



Hallam Happenings

23 July 2026

Term 3/#1

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Hallam Primary School's learning and teaching programs support and promote the principles and practice of Australian democracy, including a commitment to elected government, the rule of law, equal rights for all before the law, freedom of religion, freedom of speech and association and the values of openness and tolerance.

Hallam Primary School has a zero tolerance approach to child abuse.

We acknowledge the Traditional Owners of the land where we work and live, the Bunurong People of the Kulin nation, and pay our respects to Elders past and present.



Dear Hallam Primary School Community,

It has been a fabulous start to Term 3. Thank you for your words of congratulations as I started as the substantive Principal at Hallam Primary School. I loved my time as Acting Principal and I was thrilled when I was told I had been appointed to the position. It is a fabulous school, and I feel very blessed that I get to lead Hallam through this next chapter.

New staff

Please welcome our new staff to Hallam Primary School.

Samantha Ades- Year 5/6 teacher

Lily Zee-Verner – Year 3 teacher

Mansi Desai – Occupational Therapist

Kylie Than – Speech Pathologist

Fasha Abdul Latiff – Education Support

Katherine Vasiliadis – Education Support

Ambulance Victoria Cover

I highly encourage all families to ensure they have a membership with Ambulance Victoria. If an emergency situation arises at school, we will call an ambulance to support student health and wellbeing. Ambulance officers can provide pain relief and ensure major injuries are assessed faster than when we transport to hospital privately.

Our new oval

At the end of last term, our new football oval was officially opened. Our students have loved going out there at recess and lunch time to make use of this wonderful new facility.

Athletics Day

Last Friday, Hallam Primary School held our first Athletics Day in a long time. A massive shout out to Mrs Britten who organised the day and pumped up the enthusiasm. She even organised the sun to shine! A very big thank you to the Hallam Secondary College students who helped us to run the sports and record results. We look forward to it being an even bigger and better event next year.

Special Toys

We love it when students bring special toys to share with us and to share with their class for Show and Tell. The safest place for toys is at home, or left in school bags. If toys are broken or stolen at school, we are unable to replace them.

SPTCs

Next week we will be hosting Student-Parent-Teacher Conferences. We are trialling having them all on one night to help working parents who cannot attend before 4.45pm. I would love to hear your feedback about the change for us to consider when planning for them in 2027. Please book an interview time with your child's classroom teacher using Compass.

2027 – Preps enrolment

We are still taking enquiries for 2027 Prep enrolments. If you have a child who is due to start school next year, please pop into the office or enquire through Student Insight.

Stay safe and well. 'Till next time,

Laura Sammut
Principal



Kitchen Garden Program

Our Prep—Year 2 students have enjoyed attending their Kitchen Garden sessions. A big thank you to Bunnings for the donation of seedlings and to Ann who came to assist students plant these.



Term 3 Calendar

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SAT	SUN
27 JULY Prep 100 Days of School & Milo's Birthday Party Celebration	28 Playgroup	29	30 FREE DRESS DAY— Gold coin donation School Tour 4pm (by appointment)	31 2027 Prep Enrolments due	1 AUG	2
3 Prep Fire Rescue Victoria Incursion	4 Playgroup School Tour 9:15am (by appointment)	5 5/6 Salvos Incursion	6 Year 1 and 2 Responsible Pet Ownership Incursion District Aths	7	8	9
10	11 Playgroup	12	13 Milk and Muffin Morning Tea	14 Wakakirri Performance Frankston Arts Centre	15	16
17	18 Playgroup	19 Year 1 and 2 Melbourne Zoo Excursion	20 School Tour 4pm (by appointment)	21	22	23
24	25 Playgroup	26	27	28 Book Week Parade 9:15am	29	30
31	1 SEPT Playgroup	2	3	4 Father's Day Stall Dads and Lads Afternoon 2:45-3:30pm No Assembly	5	6
7	8 Playgroup	9	10	11	12	13
14	15 Playgroup	16 Divisional Athletics	17 Free Dress Day Footy Colours - Gold coin donation	18 End Term 3— 2:30pm finish No Assembly	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29				3	4

School Holidays

Auslan Level 1



Join our 6-week level 1 course to grasp the basics of Auslan grammar and sign language. Learn how to communicate effectively with deaf and hard of hearing individuals.



Cost: \$160 - this includes a workbook and access to an online portal for at home learning.

**Course begins:
THURSDAY 6th AUGUST
5:30pm to 8:30pm**

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