

Mt Egerton Primary School

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Newsletter



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Upcoming Dates

Milkshake Mondays - Fourth Monday of

Term 2 & 3

Chocolate or Strawberry Milkshakes \$2

Thursday 12th June

Breakfast Club

Monday 16th June

Milkshake Monday Full Cream &
Almond Milk - \$2 each

Tuesday 17th June

MARC Van

School Council 5:30pm

Wednesday 18th June

Kids Helpline Friendship Incursion

Sunday 22nd June

Bunnings BBQ Fundraiser

Monday 23rd June

Friends of the Brisbane Ranges Visit

Monday 30th June – Friday 04th July

Swimming Week

Friday 04th July

Last day of Term – 2:30pm finish

Principal's Message:

Ground Works

We currently have quite a few grounds works underway. Our shelter in place building is expected to be completed by the end of August. The chicken coop is well underway and should be completed by the end of the term. We have begun clearing the centre island to create the blank canvas for our sensory garden. We are all super excited about this. The students have put together a few plans and items they would like to include. We can't wait for the meandering path to be laid and then the school community can start the fun part of planting and creating. Finally, our basketball court is being re fence in the first week of the holidays.

Grade 5 Sovereign Hill Costumed School Experience - On Tuesday 10th and Wednesday 11th June our grade five students went to Sovereign Hill to become living exhibits in the museum. The students reported that they had a great time and experience. I was also very proud to be told how amazing our students were and that they immersed themselves whole heartily into the experience and played their roles so well. Well done Ben, Finley and Justin!

Bunnings BBQ Fundraiser - Mount Egerton Primary School have been fortunate enough to be offered to host another Bunnings BBQ. This will be held on **Sunday 22nd June**, we ask families to jump on to Compass and nominate a time if and where possible as we will need as many volunteers as we can to help us run this day. If you are unable to volunteer on the day, but would like to contribute to this fundraiser, the following items will be required for the day, if you would like to donate one/some: -

24 pack Coke, 24 pack Coke Zero, 24 pack Fanta, 24 pack of water, 3 x packets of napkins, 1 litre Tomato Sauce, 1 litre Barbeque Sauce & Mustard Sauce

Please see Ms Tuaine if you can donate.

Breakfast Club

Every Thursday morning Breakfast Club will recommence. Students are invited to come to school early (8:20 am on) for a free, nutritious breakfast. Thank you to Liz our School Council President for volunteering to run this program.

Resilience: Picking yourself back up and giving new experiences a go...

Perseverance: Challenging yourself to do your best...

Kindness: Being friendly, generous and considerate of others...

Community: Representing Mount Egerton with pride...

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Student Awards

- ❖ Congratulations to Abby for demonstrating our school value of Perseverance. Abby has persevered in class to complete her Industrial Revolution presentation and actively persevered with her handwriting skills.
- ❖ Congratulations to Lily for demonstrating our school value of Kindness. Lily has acted as a leading member of the Junior Room, helping her younger peers in class and out in the playground.
- ❖ Congratulations to our Grade 5 students Ben, Justin and Finley, for representing Mount Egerton with pride at their Sovereign Hill costumed school experience.

Reading Awards

- ❖ Congratulations to Abby and Lily for reading 75 nights!
- ❖ Congratulations to Ben for reading 100 nights!
- ❖ Congratulations to Archie and Max for reading 125 nights!

Principal Award

- ❖ Congratulations to Maisie for demonstrating resilience and recovering from setbacks positively. Well done!





2026 Enrolments Open Now

Onsite Nature-based Playgroup
Resource Smart School and Oz Harvest Ambassadors
Student-led Passions Program and Sustainability Team
Science, AUSLAN, Visual Arts, Performing Arts, Music and Sports specialist studies
Dedicated teachers and learning support staff

Personalised school tours are available by appointment.
Please contact our friendly office staff for an enrolment pack.
Secure your child's place for 2026 now!



Student leadership
opportunities from
Grade 1-6



Individual learning
plans for every
student



Bush Classroom and
Environmental
Programs

Mount Egerton Primary School

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Mount Egerton Nature Playgroup

Mount Egerton Primary School is offering playgroup!

Tuesdays 10:00am - Storytime in the portable building

Our Storytime playgroup is a free, lively, interactive session. We want children to discover the joy of reading with action songs, books and rhymes.

Storytime enhances communication and social skills, fosters imagination, boosts listening skills and improves language and literacy skills. BYO snack and water.

Upcoming Community Events

MT EGERTON REC RESERVE

UPCOMING EVENTS 2025

MAR 23	CAR BOOT SALE 10AM - 2PM
BONFIRE NIGHT 6PM	MAY 24
JUN 14	MAIDEN'S CIRCLE (TEEN GIRLS)
PAINTING + SIP 4PM KIDS / 7PM ADULTS	AUG 16
OCT 25	HALLOWEEN PARTY 5PM
NYE PARTY 5.30PM	DEC 31

FOR MORE INFORMATION VISIT
MT EGERTON REC RESERVE FB PAGE

JUNE 16TH

FARMER'S NIGHT OFF

BEERS
FREE BBQ
KIDS ACTIVITIES
LIVE MUSIC
MAGIC SHOW
DOOR PRIZES
GUEST SPEAKERS
SUPPORT SERVICES

5.30PM - 9.30PM
BALLARAT SHOWGROUNDS

NAIDOC 2025 Wathaurong Events

The Next Generation:
Strength, Vision & Legacy

SAT 5TH JULY NAIDOC Ball 6:30pm - 11pm Mount Duneed Estate	MON 7TH JULY Flag Raising 11am-2pm Morgan Street <small>FREE EVENT - ALL WELCOME</small>
TUES 8TH JULY AUNTIES & UNCLES LUNCH 12pm-2pm Booln Booln <small>FREE FOR MOB MUST REGISTER</small>	WED 9TH JULY NAIDOC YOUTH BALL 6pm-9pm Norlane Arc <small>FREE EVENT FOR MOB AGED 12-17 MUST REGISTER</small>
THURS 10TH JULY KIDS DISCO 5pm - 7pm Youth Hub <small>FREE EVENT FOR MOB MUST REGISTER</small>	FRI 11TH JULY NAIDOC March 9:30am Naarm (Melbourne) <small>BUS TRANSPORT AVAILABLE</small>
SAT 12TH JULY GELONG UNITED BASKETBALL FIRST NATIONS ROUND Geelong Arena From 5pm <small>FREE TICKETS FOR MOB</small>	

Scribbly Bark Farm

scribblybarkfarm@gmail.com

Get Together

Holiday Program

During these sessions children will be provided with the opportunity to develop their skills to:


- Share
- Take turns
- Join in games
- Express their needs
- Accommodate the needs of others
- Initiate play
- Make and maintain friendships
- Problem solve social situations
- Manage themselves in a small, play-based group setting on the farm

We will tailor a program to cater to the groups participants needs through activities including Cubby town, little farm hands, gardening, arts and crafts, music and story time. All in our play based farm setting

These sessions are run by an experience qualified teacher in consultation with a clinical play therapist.

Available Sessions:

Monday 7th July till Friday 18th
10am—3pm
NDIS funding accepted



Visit our website for more details.
www.scribblybarkfarm.com.au

Phone us on: 0415 382 676
69 Lills Lane Mt. Egerton, Vic 3352

Local Learning Opportunities

UPCOMING ONLINE REGENERATIVE AG COURSES IN JUNE - JULY

Join agroecologist, David Hardwick and highly experienced practitioners in their fields to explore our regenerative ag courses.

MAKING COMPOST ON FARM: ONLINE COURSE
23 JUNE - 21 JULY
@7.30 PM - 9.00 PM

- Want to make compost on farm with low costs methods?
- Want to make high-quality compost on your farm using simple, low labour methods

"A very comprehensive introduction to compost making with an excellent line up of experts and practitioners. Now that I understand more about composting I'm going to be making higher quality compost over less time." Sharon NSW

MAKING BIOFERTILISERS ON FARM: ONLINE COURSE
24 JUNE - 22 JULY
@7.30 PM - 9.00 PM

- Learn to make a range of biofertilisers on farm
- Learn about different biological products
- Learn how to make a range of basic Starter Cultures

Thank you again for delivering a fantastic session - Bioferts workshop Western VIC April 2023






**MORE INFORMATION OR
SCAN TO BOOK**



BARISTA TRAINING

**with
Cobb's Coffee**

Dates and Time:

- ✓ June 13 & June 20
- ✓ 4 pm to 6 pm

Address:
Cobb's Coffee (Lydiard St), Ballarat Central

REGISTER:
[HTTPS://LINKTR.EE/BALLARATYOUTHSERVICES](https://linktr.ee/ballaratyouthservices)












**YOUTH
SERVICES**

**CITY OF
BALLARAT**



The City of Ballarat is committed to being a child safe organisation and has zero tolerance for child abuse and harm.
www.ballarat.vic.gov.au/city/my-community/child-safe-standards

25th and 26th of June

Waterwatch Training

Join the CCMA, Leigh Catchment Group and the City of Ballarat for two hands-on citizen science events.

Learn to:

- Test water quality
- Survey waterbugs
- Help your local creeks

When & where:

Wed 25 June, 5:30pm-7:00pm
Djila-tjarri Community Hub, Alfredton

Thu 26 June, 10am-12pm
Ditchfield Bushland Reserve, Brown Hill

Free - limited spots
Register using: QR codes on the next page or the link in our bio



Volunteer







ARISE

REGIONAL VICTORIAS
EXCLUSIVE NETWORKING
EVENT

FASHION, BEAUTY, WELLNESS & LIFESTYLE

SATURDAY 25TH OCTOBER
6PM-10PM
THE BOATSHED BALLARAT

Join us for an inspiring evening of great food & drinks, great conversations, and great company as we delve into discussion of current trends, social media content trends & marketing strategies, hints & tips and networking opportunities.



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