



PCC BULLETIN

TERM 1, WEEK 10
Thursday 2 April 2026

PRINCIPAL'S UPDATE

As we come to the end of another busy and highly productive term, I would like to take this opportunity to thank our entire school community for your continued support, involvement, and commitment to our students' learning and wellbeing.

A sincere thank you to all families who supported our recent fundraising initiatives, including the Hot Cross Bun Drive and our Easter Raffle. These events were a wonderful success, and this is only possible because of the generosity and enthusiasm of our community. The funds raised will directly support the install of air-conditioning for our main building, and we are incredibly grateful for your ongoing support.

I would also like to acknowledge and thank the many families who attended our recent Parent-Teacher Interviews. These meetings provided a meaningful opportunity for families and teachers to come together to unpack each child's progress report, celebrate achievements, and discuss individual learning goals and next steps. These conversations are an important part of building strong, positive partnerships between home and school, which play a vital role in supporting every student to achieve their best.

Harmony Day was certainly a highlight of the term. It was fantastic to see our students and staff proudly dressed in cultural attire or wearing orange in recognition of inclusivity and respect. The day provided a valuable opportunity for students to share aspects of their cultural backgrounds and learn more about the diversity that makes our school community so special.

We are proud of the respectful and inclusive culture we continue to build together.

This term, we were also excited to launch our new digital weekly updates, produced by our students and shared across our social media platforms. These updates are a fantastic way to showcase student voice while keeping our college community informed and connected with all that is happening across the school. We encourage families to keep an eye on these updates to stay up to date with the many events, achievements, and learning experiences taking place.

Looking ahead, we are pleased to share that over the holiday break, construction of our new playground will take place. We are very much looking forward to opening this new space to our students at the beginning of Term 2. This will be a wonderful addition to our school environment, providing students with new opportunities for play, connection, and physical activity.

Throughout the term, our students have demonstrated great effort, resilience, and a commitment to their learning. I would also like to acknowledge our dedicated staff, who continue to work tirelessly to provide engaging and high-quality learning experiences for all students.

As we move into the holiday period, I encourage all families to take the time to rest, recharge, and enjoy special moments together.

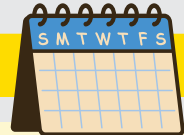
On behalf of the entire school, I wish you a very happy, safe, and relaxing Easter break.

We look forward to welcoming everyone back next term, refreshed and ready for another exciting period of learning and growth

Kind Regards,

Tracy Peters
College Principal





UPCOMING IMPORTANT DATES

Fri 3 Apr	Good Friday Public Holiday
Mon 6 Apr	Easter Monday Public Holiday
Mon 21 Apr	First Day of Term 2
Fri 5 Jun	Professional Prac Day (no students)
Mon 8 Jun	Kings Bday Public Holiday
Tue 9 Jun	School Photo Day 1
Wed 10 Jun	School Photo Day 2



CONSENT & PAYMENT DUE DATES

1 st April	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Year 8 Snow Camp Deposit
22 nd April	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Year 6 Arcade Antics - Timezone
1 st May	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> CAP Sydney Study Tour

2027 SIBLING ENROLMENTS



Dear Parents and Carers,

If you currently have a child enrolled at the College and have a sibling who will be commencing in Prep at Point Cook P-9 College in 2027, please ensure that the enrolment process is completed as soon as possible.

We would like all 2027 Prep students to participate in our Transition to School Program to support a confident and successful start to their schooling.

To ensure your child can be included in this program, Prep enrolment applications must be submitted by Friday, 31 July 2026.

Please download and complete the Enrolment Form [here](#) and submit it together with your child's Birth Certificate or Passport (proof of age) and Immunisation History Statement.

Completed documentation can be lodged at the College office or emailed to: point.cook.p9.co@education.vic.gov.au

If you require any assistance with the enrolment process, please do not hesitate to contact the College office.



2027 YEAR 7 ENROLMENTS

Dear Parents and Carers,

The statewide Year 6-7 Placement timeline has been released and contains important information for Parents/Carers regarding the transition from Year 6 to 7 for the 2026/2027 school year.

For more information, click [here](#):

If your child is seeking a place in Year 7 at another secondary school next year, you will need to fill out the Year 6 to 7 placement pack that can be collected from the college office on the first day of Term 2 (April 20th)

Completed documentation must be lodged at the College office or emailed to: point.cook.p9.co@education.vic.gov.au by Friday 8th May 2026.

If you require any assistance with the enrolment process, please do not hesitate to contact the College office.

EVENT CONSENT & PAYMENT DUE DATES

Dear Parents / Carers,

Throughout the year, PCC holds many Sporting Events, Camps and Excursions which are very exciting for our students!

We highly encourage all parents to take notice of the Payment / Consent due dates on Compass as we are no longer able to accept any overdue payments or consent forms due to a high volume of events happening throughout the duration of the year.

There are multiple steps we must follow in planning an event, such as organising medications and preparing staffing ratios to keep our students safe, and it is important to remember that without consent and/or payment, we cannot let your child attend an event.

To avoid any disappointment, please ensure you regularly check Compass for upcoming events and make timely payments and submissions of consent forms. If you are experiencing any difficulties, concerns or wish to organise a payment plan, please don't hesitate to reach out to our administration team. We are always happy to assist and appreciate your cooperation and understanding.

EVERY DAY COUNTS AT PCC!

Dear Parents / Carers,

This is a friendly reminder that every day counts at PCC!

If students miss a day of school here or there, it can add up to lots of missed learning time and this can make learning trickier later on.

When students are absent, their teachers, friends and peers miss their ideas, smile and friendship.

We acknowledge that sometimes its hard to come to school, but if something is making it difficult, please reach out to your child's teacher or encourage them to speak to somebody they trust.

If your child is unwell, please refrain from sending them to school as they will be sent home if they are displaying cold or flu like symptoms.

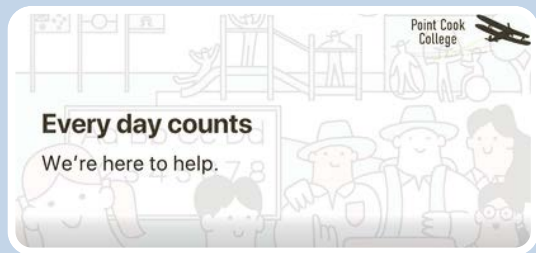
If your child is going to be absent, please ensure you are adding an attendance note into Compass, if you are unable to do so, please call the college office or email the school and we can submit this for you.

Every Day Count at PCC - Video

Our latest short video shares an important reminder — every day at school matters.

From learning in the classroom to friendships in the playground, being here helps our students grow and succeed.

We're here to support you.



PREMIERS READING CHALLENGE

“Hey book explorers!

School holidays are the perfect time to slow things down and sneak in a little reading magic. How about you have a cozy reading adventure these holidays?

Grab a few fun books, build a comfy reading nook with pillows and blankets, and see how many stories you can discover! You can travel to magical worlds, meet silly characters, or even become a hero—all without leaving home. Let's set a mini challenge: a few books, a few quiet moments each day, and maybe even a special treat when you finish. Ready to turn some pages?"

Parents how about a family reading hour or a “Storytime Picnic” in the backyard. Choose books for the Premier's Reading Challenge, add them to your list and mark them as finished once you've read them!



Let's Go!

UPCOMING PHOTO DAYS

Dear Parents/Carers,

On Tuesday 9th June and Wednesday 10th June 2026, we are having student photos taken in the College Gymnasium. This will include siblings' photos for those families who purchase these.

More information regarding purchasing of Photo Packs will be sent out closer to the date, please keep an eye on Compass for this information.

Happenings & Highlights at PCC

WEEKS 6-10 OF TERM 1!



CLEAN UP AUSTRALIA DAY

Clean Up Australia Day at PCC

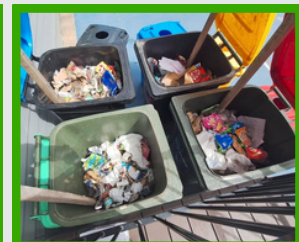
On Friday 27/2 our school proudly participated in Clean Up Australia Day, joining thousands of Australians committed to protecting our environment.

Students across the entire cohort, and in partnership with their classmates, worked together to collect litter from our school grounds — with some friendly competition amongst our school houses to see who could make the greatest contribution.

Equipped with gloves and bags, we removed recyclable containers, food wrappers and other waste that can harm wildlife. The experience reminded us that small actions make a big difference.

Beyond cleaning, we learned about recycling, sustainability and caring for our community.

Clean Up Australia Day inspired us to take responsibility and continue keeping our environment and our school grounds clean every day.



LIFE SAVING VICTORIA

What a successful and amazing day we had on Saturday 28th February at Altona Beach!

A very big thank you to all our wonderful families who came along and took part in this very important (yet super fun!) water safety program.

Your support and involvement truly make these experiences so special for our community

Another huge thank you to Life Saving Victoria for running such a fantastic, educational, and engaging session. We learned so much about how to stay safe at the beach while still having fun in the sun!

We're so grateful for opportunities like this to learn together as a community



YOUTH LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE

On March 19th, Our College Captains, Diya and Archer, and Vice Captains, Jess and Hargun, had the incredible opportunity to attend the Melbourne Secondary Youth Leadership Conference - a day filled with inspiration, connection and growth.

Throughout the day, students heard from a range of engaging guest speakers who shared their personal leadership journeys. Students were involved in interactive activities and dynamic student panels, they were also encouraged to collaborate, share ideas and learn from one another.

We look forward to seeing how they bring these experiences back to our school community as they continue their leadership journeys!



GRADE 4 COOKING

Grade 4 Cooking Session!

Our 4A students enjoyed a wonderful hands-on cooking session using fresh ingredients straight from our school garden!

Students made a delicious fresh pasta sauce packed with garden-grown produce, along with apple and cinnamon Danish pastries using apples picked right from our own trees.

A fantastic way to learn about healthy eating, cooking skills, and where our food comes from!



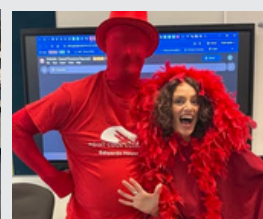
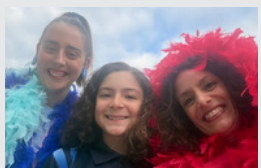
TERM 1 HOUSE COLOUR DAY

Term 1 House Celebration Day was a hit!

What an awesome way to wrap up Week 6!

Our college came alive with colour, fun and friendly competition as students proudly represented their houses and earned house points during lunchtime and in class activities.

A huge thank you to our House Captains, staff and everyone involved in organising such a fantastic day. The energy and house spirit across the college was amazing to see!



HARMONY DAY



Friday 20th March we celebrated cultural diversity of our school community with students proudly wearing their cultural attire or orange.

It was fantastic to see students sharing their cultures, a true reflection of what makes PCC such a vibrant and inclusive place.

Everyone belongs at PCC.

P-4 ASSEMBLY



Friday 20th March, we celebrated our P-4 students at assembly, recognising their fantastic efforts across Specialist subjects and other award areas.

We are incredibly proud of all our award recipients!

GREEN GANG



PCC has once again created an amazing scarecrow for the upcoming Melbourne International Flower & Garden Show!

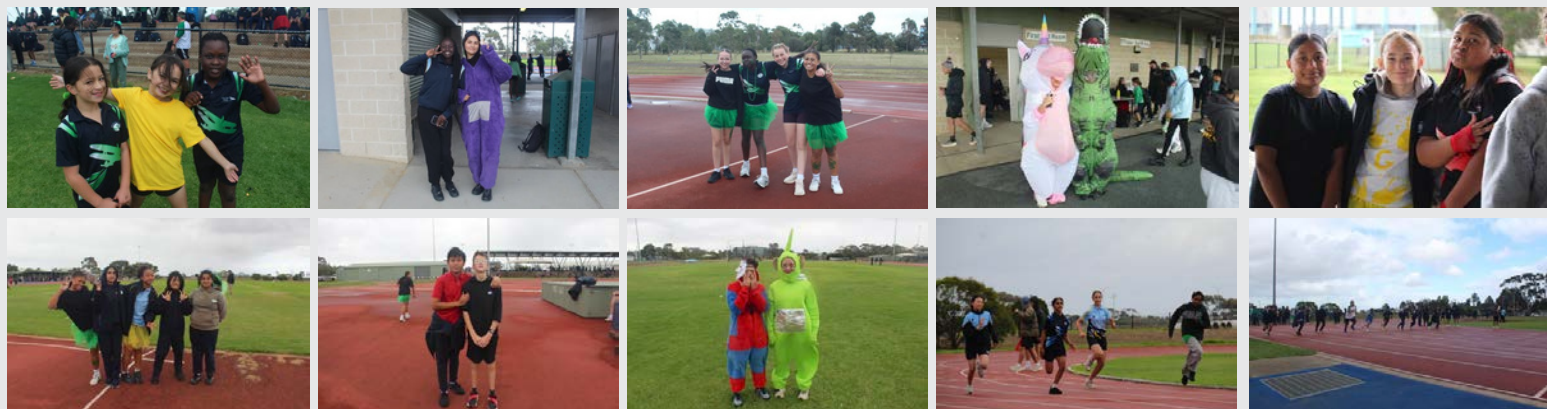
A huge shoutout to our Green Gang and Year 8 CAP students, who worked creatively to bring this piece to life using recycled materials — a true labour of love!

If you're attending the show, don't forget to vote for us... we've got our fingers crossed for another win!

4-9 ATHLETICS DAY

What an incredible day at our Year 4–9 Athletics Carnival on Friday 27th of March!

The energy, teamwork, and house spirit on display was amazing from start to finish!
A huge thank you to our staff, student leaders and everyone involved in making the day run so smoothly!



COMMUNITY HUB HIGHLIGHTS

Community Hub – What a Term!

We've had an amazing start to the year in our Community Hub, with families joining in for fun, learning, and connection!

- Ladies Basketball & Gala Day

Our amazing ladies have been training hard and are gearing up for the Women's Only Basketball Gala Day this May at Eagle Stadium!

Expect fun, supportive, and inclusive games – and don't forget, the Hub Champion Trophy is up for grabs! New players are always welcome – join our prep sessions and get ready to shine on the court!

- Celebrating Community & Culture

We had a wonderful Harmony Day with food, fun, and a community poster activity facilitated by Chen Qian Art Studio. Families also celebrated International Women's Day with crafts, food, and a visit from Bunnings.

- Programs That Shine

Our regular programs continue to thrive:

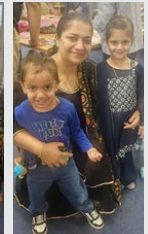
Playgroup – Friendship, learning, and play for 0–5s

Toy Library – Free toys, imaginative play & weekly fun

Cook & Chat – Sharing traditional recipes & culture

Arabic Story Time – Stories and songs in home languages

Sing & Grow – Music, movement & bonding with little ones



A huge thank you to all families who joined in, volunteered, and helped make this term so special. We can't wait for next term!

Autumn School Holidays

All fun. Every day!



Excursion



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Monday 6 April

Public Holiday

No Programming



Tuesday 7 April

Leafy Laughs

Explore the colours, textures, and wonders of Autumn by creating beautiful leaf rubbings, designing nature-inspired art pieces, and enjoying playful outdoor games.



\$92 per child

Wednesday 8 April

Carnival of Motion

Conquer the pop-up skate park, dodgeball arena, giant inflatable slide and obstacle course. Unwind with yoga, explore creative stations, & enjoy a festival-style day.



\$129 per child

Thursday 9 April

Indigenous Games

Learn about and experience aspects of Indigenous culture through play and movement. No Limits Sports have a bunch of games and activities planned for us!



\$113 per child

Friday 10 April

Taco Fiesta

Spice up your day with a colourful Taco Fiesta! As little chefs, you create your own tacos all while discovering the history and vibrant culture of Mexico.



\$92 per child

Monday 13 April

DIY Music Box

Bring the magic of music to life with DIY Music Boxes! Assemble and decorate your music box and discover how gears and mechanics work together to create melody.



\$103 per child

Tuesday 14 April

Dolphin Defenders

Make a splash and protect our ocean friends! Craft your own dolphin creations, build DIY dolphin whistles, and dive into ocean-clean-up sensory play.



\$92 per child

Wednesday 15 April

Drama Tool Box

Make a splash and protect our ocean friends! Craft your own dolphin creations, build DIY dolphin whistles, and dive into ocean-clean-up sensory play.



\$113 per child

Thursday 16 April

Camp - Lady Northcote

We're off to Lady Northcote Discovery Camp to explore the great outdoors. Fill the day with team work as you compete in our amazing race!



\$129 per child

Friday 17 April

Super Healers

Step into the capes of everyday healers! Inspired by doctors, dentists, vets, and more, we explore calming zones, test STEM experiments, and create kindness clinics.



\$92 per child



Point Cook College

Please see our website for information on how to book and the most up to date activities list. Activities subject to change.

Printed program details accurate as of 02/03/2026.

