



17 October 2025

Term 4 Week 2

OFFICE UPDATE

A school that values Community, Confidence, Ambition and Respect.

Term 4 2025, Week 3

Monday:

- Year 1&2 swim program continues

Tuesday:

- Canteen Open
- Hooptime Future Stars

Wednesday:

- Yrs 3&4 Bake Off

Thursday:

- 9.15am Assembly
- Yrs 3 & 4 Bodywise
- Volleyball Girls @ Division Playoffs

Friday:

- Canteen Open
- Yrs 5&6 Parliament House

See last page
for upcoming dates

Bank Details

Commonwealth Bank

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Primary School Official Account

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The Update: Published fortnightly

School Administration

Fete—Fete— Fete

Final update on our **FABULOUS FANTASTIC FETE 2026 – this Sunday 19th October 10am – 3pm.**

Parking is available at school; main parking areas, overflow parking area and the top courts (fete day only), but it could get busy. Eltham Lions Club will be assisting on the day to guide traffic. However, if the weather is fair, and it is possible, it may be wise to walk.

Please be aware of foot traffic, and the rides operating on the main oval.

Eftpos machines will be available for payment but it may be wise to bring cash & coin with you too for coin toss stalls and incidentals.

A fete map, along with stage & dunk tank running times, is attached.

Our fetes are infamous and we hope you all have a great time.

Assemblies Term 4 2025

School Assemblies will be held on Thursdays (fortnightly) starting at 9.15am (unless otherwise stated). Please see the dates below:

Week 3 Thursday 23rd Oct	Ms Vale Students of the week & OSH awards
Week 6 Thursday 13th Nov	Ms Vale 2 Students of the week & OSH awards Class in the Spot Light- 5/6W

FETE—THIS SUNDAY
Sunday 19th October
10am—3pm





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School starts at 9am

It's term 4, let's work together to get our kids in the yard a little before 9am for a play and a chat before heading into class. This is great for building positive relationships and community, and ensures that our children come into class ready to learn.

Students — late arrival or leaving early

Please remember to **always** sign your child into school, at the office, if they are late in the morning and sign them out of school if they are leaving early. Children's attendance is taken from Compass and reported to the Department of Education, which is a legal obligation. Also unexplained absences will show on your child's report. If you have trouble entering an absence on Compass, please either call or email the office and Carol or Jac will be happy to enter the details for you.

Arriving at school

The school yard is not supervised until 8.45am, unless your child is booked in with OSHClub, for safety reasons, please ensure you do not drop your children off too early.

Enrolling with OSHClub is Free and Highly Recommended

We have an awesome OSHClub that runs before school and after school care here at RPS and it's free to enrol. However, you **must** have your children enrolled to attend, even on a casual or last minute basis. If you are running late to collect your child, the school office is happy to look after your child for a few minutes but if you end up being, say over 15 minutes late, you should arrange to have them sent to OSHClub until you arrive. Please check out their website for details www.oshclub.com.au

Lunch—please provide enough



Please ensure you send enough play snack and lunch in with your child. They seem to be getting hungrier and hungrier.

We won't see them starve, and noodles can be supplied at a charge of \$3.50.





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PE & SPORTS NEWS

Hoop Time Regional Finals

Our Year 5/6 Future Stars team competed at the Diamond Valley Fitness Centre, playing with great effort and determination. The team finished third in their pool, narrowly missing out on a spot in the final. It was wonderful to see a mix of experienced basketballers and newcomers come together and play as a united team. A huge thank you to their coach Terrin for all of her dedication and support of our basketballers. Congratulations and well done to all who represented our school so proudly – Aston, Jack, Cayden, Archie, Cameron, Oscar and Theo.

We also wish our Year 3/4 Future Stars team and their coach Scarlett the very best of luck as they compete this coming Tuesday, 21st October.

Year 5/6 Girls Volleyball

Congratulations to our Year 5/6 Girls Volleyball team, who won the district interschool sport competition. The team will now progress to the Division Playoffs this coming Thursday, 23rd October, at the Diamond Valley Fitness Centre. We wish the players and their coach Ms Watts the best of luck.

Regional Athletics

A huge well done to our athletics superstar Mia D for representing Research Primary School at the Northern Metro Regional Athletics Championships. Mia competed in both the 100 metres and high jump, performing exceptionally well and just missed out on a spot at state level. We are incredibly proud of her efforts and achievements.

PFC News

CHERRIES—FRUIT FUNDRAISER

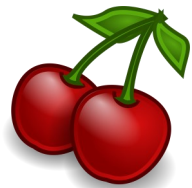
This year, our school is pleased to announce a fruit fundraiser with a difference

Move over mangoes- it's time to embrace locally sourced cherries from Cathedral Cherries, a family run cherry farm in local Victoria.

Perfect for snacking, baking, or adding a pop of festive colour, these cherries are not just delicious—they're also a great way to support our school.

Cherries will be available for purchase in 1kg or 2kg via Trybooking and delivery will be arranged for end of term 4 in time for Christmas.

Stay tuned for ordering details soon!





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Upcoming dates :

Sunday 19th	10am—3pm RPS School Fete
Tuesday 21st	Junior (Yr 3 4 Girls) Hooptime, Diamond Valley Basketball Stadium
Wednesday 22nd	Years 3 & 4 Bake Off
Thursday 23rd	9.15am Assembly - Volleyball Girls @ Division Playoffs
Friday 24th	Yrs 5 & 6 to Parliament House
Monday 27th	Whole School Dance Incursion begins
Tuesday 28th	10am—noon Prep 2026 Transition Morning 1 10.30am Prep 2026 Parent Information Session
Friday 31st	9.15am—10am Dance performance @ school (All welcome)
November	
Monday 3rd	Curriculum Day—No students at school
Tuesday 4th	Melbourne Cup Day—Public Holiday
Tuesday 11th	- Remembrance Day 10am—noon Prep 2026 Transition Morning 2
Thursday 13th	9.15am Assembly
Tuesday 25th	10am—noon Prep 2026 Transition Morning 3 followed by BBQ
Wednesday 26th	Carmel's Keyboard Concert
Thursday 27th	9.15am Assembly
December	
Tuesday 9th	P—5 Step Up Day
Thursday 11th	- Preps—2 Excursion to Museum of Play & Art - Yr 6 Graduation
Friday 12th	Curriculum Day—No students at school
Monday 15th	Year 6 Silent Disco
Wednesday 17th	- Yrs 5 & 6 Funfields - Yrs 3 & 4 Epping YMCA
Friday 19th	12.30pm Assembly - Last day of school year—1.30pm finish



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Get Active with Tennis and Pickleball at the Research Tennis Club.

Looking for a fun way for kids and parents to stay active together? Join the Research Tennis Club and Research Pickleball Club for fun programs for all ages and skill levels!

- Tennis: Book a Court for social hit ups, family-friendly club, memberships available.
- Pickleball: A fast, fun sport that's easy to learn — perfect for kids and parents to play together!

Come along, learn new skills, and enjoy a great community atmosphere.

For more information, visit our website: [Research Tennis Club](#) or contact [Kylie Coutts for Pickle Ball: 0419523229!](#)



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