24 August 2019

From the Principal

Last week I had the pleasure of listening to one of the world leading academics on school reform Pasi Sahlsberg who was presenting at the Tasmanian Principal Association Conference. Pasi spoke about the need for simplicity in schools and education systems in an age when life can be complicated and feel rushed. He spoke also about the need for equity across our systems where students can access the right support tailored to their individual needs.

I also met with representatives from TASSAL and ABCN (Australian Business and Community Networks) to begin organising our Business Class partnership. This partnership will be for at least three years where we will have mentors from all areas of TASSAL come and work with our students to assist them in being job ready, mentor them with their studies also to support them in being the best they can be. While it will be mainly with the High School students there will be whole school activities planned to support all of our students. This is an exciting time for us and we look forward to sharing our stories and events with the whole community.

This week we say farewell to one of our staff members Mr Vaughan-Williams. He has taken up a position as a Numeracy coach at Campania District School. Mr Vaughan-Williams will be sorely missed and he has seen many students come and go throughout his ten years at Tasman District School. We wish him all the best with his new role. Mr Giblin will be taking his teaching role for the remainder of the year and we are waiting to confirm the AST for the Secondary school. For the remainder of Term 3 Ms Rachael Chesmer will be taking the Grade 7/8 STEM classes covering for Ms Evans on maternity leave.

Ted Barrance

Star of the Week Awards

Friday 17/08/2018
Prep - 1
Braxton W
Grade 2 - 3
Zara R
Grade 3 - 4
Micah K
Grade 5 - 6G
Montanna R
Grade 5 - 6M
Neave B

Friday 24/08/2018
Prep - 1
Angus H
Grade 2 - 3
Renae P
Grade 3 - 4
Elliott G
Grade 5 - 6G
Declan B
Grade 5 - 6M
Connie W
If your child will be entering Kinder in 2019 (born 2014) please contact the school office to complete an intention to enrol form for 2019. Please pass this message on to family and friends that live in our school area.

**Breakfast Club**

Every Tuesday and Wednesday morning from 8.30am in the Blue room, TDS will be providing breakfast for students that would like to come along. This is a great opportunity for students to socialise before class while getting the energy they need to have the best possible day at school.

**Library News**

**Breakfast & Books**

TDS invites families and carers to share books and enjoy breakfast at our LINC Library.

- **Who is it for:** Families with children in Kindergarten to Year 2.
- **When:** Every Tuesday commencing weekly from Term 3.
- **Time:** 8.30am to 9.00am
- **Cost:** FREE

**Where to get more information:** Talk to your child’s teacher or principal or visit the Department of Education website www.education.tas.gov.au

*Working together with the school, you can make a difference to your child’s learning!*

**School Uniform**

**School Dresses** After some delay Ladies size school dresses have arrived! They are now available in **ladies sizes** 12 to 18 cost $65.00. **Girl sizes** 4 to 18 cost $55.00. **Skorts** are also now available in larger sizes from 4 to 18 cost $30.00

**Bus Changes**

Parents and Carers are reminded to notify the school office of any **bus changes before 2.00pm**. This is essential for the school to fulfil our duty of care at the end of each school day.
**Primary Assembly** is hosted by primary students and is held every Friday morning at 9.00am in the school hall.

**Whole School Assembly** will be held September 18 in the School Hall at 2pm.

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### Assembly Dates

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### Attendance and Sickness

A reminder to parents and carers to please call the school office by **9.00am** to advise the school if their child is unable to attend school due to illness or any other reason.

- By phone **6250 2126** leave a message anytime on the answering machine.

- Email tasman.district.school@education.tas.gov.au

If you family is going away on holiday please email tasman.district.school@education.tas.gov.au with the details of you child/rens absence dates.

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### School Term Dates

**Term 3**
- Monday 23 July to Friday 28 September

**Term 4**
- Monday 15 October to Thursday 20 December

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### Basketball Report

Please see second attachment on this email.

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### Hot Chocolate Fundraiser

Grade 3/4 will be holding a **Hot Chocolate Fundraiser** for their end of year class camp every **Wednesday** and **Friday** recess in the 3/4 classroom cost **$1.50**

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### Water Safety Program 3, 4, 5

All students in Grades 3, 4 and 5 will be participating in a school funded swimming and water program from September 17 to the final day of Term 3, Friday 28 September.

Consent forms for grades 3, 4 and 5 for Aquatic Activities were sent home this week, please return to class teacher before Friday September 7.

The program timetable will be as follows:

- **Grade 3**: 8.40am to 10.00am
- **Grade 4**: 10.00am to 10.40am (Group 1)
  11.00am to 11.50am (Group 2)
- **Grade 5**: 11.50am to 12.40pm (Group 1)
  1.20pm to 2.10pm (Group 2)

If you have any queries or questions, please do not hesitate to contact Lola Kinsella on a Mondays or Tuesday at the school on 6250 2126.

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### Reclink Football

Students from grades **7, 8, 9 and 10** have taken part in **Reclink Australia Football** over the last few weeks, travelling to Campania and Hutchins School Oval to compete. They played their final game Thursday 23/8/2018 bringing home the **Greg Hunt Memorial trophy 2018 - Youth Football Premier.**

Well done to all involved.
**Community News**

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**Meningococcal W vaccine now FREE to all young people under 21**

The State Government is extending its vaccination program due to a localised outbreak of the W strain. The extended program will cover those most at risk of contracting and transmitting the disease and will be rolled out statewide.

All Tasmanians aged from six weeks to 20 years will now be able to get vaccinated for FREE against meningococcal W (for those born after 1 August 1997).

**Want more information?**
- Talk to your GP
- or call the Public Health Hotline on 1800 671 738

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**Expressions of Interest**

**CARETAKER**

**Lions of Tasman Community Swimming Pool**

Paid position involves daily cleaning of facility, maintenance as required and monitoring of water quality. Training provided. Would suit local based resident, must be aged over 18.

Please direct expressions of interest to Chris Wedd 0414 644 458 by Wednesday 5th September 2018

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**Free Family Movie Nights!**

At Tasman Neighbourhood House

Fortnightly on a Friday for Term 3!

**Beginning Friday 10th August**

**Free:** Movie, toasted sandwiches and Popcorn.

Movie starts at 5.30.

No need to book—Just come along for a great family movie night!

**CHANGE OF DATES!!**

**Friday 31st August—**
Peter Rabbit PG

**Friday 14th September—**
The Emperors New Groove G
Community News - Cont..

Healthy headspace

Skills workshop
A skills-based workshop designed to provide you with tools to maintain your wellbeing.
Who: Young people between 12 and 25 years of age
Families & Carers Welcome
When: Thursday Evenings from 5:30 - 6:30pm
Where: Headspace Hobart
Please RSVP on 03 21 2027

Key Dates & Topics
- 9th of August: Sleeping Well
- 16th of August: Physical Wellbeing
- 23rd of August: Communicating with Confidence
- 30th of August: Workshops and Recreation
- 6th of September: Understanding and Accepting Myself
- 13th of September: Understanding My Anger
- 20th of September: Understanding My Feelings
- 27th of September: Healthy Thinking

Workshops include:
- Educate on maintaining positive wellbeing
- Facilitated discussion & activities on a range of topics
- Take home booklet and resources

Drop in Program: You don’t need to come to every week. Come to one workshop or a few!

Bream Creek Farmers Market

Fathers Day Brunch
The Bream Creek Farmers Market will be hosting a long table Fathers Day brunch featuring fresh local produce & beverages.

Plus
A Face-Paint your Dad or your Granddad event
Paint him in your footy team colours, turn him into Spiderman
or the hulk, let your imagination go wild
there will be prizes!! and lots of fun!!!
Come along to this family friendly event
with lots of activities for the kids,
Plus live music, food and beverages for all

When: Sunday 2nd September (rain or shine)
Where: Bream Creek Showgrounds
Time: First sitting 10am - Second sitting 11am
Cost: $15 adults & $8.00 children
Pre-paid tickets can be purchased at the August market (5th)

RYUKYU Shotokan Karate

Mondays ~ Lauderdale Hall
4-7 years 4:30-5:00pm
8-12 years 5:00-6:00pm
Seniors 6:00-7:00pm
Tuesdays ~ Claremont Memorial Hall
4-7 years 4:30-5:00pm
8-12 years 5:00-6:00pm
Seniors 6:00-7:30pm
Wednesdays ~ Sorell Memorial Hall
4-7 years 4:30-5:00pm
8-12 years 5:00-6:00pm
Seniors 6:00-7:30pm
Thursdays ~ Old Beach Community Centre
Jetty Road, Old Beach
4-7 years 4:30-5:00pm
8-12 years 5:00-6:00pm
Seniors 6:00-7:30pm

Friday ~ Uniload Activities Centre
4-7 years 4:20-5:00pm
8-12 years 5:00-6:00pm

Saturday ~ Brighton Memorial Hall
4-7 years 9:30-10:00am
8-12 years 10:00-11:00am

Call Sensei Chris Cousens 0409 359 369
http://www.ryukyukanet.com/
first lesson FREE

SOUTHERN WOLVES

PRESENTS

30N3

WHEN: MONDAYS 4pm - 7.30pm
SEPT 10 - DEC 17 (not inc holidays)
JAN 21 - MAR 4
WHO: U10 - U14 BOYS & GIRLS
WHERE: WARRANE
* TAKING ENROL FOR U16 & U18
AGE GROUPS
FOR MORE INFORMATION PLEASE EMAIL US AT
CAVALIERSBCGMAIL.COM
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