



# Belmont Primary News

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## COMING EVENTS TERM 1

### ♦ Wednesday 05 February 2025

First Day of Term 1  
Students

### ♦ Monday 17-Friday 28 February

Swimming Lessons PP-Yr 6

#### ♦ 17–20 February

Parent Information Sessions

#### ♦ Thursday 27 February

Clean up School Day

#### ♦ Saturday 8 March

International Women's Day

#### ♦ 12-14 March

NAPLAN—Yrs 3 & 5

#### ♦ Friday 4 April

Interschool Cricket Carnival  
Yrs 3-6

#### ♦ Friday 11 April

Whole School Colour Fun Run  
2:00-3:00pm

### Staff 2025—1st Term

Room 1—Ms Truman & Mrs Haslett

Miss Schier (EA)

Room 3—Miss Priestly

Mrs Regula (SNEA)

Room 4—Mrs Baxter (Mon-Thurs)

Miss Bovington (Friday)

Room 7—Ms Frindle

EAs Mrs Robinson & Mrs Talam

Phys Ed—Mr Hevron

Japanese—Miss Keranxi

Health—Mrs Baldwin

Science—Mrs Waters

Drama—Ms Truman (DP)

Music—Mrs Reiger (DP)

MCS—Mrs Fitzpatrick

School Officer—Mrs Westcott

Library Officer—Mrs Daniels

Chaplain—Mrs De Lima

*Dear Parents/Caregivers.....Welcome Back!*

What a wonderful start to our new school year, we have had. Everyone has settled back quickly to their class routine, and reconnected with their school friends. We are an awesome school with awesome students and staff and fantastic parents. Thank you, everyone, for making our school the best school!

To all our new families, and our new Kindy students who are now starting their learning journey, I hope that you have settled in already and made to feel very welcome to be part of our school community. Remember that my door is always open if you need to come and have a chat or need any clarification on certain school operations. Over the next few weeks, I would like to see if we can organise a “meet & greet” for both new and old families—and then look at ways that we can work together to benefit the students at our school—more news on that soon! We also need a couple more parents on our School Council to add to our parent representatives. Our meetings are held twice a term and are held from 1:45pm—3:00pm so that you don't have to worry about coming out at night which is usually a busy time for families. You are also here to pick up your children after school. Meetings are currently held on a Thursday afternoon. Drop me a line, or come and have a chat if you are interested.

**Swimming Lessons:** One more week and then these will start for all students from Pre-Primary to Year 6. We strongly encourage all students to attend—after all swimming is one of Australia's favourite pastimes and learning to swim and be able to follow safety skills in the water, is essential. Forms were sent out this week and will need to be returned by next week for your child to attend. Payment also needs to be made, or a payment plan established with our Office ladies. 6 staff members will be attending each day to help with the supervision of our students, as your child's safety is paramount to our job. Thank you to all families who have already returned their forms, and their payment.

**Class/Parent Information Sessions:** These will be held in **Week 3** from 3:15 to 4:00pm. The days for each year level are as follow:

**Monday—** Room 4; **Tuesday—** Room 7; **Wednesday—**Room 3; **Thursday—**Room 1

During these sessions you will get to know what will be happening in your child's class; the areas they will be covering in different learning areas; their specialist teacher times (DOTT) and any other areas you would like information on. Remember it is not an individual interview time but you can arrange a meeting with the teacher during their DOTT times if you would like a one-on-one meeting.

**Faction Sports:** All classes from Year 1 to Year 6 will be involved in their Physical Education lessons on Mondays from now on, and culminating in whole school sport on Monday afternoons. Mr Hevron will continue in his role as our PE teacher. It would be fantastic to see all the students in either their Red (Phoenix) or Green (Griffin) polo shirts on Mondays—K Mart have polo shirts out for \$2.25 each—a bargain!

**Term Planners:** These will be going home soon as a paper copy so you can put them on your fridge to keep track of the events that are coming up this term!

Have a great weekend—it will be cooler, so enjoy.

With kind regards—Stephanne Dann

