



July 23<sup>rd</sup> 2024

### Upcoming events

August	
Mon 19 <sup>th</sup>	Book Parade
19 <sup>th</sup> – 23 <sup>rd</sup>	Book Week
September	
Thurs 12 <sup>th</sup>	School Photo Day
16 <sup>th</sup> – 27 <sup>th</sup>	Swimming & Water Safety Program – Grades 3-5

### Assembly Roster

**Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> August**

**Early Childhood at 11.10am**

**Primary at 11.50am**

#### TERM DATES

**Term 3 ends – Friday 27<sup>th</sup> September**

**Term 4 starts – Monday 14<sup>th</sup> October**

**Student Free Day – Friday 1<sup>st</sup> November**

**Term 4 ends – Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> December**

## From the Principal

Hello everyone,

### Welcome back to Term 3

I really hope that all our families had an opportunity to spend relaxing holiday time together over the past fortnight.

It was exciting to welcome everyone back to school yesterday. I enjoyed welcoming our students and parents back to school as they arrived, having conversations and finding out what has been happening during the past few weeks. It was also positive to see how settled and ready for learning our students were as they returned to school. It was a very positive start to the term.

We have had some changes to our teaching staff this term. We welcomed Mrs Chatterton back to Hagley, as she supports Grade 3/4 Korpershoek for the rest of this year. Miss K begins her maternity leave at the end of next week. Mrs Chatty will be teaching Monday – Wednesday, and Miss Lauren Gleeson will be teaching the class on Thursday and Fridays.

Miss Johnson is currently enjoying a long leave in Europe. Mrs Danika Leatherbarrow will be teaching this class for the term. We are excited for Mrs Leatherbarrow to have this opportunity with our students.

Because Mrs Leatherbarrow is teaching this class full time, Miss Ella Millwood will be replacing her on Miss Clarke's class on Fridays. Miss Millwood has recently spent time in our school as a UTAS student – and is an exceptional early career teacher. We are excited that she has this opportunity to work with our students and our school.

Ms Walkden will not be returning to school this year. We are pleased to welcome Mrs Penny MacNamara who will be taking on the role of specialist teacher on Tuesdays. Instead of Japanese, these classes will be involved in the Performing Arts.

Mrs Walker is unwell and will be away for the next three weeks. Mrs Eyles will be teaching the class full time while she is away. I am very appreciative of Mrs Eyles' flexibility to support the Preps during this time.

I am looking forward to a positive term together. Reflecting on our school Values – Connection, Responsibility, Growth, Respect and Courage – I know that as a school community we will work in partnership to ensure the best learning opportunities for your children, academically, socially and emotionally.

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Jeanagh Viney  
Principal

## Every school day counts

Welcome back for Term 3 – we hope you had a great break!

As we move into the second half of the school year, sometimes regular school attendance can be challenging.

There are so many reasons to go to school. It's a chance to be around friends, learn new things, grow and have fun.

This term is packed with exciting things:

- *Learning about the Olympics and Paralympics*
- *Book Week*
- *School photos*
- *Country Gold training for grade 5s and 6s*
- *Visits to Prospect High School for grade 5s and 6s*

For tips on creating better attendance habits, visit the [Anything can happen website](#).

Please talk to us if you're having trouble getting your child to school. We're here to help.

### BREAKFAST CLUB

Breakfast Club runs every Monday from 8.30. We offer toast, muffins and hot milo currently. You can have vegemite, honey or jam on your toast. We occasionally have special items on the menu.

We would like to thank Prospect Woolworths who have joined this year as a sponsor of this program. They kindly donate products each week to allow this initiative to continue to occur.



## NEWS FROM THE LIBRARY

**Book Week – This year, Book Week falls in Week 5 – that's not far away! We will be holding our Book Parade on Monday the 19<sup>th</sup> of August. This will be a K-6 event.**

We will once again have two phases for our Book Parade – an outdoor phase (weather permitting) so that families are able to come along and watch as children make their way to the gym for the indoor phase. Due to the extra space that we need in the gym to have all of our classes in costume, seated comfortably and also have sufficient space to safely parade, the inside phase can only accommodate staff and students.

**8.30-9.00am – Families are invited to have tea and coffee in the library. Our Book Fair will be on so you can browse while you wait.**

**9.05am – Families will be able to line the driveway area near the basketball court to watch the outside phase of our Book Parade, as classes walk to the gym.**

**9.25am (Approximately) – The inside phase of our Book Parade will begin in the gym – *staff and students only*.**

**After the event – photos taken throughout the morning will be made available for families to view.**

*Please remember that our Book Parade is a time to celebrate and share our favourite books with our buddy class and participate in a simple parade. It is not a competition. Children do not have to say who they are dressed up as during the parade. We love to see costumes that are made from things that you already have at home. There are thousands of everyday characters featured in our library books, and we encourage non-fiction book choices as well. If you are stuck for ideas, please contact us; we have lots of easy suggestions and spare costumes. [jessica.marston@decyp.tas.gov.au](mailto:jessica.marston@decyp.tas.gov.au)*



**Holiday Book Bingo –** It was great to see some Bingo sheets returned to the library yesterday! Well done to Emilia from 3/4K, along with Rose and Hugo from Kinder A who were the first to return their Bingo sheets. If your child has completed part or all of their Bingo sheet, they can return it to the library during this week or next.



**Happy reading from the Library Team – Mrs Jessica Marston (Teacher-Librarian Mondays, Tuesdays and Wednesdays) and Mrs Bron Walker (Library Technician Tuesdays and Thursdays).**

## Online Wellbeing – shared from the Dolly's Dream Facebook page

In today's digital age, children are growing up surrounded by screens - from smartphones and tablets to computers and televisions. While these devices can be great learning and entertainment tools, they also pose challenges to a child's health and development.

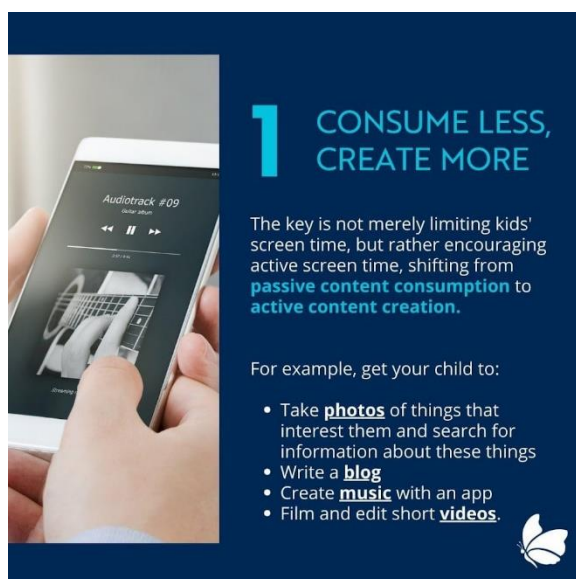
In response to this, many parents resort to banning digital devices. The truth is, that alone does not solve the problems.

- ✓ To ensure kids and teenagers navigate the digital world responsibly, it's important for parents to help them develop healthy screen habits early on. Below are 6 effective tips\* on how to do it.

1) For the full article, click here - <https://bit.ly/3WpM9GO>

2) For additional resources, visit Dolly's Dream Parent Hub - <http://bit.ly/3SDsHml>

*\*We will share the 6 tips over the next few weeks, here are the first two...*



### 1 CONSUME LESS, CREATE MORE

The key is not merely limiting kids' screen time, but rather encouraging active screen time, shifting from **passive content consumption** to **active content creation**.

For example, get your child to:

- Take **photos** of things that interest them and search for information about these things
- Write a **blog**
- Create **music** with an app
- Film and edit short **videos**.



### 2 ENGAGE WITH THEIR ONLINE EXPERIENCES

**Talk about the online world**

Use screens as a way to start conversations with your child and help **build their understanding of the online world**.

**Co-view or co-play with your child**

Do learning activities, play games or watch informative videos with your child. Take this opportunity to **teach them online safety tips** like not clicking on pop-ups.

## UNIFORM SHOP

**We will have our Uniform Shop open tomorrow between 2.30pm-3.15pm.** A great time to stock up on winter uniform items. We have just been informed by our supplier that there has been a further delay on our school backpacks, they will be here early in August. We do apologise for this delay but unfortunately it is out of our control. If you have ordered a backpack and wish to get a refund or credit note, please contact the school office.

## LAUNCHING INTO LEARNING

This great program for our pre-school aged children has kicked off for the term. On Friday there will be both a Pre-Kinder session at 9.00am (aimed at children who have turned 4 or will be 4 this year) and Playgroup at 11.15 for our birth to 4 year olds. As always to keep up to date with what's happening with LiL follow their Facebook page for updates:

<https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=100064539229016>

## GRADE 5/6 SPORT

Grade 5/6 sport continues (weather permitting) in Term 3. **There is no rostered sport this week.** Next week we travel to Bracknell to play against combined teams from Bracknell and Mole Creek.



## 2/3 LEGRO

In **2/3 Legro** we've been busy learning more about the past and why historical places are important to us and what we can learn from these experiences.



*"I helped to light the candles in the church with Mr Hobby. I really liked participating in the role play as a student in the past in the old classroom." Annabel*

*"I liked learning about the history of St Marys Church and I thought that it was interesting using the fountain pens in the old classroom." Ella*

*I liked using the ink pens in the old classroom and it was fun getting dressed up in the old clothes and doing the washing with the mangle." Adelle*

*"I loved pretending to get the cane in the old classroom." Conwae*

*"It was really interesting to learn about history in the church with Mr Hobby." Harvey*

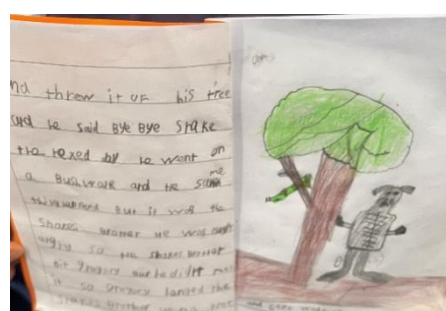
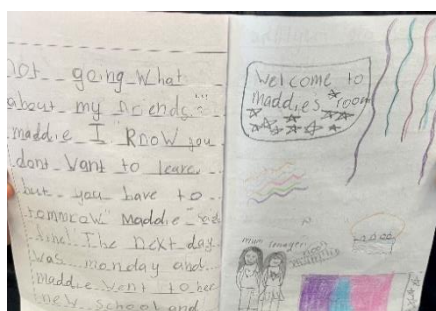
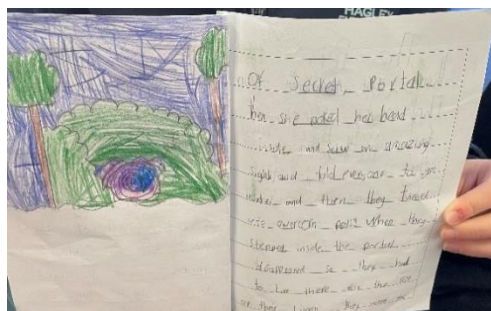
*"It was interesting to use the old tools in the Museum." Julian*

After visiting the Old Hagley Classroom, we created our own drawings of an old schoolhouse.





**We have also been continuing to develop our Narrative writing skills through the process of creative writing. Students edited their work and published it to create their own Little Books.**



**We loved participating in Pyjama Day as a fundraiser at school and we have also enjoyed participating in the EGGHEADS program with Mrs Stokes.**



***"I loved holding the chickens and cleaning the chicken caravan." Leo***

***"I liked counting the eggs and recording the number of eggs for the day." Abbey***

***"I liked learning how to hold the chickens in Eggheads." Adele***

***"I loved staying in my pyjamas all day at school and trying not to get too dirty when I was playing soccer." Kai***



## VALUES CERTIFICATES

At the end of each term at our whole school assembly, students are recognised with a certificate for demonstrating one or all our school values of: Respect, Growth, Connection, Courage and Responsibility. Congratulations to those students listed below who received a certificate at the end of Term 2:

Adelle & Lincoln M, Arlo R, Connor C, George A, Hallie H, Harrison R, Harry A, Henry M, Isabelle H, Isla F, Jade H, Jessica D, Julian S, Laura B, Lewis M, Luca T, Mackenzie C, Mayson G, Murphy W, Olivia P, Ruby-Lee G, Sam G, Samuel B, Seb M and Zoe R.

## COMMUNITY NOTICES



### Staying safe on our school services

Across the state our drivers take immense pride in delivering a dependable and safe service, and are thrilled to be part of your students' daily journey.

Our dedicated drivers genuinely enjoy the important community role they play in transporting your students to and from school each day and take their responsibility to ensure a safe journey for all seriously.

#### BEHAVIOUR ON-BOARD OUR BUSES

Your students can help make sure our drivers are able to focus on the road and get everyone to and from school safely by remaining seated while the bus is moving. If they need to speak to the driver, wait until the bus has stopped.

Students can avoid distracting our drivers by using headphones when listening to music or playing games and not shouting.

We'd really appreciate your support in reminding your students about good behaviour, which includes no vaping on our services. Their actions not only affect their own safety and comfort but also the comfort, safety, and happiness of everyone else on board.

For more information about what's expected from students on our buses please check out the Passenger Conduct Code for School Bus Services. You can access this here: [Passenger Conduct Code for School Bus Services - Transport Services](#)

If you have any queries about our school services, please give our local teams a call on:

Devonport: 03 6427 7626  
Launceston: 03 6336 1435  
Hobart: 03 6214 7305  
New Norfolk: 03 6261 4653  
Burnie: 03 6434 4482

Thank you for your support in our partnership to provide safe and reliable school bus services to your students.

We look forward to welcoming your students on-board again soon.

**Andrew Grzinc**  
General Manager - Tasmania  
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## WALK TO RAISE AWARENESS

**WEDNESDAY 7TH AUGUST**  
**FROM 10:30AM**



**STARTING AT**  
**CITY PARK ROTUNDA**  
**AT 10:30AM**

Finishing at Royal Park with City Mission Snag Chat Van, Salvation Army Street Beat Van and Vinnies Van.

Free sausages, soup and coffee available.



For more information please call 6326 5551 or email [north@vinniestas.org.au](mailto:north@vinniestas.org.au)



## Westbury Junior Basketball



**Where?** Westbury Sports Centre  
**When?** Thursday 4:30 - 5:30 pm  
**Start** - 25th July **End** - 26th Sep  
**Who?** Boys and Girls, 5-10 y.o.  
**What?** Basketball - fun, games, drills, and activities. All sessions taken from the Aussie Hoops Curriculum.

**Cost?** \$43  
(\$28 For Current BTos & LBA registered Players)

**Registration:**  
Scan the QR Code below, or access the link in the post.

**Can you help?** We are looking for parent helpers!  
Can you assist in the kitchen, on, or off the court?  
Get in touch to find out more: Alex: 0417637172

**SCAN ME**





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