

The Meadows Mag

A vibrant and caring learning community

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2025 - Issue 10 - Term 4 - Week 3

Friday, 31st October 2025

The Meadows Calendar

Term 4 - Week 4

Tuesday 4 th November	K-6 Assembly
Thursday 6 th November	Kindergarten 2026 Orientation Day #1
Friday 7 th November	Summer PSSA – Round 8

Term 4 – Week 5

Tuesday 11 th November	P&C Meeting Remembrance Day Service JAECG Dalmari Arts Event
Wednesday 12 th November	League Stars Carnival
Thursday 13 th November	Kindergarten 2026 Orientation Day #2
Friday 14 th October	Summer PSSA – Round 9

Term 4 – Week 6

Wednesday 19 th November	Grandparent Afternoon Tea
Thursday 20 th November	Kindergarten 2026 Orientation Day #3
Friday 21 st November	Summer PSSA – Round 10

Office Hours Monday to Friday 8:20am – 3:00pm	Uniform Shop Uniforms sold in the school canteen. Monday, Wednesday, Friday 8:20am – 9:00am  Payment by Cash or EFTPOS at school OR prepay online using School Bytes
Canteen Monday, Wednesday, Friday 8:20am – 1:30pm Paymnet by cash or EFTPOS	

From the Principal's Desk

Dear Parents and Carers,

As we head into the final term of the school year, there's a wonderful sense of energy across The Meadows. Term 4 of the school year is always a special time, filled with celebrations, achievements, and planning for the year ahead. We also have our major fundraiser, the Colour Run, which is always a highlight for students and a great way to raise funds for additional school resources. For our Year 6 students, this term marks the final chapter of their primary school journey, with many special events and milestones to look forward to as they prepare for high school.

Multicultural Day

A heartfelt thank you to all the families who contributed to our Multicultural Day - whether by performing, helping out behind the scenes, or sharing delicious food. The event was a wonderful celebration of the diversity and unity that make our school community so special. From the vibrant performances to the cultural displays and tasty dishes, the day truly reflected the richness of our shared community. Your contributions made the event a great success, and we sincerely thank you for being part of it. A big thankyou to Mrs Nash and her team for coordinating this wonderful event.

Sun Safety Reminder

As the weather warms up, please remember that all students are required to wear their school hat during outdoor activities. Staying sun safe helps protect our students and promotes healthy habits. School hats are available for purchase at the Canteen for \$10 each. Please note there will be a price increase next year due to manufacturing costs, so now is a great time to buy one at the current price. Thank you for supporting our sun safety practices.

Attendance League – Term 4

We're in the final stretch of the year, and every school day counts! Being at school every day helps students:

- ☑ Keep up with their learning
- ☑ Stay connected with friends
- ☑ Finish the year strong

Last term, we celebrated some incredible students who achieved 100% attendance and earned their place on our Attendance Wall of Fame. Let's see who can join them this term! 🏆

Remember, the only reason to stay home is if your child is unwell. Let's avoid absences for reasons like the weather or feeling tired. Let's make Term 4 our best attendance term yet! 📅

Hats Off to Teachers

This week, students showed their appreciation by creating some wonderfully creative hat designs for their teachers. We take this opportunity to thank our dedicated staff as we celebrate World Teachers' Day on Friday 31 October 2025. Teaching is complex and deeply rewarding work our teachers go above and beyond every day to support, inspire, and care for your children. Hats off to all our amazing teachers at The Meadows.



Huey's Heroes Relaunch

We're excited to relaunch Huey's Heroes -a fast and frequent playground reward system that recognises students who consistently demonstrate safe, respectful and responsible learner behaviours. This student-led initiative celebrates positive behaviour across the playground. When students are spotted doing the right thing, they receive a Huey's Hero card. These cards are then placed into their house colour boxes- Gordon, Kendall, Lawson and

Paterson-where they're counted each week. At the end of the term, the house with the highest total will earn a special reward. Huey's Heroes is all about recognising positive choices, teamwork and school pride.

New Support Class at The Meadows

We are pleased to announce that The Meadows will establish a Multi-Categorical (MC) Support Class in 2026. This new class is part of the NSW Department of Education's commitment to building a more inclusive education system. Through a centralised process, the department uses data to identify areas of need and ensure equitable access to specialist support across NSW schools. This is a wonderful opportunity for our school community, enabling us to meet the diverse learning needs of students locally and continue fostering inclusion and belonging for all. If you have any questions about the new support class, please don't hesitate to contact me directly.

Colour Fun Run

Get ready for one of the most colourful days of the year. Our Colour Run will take place on Thursday 18 December, after lunch play. Each student will receive a rainbow headband and sunglasses on the day. Students can raise funds online by creating a profile at www.myprofilepage.com.au. Every dollar raised goes directly towards resources and learning materials for our students. Raising just \$10 earns you a prize. The more donations you collect, the more prizes you can win. The top fundraiser will have the honour of sliming the principal. A big thank you to Mrs Tautz for coordinating this event.

Planning for 2026 -Are You Returning?

All families will receive an email shortly with a link to a School Bytes form where you can indicate if you are or are not returning to TMPS in 2026. This information is essential for us to plan staffing, class structures, and resources for next year. Your prompt response helps ensure a smooth start to 2026 for all students.

Until next time,

Mrs Tracy Sweeney

Relieving Principal

MESSAGES & REMINDERS FROM THE OFFICE

Current Notes in School Bytes

A reminder for all parents to check School Bytes for any outstanding consent forms and payments.

The following notes are currently available or are coming soon to the School Bytes parent portal:

- **JAECG Dalmari Arts Project**
Selected Stage 3 Students
- **League Stars Carnival**
Selected Students
- **Grandparents Day RSVP**
All Families
- **Year 6 Graduation Bears**
All Year 6 Students
- **PLEASE NOTE: ZOOSNOOZ PAYMENTS ARE NOW OVERDUE. PLEASE FINALISE THESE ACCOUNTS ASAP**

PLEASE NOTE: We encourage you to be mindful of due dates for these events to support organisation and ensure all children can participate.

DO YOU HAVE UNIFORMS YOUR CHILD HAS OUTGROWN?

Please consider donating any unwanted uniform to the school office! Thank you.

2025 MONTY'S FUN RUN

Thursday 18th December

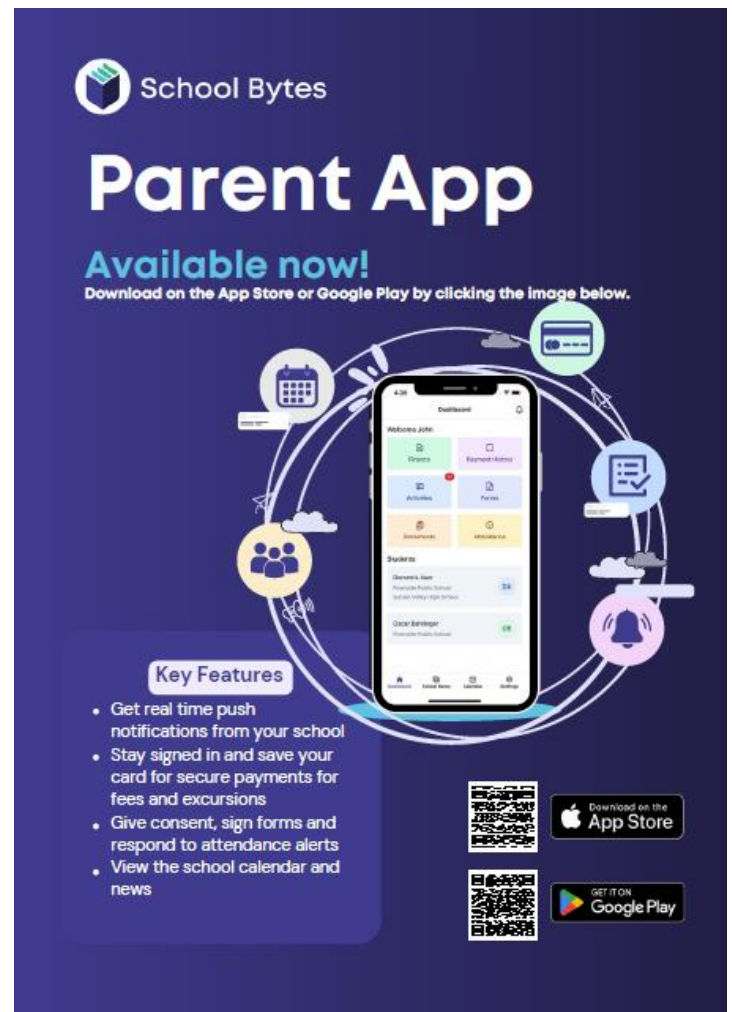
Don't forget to fundraise with Monty the Monstar and collect some of the unique items up for grabs!

« Monty Handball: Collect all of Monty's online virtual badges.

« Champions Medallion: The highest fundraising student in our school.

« Online Golden Coins – complete online tasks to redeem up to an extra \$75 towards your prize credit.

Register now at www.myprofilepage.com.au and start fundraising today!



School Bytes

Parent App

Available now!
Download on the App Store or Google Play by clicking the image below.

Key Features

- Get real time push notifications from your school
- Stay signed in and save your card for secure payments for fees and excursions
- Give consent, sign forms and respond to attendance alerts
- View the school calendar and news

Download on the App Store

GET IT ON Google Play



Australian Fundraising

MONTY THE MONSTAR FUN RUN IS COMING TO OUR SCHOOL!

COLOUR • SLIME • STANDARD

MONTY THE MONSTAR FUN RUN



CONGRATULATIONS

Award Winners!



Week 1

Teacher's Awards (2 points)

KC	Callan Ali
KG	Devan Vihaan
KQ	Jackie Isabella
1/2N	Josiah Varkesh
1/2R	Olivia Tracy A
1/2W	Dexter Celine
1/2Y	Amelia Sudhiksha
2/3P	Pranshul Isaac
3/4A	Aaliyah Aarna
3/4M	Merissa Harvey
3/4T	Niya Lazar
3-6D	Dominic
5/6F	Kamel Joey
5/6L	Abaan Sarwam
5/6SP	Johnathan Pauline

Week 2

Teacher's Awards (2 points)

KC	Olive Sosia
KG	Alaa Aran
KQ	Anika Raghvi
1/2N	Matthias Anjali
1/2R	Leo Mareeka
1/2W	Salma Cameron
1/2Y	Emmanuel Yuvan
2/3P	Ariah Alexis
3/4A	Saher Shiri
3/4M	Bayan Jayla
3/4T	RJ Navyansh
3-6D	Blake
5/6F	Xhon Liyanne
5/6L	Razel Krish
5/6SP	Sam Aaron

Week 3

Teacher's Awards (2 points)

KC	Anasetasia Richmond	2/3P	Peyton Nehal
KG	Amber Ridhima	3/4A	Priyanka Suhan
KQ	Kaisaiah Abilakshan	3/4M	Mary-Ann Dlishan
1/2N	Saharsh OJ	3/4T	Florence Sartaj
1/2R	Tracy T Pauline	3-6D	Arohanui
1/2W	Batuhan Hoor	5/6F	Keerthan Akin
1/2Y	Madinah Sarva	5/6L	Peter Maddison
		5/6SP	Autumn Amarli





Each Thursday lunchtime during Terms 2 and 3, 20 dedicated Stage 3 mathematicians have been sharpening their problem-solving skills as participants in the Junior Division Olympiad (APSMO), a prestigious inter-school competition designed specifically for high potential and high achieving students in Years 5 and 6.

The competition comprises of four separate contests held approximately six weeks apart, beginning in early Term 2. During each contest, students are required to solve five challenging problems within 30 minutes under exam conditions, with no collaboration permitted.

Our students have embraced this exciting challenge with great enthusiasm and determination. They have completed all four contests with admirable focus, resilience, and creativity, demonstrating not only their strong mathematical abilities but also their perseverance and love for learning. Following each contest, students engage in group review sessions to discuss solutions, further enhancing their understanding and fostering teamwork.

Congratulations to all our Stage 3 participants — your hard work and success are an inspiration to the entire school community. Participants will be formally recognised at the next school assembly on Tuesday, 4th November. We look forward to supporting your continued growth and success in future competitions.

APSMO STUDENTS

Mackenzie H
 Aaron R
 Agastya D
 Afu'alo F
 Sarwam K
 Malakai R-W
 Amanuel T
 Pranav A
 Jasmin N
 Arpith R
 Ahmad Z
 Ariv K
 Keerthan K
 Liyanne R
 Kristina E-S
 Curtis-Junior P
 Keisha P
 Aadya K





GKR KARATE
KARATE FOR EVERYONE

- FEELS LIKE FAMILY
- AIR-CONDITIONED
- CONVENIENT LOCATIONS
- FLEXIBLE TIMETABLE
- NO LOCK-IN CONTRACT
- CLASSES ALL YEAR
- TRAIN IN ANY WEATHER
- + MORE!

**KICKSTART
VALUE PACK**

TERM 4 PACKS RELEASED!

COME INTO OUR FAMILY FRIENDLY TRAINING FACILITIES AND SEE WHY WE'RE DIFFERENT

PETER - 0404 369 666



Back by popular demand - The Rotary Club of Ryde Inc. proudly presents...

2025 CIRCUS QUIRKUS

New Circus Quirkus Shows, featuring world-class acts performing astonishing illusions, interactive magic, circus and comedy. Providing relaxed theatre performances for children, young adults and families.

Enjoy the "live performance" experience with a casual attitude to audience noise and movement in an accessible and inclusive environment, where you are welcomed and free to be yourself without restriction or judgement.

One hour shows. Suitable for all ages and accessible for people...

- with diverse abilities and backgrounds (wheelchair accessible)
- who might require a more flexible and inclusive environment when attending the theatre (sensory-friendly).
- who are facing hardship.
- are without access or opportunity to live theatre.

*Featuring moving and flashing lights, and upbeat, sometimes dramatic music.

ALL TICKETS ARE COMPLIMENTARY, including parent, sibling and carer tickets. Thanks to sponsorship from local businesses.

*Bookings from schools, organisations, carers and families are all welcome.

Scan the QR Code to visit the shows website and watch highlights from previous shows...



BLACKTOWN WORKERS CLUB - DIAMOND SHOWROOM 55 Campbell Street, Blacktown NSW	
SHOW DATE	SHOWTIME
MONDAY, 10 TH NOVEMBER 2025	4.00 PM

To book your free tickets, please email your name and ticket numbers to...

meredithnewman@showintent.com.au

or call / text 0404-367-782

Always wear a HELMET



A reminder that a correctly fitted helmet must be worn when riding a bike in a public place- it is the law.

- Always wear a helmet when you ride or skate
- Ensure your child's bike is in safe working order.
- Ride with your child and closely supervise them.



3-6D AT THE BECOME ME EXPO

YOUR NEXT CHAPTER STARTS NOW.

Stage 3 students in 3-6D have been learning about the many career options available for when they are older. 3-6D showed great interests in career options which included mechanics and pilots! These students were able to show their work off with pride at the Stage 3 BECOME Flipped Career Expo. Students answered questions about their chosen career and provided information for guests to learn more about mechanics and pilots.



5/6SP AT THE BECOME ME EXPO

YOUR NEXT CHAPTER STARTS NOW.

Stage 3 have been investigating potential career options for life after school. 5/6SP were able to develop adaptive skills and curiosity through exploring, designing and navigating the fast-changing world of work! 5/6SP explored jobs such as construction, astronauts, pilots, IT, doctors, restaurant owners and many more! 5/6SP displayed their hard work at our BECOME ME Flipped Career Expo late Term 3.



5/6F AT THE BECOME ME EXPO

YOUR NEXT CHAPTER STARTS NOW.

Stage 3 students actively engaged in exploring diverse career pathways to better prepare for their futures beyond school. 5/6F focused on building essential skills through comprehensive investigations and projects about the workforce. Students examined a variety of professions including engineering, architecture, baking, and careers in sports. Their dedication and achievements were highlighted at the BECOME ME Flipped Career Expo, which took place towards the end of Term 3. The following images capture the students' commitment and enthusiasm throughout this valuable learning experience.



5/6L AT THE BECOME ME EXPO

YOUR NEXT CHAPTER STARTS NOW.

Stage 3 students have been exploring various career options to prepare for life after school. In 5/6L, students developed adaptability and curiosity by investigating, designing, and navigating the rapidly changing world of work. They learned about a wide range of jobs including barbers, authors, chefs, beauty professionals, real estate agents and many more. Below are snapshots of 5/6L showcasing their efforts and hard work at the BECOME ME Flipped Career Expo held late in Term 3.



CODING CLUB

IMC EXCURSION



The Meadows Playgroup

for the families with children from 0-5 years.

Playgroup caters for a range of activities like art and craft, outdoor play, music, story and music time, excursions and lots more.

LEARN



PLAY



FUN



Come along and enjoy the playgroup with other parents and children in a friendly environment.

Every Wednesday and Friday
from 9.15 am to 11.15 am
(during school term).

The Meadows School as Community Centre (I BLOCK)
at
The Meadows Public School, Seven hills.

To register please call on
98967514

Art Sessions for Adults



Connect with a vibrant community of creative individuals and explore the world of Aboriginal art under the guidance of a professional artist.

Take the opportunity to learn and create together!

Free Weekly Classes
Monday 11 am- 12.30 pm

STARTING
FROM
13/10/2025

The Meadows SaCC (I Block) at The Meadows Public School, Seven Hills.

For more information, please contact the
The Meadows Schools as Community Centre on
02 9896 7514.

TIMEOUT ZUMBA

for Women

FREE!

A social group designed to enhance health and general well-being for women and their families.
Focus on relaxation, self-care and creativity!

Zumba session (9.15 am-10.00 am) conducted by a qualified instructor.

A fun way to get fit and meet new friends!



When: Every Tuesday
(During school term)
Time: 9.15 am-11.15 am
Where: The Meadows SaCC
(I Block), The Meadows Public School, Seven Hills.



Some activities:

- Women's health Sessions by professionals.
- Cooking,
- Art and Craft,
- Relaxation sessions
- Step Into Work for women.
- Parenting information sessions

Free Childcare places are available upon request.

For more information and Childcare arrangements please call 98967514.



LEARN TO COOK EASY & HEALTHY MEALS



OzHarvest's NEST program teaches you new skills for better health in just six weeks.

- Save money on your food budget
- Store food safely
- Understand food labels
- Plan meals and reduce waste
- Cook easy and healthy recipes

NEST will be held at The Meadows SaCC (I Block)

Date (s): 13th Nov 2025 to 18th Dec 2025 (6 Thursdays)

Time: 10 am to 12.30 pm

Location: The Meadows School as Community Centre, on the grounds of
The Meadows Public School, Seven Hills

Free Childcare spaces are available upon request.
For more information and childcare arrangements please call 98967514.



SIGN UP TO NEST FOR FREE