

Hon Jo Palmer MLC
 Minister for Education
 Minister for Children and Youth
 Minister for Disability Services



ROUTINE DIARY DISCLOSURE - 1 January to 31 March 2026

The Ministerial diary information includes Ministerial meetings with third parties and lobbyists, the purpose of the meeting, as well as details of Ministerial attendances, visits, events, and media interviews. The information does not include internal meetings held by Ministers with other Ministers, ministerial staff, Parliamentarians, or departmental officials, or meetings that are strictly personal, electorate or party/political meetings.

Names of organisation are provided. However, if an individual person attends in relation to a portfolio matter, and does not represent any organisation, then the person's name will be not disclosed, but will be listed as a private citizen. 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
1/01/2026	ATTEND Hurricanes V Perth Scorchers	
1/01/2026	ATTEND Taste of Summer VIP Session	
3/01/2026	ATTEND Greens Beach Golf Club Summer Bash Speech	
6/01/2026	MEETING Dept of Education, Children and Young People	Re: Various matters
7/01/2026	MEETING Private Citizen	Re: Tamar Valley Court
8/01/2026	MEETING Dept of Education, Children and Young People	Re: Multi school organisations
8/01/2026	MEETING Dept of Education, Children and Young People	Re: Multi school organisations update
10/01/2026	ATTEND West Tamar Summer Market	
12/01/2026	MEETING Private Citizen	Re: Various matters
12/01/2026	MEDIA Libraries Tasmania School Holiday Program	
13/01/2026	MEETING Dept of Premier and Cabinet	Re: Regular meeting
13/01/2026	MEETING Dept of Education, Children and Young People and Dept of State Growth	Re: TasTAFE Laboratory Technology Fees
13/01/2026	MEETING AITSL Board Chair	Re: Priorities and reforms

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13/01/2026	MEETING Waratah Wynyard Council	Re: Current projects and priorities
14/01/2026	ATTEND Headspace Launceston	
14/01/2026	MEDIA LAFM Radio - Tas Disability Inclusion Advisory Council	
14/01/2026	MEETING Tamar NRM	Re: Current priorities and general update
14/01/2026	MEETING Dept of Education, Children and Young People	Re: Regular meeting
15/01/2026	MEETING West Tamar Council CEO	Re: various local issues
15/01/2026	MEETING Fostering Hope	Re: Introductory meeting
15/01/2026	MEETING Dept of Education, Children and Young People	Re: Regular meeting
16/01/2026	ATTEND Legana Cricket Club	
16/01/2026	VISIT Sidmouth Hall	
17/01/2026	VISIT Legana Mini Market	
19/01/2026	MEETING Dept of Education, Children and Young People	Re: Regular meeting
19/01/2026	MEDIA Sport Courts Access	
19/01/2026	MEETING Consul General of Japan	Re: Introductory meeting
20/01/2026	MEETING Private Citizen	Re: Various matters
21/01/2026	MEETING Dept of Education, Children and Young People	Re: Multi school organisations
21/01/2026	MEETING Private Citizen	Re: Various electorate matters
21/01/2026	MEETING Private Citizen	Re: Various matters
21/01/2026	VISIT Estilo Gems	
21/01/2026	MEETING City of Launceston	Re: General catch up and Tamar Lake
21/01/2026	MEETING Dept of Education, Children and Young People	Re: Regular meeting
22/01/2026	ATTEND Multi School Organisation Session	
22/01/2026	ATTEND TFA Regional Intensive Informal roundtable Speech	
22/01/2026	MEETING Dept of Education, Children and Young People	Re: Regular meeting
22/01/2026	ATTEND McKinnon Foundation Dinner	
22/01/2026	MEETING McKinnon Foundation	Re: Various matters
22/01/2026	MEETING Dept of Education, Children and Young People	Re: Regular meeting
23/01/2026	ATTEND City of Launceston Citizenship Ceremony	
23/01/2026	MEDIA Royal Park Skate Park grant funding	
24/01/2026	ATTEND Foo Fighters	

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25/01/2026	MEDIA Foo Fighters Economic Injection across Tasmania	
26/01/2026	ATTEND Greens Beach Sand Building	
26/01/2026	ATTEND West Tamar Council Australia Day Citizenship	
27/01/2026	ATTEND Public Accounts Committee	Re: Improving Outcomes Senior Secondary Students
27/01/2026	ATTEND Intensive Therapy Program	
27/01/2026	MEETING Kin Raising Kids	Re: Introductory and update on KRK work
27/01/2026	MEETING Working It Out	Re: Introductory meeting new CEO
27/01/2026	MEETING Dept of Premier and Cabinet	Re: Disability Services
28/01/2026	ATTEND Newstead College Awards Evening	
28/01/2026	MEETING Dept of Education, Children and Young People	Re: OOHC Reform Funding
28/01/2026	VISIT Beaconsfield Child & Family Centre	
28/01/2026	MEETING Burt Munro Cafe	Re: Various matters
28/01/2026	MEETING Dept of Education, Children and Young People	Re: Regular meeting
29/01/2026	ATTEND Festivale Cocktail Party	
29/01/2026	ATTEND Launceston College Academic Awards Ceremony	
29/01/2026	MEDIA Multi school organisations	
29/01/2026	MEETING Each	Re: Introductory meeting
29/01/2026	MEETING Independent Schools	Re: Podcast
29/01/2026	MEETING SEED Futures	Re: Early childhood outcomes
29/01/2026	MEETING Dept of Education, Children and Young People	Re: Regular meeting
29/01/2026	VISIT City Park Festivale highlights	
30/01/2026	ATTEND TASC Outstanding Achievement Awards Speech	
30/01/2026	MEDIA Early Learning	
30/01/2026	MEETING Private Citizen	Re: Education matters
30/01/2026	MEETING UTAS	Re: Briefing on UTAS land bill
31/01/2026	ATTEND Festivale Recipe for Disaster Speech	
2/02/2026	MEETING Australian Childhood Foundation	Re: Introductory meeting
2/02/2026	MEETING Early Childhood Australia	Re: Child Safety
2/02/2026	MEETING Private Citizen	Re: Various matters
2/02/2026	MEDIA ABC Breakfast Radio	Re: Building Early Education Fund

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3/02/2026	MEDIA Violence in Schools Taskforce	
3/02/2026	MEETING Dept of Education, Children and Young People	Re: Child Safety and Youth Justice Reform
3/02/2026	MEDIA Chilli FM - Building Early Education Fund	
4/02/2026	MEETING Dept of Education, Children and Young People	Re: Regular Weekly Meeting
4/02/2026	MEDIA Launch of the Kanamaluka/Tamar Infrastructure and Amenities Master Plan	
4/02/2026	ATTEND Launch of the TEMT Kanamaluka/Tamar Infrastructure and Amenities Master Plan	
5/02/2026	ATTEND PAC Hearing - Improving Outcomes for Tasmanian Senior Secondary Students	
5/02/2026	MEETING Dept of Education, Children and Young People	Re: Regular Weekly Meeting
5/02/2026	MEETING The Listening Projects	Re: The Listening Mat
5/02/2026	MEDIA Welcome Back to School	
6/02/2026	ATTEND Official Opening of The Forest	
6/02/2026	VISIT Howrah Primary School	
8/02/2026	ATTEND Party in the Paddock Talk in the Paddock	
8/02/2026	ATTEND Birralee Pony Club Rally	
9/02/2026	VISIT North-West Support School Burnie	
9/02/2026	VISIT Karinya	
9/02/2026	MEETING Thrive Group	Re: Educators Enterprise Agreement
10/02/2026	MEETING Dept of Premier and Cabinet	Re: Regular Meeting Disability Services
10/02/2026	VISIT Summerdale Breakfast Club	
10/02/2026	VISIT Tresillian Launceston	
10/02/2026	VISIT Riverside Primary School	
10/02/2026	MEETING Rural Youth CEO	Re: Various youth matters
10/02/2026	MEETING Rural Business Tasmania	Re: General catch up
11/02/2026	MEETING Dept of Education, Children and Young People	Re: Regular Weekly Meeting
11/02/2026	ATTEND Talent Advisory and Launceston Chamber of Commerce	
11/02/2026	ATTEND Opening of Legana Medical Centre	
11/02/2026	MEDIA Opening of Beaconsfield Medical Centre	
11/02/2026	MEETING Bec Thomas MLC, Independent Member for Elwick	Re: Glenorchy Youth Hub

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11/02/2026	VISIT Riverside Olympic Football Club	
11/02/2026	VISIT Riverside Tennis	
11/02/2026	MEDIA ABC Northern Drive Radio	
12/02/2026	ATTEND Education Regulatory Board Meeting	
12/02/2026	MEETING Dept of Education, Children and Young People	Re: Regular Weekly Meeting
12/02/2026	MEETING Eskleigh	Re: Initiatives
13/02/2026	MEETING Julian Leeser MP, Federal Member for Berowra	Re: Education matters
13/02/2026	ATTEND City of Launceston Reception CWA 90th Anniversary	
13/02/2026	MEETING Private citizen	Re: RSL
13/02/2026	MEDIA Legana - One Year on	
13/02/2026	VISIT Legana Cricket Club	
13/02/2026	VISIT Riverside Aquatic Centre	
14/02/2026	ATTEND Legana Cricket Club Ladies day	
14/02/2026	ATTEND Valentines Day Passion and Blooms	
15/02/2026	MEDIA Summer Festivals Wrap Up	
16/02/2026	ATTEND Regional Community Function - George Town	
16/02/2026	VISIT Star of the Sea Catholic College	
16/02/2026	VISIT JCP Youth George Town area	
16/02/2026	VISIT Kinimathatakinta / George Town Community Hub	
16/02/2026	VISIT Indie School George Town	
16/02/2026	VISIT Able Australia	
16/02/2026	MEDIA LAFM Radio	
17/02/2026	MEETING Joint Regional Cabinet - George Town Council	Re: Various matters
17/02/2026	MEDIA South George Town Primary School Redevelopment Concept Plan Release and Consultation	
18/02/2026	MEETING Dept of Education, Children and Young People	Re: Regular Weekly Meeting
18/02/2026	VISIT Exeter Bowls Club Farmers Day	
18/02/2026	MEDIA Medicare Mental Health Kids Hubs Event	
19/02/2026	MEETING Dept of Education, Children and Young People	Re: Regular Weekly Meeting
20/02/2026	MEETING Federal / State Education Ministers Meeting	Re: Federal / State matters

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21/02/2026	VISIT West Tamar Market	
21/02/2026	VISIT Legana Mini Market	
21/02/2026	ATTEND New Horizons Awards Night 2026	
22/02/2026	ATTEND Rotary Soggy Bottom Regatta	
23/02/2026	MEDIA Exeter High School Opening	
23/02/2026	MEETING Kennerley CEO	Re: Introduction amd family based foster care
23/02/2026	MEETING Women's Legal Tasmania	Re: Women and Family Hub Project
23/02/2026	MEETING Tas Association of State School Organisations	Re: Regular meeting and priorities
24/02/2026	MEETING Dept of Premier and Cabinet	Re: Regular Fortnightly Meeting - Disability Services
24/02/2026	MEETING Dept of Education, Children and Young People	Re: Regular Weekly Meeting
24/02/2026	ATTEND Hospitality Tasmania Launceston Cup Eve	
26/02/2026	MEETING Dept of Education, Children and Young People	Re: Regular Weekly Meeting
26/02/2026	MEDIA Defining Education Success	
27/02/2026	ATTEND Tasmanian Independent Retailers Gala Dinner	
27/02/2026	ATTEND West Tamar Council Citizenship Ceremony	
28/02/2026	ATTEND Exeter Show	
28/02/2026	ATTEND Launceston Little Athletics Season Awards	
1/03/2026	ATTEND Cars for Kidz	
2/03/2026	ATTEND Brighton High School	
3/03/2026	MEETING Aust Education Union Regular meeting	Re: EBA Negotiations and MSO's
3/03/2026	MEETING Brighton Mayor	Re: Youth justice reform
3/03/2026	MEETING Disability Commissioner	Re: Regular meeting and tour of office
3/03/2026	VISIT Institute for Marine and Antarctic Studies - Taroona	
4/03/2026	ATTEND Exhibition Opening Through My Eyes Speech	
4/03/2026	MEETING Glenorchy City Council Mayor	Re: Youth Justice Reform
4/03/2026	MEETING Dept of Education, Children and Young People	Re: Education issues
4/03/2026	VISIT Bowen Road Primary School	
5/03/2026	MEETING Dept of Education, Children and Young People	Re: Budget
5/03/2026	ATTEND Free2b Girls IWD EmpowerHER Day	
6/03/2026	VISIT Beauty Point Bowls Club	

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6/03/2026	VISIT Beauty Point Cricket Club	
6/03/2026	ATTEND International Women's Day Afternoon Tea Cadorna House	
6/03/2026	ATTEND Summerdale Breakfast Club	
10/03/2026	ATTEND West Tamar IWD Breakfast	
10/03/2026	MEETING Catholic Education	Re: update on activities and Violence in Schools - Keeping Staff Safe 2026-2028 Action Plan and Multi-School Organisational Model
10/03/2026	ATTEND MSO Trial Steering Committee	
10/03/2026	MEETING Private citizen	Re: Literacy (Rosie's Reading), WWVP recommendations, and progress more widely
10/03/2026	MEETING Dept of Premier and Cabinet	Re: Disability Services
10/03/2026	MEETING Dept of Education, Children and Young People	Re: Children and Youth
10/03/2026	VISIT St Leonards Primary School	
11/03/2026	ATTEND Exeter High School Official Opening 2026 Speech	
11/03/2026	ATTEND 2026 Season Launch of Theatre North	
11/03/2026	MEETING Launceston Central City	Re: Various issues
11/03/2026	MEETING Dept of Education, Children and Young People	Re: Education issues
11/03/2026	VISIT Exeter High School Ag program	
12/03/2026	ATTEND Regional Community Function - Trevallyn	
12/03/2026	MEETING Joint Regional Cabinet - Launceston City Council	Re: Various matters
13/03/2026	ATTEND Built By Her: Women's Pathways in Trades Speech	
13/03/2026	MEDIA Northern Economy Wrap Up	
13/03/2026	VISIT Launceston College	
13/03/2026	VISIT Riverside High Breakfast Club	
13/03/2026	VISIT Sidmouth Hall Committee - Meet and Greet	
13/03/2026	VISIT Tamar Valley Wine Group - Velo Wines	
14/03/2026	ATTEND Tas Fire Service Celebration for Todd Russell	
14/03/2026	ATTEND Exeter Bowls Club Pennant Day	
15/03/2026	ATTEND 90th Anniversary of Beauty Point Uniting Church	
15/03/2026	ATTEND Exeter Show de-brief and celebration	
16/03/2026	MEETING Dept of Education, Children and Young People	Re: ARL Renewal

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16/03/2026	MEDIA LAFM Radio	
17/03/2026	ATTEND Welcome back to Parliament function	
17/03/2026	MEETING Ashley Youth Detention Centre Reviewer	Re: Update on review
17/03/2026	ATTEND DepT of Premier and Cabinet Briefing on UTas Land Bill	
18/03/2026	MEETING Dept of Education, Children and Young People	Re: Education issues
19/03/2026	ATTEND State Reception for His Majesty The King and Her Majesty The Queen of Denmark	
19/03/2026	ATTEND Luncheon with Caravan Park Residents	
19/03/2026	MEETING Dept of Education, Children and Young People	Re: Children and Youth
20/03/2026	ATTEND Community Trivia Night Supporting Tassie Mums Speech	
20/03/2026	MEETING Tasmanian Eye Institute Café	Re: various matters
20/03/2026	MEDIA Wage Negotiations	
20/03/2026	MEDIA Ride to school	
21/03/2026	ATTEND Gravelly Beach Community Celebration	
21/03/2026	ATTEND MND fundraiser Speech	
22/03/2026	MEDIA The Bubble Event	
22/03/2026	MEDIA Tasmania Reads	
23/03/2026	MEDIA ABC Southern Drive	
24/03/2026	MEETING Tasmania Football Club	Re: Planned Educational Offerings
24/03/2026	MEETING Dept of Premier and Cabinet	Re: Regular Fortnightly Meeting - Disability Services
25/03/2026	ATTEND Dept of Education, Children and Young People briefing - UTas Land Bill	
25/03/2026	ATTEND UTas Land bill briefing by Save UTAS Group	
25/03/2026	MEETING Dept of Education, Children and Young People	Re: Education issues
26/03/2026	ATTEND Tas SRG stakeholder discussions Speech	
27/03/2026	ATTEND Newstead Medical Urgent Care and new consulting Rooms	
27/03/2026	ATTEND Youth Network of Tasmania Speech	
27/03/2026	VISIT All Pilates	
27/03/2026	VISIT Neighbourhood Café	
28/03/2026	ATTEND Official Opening of the Northern Suburbs Community Recreation Hub	

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28/03/2026	ATTEND Tasmania Devils VFL R2 Official Function	
28/03/2026	ATTEND PDYC Women on Water event	
28/03/2026	ATTEND Premier's Youth Advisory Council/Premier's Health and Wellbeing Advisory Council	Re: Various issues and vaping
29/03/2026	ATTEND Legana Easter Egg Hunt and Market	
29/03/2026	ATTEND Dementia Walk with Professor George Razay MP	
29/03/2026	MEDIA Reduction in Bus Fares to reduce costs for families	
30/03/2026	MEDIA Free Bus Fares	
30/03/2026	MEETING Education Services Australia	Re: Current work and introduction to new CEO
30/03/2026	MEETING Independent Schools Tasmania	Re: education success initiatives, UNESCO, enrolment growth, new independent schools and Lifting Literacy Project
30/03/2026	MEDIA LAFM - Bus travel	
30/03/2026	VISIT Art Hotel	
30/03/2026	VISIT Launceston Big 4 Holiday Park	
31/03/2026	ATTEND Dorset LEG meeting - No 2 of 2026	
31/03/2026	ATTEND Aus Musical Theatre Festival	
31/03/2026	MEDIA Pacer One Year on Anniversary	
31/03/2026	VISIT Afternoon Tea - Mental Health Emergency Response North - First Anniversary	
31/03/2026	VISIT Beaconsfield Ambulance with JoP	