSUE 7
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Melaleuca Park
PRIMARY SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER



COMING EVENTS

WEEK 3

- 03 August Monday
 - 12JP5 Bakers Delight
 - Governing Council 5:30
- 07 August Friday
 - Rm7 & Rm1 swimming

WEEK 4

- 11 August Tuesday
 - 3P8 Hot Shots Carnival
- 12 August Wednesday
 - SCHOOL PHOTOS**
- 14 August Friday
 - Rm7&1 Swimming

WEEK 5

- 19 August Wednesday
 - YELP#3 to Millicent
- 21 August Friday
 - Assembly 2:40
 - Rm7&1 Swimming

WEEK 6

BOOK WEEK

- 26 August Wednesday
 - Andy Lee Online (JP)
- 27 August Thursday
 - 456 Basketball Carnival
- 28 August Friday
 - Book Week Parade 9:15**
 - Rm7&1 Swimming

WEEK 7

- 01 September Tuesday
 - Auntie Michelle visit
- 02 September Wednesday
 - 45P9 Walking the Seasons
- 03 September Thursday
 - Choir Practice to Reidy Park
- 04 September Friday
 - Rm7&1 Swimming

WEEK 8

- 07 September Monday
 - Governing Council 5:30pm
- 11 September Friday
 - Rm7&1 Swimming

From the Principal

Book Week 2026 - Symphony of Stories



This year's Book Week Parade will take place on Friday 28 August in the school gym at 9:15. The 2026 Children's Book Week in Australia, organized by the CBCA, runs from Saturday, 22 August to Friday, 28 August 2026, featuring the theme "Symphony of Stories" illustrated by Briony Stewart.

Dogs onsite

Parents and carers should not bring dogs and puppies onto school grounds during school times, unless the dog is a registered assistance animal. This is to ensure the safety and welfare of students, staff, and the school community. Most South Australian public schools have policies in line with Department for Education procedures that prohibit dogs from entering school grounds, except under specific, approved circumstances.

Key points for parents:

- Dogs are not permitted on school grounds during school times unless prior approval is given by the principal for educational or wellbeing purposes, or the dog is a registered assistance animal.
- This rule is in place to minimise risks such as bites, allergic reactions, and hygiene issues.
- If a parent must bring a dog (e.g. assistance animal), the school should be notified in advance, and the animal must remain under the handler's direct control at all times.

Pupil Free Day

Melaleuca Park will be holding its next Pupil Free Day in Term 4 on Monday 12 October 2026.

Erica Hurley

Excellence Awards

Louis Zammit

Louis you have had a wonderful start to Term 3. You have been super engaged in your learning and trying your hardest in literacy learning new sounds. It has been great watching you join in with Auskick and giving it your best. Keep it up Louis!

Charlie Wandin

For your enthusiasm in learning our new sounds each weeks. Great work Charlie!

Jimmy Tun

Jimmy, you are a wonderful role model in our classroom. You consistently try your very best in everything you do, and your positive attitude inspires those around you. We are so proud of the independent writing you are producing and the fantastic effort you put into improving your skills. It's also wonderful to see you working so well with your friend Willow, independently practicing your reading and writing together. Keep up the amazing work, Jimmy

Malakye Loffler

For showing some great leadership skills, helping your teacher and classmates.
This term you have demonstrated our school values by working hard and focusing on being kind to others. Well done, Malakye.

Lilly Everingham

For her positive approach to learning and for always helping others.

James Smith–Stokes

James, you have made an outstanding start to Term 3! You have shown a positive attitude towards your learning by consistently extending yourself, taking on challenges, and pushing your learning stamina. It has been fantastic to see you stay focused, persevere through tasks, and give your best effort each day. Keep up the excellent work and continue striving to achieve your personal best!

Jenny Tun

Jenny, you have been a consistent and dedicated learner throughout the entire year. It has been wonderful to see your confidence continue to grow as you challenge yourself, share your ideas, and participate actively in class. You consistently extend yourself in your learning, approach every task with a positive attitude, and always strive to do your best. Keep up the fantastic work, we are so proud of the progress you have made!

congratulations to Excellence award recipients

BOOK WEEK DRESS UP PARADE

FRIDAY 28TH AUGUST (WEEK 6)
9:15AM START IN THE GYM

PARENTS WELCOME!

Come dressed
as your
favourite book
character!

2020 CHILDREN'S BOOK WEEK





PRESCHOOL ENROLMENT

**Is your child turning 4 before
1 May 2027?**

Did you know we can offer an extended transition process at Melaleuca Park Kindergarten starting in Term 3, 2026.

Call into Kindy and meet our wonderful staffing team to chat about how we can best support your child.

For more information call 088723 5513 or email dl.6534.leaders@schools.sa.edu.au



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