



September 10th 2024

Upcoming events

September	
Thurs 12 th	School Photo Day
Tues 17 th	Singfest
Thurs 19 th	Country Gold Carnivals
Fri 20 th	Garden Working Bee at 3pm
16 th – 27 th	Swimming & Water Safety Program – Grade 3-5 & selected Grade 6s
Fri 27 th	Last day of Term 3
October	
Mon 14 th	First day of Term 4
26-27 th	Grade 5/6 Basketball Championships
November	
Fri 1 st	Staff PL Day – no school
Mon 4 th	Long Weekend – No School
9/10 th	Grade 3/4 Basketball Championships
Friday 15 th	Grade 3-6 Swimming Carnival
18 th -19 th	Country Gold Cricket
Fri 29 th	NMPSSA Swimming Carnival

Assembly Roster

Thursday 12th September – no assemblies due to school photos.



Department for Education,
Children and Young People

From the Principal

Hello everyone,

It is lovely to be writing this on a sunny and settled weather day! Today we have 21 5/6 students working in three teams to participate in **'Write a Book in a Day'** This is a national competition where students work together to write, illustrate, edit, and publish a book in a day! They arrived at school early this morning and have been working on their books since 8am. Teams will stay at school until 5pm today, by this time their book needs to be submitted. Write a Book in a Day is also a fundraising event, with all money raised going towards The Kids' Cancer Project to support vital childhood cancer research. Their books will also be published online for children in hospitals around Australia to read and enjoy. So far, our three teams have raised over \$1900. If you would like to donate go to <https://writeabookinaday.com/sponsor-a-student/> type in Hagley and select either a team or student. A big thank you to Mrs Jessica Marston and Ms Heather Styles for their coordination of this worthwhile event and for their supervision and support of our students participating in this today.

On Sunday, many of our staff participated in the Women's 5KM fundraiser for Cancer Council Tasmania. Congratulations to our staff who participated in this event and have currently raised \$3198 for such a worthwhile cause. Thank you to the members of our community who supported our team through donations and cheers of support on the day. It was wonderful to see so many of our students and their families also participating in this event.

Today we have a team of 3/4 boys competing in the State Futsal Championships in Hobart. We wish them all the best and thank Mr Layton for his coaching and support of the team. A member of this team, George, has been selected to play in the State side for his age division. George will play in the National School Futsal Championships in Brisbane later this month. Congratulations George!



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Government

A reminder that we have school photos this Thursday. Please ensure your child is dressed in the best school uniform that they can be.

Next week, our students in Grades 3 to 5 and some selected Grade 6 students, will participate in the Swimming and Water Safety Program. This program is a compulsory program and it is expected that all students attend and participate. Please ensure your child is prepared each day with their bathers, towel, goggles if required, plastic bag for wet gear and underpants if they wear their swimmers to school. Thongs/slides are also handy for walking to and from the pool.

Since last week's newsletter, we have had another two confirmed cases of Whooping Cough. Please ensure that if your child is unwell, particularly with a nasty cough, that you seek medical advice and keep them home. Of course, we want our children here each and every day that they are well enough to be here but we also need to keep our school community as sick free as possible. We thank you for your support in helping to reduce the spread of sickness.

Lauren

Lauren Beams
Acting Principal

SCHOOL PHOTOS

School Photos are on this Thursday. We ask students to wear the best school uniform they have for these photos. Orders can be placed up to 26th September, except for sibling photos which must be ordered before our photo day on September 12th. Should you have any questions please contact MSP Photography directly on 6231 5880 or email msp.tasmania@msp.com.au.

TIME	CLASS/GROUP NAME	STUDENT NUMBERS	TIME	CLASS/GROUP NAME	STUDENT NUMBERS
8.30	FAMILIES/STAFF	Only for students who arrive early	11.15	2/3 L	
9.10	Kinder A		11.25	3/4 C	
9.25	Kinder F		11.35	3/4 Mc	
9.40	Prep C		11.45	3/4 C/G	
9.50	Prep W/E		11.55	5/6 S/D	
10.00	P/1 M		12.05	5/6 S	
10.10	1/2J		12.15	5/6M	
10.20	1/2 C		12.20	Grade 6 Photo	
10.30	1/2 G/P				
RECESS BREAK	10.40 to 11.10 STAFF PHOTOS and Family photos		LUNCH BREAK 12.40 – 1.30	STAFF PHOTOS	

AWARD RECIPIENTS - 5th September

Certificates		GT4GC
2/3 Legro	Lily S, Jai J & Oszkar A	Lylah
3/4 Chatterton/Gleeson	Harry X	Tommy W
3/4 McNear	Milly H & Emily C	Cohen B
3/4 Cini	Laura B & Leo D	Amelia K
5/6 Styles	Jackson V & Isabelle D	Lincoln M
5/6 Sherman/Donald	Harry M & Bryson T	Lewis D
5/6 Marshall	Kate C & Nate S	Charlie A

BASKETBALL REFEREES

We **urgently** need referees for both the upcoming basketball championships, should you know anyone suitable please get them to contact the school. We require one referee for every team that we enter. We cannot enter teams until we have confirmed referees, so please reach out to anyone who might have the suitable experience.



SWIMMING POOL

Exciting news in the school swimming pool with our brand-new pool cleaner and pool blankets. Thanks so much to the School Association for contributing a significant amount of money towards purchasing of this new equipment. This is perfect timing with our upcoming Swimming and Water Safety program for Grade 3-5 students starting next week and a busy term 4 school swimming timetable planned.



GARDEN CLUB WORKING BEE

We will be holding Garden Club - Working Bee on Friday 20th 3 - 4pm.

We are placing cardboard and mulching pathways to assist with safe, clean access to garden beds. No skills required. Equipment provided. Children encouraged to participate. Fun way to engage with school community, exercise in the outdoors and learning about food production and caring for your patch.

We need your help to keep the vegie patch available to students for their learning.

Contact Jane 0439 8778573 or Shelly 0427 907 032 for further information.



WRITE A BOOK IN A DAY


Today we have 21 grade 5/6 students participating in Write a Book in a Day. They arrived at school before 8am, ready for an exciting day of brainstorming, writing and illustrating, with a finish time of 5.15pm this evening.

This event is a fundraiser for the Kids' Cancer Project, raising funds for children's cancer research and support services, and to date our 3 teams have raised just under \$2000! If you would like to donate to this cause, you can do so at the following link:

[Sponsor a Student | Write a Book In a Day](#)

Search for **Hagley** to find our participating students.



 THE KIDS' CANCER PROJECT
WRITE A BOOK IN A DAY

Register Sponsor

Sponsor a Student

Home » Sponsor a Student

Find a student:

Search by student name, school, team State

GRADE 5/6 SPORT

Grade 5/6 sport has now finished for the year, due to Country Gold commitments for the next two weeks. We ask that students return their laundered uniforms as soon as possible.

STUDENTS IN THE SPOTLIGHT

Australian Cross Country Championships

A couple of weeks ago Dylan Post competed at these championships at Symmons Plains in less than ideal conditions. He finished 34th in his race which was hotly contested with very close times between all competitors.

Hockey Tasmania Premiership

Ryan, Darren and Darcy had their hockey grand final last weekend and came away with a win. Congratulations to them all!



Tasmanian Futsal Championships

Our Grade 3/4 team qualified for this event earlier at a competition in Launceston. We wish the boys the best of luck today and look forward to hearing how they went.

It has been finals and presentation season the last few weeks, if you have a student you would like to recognise in our newsletter please email: hagley.farm.primary@decyp.tas.gov.au

THE YEAR 1 PHONICS CHECK: INFORMATION FOR FAMILIES

If your child is in Year 1, they will be participating in the National Year 1 Phonics Check before the end of Term 3. This quick check looks at how well a child can 'decode' written words and whether they are making expected progress in reading.

Your child's teacher will use this information to identify and provide extra support to those students who need it. As part of the Check, students will be asked to read 40 words to their teacher – 20 real words and 20 made-up words. The teacher will listen to how students sound out the letter and letter groups and blend these sounds together to make words.

Using made-up words like "jound" is important as students cannot read these words from memory, they have to use their decoding skills.

Why is phonics important?

Phonics is the relationship between letters and sounds. Learning that there are predictable relationships between sounds and letters helps students decode words and spell them. Phonics is one of the essential components of learning to read.

How can I support my child?

Your child does not need to prepare for the Year 1 Phonics Check. It's not a test. It's a check-in on their progress. You can let your child know that the Check includes real words and made-up words.

The best way to support your child to become a confident reader is to spend time reading with them. Even a few minutes a day can make a difference to their learning.

For more tips on reading with your child, check out talk.tas.gov.au

If you would like help with your own reading, contact 26Ten on 1300 00 2610. It's never too late to learn.

Prep Walker/Eyles



Hello Spring



Spring Art with Mrs V

We created Wattle Art with Mrs V.

We used paint, pom poms and brushes to create the flowers and leaves.

Then we sprinkled gold glitter over them.

We then crunched up tissue paper and glued it on to give the art a 3D effect.





Maths Games

We have been enjoying learning about numbers through playing maths games.

We have practised writing numerals, identifying and writing numbers, subitising numbers on a dice and counting forwards and backwards.



We have been learning about Number Lines as we play some of these games.

Here are 2 of the games we have really enjoyed.

[Incey Wincey Spider](#) | [NRICH \(maths.org\)](#) and [Tug of War](#) | [NRICH \(maths.org\)](#)



Prep/1 Mason Museum Excursion



We saw many native animals, dinosaurs, and animals from all over the world in the museums.



Exploring artifacts on display was a major highlight! There was much discussion about similarities and differences to modern day equivalents. Students loved sharing their thinking and knowledge about artifacts with peers.



Students loved exploring the Questacon Problem Solving area at the Inveresk Museum. There were so many puzzles to solve! Well worth a visit in the school holidays.



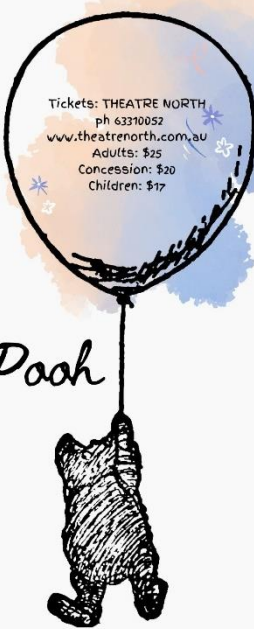

Launceston Youth Theatre Ensemble Junior Companies present

Winnie the Pooh
Original story by A. A. Milne
adapted and directed by Penelope McNamara with Gabriel Walton-Clear

Tickets: THEATRE NORTH
ph 63310052
www.theatrenorth.com.au
Adults: \$25
Concession: \$20
Children: \$17

EARL ARTS CENTRE
SEPT 19th - 22nd
QUEECHY Junior Cast:
THURS 19th @ 7pm
FRI 20th @ 10am & 6.30pm
SAT 21st @ 4.30pm
SUNDAY 22nd @ 7.30pm

EARL ARTS CENTRE
SEPT 19th - 22nd
RIVERSIDE Junior Cast:
THURS 19th @ 10am & 6.30pm
FRI 20th @ 7pm
SAT 21st @ 7.30pm
SUN 22nd @ 4.30pm

HADSPEN CRICKET CLUB

JUNIOR REGISTRATIONS

CRICKET BLAST U12S U14S

REGISTER NOW

www.playcricket.com.au
& search for Hadspen Cricket Club

WIN!

REGISTER AND WIN
Register before **September 30**
to go in the draw to win a
\$200 SportsPower Launceston voucher!

Contact JDO Curtis Hodgetts
on 0448 555 701




Singfest 2024
A CHORAL CELEBRATION

17TH SEPTEMBER 6.30PM

Hagley Primary School
Glen Dhu Primary School
East Launceston Primary School
East Tamar Primary School
Invermay Primary School
Launceston Preparatory School
Punchbowl Primary School
St Anthony's Catholic School

18TH SEPTEMBER 6.30PM

Exeter Primary School
Mowbray Primary School
Riverside Primary School
Sth Georgetown Primary School
St Thomas More's Catholic School
Summerdale Primary School
West Launceston Primary School

Launceston Conference Centre
50 Glen Dhu St, South Launceston

Tickets:
\$10 per person



<https://www.trybooking.com/eventlist/singfest>

BARRATTS MUSIC **LIONS CLUB** **VJAM**

Rotary Club of Westbury

Hat Day @ Westbury Town Common parkrun
Supporting Lift the Lid on Mental Illness

1 in 7 Australians suffer a mental health condition

Let's LIFT THE LID on MENTAL ILLNESS
with Australian Rotary Health

Lift the Lid on Mental Illness is Australian Rotary Health's national fundraising initiative for mental health research.

Join the Rotary Club of Westbury and parkrun to fundraise for this cause!

Come in your best silly hat to participate in parkrun or walk a lap of the course with other participants!

Saturday 12th October, 8.45am for 9am start
Westbury Town Common

AFTER THE EVENT, THERE WILL BE A \$2 SAUSAGE SIZZLE AND MORNING TEA
AVAILABLE BY DONATION

Prizes will be awarded for the best hat for adult and child!

FUNDS DONATED TO LIFT THE LID ARE CURRENTLY BEING FUNNELED INTO MENTAL HEALTH RESEARCH FOR CHILDREN AGED 0-12




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