

# Week 3, Term 1

Week commencing  
Monday 9 February  
2026



OFFICER SECONDARY COLLEGE

# Community Bulletin

## Coming Soon

Tuesday 10 February	2025 DUX Presentation Assembly
Wednesday 11 February	Year 7 Camp departs
Friday 13 February	Year 7 Camp returns
Monday 16 February	College Council Meeting
Tuesday 17 February	OSC Swimming Sports
Thursday 5 March	Parent Teacher Student Conferences
Friday 6 March	Parent Teacher Student Conferences
Monday 9 March	Labour Day Public Holiday
Wednesday 11 March	NAPLAN commences
Monday 16 March	OSC School Photo Day College Council AGM
Tuesday 17 March	Year 7, 2027 Info night inc. HPA/PAM info
Monday 23 March	NAPLAN concludes
Tuesday 31 March	Careers Expo
Thursday 2 April	OSC Cross Country Carnival Term 1 Ends
Friday 3 April	Good Friday
Monday 20 April	Term 2 Commences
Saturday 25 April	ANZAC Day
Tuesday 5 May	Curriculum Day – Student Free Day
Monday 25 May	Mid-Year Exams commence
Tuesday 2 June	Senior School Trade and Tech Expo Excursion
Friday 5 June	Curriculum Day – Student Free Day
Monday 8 June	King's Birthday Public Holiday
Tuesday 9 June	Semester 2 Commences Headstart
Thursday 11 June	OSC Athletics Day
Tuesday 16 June	GAT Exam
Tuesday 23 June	Year 7 Immunisations
Friday 26 June	Term 2 Ends



Take your marks, get set, go to page 4 for more details about the OSC Swimming Carnival

# Principal's Weekly Update



Good afternoon all families and friends of Officer Secondary College.

As the first full week comes to a close, I am thrilled to report that all students have settled in well and learning progress and achievement is set to soar.

I would like to thank all our year 7 families who attended our Welcome Evening and BBQ. It was lovely to see you all engaging in the activities with the students and also to see the sense of community that has already developed. They will be setting off for camp next week and I'm sure that will be a highlight of their school journey. Good luck!

Similarly, it was great to see the families of our year 11 and 12 students come down to attend our VCE information evening and welcome BBQ. It's the beginning of what is going to be a challenging but fantastic year for our senior students, and you will have our team behind you all the way. If any of you have questions along the way, please don't hesitate to reach out to anyone in the senior team.

We have some great events coming up:

- **2025 Dux Assembly:** Next Tuesday we will be presenting the DUX awards to the graduating class of 2025. Students who achieved the highest external scores for each subject will receive these awards. This assembly is open for all parents and cares to come and join in on the celebrations. The assembly will be starting at 12:50 on Tuesday. I hope to see you there!
- **Swimming Sports Carnival** – Set to take place on Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> Feb. Make sure you get organised with your house colour costumes and practice those swim strokes. We want to see as many competitors as possible battling it out for their learning communities. Remember – This is a key event that contributes towards the Learning Community Shield at the end of the year.
- **School Photos** – Monday 16<sup>th</sup> March. BACK BY POPULAR DEMAND. SchoolPix will be the photographers once again in 2026. Following from overwhelming feedback from our school community we have re-engaged our old provider SchoolPix. Over the coming weeks we will be distributing the fliers for your child's unique ordering codes. Please see [HERE](#) some of the packages that SchoolPix are offering this year (This depends on the selections of the school as well)

I have an important message about class equipment and I need your help! It is critical that all students have the right materials for each class. This includes a fully stocked pencil case and exercise books for all classes. Over the coming weeks our teachers will be reaching out to you if your child has been attending class without the right materials. If you are unsure, please contact the teachers through Compass to see what you need and make the arrangements to get sorted as soon as possible. Without the right equipment it will be hard for our teachers to ensure success for your children.

Thank you to everyone for making the start of the year so smooth.

Kind Regards,  
Beau Rawlyk

Principal



## Year 10 Woodwork

The Year 10's have started 2026 very positively. They all have so far reached Golden B's and are now working towards a Value Card Award.

This Semester the Year 10's are working on a Mantle Clock. However, we are making a contemporary twist to the clocks – For example some students are adding a LED light strip while others are adding a mobile phone charger to their designs.

The wood joint we are focusing on is a rebate wood joint and all students have demonstrated excellent accuracy to get these joints right.

They are all doing an awesome job and we cannot wait to see how the clocks turn out.

Mr Grant

**OFFICER SECONDARY COLLEGE**

# Swimming Carnival



**TUESDAY  
17TH  
FEBRUARY**

Arrive at Gym  
at 8:45am

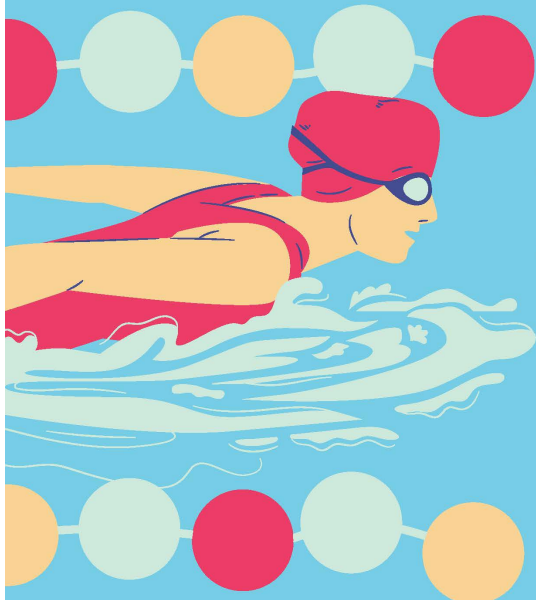


**AT DROUIN  
OUTDOOR  
POOL**

**DRESS IN  
HOUSE COLOURS  
OR  
YOUR FAVORITE  
TV SHOW/  
MOVIE CHARACTER**

## EVENT HIGHLIGHTS:

- ★ **50M FREESTYLE, BUTTERFLY BACKSTROKE, RELAY & BREATHSTROKE**
- ★ **TEACHER QUIZ DUNK TANK**
- ★ **YR 12 BEST COSTUME WALK**
- ★ **SIMON SAYS**
- ★ **PING PONG PUSH**
- ★ **DUCK SCOOP RACE**





## **Year 10 Work Experience**

As part of the year 10 Curriculum all year 10s are expected to organise work experience.

Work experience provides students with an opportunity to feel for what working life looks like in a job they are interested in.

It will also support students to make informed decision making when choosing their Senior school pathway and subjects.

The work experience dates are **Week 3, of Term 2 - the 4th - 8th of May.**

Check Mr Quinn's Compass post for your links to the Work Experience Forms.

Work experience forms are due back by the end of Term 1.

If you have any questions, or need support please email [careers@officersc.vic.edu.au](mailto:careers@officersc.vic.edu.au)

We're excited to host our **2026 Careers Expo on Monday 31 March**, with students in **Years 9–12** attending throughout the day with their classes. The Expo will feature a **wide range of universities, TAFEs and local businesses**, with industry professionals on hand to share insights, answer questions and talk about real pathways into their fields. It's a fantastic opportunity for students to explore options, spark ideas and start meaningful conversations about life beyond school.

# Careers Expo Day : 31 March 2026

**SWINBURNE**  
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SWINBURNE UNIVERSITY OF TECHNOLOGY

Federation University

THE UNIVERSITY OF MELBOURNE

MONASH University

RICHMOND EST 1885

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DEAKIN UNIVERSITY

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Officer CHILD CARE CENTRE

headspace

HEAD START

Brick & Block Careers EST. 2005

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OFFICER Secondary College

# BREAKFAST Club



Free Pancakes  
Every Friday from

**WEEK 4**

8am in H01

for all Year 7s



# REMINDER: CAR PARKING AND STUDENT DROP OFF AT OFFICER SECONDARY COLLEGE



**RED ZONES** - NO PARKING. CARPARK OF CHILDCARE CENTRE, BUS ZONE AND STAFF CAR PARK. **PLEASE DO NOT PARK IN** OR USE THESE AREAS TO TURN AROUND.

**ORANGE** - STUDENT DROP OFF AND PICK UP ZONE. 2 MINUTE LIMIT. DO NOT LEAVE CAR. NO PARKING BETWEEN 8AM-9.30AM AND 2.30-4PM SCHOOL DAYS. ALWAYS CHECK SIGNAGE.

**GREEN** - AVAILABLE STREET PARKING. PLEASE CHECK SIGNAGE AND MAKE SURE TO KEEP CLEAR OF DRIVEWAYS. CARPARK AT RECREATION RESERVE CAN ALSO BE UTILISED BY LICENSED STUDENTS AND PARENTS DROPPING OFF AND COLLECTING STUDENTS.



## Housekeeping

IT Support/Help Desk via [support@officersc.vic.edu.au](mailto:support@officersc.vic.edu.au)

Student absences via [absence@officersc.vic.edu.au](mailto:absence@officersc.vic.edu.au)

Enrolments via [enrolments@officersc.vic.edu.au](mailto:enrolments@officersc.vic.edu.au)

Enquires via [officer.sc@education.vic.gov.au](mailto:officer.sc@education.vic.gov.au)



Don't forget to stay up to date with your child's Compass  
& the OSC Facebook page

## 2026 Bell Times

Period	Monday		Tuesday		Wednesday		Thursday		Friday	
	Time	Mins	Time	Mins	Time	Mins	Time	Mins	Time	Mins
Staff	8.30-8.40	10	8.30-8.40	10	8.30-8.40	10	8.30-8.40	10	8.30-8.40	10
P1	8:45 - 9:46	61	8:45-9:40	55	8:45-9:40	55	8:45 - 9:46	61	8:45 - 9:46	61
P2	9:47 - 10:48	61	9:41-10:36	55	9:41-10:36	55	9:47 - 10:48	61	9:47 - 10:48	61
REC	10:49 - 11:14	25	10:37 - 10:59	21	10:37 - 10:59	21	10:49 - 11:14	25	10:49 - 11:14	25
P3	11:15 - 12:16	61	11:00 - 11:55	55	11:00 - 11:55	55	11:15 - 12:16	61	11:15 - 12:16	61
P4	12:17 - 1:18	61	11:56 - 12:51	55	11:56 - 12:51	55	12:17 - 1:18	61	12:17 - 1:18	61
L2L/ASS			12:52-1.25	33						
LUN	1:19 - 1:59	40	<b>1:26 - 1:59</b>	<b>33</b>	12:52 - 1:34	37	1:19 - 1:59	40	1:19 - 1:59	40
P5	2:00 - 3:00	60	2:00 - 3:00	60	1:35 - 2:30	55	2:00 - 3:00	60	2:00 - 3:00	60