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ST MARGARET'S AND BERWICK GRAMMAR SCHOOL BUS SCHEDULES 2017

All registered passengers will be issued with a bus pass which they must present each time they use an SMS/BGS bus service. Passes will be distributed to students during the first week of 2017. After this, drivers will take details of any students travelling without passes and will notify Student Office.

Occasional travel passes to/from school can be obtained from Senior School Student Office, Berwick Grammar Reception or payment made directly to the bus driver.

Following is a list of bus services for students. For Victorian Public Transport services parents should contact the relevant bus company with any queries or ptv.vic.gov.au, for all other services please contact Student Office via email at studentoffice@stmargarets.vic.edu.au

A summary of transport services for Berwick Grammar School is on page 7.

HIGH FIRE DANGER DAYS OR EXTREME EXTERNAL EMERGENCY

Please be aware that on days with a **Fire Danger Rating of Code Red (CATASTROPHIC)** or **Extreme** services may be impacted.

On days with a **Fire Danger Rating of Code Red (Catastrophic)** Berwick Grammar School **will be closed and BGS students will be based at SMS for the day. Some services will then terminate at SMS.**

In the event of an extreme emergency occurring on a route after a service has left SMS, the driver will be instructed to return to SMS with **all** the passengers on board at the time. **No passengers will be permitted to disembark en route.** All passengers will be escorted to the SMS Lunch Box and parents will be contacted. Students will be supervised, fed and sheltered until a parent (or a person they have authorised) is able to collect their student.

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BERWICK BUS LINES

Telephone: 03-59431148

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Bus BB1 – Emerald, Belgrave via Belgrave South, Narre Warren East, Harkaway, to St Margaret's and then to Berwick Grammar School.

	STOPS	PICK UP	DROP OFF	TERM FARE	TERM FARE	Casual*
	TIME	TIME		RETURN**	ONE WAY**	
1	Emerald CFA	7.30 am	4.17 pm	\$660	\$405	\$20.00 per trip
2	Clematis General Store	7.33 am	4.10 pm	\$660	\$405	\$20.00 per trip
3	Hermans Corner	7.37 am	4.06 pm	\$660	\$405	\$20.00 per trip
4	Selby	7.40 am	4.01 pm	\$660	\$405	\$20.00 per trip
5	Belgrave CFA	7.45 am	3.57 pm	\$600	\$380	\$20.00 per trip
6	Belgrave South Primary School	7.50 am	3.50 pm	\$600	\$380	\$20.00 per trip
7	Dandenong Ranges Pony Club, Lloyd Park	7.53 am	3.46 pm	\$520	\$325	\$18.00 per trip
8	Narre Warren East CFA	7.56 am	3.43 pm	\$520	\$325	\$18.00 per trip
9	Harkaway Rd (near Boundary Rd)	7.59 am	3.41 pm	\$520	\$325	\$18.00 per trip
10	Harkaway Rd (near Hyde Hill Rd) – PM only	n/a	3.40 pm	\$520	\$325	\$18.00 per trip
11	Harkaway Rd (near King Road)	n/a	3.35 pm	\$325	\$200	\$15.00 per trip
12	Harkaway Road (near Casey Drive)	8.03 am	3.33 pm	\$270	\$175	\$10.00 per trip
13	Harkaway Rd (near Russell Avenue)	8.05 am	3.30 pm	\$270	\$175	\$10.00 per trip
14	ST MARGARET'S PLACE	8.11 am	3.20 pm	\$270	\$175	\$10.00 per trip
	Express between SMS and BGS.					
15	BERWICK GRAMMAR SCHOOL	8.23 am	3.08pm			

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BERWICK BUS LINESTelephone: **03-5943 1148**

This is a Country Route Service (neither Chartered nor MET) – students pay the driver for each trip.

Bus BB4 Upper Beaconsfield, Guys Hill, Brisbane Street Berwick. FARES as at November 2016: **\$1.20 each way**NOTE: On days with a **Fire Danger Rating of Code Red (Catastrophic)** this service **WILL NOT RUN**.

STOPS	PICK UP TIMES	DROP OFF TIMES
1. Upper Beaconsfield Community Centre, Salisbury Road	7.40 am	-
2. Salisbury Road, MET Stop opposite A'Beckett Road	7.42 am	-
3. MET Stop Split Rock Road / Salisbury Road	7.44 am	4.08 pm
4. Corner Split Rock Road / Norbury Road	7.46 am	-
5. Corner Split Rock Road / Kitchen Road	7.48 am	4.07 pm
6. MET Stop Split Rock Road Opposite Berglund Road	7.49 am	4.06 pm
7. Corner Split Rock Road / Beaconsfield-Emerald Road	7.50 am	4.05 pm
8. MET Stop Stoney Creek Road / Opposite McArthur Road	7.53 am	4.04 pm
9. Stoney Creek Road opposite No. 94 PM Only	-	4.03 pm
10. Pine Grove Hotel, Stoney Creek Road	7.56 am	4.02 pm
11. Stoney Creek Road – corner Sutherland Road (opposite) MET stop	7.58 am	4.00 pm
12. MET Stop Beaconsfield Emerald Road opposite Haupt Place (Corner Haupt Place PM)	8.01 am	3.58 pm
13. Guys Hill Corner Luke Place / Beaconsfield Emerald Road	-	3.55 pm
14. Berwick Secondary College	8.07 am	3.45 pm
15. Corner Manuka Road and High Street - BGS students disembark AM only (note: Students will need to purchase a separate ticket on BGS Transfer Service)	8.10 am	-
16. Corner Brisbane Street / Fritzlaff Court – PM only	-	3.43 pm
17. Brisbane Street – MET stop opposite Pioneer Park – PM only	-	3.41 pm
18. Lyall Road opposite Woolworths – PM only	-	3.40 pm
19. Princes Highway and Melville Park Drive – PM only	-	3.35 pm
20. St Margaret's Place	Arrive 8.13 am	Depart 3.30 pm

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Bus BB8 Rowville, Endeavour Hills, Narre Warren North STOPS	PICK UP TIME	DROP OFF TIME	TERM FARE RETURN	TERM FARE ONE WAY	Casual*
1. Lysterfield: Major Crescent roundabout PM only	-	4.24 pm	\$540	\$345	\$20.00 per trip
2. Lysterfield: Kellelts Rd near Rosewood Bvd roundabout PM only	-	4.22 pm	\$540	\$345	\$20.00 per trip
3. Rowville: Kellelts Rd opp Sullivan Ave / Major Crescent- PM only	-	4.20 pm	\$540	\$345	\$20.00 per trip
4. Rowville: Kellelts Rd near Napoleon Rd traffic lights- PM only	-	4.18 pm	\$540	\$345	\$20.00 per trip
5. Rowville: Kellelts Rd – Rowville Lakes Shopping Centre PM only	-	4.16 pm	\$540	\$345	\$20.00 per trip
6. Rowville: Wellington Rd Boral Plant (Melways 82-H3) AM only	7.25 am	n/a	\$540	\$345	\$20.00 per trip
7. Rowville: Taylors Lane opposite McKay Road PM only	-	4.11 pm	\$540	\$345	\$20.00 per trip
8. Rowville: Braeburn Parade Shops MET bus stop	7.27 am	4.09 pm	\$540	\$345	\$20.00 per trip
9. Rowville: Liberty Ave Reserve - See note below for route change on days with Fire Danger Rating of Code Red/Extreme	7.30 am	4.07 pm	\$540	\$345	\$20.00 per trip
10. End. Hills: Cnr Heatherton / Grove End Rd (near James Cook Dr)	7.38 am	4.00 pm	\$490	\$315	\$15.00 per trip
11. End. Hills: Cnr Heatherton / Mossgiel Park Drive (Endeavour Hills Shopping Centre)	7.40 am	3.58 pm	\$490	\$315	\$15.00 per trip
12. End. Hills: Heatherton Road / Cnr John Fawkner Drive	-	3.55 pm	\$490	\$315	\$15.00 per trip
13. End. Hills: Cnr Lawson Way / John Fawkner Drive	7.41 am	-	\$490	\$315	\$15.00 per trip
14. End. Hills: Hallam North Road / Thomas Mitchell Drive AM only	7.44 am	N/A	\$490	\$315	\$15.00 per trip
15. NW North: Heatherton Road / Carolyn Close PM only	N/A	3.52 pm	\$450	\$290	\$15.00 per trip
16. NW North: Narre Warren North Road / Ernst Wanke Road	7.50 am	3.48 pm	\$450	\$290	\$15.00 per trip
17. NW North: Narre Warren North Road / Prospect Hill Road	7.52 am	3.47 pm	\$450	\$290	\$15.00 per trip
18. Berwick: Princes Highway and Parkhill Drive AM only	7.55 am	-	\$270	\$175	\$10.00 per trip
19. Berwick: Princes Highway and Mansfield Street PM only	-	3.35 pm	\$270	\$175	\$10.00 per trip
20. St Margaret's Place	8.08 am	3.25 pm	\$270	\$175	\$10.00 per trip
21. High Street, near Manuka Road	8.12 am	3.20 pm	\$270	\$175	\$10.00 per trip
22. BERWICK GRAMMAR SCHOOL	8.20 am	3.08 pm	\$270	\$175	\$10.00 per trip
Bus BB8 departs St Margaret's Place at 3.25pm					

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NOTE: On days with a **Fire Danger Rating of Code Red (Catastrophic)** or **Extreme** – this service may be diverted along Heatherton Rd and Stud Rd between Endeavour Hills and Rowville to avoid the high risk areas of Churchill National Park and the Police Paddocks. Travel times may be impacted.

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STOPS	PICK UP TIME	DROP OFF TIME	FARE RETURN	FARE ONE WAY	FARE CASUAL*
Bus W12 Warragul					
1. WARRAGUL Stop 1 - Albert Road at Pool	7:00 am	4:35 pm	\$700	\$420	\$20.00 per trip
2. WARRAGUL Stop 2 - Queen Street - opposite bike shop	7:01 am	4:33 pm	\$700	\$420	\$20.00 per trip
3. DROUIN - at Mitre 10	7:12 am	4:20 pm	\$640	\$380	\$20.00 per trip
4. Longwarry - Service Stations on freeway	7:15 am	4:17 pm	\$640	\$380	\$20.00 per trip
5. BUNYIP PM only - at Caltex Service Station	n/a	4:08 pm	\$595	\$365	\$15.00 per trip
6. GARFIELD am only - west bound on Princes Highway near Garfield Road	7:26 am	4:03 pm	\$595	\$365	\$15.00 per trip
7. NAR NAR GOON - Next to Hotel	7:35 am	3:48 pm	\$440	\$280	\$15.00 per trip
8. NAR NAR GOON NORTH – Corner of Princes Highway / Mt Ararat Road	7:38 am	3:43 pm	\$440	\$280	\$15.00 per trip
9. PAKENHAM Stop 1 Princes Highway / Army Road	7:45 am	3:34 pm	\$270	\$175	\$10.00 per trip
10. PAKENHAM Stop 2 - Toomuc Reserve	7:53 am	3:31 pm	\$270	\$175	\$10.00 per trip
11. PAKENHAM Stop 3 – Arena Shopping Centre	7:54 am	3:30 pm	\$270	\$175	\$10.00 per trip
12. BERWICK GRAMMAR SCHOOL	8:00 am	3:25 pm	\$270	\$175	\$10.00 per trip
13. OFFICER – Timbertop Boulevard	8:03 am	3:22 pm	\$270	\$175	\$10.00 per trip
14. OFFICER – Brunt Road/Whiteside Road	8:04 am	3:21 pm	\$270	\$175	\$10.00 per trip
15. BEACONSFIELD - Aldi	8:10 am	3:19 pm	\$270	\$175	\$10.00 per trip
16. ST MARGARET'S PLACE	8:18 am	3:12 pm	-	-	-

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Bus BB2 SMS-BGS Transfer service STOPS		TIMES	
Morning Run			
ST MARGARET'S PLACE		8:03 am	
Manuka Road, Berwick		8:05 am	
Beaconsfield shops (ALDI)		8:06 am	
O'Neil Road, Beaconsfield		8:07 am	
Whiteside Road, Officer		8:08 am	
Timbertop Boulevard, Officer		8:09 am	
BERWICK GRAMMAR SCHOOL		8:14 am	
Afternoon Run 1			
BERWICK GRAMMAR SCHOOL		3:05 pm	
Opposite Timbertop Boulevard, Officer		3:16 pm	
Brunt Road, Officer		3:17 pm	
O'Neil Road, Beaconsfield		3:22 pm	
Beaconsfield – opposite Beaconsfield shops		3:23 pm	
ST MARGARET'S PLACE		3:28 pm	
Afternoon Run 2			
BERWICK GRAMMAR SCHOOL		4:15 pm	
Opposite Timbertop Boulevard, Officer		4:22 pm	
Brunt Road, Officer		4:23 pm	
O'Neil Road, Beaconsfield		4:24 pm	
Beaconsfield – opposite Beaconsfield shops		4:25 pm	
Manuka Road, Berwick		4:28 pm	
ST MARGARET'S PLACE		4:30 pm	
Fares for 2017	RETURN	ONE WAY	CASUAL
	\$ 270 per term	\$ 175 per term	\$ 10 per trip

VENTURA**Telephone: 03-5940 2922****C11 Bus Koo Wee Rup – Five Ways - Clyde** (Ventura reference BSC Bus 11 to Koo Wee Rup)

This is a public bus and a Schools Only service run by Ventura for several local schools.
It runs only on government school days. MYKI Fares and conditions apply.

The service will drop/collect students from the bus stop in Gloucester Avenue near the St Margaret's entrance gate. In the morning students will need to cross Gloucester Avenue.

Other stops may be available after consultation with Ventura.

STOPS	PICK UP TIMES	DROP OFF TIMES
1. Bus terminus, Koo Wee Rup	7.15 am	4.45 pm
2. Manks Road / Lea Road, Koo Wee Rup	7.20 am	
3. South Gippsland Highway near General Store, Five Ways	7.30 am	4.20 pm
4. Clyde – Five Ways Road (Muir's – green fence), Five Ways		
5. Ballarto Road / Clyde – Five Ways Road, Clyde		
6. Gloucester Avenue, Berwick (opposite St Margaret's)	arrive 8.00 am	
7. St Margaret's School entrance, Gloucester Avenue, Berwick		Depart 3.55 pm

CRANBOURNE TRANSIT**Telephone: 03-5996 7333**

This is a Schools only Service (service runs every St Margaret's and Berwick Grammar school day) – MYKI Fares and conditions apply.

Bus CB5 Cranbourne – Narre Warren South

STOPS	PICK UP TIMES	DROP OFF TIMES
1. Departs Lyall Street, Cranbourne (opposite Bank of Melbourne)	7.15 am	
2. South Gippsland Highway (opposite racecourse)	7.17 am	
3. Craig Rd, Junction Village	7.20 am	
4. Devon Meadows	7.23 am	
5. Five Ways morning only Afternoon: Passengers to Five Ways, Devon Meadows and Junction Village need to change buses and catch MET service 795 departing Cranbourne Shopping Centre at 4.21pm and 5.07pm.	7.27 am	Transfer to MET service 795
6. Cranbourne Shopping Centre, then South Gippsland Highway to Thompsons Road	7.35 am	4.25 pm
7. Thompson Parkway Shopping Centre	7.40 am	
8. Baringa Park Drive	7.49 am	
9. Narre-Warren Cranbourne Rd, right at Greaves Road, left at Wood Road, right at Centre Road, then Clyde Road to Langmore Lane		
10. St Margaret's, Gloucester Avenue	Arrives 8.00 am	Depart Gloucester Avenue at 3.55 pm

Bus CB7 Langwarrin - Cranbourne - connects with Bus CB6 - This is MET Service Route 791

STOPS	PICK UP TIMES	DROP OFF TIMES
1. Departs Frankston	6.32 am	
2. Karingal Hub Shopping Centre	6.44 am	
3. The Gateway	6.50 am	
4. Cranbourne Shopping Centre High Street	7.05 am	Depart 4.27 pm, 4.47 pm and 5.00 pm

MYKI Fares and conditions apply

- further information can be obtained from Public Transport Victoria ptv.vic.gov.au or myki.com.au

The following **Public Transport Routes** service the Berwick area (map issued December 2010). Details for each service and a full timetable can be found at: ptv.vic.gov.au/timetables/metropolitan-buses

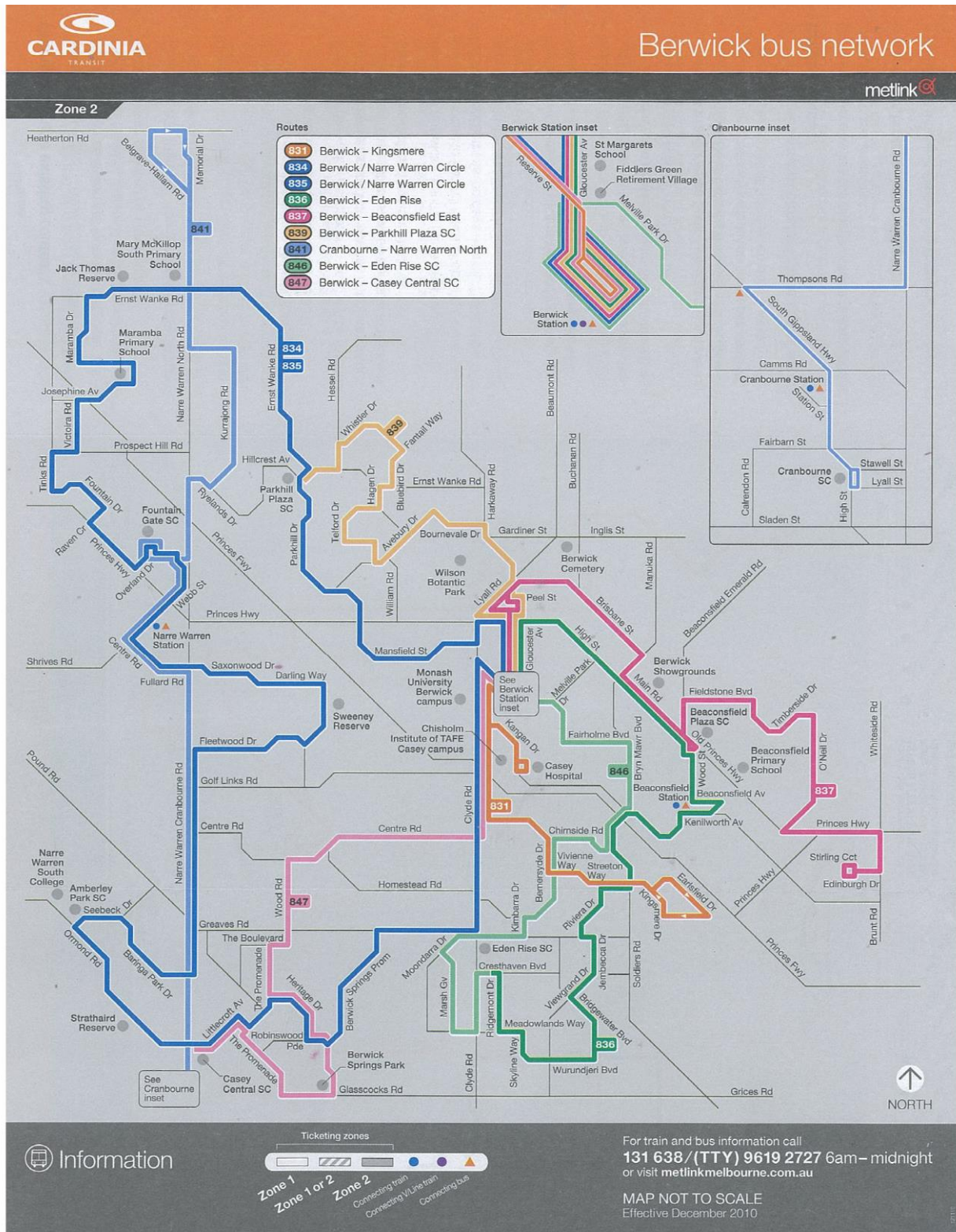
VENTURA (Dandenong)

Telephone: 9791 2988

Bus 828 MET Service Routes 828) Dandenong Station to Berwick. Regular service via several routes.

VENTURA (Pakenham)

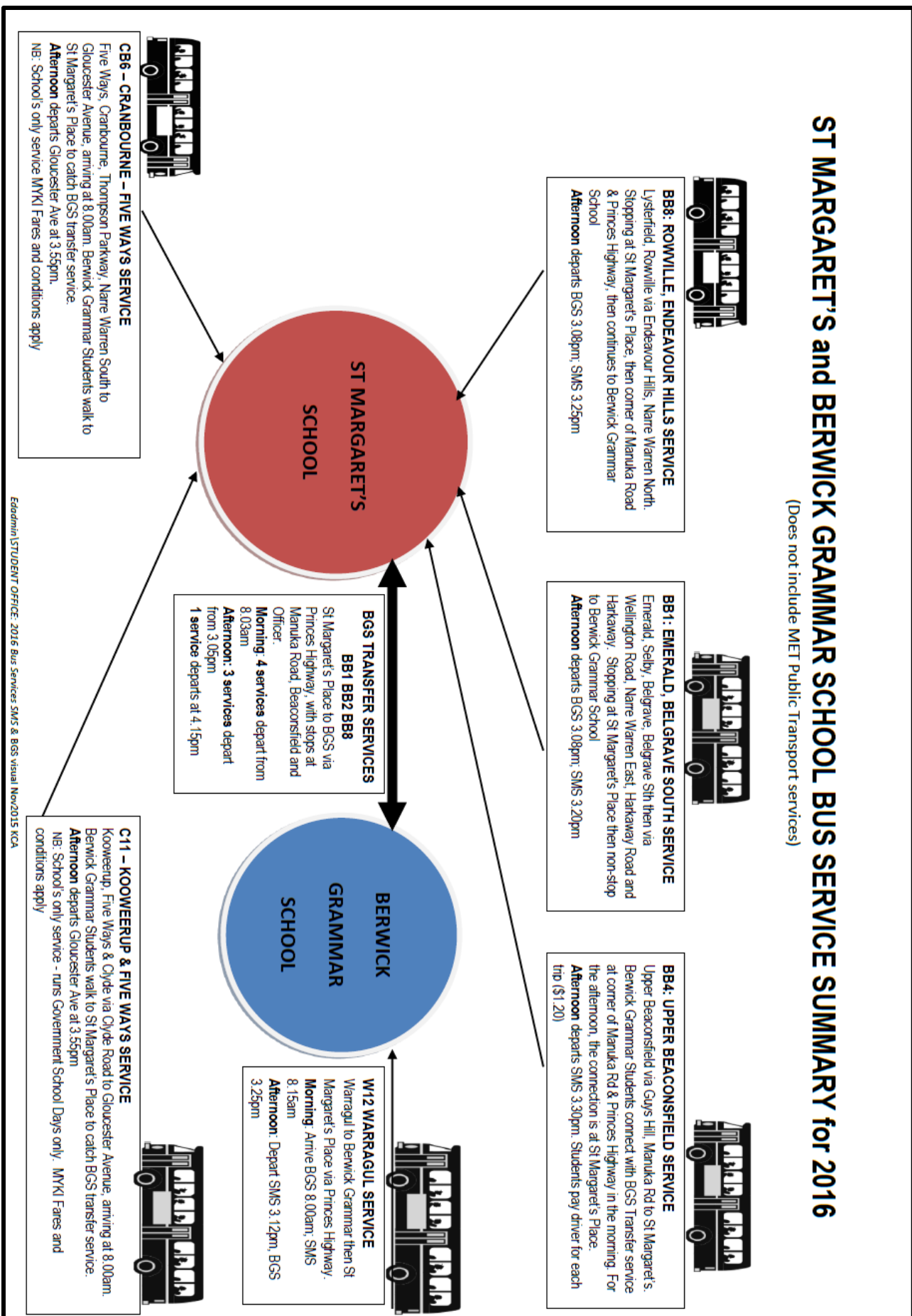
Telephone: 5940 2922



FARES – refer ptv.vic.gov.au or myki.com.au

ST MARGARET'S and BERWICK GRAMMAR SCHOOL BUS SERVICE SUMMARY for 2016

(Does not include MET Public Transport services)



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Berwick Grammar School Service Summary

HIGH FIRE DANGER DAYS OR EXTREME EXTERNAL EMERGENCY

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Bus services to/from Berwick Grammar School

Campus Transfer Services - morning	Departs SMS Place	Arrive BGS
BB2 departs at 8.03am stopping at Manuka Road Beaconsfield (Aldi O'Neil Rd) and Officer	8.03 am	8.17 am
BB8 (Rowville service) departs at 8.08 am, stopping at Manuka Road then express to BGS	8.08 am	8.20 am
BB1 (Emerald service) departs at 8.11 am then runs express to BGS	8.11 am	8.23 am
Please note the W12 (Warragul service) arrives at SMS Place at 8.18am and BGS students are able to take this bus if they were late and have missed all the transfer services.		

Campus Transfer Services - afternoon	Departs BGS	Arrive SMS Place
BB1 (Emerald service) departs BGS at 3.05 pm then runs express to SMS	3.08 pm	3.20 pm
BB2 Afternoon run 1 departs BGS at 3.05 pm, stopping at Officer, Beaconsfield (Aldi, O'Neil Rd)	3.05 pm	3.25 pm
BB8 (Rowville service) departs BGS at 3.05 pm, stopping at Manuka Road	3.08 pm	3.25 pm
BB2 Afternoon run 2 departs BGS at 4.15 pm stopping at Officer, Beaconsfield (2 stops), Manuka Rd	4.15 pm	4.30 pm

Students from Berwick or those catching trains or MET buses to Berwick

Students are able to catch the campus transfer service from St Margaret's Place to Berwick Grammar morning and afternoon. Students will need to allow sufficient time to walk from Berwick station/bus stop to St Margaret's Place.

Departing from St Margaret's Place **8.03 am, 8.08 am, 8.11 am**
 Departing from Berwick Grammar **3.05 pm, (3 services), 4.15 pm**

Students from Emerald, Belgrave via Belgrave South, Narre Warren East and Harkaway

The Emerald Bus (BB1) which currently services these areas continues on to Berwick Grammar School after St Margaret's School in the morning. In the afternoon it starts at Berwick Grammar and collects students from St Margaret's. This service runs express between SMS and BGS.

Students from Upper Beaconsfield, Guys Hill

Bus BB4 which currently services these areas will in the morning take Berwick Grammar School students near the corner of Manuka Road and High Street prior to traffic lights at approx 8.10 am, they will then catch the BGS campus transfer service on High Street. In the afternoon students will catch the campus transfer to St Margaret's School and then catch BB4 from St Margaret's Place at 3.30 pm.

Students from Rowville, Endeavour Hills, Narre Warren North

Bus BB8 which currently services these areas arrives at St Margaret's Place at 8.08 am, this bus collects students at the Corner Manuka Rd and High Street at 8.12 am then continues on to Berwick Grammar School. In the afternoon it starts at Berwick Grammar and collects students from St Margaret's. It departs St Margaret's Place at 3.25 pm.

Students from Warragul to Pakenham

The Warragul service (W12) which currently services these areas stops at Berwick Grammar School in the morning at **8.00 am** and in the afternoon at approx 3.25 pm.

Students from Beaconsfield, Officer

Students are able to catch the campus transfer service (BB2) to/from Berwick Grammar School which travels along the Princes Highway.

MET BUS ROUTE 926 Pakenham – Fountain Gate via Lakeside and Princes Highway

Departs Fountain Gate at 7.40 am arrives Princes Highway, Officer at 8.02 am; Departs 3.14 pm Princes Highway, Officer for Fountain Gate. Refer Ventura for full timetables or ptv.vic.gov.au

Trains

Officer Station is 1.5 kilometres from Berwick Grammar School. Approx 15 minute walk.

MET: Morning: train departs Dandenong station at 7.35 am arriving at Officer at 7.54 am and at 7.53 am arriving at 8.12 am
 train departs Pakenham station at 7.44 am arriving at Officer 7.51 am and at 7.57 am arriving at Officer at 8.04 am
 Afternoon: train departs Officer Station at 3.29 pm for Pakenham and at 3.24 pm for Dandenong

VLINE: Morning train arrives at Pakenham station at 7.40 am
 Afternoon train departs Pakenham station at 4.25 pm

❖ Refer ptv.vic.gov.au for more details on train times.

CONVEYANCE ALLOWANCE PROGRAM

To be eligible to claim for conveyance allowance students must attend a school which is in an eligible postcode or the school must be outside of the Urban Growth Boundary (UGB). As of 2013 Berwick and Officer were within the revised UGB. The Department of Education therefore deemed that students attending St Margaret's were not eligible to claim the conveyance allowance but students attending Berwick Grammar have been given an exemption at this stage.

From 2013, the Department of Education put in place 'grandfathering' arrangements to assist in the transition phase for St Margaret's and Berwick Grammar students who were claiming the Conveyance Allowance in 2012. These students **will continue to be paid the allowance** until they complete **either** their primary **or** secondary schooling, or unless they move schools or change addresses.

Unfortunately, SMS students moving from Year 6 2016 to Year 7 2017 will no longer be able to claim. BGS Year 6 2016 students moving to Year 7 2017 may claim but must meet the criteria.

A copy of all information from the DEECD Student Transport Unit and 2017 Claim forms are available from the St Margaret's and Berwick Grammar School Parent Lounge – School Links/ 2017 Conveyance Allowance Parent Information.

Student Eligibility for new claims:

For a student attending a mainstream school to be granted a conveyance allowance a number of criteria must be met.

Criterion 1 –

- The campus of the school attended must be located outside the Conveyance Allowance Melbourne Metropolitan Boundary (MMB).
(Exemptions do apply to some schools within the MMB. Berwick Grammar is an exempt school).

Criterion 2 – The Student must

- be a Victorian resident.
- be of school age.
- reside 4.8 kilometres or more by the shortest practicable route from the school/campus attended.
- attend the nearest appropriate school at which admission is possible.

Before completing this form please read the information about the Conveyance Allowance Program at <http://www.education.vic.gov.au/school/principals/safety/pages/transportscas.aspx>

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'Be Aware' Bus Safety

A reminder to parents of students who travel on buses to or from school.

Records show that most accidents and injuries do not happen while on the bus, they happen at bus stops before the bus arrives or after the bus has pulled away.

Please remind your students that they must wait until the bus has driven away before attempting to cross the road.

If possible, parents are advised to wait on the same side of the road or walk across to meet students at the bus stop.

Student Office