Conditions of Service

Training

- 1. As a member of 39 Army Cadet Unit you are required to attend programmed weekly parade nights of three hours duration, two weekend bivouacs and a seven-day camp held during the September school holidays. The dates and activities are listed in this parade card.
- 2. Courses for qualify cadets for promotion to LCPL, CPL, SGT, WO and CUO rank are conducted for selected cadets. Some cadets may be eligible to achieve the Adventure Training Award. Any Cadet may participate in the Duke of Edinburgh's Award at an additional cost.

Discharge

3. A cadet is expected to serve for at least one year after enrolment. All cadets are required to inform the Officer Commanding in writing if they decide to leave the unit. All uniform and equipment issued must be returned by the cadet on leaving the unit or payment for the same will be required from the parents/guardians.

Leave

4. When a cadet in unable to attend any programmed activity they are obliged to notify the Unit as soon as possible. A leave form is available in hard copy from the orderly room or by logging into the members only section of the website. If you are unable to do either of these you can email the unit or leave a message on the unit phone number. Both of these are on the front of this parade card.

Fees

- 5. To cover costs not paid by the army, an annual fee is charged per cadet. The cost is \$120 per cadet per year. These fees are vital for the efficient running of the unit. Fees are payable by cadets by 22nd March and by recruits within three weeks of joining. If payment is a problem, then parents/guardians should approach the Officer Commanding to arrange a payment plan. Mid-year recruit fee is \$80.
- 6. Additional costs may be required for opt-in activities, such an canoeing or the annual dinner, as required.

Uniform & Equipment

- 7. Upon enlistment a cadet is issued with uniform and equipment. The uniform, as directed, is to be worn to all parades unless otherwise notified. The uniform is **NOT** to be worn on any other occasion without prior approval from the Officer Commanding. The wearing of items of uniform with civilian attire is prohibited.
- 8. All unit members must take proper care of all items of uniform and equipment on issue.
- 9. The cadet must return all items of uniform and equipment on issue prior to discharge. Any items not returned must be fully paid for as they are the property of the Australian Government. Cadets' parents/guardians are liable for the cost of any lost or unreturned items.

Losses & Damages

10. Any loss or damage to uniform or equipment is to be reported to the Unit Quartermaster immediately.

Illness or Injury

11. Any illness or injury sustained during training or when travelling to or from a parade activity is to be reported to the Unit Adjutant immediately.

Personal Occurrences

12. Unit members are required to update any change of circumstance such as change of address, telephone number, next of kin or medical condition online via Cadetnet.

Security

13. Unit members are only to access the Barracks during approved unit activities. Cadets must be accompanied by an adult when arriving at the Barracks, and may only take public transport with permission from the Officer Commanding.

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39 Army Cadet Unit Watsonia

PARADE CARD

01 JAN 2025 to 31 DEC 2025 Thurs 6:40 p.m. to 9:15 p.m. (During School Terms)

Address: 39 Army Cadet Unit

Building 209

Simpson Barracks

MACLEOD VIC 3085

Telephone: (03) 9290 2018 (Thursday nights only -

Answering service at other times than

specified above)

Mobile: **0484 510 941** (Text or call)

Email: 39acu@armycadets.gov.au

This Parade Card Belongs to:

Rank Surname and Initials

PARADE CARD – 2025						
Date Jan		Activity	Required	Remarks		
Thur	02	Staff planning	Staff			
Tues	07	Online recruit information session	Staff	Online - Webex		
Thur	09	SNCO Preparation	Nominated NCOs	PL COMD & CSM		
Tues	14	Online recruit information session	Staff	Online - Webex		
Thur	16	NCO Preparation	Nominated NCOs	CDTLCPL+		
Tues	21	Online recruit information session	Staff	Online - Webex		
Thur	24	NCO Preparation	Nominated NCOs			
Sun	26	Australia Day Service - Shrine	Nominated			
Tues	28	Online recruit information session	Staff	Online – Webex School commences 29 Jan		
Thur	30	First Parade Night	All	1 st night for existing cadets		
Feb						
Thur	06	Parade	All			
Wed	12	Unit Birthday (1988 – 36 years)	N/A	No parade		
Thur	13	Parade	All	*Swim test TBC		
Thur	20	Parade - 1st night for new recruits	All			
Sun	23	Canoeing	NCOs only	TBC		
Thur	27	Parade	All			
Mar			•			
Sat/Sun	01/02	RSM-A Drill Competition Selection	Selected Cadets	Date TBC		
Thur	06	Parade	All			
Thur	13	Parade	All			
Sun	16	Canoeing	Nominated cadets	TBC		
Thur	20	Parade	All			
Sat	22	Recruit Uniform Issue/LCPL course/Specialist Training	Recruits/All Cadets	All day – on base		
Thur	27	Parade	All			
Apr						
Thur	3	Parade	All	Term 1 ends 04 April		
Thur	10	CUO/WO/NCO Training	Nominated	*Shrine visit TBC		
Sun	13	Pre - ANZAC Day March	All senior cadets	Epping RSL – Date TBC		
Thur	17	CUO/WO/NCO Training	Nominated			
Thur	24	Parade	All	Term 2 starts 22 Apr		
Fri	25	ANZAC Day Services	Nominated	Epping, Watsonia & Greensborough RSLs		
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May Thur	01	Parade	All			
Thur	08	Parade	All			
Thur	15	Parade	All			
Thur	22	Parade	All			
Fri	23	Bivouac commences – Field weekend	All			
Sun	25	Bivouac Conclude	All			
Thur	29	Parade	All			
Jun						
Thur	05	Parade	All			
Thur	12	Parade	All			
Tues	17	Online recruit information session	Staff	Online - Webex		
Thur	19	Parade	All			
Tue	24	Online recruit information session	Staff	Online - Webex		

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Date		Activity	Required	Remarks
Jul				
Tues	1	Online recruit information session	Staff	Online - Webex
Thur	3	Parade	All	Term 2 ends 4 July
Sat	05	Leadership/specialist Courses commences	Selected cadets only	
Thur	10	Administration	Staff	
Sat	12	Leadership/specialist Courses concludes	Selected cadets only	
Wed	16	AAC Birthday (1906 – 119 years)	N/A	No parade
Thur	17	Specialist Training	Nominated	Drums training day
Thur	24	Parade - 1 st night for new recruits	All	Term 3 commences 21 Jul
Thur	31	Parade	All	
Aug				
Thur	07	Parade	All	
Sat	09	Recruit Uniform Issue/Specialist Training	Recruits/All Cadets	All day – on base
Thur	14	Parade	All	
Sat	16	Vietnam Veterans memorial service	Nominated	Greensborough Park
Thur	21	Parade	All	
Fri	22	Bivouac Commences – Field weekend	All	TBC
Sun	24	Bivouac Concludes	All	TBC
Thur	29	Parade	All	
Sep				
Thur	04	Parade	All	
Thur	11	Parade	All	
Thur	18	Parade	All	Term 3 ends 19 Sep
Sun	21	Annual Camp Commences	All	Puckapunyal
Sat	27	Annual Camp Concludes	All	Puckapunyal
Oct				
Thur	2	Administration	Staff & SNCOs	
Thur	09	Parade	All	Term 4 commences 06 Oct
Thur	16	Parade	All	
Thur	23	Parade	All	
Thur	30	Parade	All	
Nov				
Thur	06	Parade	All	
Thur	13	Parade	All	
Thur	20	Parade	All	
Sun	23	End of Year Parade	All	*Date TBC
Thur	27	Dinner Planning Session	Staff & SNCO	
Sat	29	Unit Dinner	All	Greensborough RSL *Date TBC
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Dec Thur	04	ACS/CUO/WO 2025 Planning Session	Adult Staff	
Sat	06	Promotion Courses Camp commences	Selected cadets only	+
Thur	11	Administration	Adult Staff	-
Sun	14	Courses Camp concludes	Selected cadets only	
Thur	18	Administration	Adult Staff	Term 4 concludes 19 th Dec
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