



November 19<sup>th</sup> 2024

## Upcoming events

November	
Fri 22 <sup>nd</sup>	Garden Club 3-4pm
Tues 26 <sup>th</sup>	Fun Run
Fri 29 <sup>th</sup>	NMPSSA Swimming Carnival
December	
Thurs 12 <sup>th</sup>	Arts Celebration
Friday 13 <sup>th</sup>	Grade 3-5 Presentation Assembly
Tuesday 17 <sup>th</sup>	Grade 6 & EC Presentation Assemblies

## Assembly Roster

Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> November

**Early Childhood Assembly at 11.10am – Prep Cooper to share**

**Primary Assembly at 11.50am –  
Host 5/6 Marshall, Sharing 3/4  
Chatterton/Gleeson**



## From the Principal

**Hello everyone,**

Well, half the term has already passed and before we know it, it will be the end of the year.

As always there has been a great deal happening at Hagley and lots more to look forward to before the end of the year.

Last week on Friday, our students in Grades 3 to 6 participated in our school swimming carnival. It was a fantastic day, with great displays of sportsmanship and participation. Particular mention must go to Lyttleton House, who were definitely the loudest house in terms of cheering and were also the house that most visibly encouraged and supported all members of their house. Well done to House Captain Kate who rallied the house and fostered this team atmosphere.

Dry house took the win on the day by just 16 points. Participation levels in Dry were impressive and were ultimately what got them the win. This is a great reminder for all students about the importance of attendance and participation. Every event earns house points, including novelties. A special mention to Dry House Captain Jamie, for his organisation of the house relay teams. It was wonderful to see Jamie embrace his leadership role.

A big thank you to Mr Lynch for his work in the lead up and on the day to ensure our swimming carnival was a successful day for all students.

Monday and Tuesday of this week, we have four of our Grade 5/6 students participating in the Country Gold Cricket Carnival, we wish Lachie, Will, Henry and Darcy all the best for a successful carnival. Thank you to Mr Lynch who is the coach of the Country Gold Cricket team, for ensuring students in the Meander Valley get this opportunity.

On Wednesday this week, our Grade 6 students who are headed to Prospect High in 2025, will attend Prospect for their Orientation Day. A reminder that these students do not come to Hagley at all on this day. They are to travel directly to Prospect, it is encouraged that your child travel there, the way they will next year. I will be there to meet students and to support them throughout the day. All students were given an information pack from Prospect yesterday with further information about the day.

On Friday, several of our students are competing in the Schools Triathlon Challenge. We wish Huon, Harry, Oscar, Lachie, Will, Dylan P, Dylan H, Adele, Kate and Knox all the best for this event.

Lastly, our teachers and students are busily preparing for our Whole School Arts Celebration on Thursday the 12<sup>th</sup> of December. It is an event not to be missed. Our School Association have booked several food vans to ensure all your food needs are catered for. Further in the newsletter is a current estimate of the timing of the event. As we get closer to the event, we will keep you updated if this needs to change.

*Lauren Beams*

**On behalf of Jeanagh Viney  
Principal**

### **STUDENT LEADERSHIP 2025**

A reminder to all Grade 5 students interested in nominating for a spot on the Student Parliament Leadership Board, that nominations and written applications are due **this Thursday by 3pm**. These can be handed into the school office.

### **CANTEEN – CANCELLING ORDERS**

Should your child be absent, and you have already ordered their lunch/recess for that day, you are able to cancel it before the orders cutoff which is 9.10am. If you are unable to do this, please contact the office and ask them to cancel the order.

If you don't do this the orders cannot be filled on another day as the items will have been prepared for your child on the day of order. Our canteen prices are kept to a minimum and therefore we don't have the margin to cover this additional cost. Thank you for your understanding.

### **SAFETY REMINDERS**

**Crocs/Thongs** - Our students are ONLY permitted to wear crocs or similar footwear to and from the pool when they have swimming for PE or at the swimming carnival. Students are NOT PERMITTED to wear them at any other times. They must wear their normal school footwear for the day and only change into crocs/thongs etc when involved in swimming. Students who continue to do so may find that they are asked to sit out at recess and lunch time due to the safety issue that this footwear poses.

**Heating food** – Children are not permitted to bring food to school that requires heating or cooking by school staff, such as two-minute noodles. Due to Health and Safety and food service guidelines we are not permitted to do so, due to the safety issues involved in this. An easy alternative is for parent/guardians to warm/cook the food at home and pack it in a thermos for the student to eat.

## WHOLE SCHOOL ASSEMBLY

Last week we held a whole school assembly where children were awarded with their prizes they won for the colouring in competition at the Westbury Show. Congratulations to those students.



We also awarded Values Tokens; the recipients were:

### Early Childhood

Prep Cooper – Marli

Prep Walker/Eyles – Bentley

Prep/1 Mason – Elliot

1/2 Johnson – Isla

1/2 Garwood/Page – Isla

1/2 Clarke/Leatherbarrow – Lochlan

**Primary** – Rafferty B, Max D, Rachele Mc, Sofia R, Beau Mc, Ariana E, Isabelle H

## GARDEN CLUB

We have another Garden Club this Friday and would love to see even more new people join in to help. We start at 3pm all you need to bring is your enthusiasm, a hat, a cold drink and some gloves if you wish.

### WE NEED YOUR HELP

With Spring well and truly sprung, it is time to plant out the vegetable patch. If anyone has any seeds or seedlings to spare, we'd like them for the school patch.

We're looking for pumpkin, zucchini, tomato, salad greens, carrot, beans and peas. Produce will be shared with the canteen, school association catering (eg Agfest - pumpkin soup) and the school community.


Leave anything at the office or contact Jane 0439 877 573.

If Fridays don't suit contact Jane 0439 877 573 or Shelly 0427 907 032 for further opportunities to help.

## NMPSSA SWIMMING CARNIVAL

We will select a team of students to represent our school at this Carnival, to be held at our school pool on Friday 29<sup>th</sup> November. These students will be given their selection form soon. Spectators are welcome to attend this event. Our School Association will be there with their food van serving sausages, burgers, toasted sandwiches & cold drinks. There will also be a coffee van.

# COLOUR FUN RUN/WALKATHON 2024!

This year our  Fun Run, suggested and organised by our School Parliament, will be held on Tuesday, November 26<sup>th</sup>. All classes will spend 25 minutes on the school oval with their buddy class, completing as many laps as possible of the 'COLOUR FUN RUN/WALKATHON' course. Students are asked to wear a white or light-coloured top/old sport clothes. Students will also need to bring a towel and their school uniform to change into after the event.

Money raised will go towards two different causes:

1. **MND Tasmania** is our final nominated charity of the year. Our goal is to raise \$500 to donate to this cause.

If we manage to raise beyond the amount required for this, our School Parliament has elected to:

2. Donate any remaining money being used to resources for outdoor play equipment at **Hagley Farm School**.

This is a fantastic opportunity for all students, families and the wider school community to come together for an event that is fun and also teaches students how each of them can make a difference. It also provides great photo opportunities for those who come to watch!

Students have been given a sponsorship form & timetable of the day to bring home. Their aim, with your help, is to raise as much money as possible towards our goals – whether through sponsorship per lap or direct donations. We **do not** encourage students to doorknock to collect sponsorship.

**We ask that sponsorship forms are not returned until after** the Fun Run is complete. Students will bring home an additional signed note to inform families of the number of laps they have completed in the Fun Run on that day. Sponsorship forms are due to the school office by **Tuesday, December 10<sup>th</sup>**.

Due to the added element of the colour at this year's Fun Run, we are in need of additional adult support, in particular, to man the colour stations. This is a potentially 'wet and messy' job, however we are sure it will also be enjoyable. Adults who wish to volunteer are asked to please contact Jaclyn Mclean via email: [jaclyn.mclean@decyp.tas.gov.au](mailto:jaclyn.mclean@decyp.tas.gov.au). Volunteers are required to have a Working with Vulnerable People Card, as well as having completed the DECYP mandatory safeguarding training.

We hope to see lots of family members and friends at school on the big day.

***Mrs Jaclyn McLean, AST/Student Parliament Coordinator***





# Lunchtimes in the Library 2024



The Library is open  
at lunchtimes on  
Mondays,  
Tuesdays and  
Wednesdays from  
1.00-1.30



# CALENDAR OF EVENTS

If you haven't already, add the dates below to your diary as we move towards the end of the school year.

## **Calendar of Hagley Farm School Events Term 4 2024**

<b>NOVEMBER</b>	
Swimming Carnival Grade 3-6	15 <sup>th</sup> November
Country Gold Cricket	18 <sup>th</sup> & 19 <sup>th</sup> November
Pre-Kinder Orientation	29 <sup>th</sup> November
Northern Midlands Swimming Carnival	29 <sup>th</sup> November
<b>DECEMBER</b>	
Pre-Kinder Orientation	6 <sup>th</sup> December
HFS Arts Showcase	12 <sup>th</sup> December
Reports sent home	13 <sup>th</sup> December
Grade 3-5 Assembly	Friday 13 <sup>th</sup> December at 2.00pm
Grade 6 Leavers' Dinner	Monday 16 <sup>th</sup> December at 6.00pm
Grade 5/6 Church Service	Monday 16 <sup>th</sup> December
Early Childhood Presentation Assembly	Tuesday 17 <sup>th</sup> December @ 10am
Grade 6 Presentation Assembly	Tuesday 17 <sup>th</sup> December at 11.15am
Early Childhood Church Service	19 <sup>th</sup> December
Students' last day	19 <sup>th</sup> December

## **WHOLE SCHOOL ARTS CELEBRATION SCHEDULE**

**December 12th**

<b>CLASSES</b>	<b>TIME</b>	<b>VENUE</b>
Kinder Flower & Ankin	2.00-3.00pm	Kindergarten playground
Prep Cooper, Prep Walker/Eyles & Prep/1 Mason	3.10pm	Gym
1/2 Johnson, Clarke/Leatherbarrow, Garwood/Page & 2/3 Legro 1/2 Choir	3.45pm	Gym
3/4 Chatterton/Gleeson, McNeair & Cini 3/4 Choir	4.45pm	Gym
5/6 Styles, Marshall, Sherman/Donald 5/6 Band and Vocal Group	5.45pm	Gym
Art Gallery of work from classes	From 2 pm	Breezeway
Art Competition – "Hagley is..."	From 2pm	Breezeway









Join Rural Alive & Well for a

## Hoedown at Hazelbrae

December 7th, 2024

12.30pm to 3.30pm

HAZELBRAE HAZELNUTS  
127 HAGLEY STATION LANE, HAGLEY

**THE AFTERNOON WILL INCLUDE:**

- BBQ on arrival
- Line Dancing by the Bootscootin' Bunnies
- Kids Activities
- Prizes for Best Dressed Santa, Most Festive Family & Worst Xmas Sweater!

**BOOKINGS ONLINE ONLY**

**BOOK YOUR TICKET HERE!**

[HTTPS://RAW-HOEDOWN-HAZELBRAE.RAISELYSITE.COM/](https://raw-hoedown-hazelbrae.raiselysite.com/)

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## January HOLIDAY PROGRAM

**Monday 20th to Friday 24th January a 5 Day Program**

This is a great way for children to learn, consolidate and advance their swimming skills.

- 30 min lesson daily with the same teacher
- For ages 4 to 12
- Small classes
- Book now as spaces are limited

**REGISTER ON OUR WEBSITE**

6344 2244

[www.justswim.com.au](http://www.justswim.com.au)



# got talent?

## Westbury's Got Talent

**Sunday 23 February 2025  
Westbury RSL**

Cash prizes  
Judge's Choice \$150 • 4 category winners \$100 each  
Star of the Future \$50 • People's Choice \$50

Register now to perform or book a seat in the audience for a fantastic day of local talent. We have great prizes to win. Entries close 24 January 2025 and all performers must complete our registration form.  
No professional entertainers thank you.

Doors open at 11.30am and the first performance at 12noon.

No cost for performers to enter  
Audience tickets are \$10 each  
BBQ lunch available  
No BYO food or drinks

To book a seat or a table for the whole family to watch your rising star or request a registration form, please email us  
at [westburysrl@gmail.com](mailto:westburysrl@gmail.com) or telephone Teena on 0418 509 029