



2024 SHRINE YOUNG AMBASSADORS SCHEDULE

Program milestones – required. Attend all 6 sessions.	Group project - required. Attend all 6 sessions.	Major Shrine events – flexible. Choose two or three, sign up in advance.	Help with Shrine’s school holiday program. Attendance optional.
Participation in the program involves at least 11 attendances spread across 12 months: in total, 50 – 60 hours.			
If the Shrine needs to reschedule an event or session, Young Ambassador participation will be optional on the new date.			

2023	ACTIVITY	NOTES
Tuesday 31 October	Applications due	Applications submitted via MyImpact website.
Wednesday 15 November	Participants selected	Applicants informed by email of the outcome.
Sunday 19 November	Welcome and Information session	Successful applicants with guardian are introduced to the Shrine, each other and to Shrine staff. Families are briefed on the Shrine’s support and care for youth volunteers.
Saturday 2 December	Young Ambassador Wreath Laying service	Attend commemoration service and presentations with outgoing Young Ambassadors.
2024	ACTIVITY	NOTES
Monday 29 January	Training Day	Introduction to the Shrine and the role of a Young Ambassador.
Friday 19 April tbc	Legacy Students Day	92 nd Anzac Commemoration for students. Assist with ceremonial duties and visitor engagement.
Tuesday 2 - Friday 12 April	School holiday program	Assist with delivering our school holiday program. Programs run weekdays during the school holidays excluding public holidays from 11am – 2pm.
Thursday 25 April	Anzac Day	Assist with visitor engagement.
Friday 31 May	Victorian Aboriginal Remembrance Service	Participate in a commemoration honouring the service and sacrifice of Victorian Aboriginal people.



Monday 1 July Tuesday 2 July Thursday 4 July Monday 8 July Tuesday 9 July Thursday 11 July	Lone Pine Project with Artist in Residence	Working with an artist in residence and Shrine staff, Young Ambassadors will create an artwork, from recycled cardboard, interpreting the story of the Shrine's Lone Pine tree. The work will be displayed at the Shrine for a year. They will also make a journal about their project which will be shared on the Shrine's website. Sessions will run from 1-4pm on each of the 6 dates.
Tuesday 10 September	Interstate trip	Day trip to Sydney to learn about commemoration in other places.
Tuesday 17 September	Leading a commemoration	Young Ambassadors plan their wreath laying service, which they will lead.
Monday 23 September – Friday 4 October	School holiday program	Assist with delivering our school holiday program. Programs run weekdays during the school holidays excluding public holidays from 11am – 2pm.
Monday 11 November	Remembrance Day	Assist with ceremonial duties and visitor engagement.
Saturday 30 November	Young Ambassador Wreath Laying Service	Lead commemoration for Shrine community, Young Ambassadors, and families.
ONGOING	ACTIVITY	NOTES
Various Sundays	Last Post Ceremony	This 15-minute service takes place every Sunday at 4:45pm and includes bugle calls and piper, Shrine Guard in historic uniform, a wreath-laying, recital of the Ode, and lowering of the flags. Each service commemorates a different event from Australia's military history. You should attend at least one of the ceremonies over the course of the year.