



MOUNT MOLLOY SS NEWSLETTER



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Principal's News

What a wonderful few weeks it has been at Mount Molloy State School! Our school community continues to shine with positivity, teamwork and a shared love of learning.

This week, our whole school proudly attended the Mount Molloy RSL Remembrance Day Service to pay our respects to those who have served our country. It was a moving ceremony, and our students represented our school with pride, respect and maturity. We were honoured to take part in this important community event and to help our students understand the values of remembrance, gratitude and service. A sincere thank you to the Mount Molloy RSL for again inviting us to participate in the Draw to Remember project and display our beautiful student artworks for the third consecutive year.

Our Year 6 students enjoyed their Quicksilver trip to Low Isles on Thursday with Miss Sonja and Miss Budgen. This special experience is always a wonderful way to celebrate their final term of primary school, explore our unique reef environment, and create lasting memories together before graduation.

Earlier this term, we celebrated Seniors Month with a delightful Morning Tea that brought smiles, laughter and heartfelt conversations. It was a joy to welcome our grandparents and local seniors, sharing in their stories and strengthening connections across generations. Events like these remind us how special our community truly is – one built on care, respect and togetherness. A big thank you to the Mareeba Shire Council for supporting this event; we look forward to hosting it again in 2026!

In the classroom, students continue to show strong growth and engagement in all learning areas, particularly in reading. Their focus, effort and curiosity are making a clear impact on their progress. As we move through this stage of the term, students are working diligently on their final assessments, demonstrating perseverance and pride in their learning.

Our students have also impressed us with their outstanding attitude and progress in swimming and gymnastics this term. Their enthusiasm, determination and willingness to challenge themselves have been wonderful to see. These programs have now wrapped up for the year, and we are incredibly proud of the confidence, strength and coordination our students have developed. To keep the fun and fitness going, students will now enjoy tennis coaching on Friday afternoons for the remainder of the term, thanks to a generous grant from Tennis Australia – another fantastic opportunity for our learners to develop new skills and stay active together.

It was also a pleasure to welcome new families and future learners during our recent Prep Open Mornings. Building these early connections helps children feel confident and excited about beginning school next year. We are currently taking enrolments across all year levels, so please continue to promote our wonderful school within the community. As we move into the final weeks of the school year, there is plenty to look forward to. Our calendar is filling with exciting school activities and celebrations, including end of year performances, transition days, and our election process for 2026 school leaders. This is a very special time for our senior students as they prepare to take on new responsibilities and develop their leadership skills. We encourage all students considering leadership roles to reflect on how they can contribute positively to our school's culture and continue Mount Molloy's proud tradition of student voice and responsibility.

As we approach the end of term, it's natural for students (and teachers!) to feel a little tired. It has been a big, busy and productive year, and I am so proud of everyone's continued effort, kindness and resilience as we finish strong together.

Finally, a friendly reminder about the importance of regular attendance. Every day of learning makes a difference. Each day builds on the last: developing literacy and numeracy skills, strengthening friendships and growing confidence. Being at school every day helps children feel connected, capable and ready to achieve their best.

Thank you to all our families for your ongoing support, encouragement and partnership. Together, we continue to create a nurturing, high achieving environment where every child feels valued, confident and proud to be a Mount Molloy learner.

Warm regards,
Zarah-Rae Budgen
Principal 🌻





PREP Open Day #2 - Gardening and Nature Craft

**Congratulations to our PBL Winners:
Lola - Elka-Rain - Aria - Sianah - Lilliarna - Faeryn**



Week 5 Kitchen with the Seniors. Cooking up some scrumptious ANZAC Biscuits for Remembrance Day



REMEMBRANCE DAY



Yr 6 Low Isles Trip



✂️ FOR THE FRIDGE ✂️

Upcoming Events

NOVEMBER

Wednesday 19th
World Kindness Day

Tuesday 25th
Last Religion Lesson

School Cleaner
Applications Close

DECEMBER

Wednesday 3rd
Mareeba High
Transition Day Yr6

Thursday 4th
Yr 6 Graduation
Dinner

DECEMBER

Friday 5th
Christmas in the Park
Geraghty Park 5pm-7pm

Saturday 6th
QCWA Mt Molloy
Christmas Markets

Monday 8th
MT Kooyong Nursing
Home Visit

Wednesday 10th
Instrumental Music
Combined Concert
Dimbulah

Thursday 11th
End of Year Celebration
& Awards Night

Friday 12th
Last Day of School

EVERY WEEK

Monday: Parade 9am

Tuesday: Religion

Wednesday: Instrumental Music

Thursday: Bike Day

Friday: Kitchen/Garden & Tennis



Mt Molloy State School

POSITION VACANT SCHOOL CLEANER

PERMANENT PART-TIME
36.5 HOURS PER FORTNIGHT

Are you looking for a meaningful role where you can make a real difference? We're on the lookout for a dedicated and reliable cleaner to join our friendly and supportive school community.

As a school cleaner, you'll play a vital role in creating and maintaining a safe, hygienic, and welcoming environment for our students, staff, and visitors.

This is a fantastic opportunity to contribute to school life while working within a caring and inclusive team.

If you're passionate about making a difference and have the skills we're looking for, we'd love to hear from you!

APPLICATION VIA SMART JOBS
<https://smartjobs.qld.gov.au> Job Reference:
 QLD/FNR670252/25P
Applications Close 25th November 2025

The successful applicant must hold or be willing to acquire a Working With Children Blue Card and undergo a Criminal History Check.

Please contact the principal via e-mail principal@mtmolloyss.eq.edu.au or call 0740941261 for any further enquiries.

Applications remain current for 12 months from the closing date and may be considered for appointment to identical or similar vacancies within the Department.