

Hon Jo Palmer MLC**Minister for Education****Minister for Children and Youth****Minister for Disability Services****Minister for Women and Prevention of Family & Sexual Violence****ROUTINE DIARY DISCLOSURE - 1 September to 30 September 2026**

The disclosure provides information relating to Ministerial meetings with stakeholders, third parties, lobbyists and Government agencies, and includes the purpose of the meeting, attendees, and Ministerial attendance at functions or events, visits and media interviews. The information does not include internal meetings held with other Ministers and/or ministerial staff, or meetings that are strictly personal, electorate or party/political. Information will not be disclosed where there may be an overriding public interest against disclosure of the specific information, such as security, law enforcement, public safety or commercial-in-confidence.

Date	Meeting	Purpose	Attendees
1/09/2026	MEETING Federal / State Disability Reform Ministerial Council Meeting	Re: Disability Reform matters	Minister Butler Senator McAllister Minister Hon Kate Washington NSW Minister Hon Amanda Camm MP QLD Minister Hon Lizzie Blandthorn MP VIC Minister Hon Hannah Beazley MP WA Minister Katrine Hildyard MP SA Minister Jinson Charls MP NT Minister Suzanne Orr ACT
1/09/2026	MEETING Governor of Tasmania	Re: Portfolio briefing	The Hon Caroline Wells

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2/09/2026	MEETING Dept for Education, Children and Young People	Re: Regular meeting	Secretary Ginna Webster Deputy Secretary Trudy Pearce Deputy Secretary Jodee Wilson Deputy Secretary Kane Salter Deputy Secretary Jenny Burgess Deputy Secretary Rebecca Pinto Director Ruth Davidson Director James Burrows Principal Ministerial Officer Erin Lee
2/09/2026	MEETING Expert Leads	Re: Financial sustainability analysis	Ms Helen Silver Dr Michele Bruniges
3/09/2026	MEETING Dept for Education, Children and Young People	Re: Regular meeting	Secretary Ginna Webster Deputy Secretary Peter Whitcombe Director James Burrows Principal Ministerial Officer Erin Lee
3/09/2026	MEETING Dept for Education, Children and Young People	Re: Teachers Registration Bill	Deputy Secretary Jenny Burgess Principal Legislative Policy and Projects Officer Grace Shaw Program Manager Andrea McAuliffe Deputy Director Alice Blake
4/09/2026	MEETING Private citizen	Re: RSL matters	Cecil Williams
4/09/2026	MEETING Federal Dept of Health	Re: Briefing NDIS Strategy and policy	Acting First Assistant Secretary Erin Rule Assistant Secretary Sarah Hawke
5/09/2026	ATTEND New Horizons celebrating 40 Years Function	Re: Celebration event	
5/09/2026	ATTEND Orchid Show	Re: Visit	
7/09/2026	VISIT Elizabeth College	Re: Visit and tour	

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8/09/2026	MEETING Dept of Health and Dept of Premier and Cabinet	Re: Regular meeting	Secretary Dale Webster Associate Secretary Sally Badcock Deputy Secretary Kyle Lowe Executive Director Anita Planchon Deputy Secretary Mellissa Gray Director Ingrid Ganley
8/09/2026	MEETING Dept of Justice - Prevention of Family and Sexual Violence	Re: Regular meeting	Secretary Kristy Bourne Deputy Secretary Pauline van Adrichem Executive Director Angela McCrossen Assistant Director Tegan Dwyer
8/09/2026	MEETING Dept of Premier and Cabinet - Women	Re: Regular meeting	Chief Reform Lead Courtney Hurworth Assistant Director Pip Hankin
8/09/2026	MEETING Tasmanian Library Board Chair	Re: Library services	Jan Richards AM
9/09/2026	ATTEND Foster and Kinship Carers Assoc Tas 40th	Re: Official role	
9/09/2026	MEETING Dept for Education, Children and Young People	Re: Regular meeting	Secretary Ginna Webster Deputy Secretary Trudy Pearce Deputy Secretary Jodee Wilson Deputy Secretary Kane Salter Deputy Secretary Jenny Burgess Deputy Secretary Rebecca Pinto Director Ruth Davidson Director James Burrows Principal Ministerial Officer Erin Lee
10/09/2026	MEETING Dept for Education, Children and Young People	Re: Regular meeting	Secretary Ginna Webster Deputy Secretary Peter Whitcombe Director James Burrows Principal Ministerial Officer Erin Lee
11/09/2026	MEETING Private Citizen	Re: Electorate matters	Peter Kearney
11/09/2026	MEETING Trevallyn Parks and Improvement Assoc	Re: Tas water charges	Colin Burns
12/09/2026	ATTEND Tournament of the Minds	Re: Official role	

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12/09/2026	ATTEND Parrots v Old Launcestonians	Re: Electorate event	
13/09/2026	ATTEND Postgraduate Gallery Society	Re: Local production	
13/09/2026	ATTEND Beauty Point Bowls	Re: Open day	
14/09/2026	MEETING Foster and Kinship Carers Assoc Tas	Re: Foster and kinship carers	Chief Executive Officer Dr Kim Backhouse Contractor Dr Julian Watchorn
14/09/2026	MEETING Foundation for Alcohol Research and Education	Re: National framework	Chief Executive Officer Ayla Chorley
14/09/2026	MEETING SafeChoices	Re: Program	Manager Trish Males
14/09/2026	MEETING Tas Aboriginal Centre and SNAICC	Re: Thriving kids program	Manager Community Services Wendy Moore Chief Executive Officer Catherine Liddle
14/09/2026	MEETING Tas Assoc of State School Organisations Executive Officer and College Assoc representatives	Re: Years 11 and 12	Don College Lisa Doherty & Sonia Badcock Elizabeth College Melinda Maddock Hobart College Charles Courtney & John Allan Launceston College Jayanthi Maniam Newstead College Kirsty Crawford
14/09/2026	MEETING Work and Training, SEDA Group and IntoWork	Re: Years 11 and 12 concept	Chief Executive Officer Rodney Hayden Group Executive Principal Sam Symes Chief Executive Officer Nick Hannett Director Chris Reidy Chief Development Officer Nicolas West
15/09/2026	VISIT King Island District School	Re: Visit and tour	
15/09/2026	VISIT King Island Library	Re: Visit and introduction	
15/09/2026	VISIT Phoenix Community House Inc	Re: Visit and Women's craft	
15/09/2026	VISIT Teacher Accommodation	Re: Visit and tour	
16/09/2026	MEDIA Multi School Organisation	Re: Northern multi school organisation	
16/09/2026	MEETING Be Hers Foundation	Re: Introductory meeting	Founder Melody Towns

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16/09/2026	MEETING Dept for Education, Children and Young People	Re: Regular meeting	Secretary Ginna Webster Deputy Secretary Trudy Pearce Deputy Secretary Jodee Wilson Deputy Secretary Kane Salter Deputy Secretary Jenny Burgess Deputy Secretary Rebecca Pinto Director Ruth Davidson Director James Burrows Principal Ministerial Officer Erin Lee
16/09/2026	MEETING Deloitte, Dept for Education, Children and Young People and Commissioner for Children and Young People	Re: Early Years - Early Learning for 3 year olds	Deloitte Partner James Blake Deloitte Kate Wilson Director Vidhya Chelliah Deputy Secretary Jenny Burgess Principal Policy and Project Officer Libby Henry Commissioner Ros Cornish
16/09/2026	MEETING Launceston Women's Shelter, Hobart Women's Shelter and North West Tasmania Women's Shelter	Re: Joint Tas Shelter submission	Chief Executive Officer Honni Pitt Chief Executive Officer Janet Saunder Chief Executive Officer Sophie Hunt
17/09/2026	ATTEND AFL Premiership Cup tour	Re: Windsor park visit	
17/09/2026	ATTEND Small Wonder Wines vineyard	Cellar Door and Restaurant Official Opening	
17/09/2026	ATTEND Beaconsfield Neighbourhood House	Re: Visit	
17/09/2026	MEETING Dept for Education, Children and Young People	Re: Regular meeting	Secretary Ginna Webster Deputy Secretary Peter Whitcombe Director Office of the Secretary James Burrows Principal Ministerial Officer Erin Lee
17/09/2026	VISIT Riverside Primary School	Re: Visit and tour	
19/09/2026	ATTEND Exeter Bowls Season	Re: Open Day	
19/09/2026	ATTEND Launceston City Football Club	Re: End of season celebration	
21/09/2026	ATTEND Regional Cabinet Community Function - Circular Head	Re: Local community and stakeholder event	

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21/09/2026	VISIT Smithton Teacher accommodation	Re: Visit and tour	
21/09/2026	VISIT Redpa Primary School	Re: Visit and tour	
21/09/2026	VISIT Smithton High School	Re: Visit and tour	
21/09/2026	VISIT Smithton Primary School	Re: Visit and tour	
22/09/2026	ATTEND Heywire Tamar Valley	Re: Red carpet premiere	
22/09/2026	MEETING Dept of Health and Dept of Premier and Cabinet	Re: Regular meeting	Secretary Dale Webster Associate Secretary Sally Badcock Deputy Secretary Kyle Lowe Executive Director Anita Planchon Deputy Secretary Mellissa Gray Director Ingrid Ganley
22/09/2026	MEETING Dept of Premier and Cabinet	Re: Machinery of government	Chief Reform Lead Courtney Hurworth
23/09/2026	ATTEND 140 Years of Scotch Oakburn College	Re: Exhibition opening	
23/09/2026	ATTEND Beacon Foundation event at Deloraine High School	Re: Year 8 pilot and VET workforce	
23/09/2026	MEETING Dept for Education, Children and Young People	Re: Regular meeting	Secretary Ginna Webster Deputy Secretary Trudy Pearce Deputy Secretary Jodee Wilson Deputy Secretary Kane Salter Deputy Secretary Jenny Burgess Deputy Secretary Rebecca Pinto Director Ruth Davidson Director James Burrows Principal Ministerial Officer Erin Lee
23/09/2026	MEDIA Beacon Foundation	Re: Pilot program	
23/09/2026	VISIT Deloraine High School	Re: Visit and tour	
24/09/2026	ATTEND Housing Industry Assoc Building Women event	Re: Official role	
24/09/2026	ATTEND Tamar Valley Wine	Re: Route Map / Brochure Launch	
24/09/2026	MEDIA Northern Economic Plan	Re: Wellness announcement	

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24/09/2026	MEETING Dept for Education, Children and Young People	Re: Education international business unit	Acting Deputy Secretary Development and Support Mark Sivills Director Learning Pathways John Furness
24/09/2026	MEETING Dept for Education, Children and Young People	Re: Regular meeting	Secretary Ginna Webster Deputy Secretary Peter Whitcombe Director Office of the Secretary James Burrows Principal Ministerial Officer Erin Lee
24/09/2026	MEETING St Giles	Re: Introductory meeting	Chief Executive Officer Kathryn Berry
24/09/2026	VISIT Cressy District High School at Hagley Farm	Re: Career Launch program	
24/09/2026	VISIT Hagley Farm Primary School	Re: Visit and tour	
25/09/2026	ATTEND Bridgenorth Football Club	Re: Annual dinner and trophy presentation	
25/09/2026	ATTEND HALT Summit	Re: Portfolio event	
25/09/2026	ATTEND Sally's Ride	Re: Launch	
25/09/2026	ATTEND Summerdale Breakfast Club	Re: Assistance	
25/09/2026	ATTEND Riverside Pharmacy	Re: World Pharmacists Day	
28/09/2026	ATTEND Festivale 2027	Re: Launch	
28/09/2026	MEDIA Interview with ABC	Re: Family Violence reforms	
28/09/2026	MEDIA UTAS Redevelopment	Re: Opening of upgrades	
28/09/2026	MEETING Tasmanian Principals Association	Re: Regular meeting	President Mat Grining Principal Rob Fleming
29/09/2026	MEETING Dept of Health	Re: Disability Reform Ministerial Council	Secretary Dale Webster Deputy Secretary Kyle Lowe Director Ingrid Ganley
30/09/2026	ATTEND Hospitality Tasmania Awards for Excellence Speech	Re: Formal role	
30/09/2026	ATTEND Hobart City High School New Town Campus	Re: Official opening	
30/09/2026	ATTEND Speak Out Advocacy Conference and Expo	Re: Official role	
30/09/2026	MEDIA Interview with The Australian	Re: Thriving kids program	

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30/09/2026	MEETING Dept for Education, Children and Young People	Re: Regular meeting	Secretary Ginna Webster Deputy Secretary Trudy Pearce Deputy Secretary Jodee Wilson Deputy Secretary Kane Salter Deputy Secretary Jenny Burgess Deputy Secretary Rebecca Pinto Director Ruth Davidson Director James Burrows Principal Ministerial Officer Erin Lee

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