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2 November 2018

From the Principal

Hi Everyone

It was great to see so many students participating in our school sports carnival last week. Lots of records were broken and the level of enthusiasm and team spirit was very high all round. Thank you to the parents and volunteers who came along to assist with the activities and enjoy watching the students have a great time.

AEU work bans

As you may or may not be aware the Australian Education Union with other public sector unions are holding a number of work bans associated with the Enterprise Bargaining process with the State Government. This process is focussing on staff workload and pay conditions across the public service. As a school our first and foremost action and duty of care is to ensure the health and safety of our students across the school. When we have more clarity around the AEU expectations and the Department of Education's actions we will notify all parents of the upcoming changes or disruptions to normal working conditions. If you have any questions around this then please do not hesitate to make contact with me through the school office.

Cattle Handling Teams

As we come into the show seasons please remember that our cattle handling teams will be competing in a number of shows for the remainder of the year. Please keep an eye out in our school newsletter and our Facebook page to see when and where we will be competing. Our students have represented the school, the community and themselves very well and have had fantastic positive feedback around their performances and the way they conduct themselves. Congratulations and good luck to our teams you will do us proud.

Kind regards Ted Barrance

Star of the Week Awards

Friday 26/10/2018

Prep - I
-
Grade 2 - 3
-
Grade 3 - 4
-
Grade 5 - 6G
-
Grade 5 - 6M
-



Friday 2/11/2018

Prep - I
Kendall B
Grade 2 - 3
Cheyenne L
Grade 3 - 4
Elliott G
Grade 5 - 6G
Liam J
Grade 5 - 6M
Robbie S

Kinder Enrolments

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.

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.

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.

School Banking

School Banking day is **Wednesday**. Your child should place their bank book in the class banking bag ready to be taken to the office each Wednesday morning.

Launch into Learning (LIL)

Friday 9 November 2018

No Program

Friday 16 November 2018

Fun in the Pool

9.30 - 10.30 am

Please contact the school if you have not received a permission form for this activity.

For further information and a term program, please contact Elizabeth Legge (Launching into Learning Coordinator) on 6250 2126



School Levies

School levies are now **overdue**. Payment would be appreciated as soon as possible or arrangements made with the School Business Manager, for payment by instalments.

Attendance and Sickness

Achievement Recognition Assembly will be held Wednesday 19 December in the Civic Centre.

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.

Assembly Dates

Primary Assembly is hosted by primary students and is held every Friday morning at 9.00am in the Prep - I classroom.

Water Safety Program

All students from Kinder to grade 2 and also grade 5 will be participating in a school funded **Water Orientation Program** from November 05 to November 16.

Please remember to send the appropriate swimming gear on these days.

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.



Student Assistance Scheme

Student Assistance Scheme (STAS)

The scheme is available to:

- Full-time students from kindergarten to year 12 in Government and registered non-Government schools whose parents/guardians meet the income test and have care of the student for a minimum of 50% of the time (as assessed by Centrelink);
- Students who are in “out of Home Care”: through the Department of Health and Human Services, Child and Family Services Section; and
- Grandparents raising grandchildren.

Income Test

Income assessment is applied to parents/guardians of dependent students applying for assistance under the scheme. Independent students are required to meet the income test and also provide proof of their independent status. The income test used for the scheme is included on the application form each year.

The income test table used for the STAS 2019 scheme is as follows:

| No of Dependent Children | Income Per Week | Annual Parental Income |
|--------------------------|-----------------|------------------------|
| 1 | \$696 | \$36,192 |
| 2 | \$801 | \$41,652 |
| 3 | \$913 | \$47,476 |
| 4 | \$1,032 | \$53,664 |
| 5 | \$1,158 | \$60,216 |
| 6 | \$1,298 | \$67,496 |

Enquiries and Applications

Application forms are available from the school office, the Department of Education, and Service Tasmania Shops.

For specific information on assistance in completing the application form or the application procedures, contact the Student Assistance Office, Department of Education, GPO Box 169, Hobart 7000. (1800 816 057, email STAS@education.tas.gov.au)

If you have already been approved for STAS this year, you will not need to complete an application form for next year. If you are new to the system, you will need to complete a form for 2019. If you have been approved previously, and have a child starting Kinder in 2019 you will need to advise the Student Assistance Office.

Oral Health Program

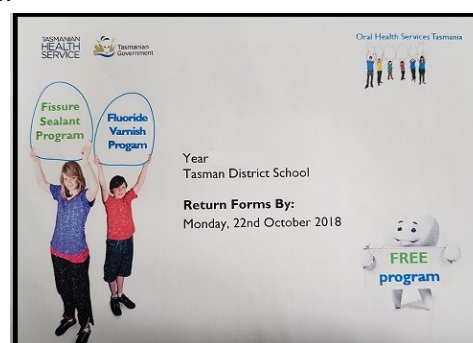
Reminder To Return ASAP

Fissure Sealant and Fluoride Varnish Program

Oral Health Services Tasmania has developed an exciting new school based fissure sealant and fluoride varnish program to help prevent tooth decay in children around 6 and 12 years of age.

Envelopes containing information and consent forms were sent home to **Kinder, Prep – 1, 2 - 3, 5 - 6G, 5 - 6 M and Grade 7.**

These consent forms need to be returned to school **ASAP** for your child to participate in this free program



Halloween Disco

The **Halloween Disco** held by grade 10's was a huge success, thanks to all who assisted in making this event happen! Special mention to **Statewide DJ Solutions** for donating their service.



ROYAL HOBART SHOW 2018

Student Quotes



I enjoyed spending time with my heifer and competing in all the events **Paige**.

I absolutely loved the Hobart Show, so much fun, my cow was great I can't wait until we go to Brighton! got to see friends from other schools, it was great. **Makayla**

I loved having special time with Nellie Fishy Wishy my heifer, she calmed down impeccably and we have bonded more at the show. **Candina**

The best part was falling asleep with Ellie and going on the rides with Candina. **Ruby**

I enjoyed watching all the other handlers and getting to compete in Junior Judging. **Jocelyn**

I enjoyed showing my heifer and learning new tips from the judges. **Ilse**

I enjoyed competing and showing my heifer **Melanie**

I enjoyed the amount of progress I have made with my heifer and in Junior Judging. **Abigail**

I loved spending time with and showing my ewe. I like Junior Judging, rides, watching the Barrel Racing and Bull Riding. **Edie**

I had a great time because it was easy-going and I got to show two heifers. **Ashtyn**

I enjoyed the show, the atmosphere was great. **Lizzie**

I loved using the blow dryer to dry my heifer after washing her, I loved the fireworks and the Barrel Racing and Bull riding. **Jayne**

ROYAL HOBART SHOW 2018

“we had a great week!”

15 Tasman District agriculture students attended the Royal Hobart Show last week to exhibit and compete in the Beef Cattle and Stud Sheep Sections. I have never felt so proud.

The students demonstrated their stock handling, stock preparation, presentation, exhibition, herdsmanship and teamwork. Many stud breeders took the time to congratulate our students on their polite and professional conduct throughout the week. They looked amazing, they won some amazing ribbons and they were amazing to be with.

Our Thanks to Stuart Cordwell for coaching the sheep team, to Mrs Evans for her training, encouragement, dedication and laughter, Caine Evans for his work in the cattle shed, Mel for driving the bus and feeding us and our kind sponsors Helen & Wayne Davidson of Cherry Tree Shorthorns.



Shorthorn Beef Breeds Class



Lizzie with Cherry Tree Ramona
Reserve Champion Senior Female Shorthorn



Heifer Class
3rd Paige with Ramona



Junior Heifer—Shorthorn.

1st Lizzie with Enia, 2nd Ashtyn with Watermaid
3rd Candina with Lynelle

ROYAL HOBART SHOW 2018

Beef Cattle Section

RESULTS

Group of Three Cattle—3rd

Breeder's Pair of Animals—3rd

JUNIOR BEEF JUDGING

Under15 Years

1st Melanie Shoobridge

2nd Abigail Lane

3rd Candina Crowden

Melanie Shoobridge was only 1 point behind the winner of the over 15 years group. There were 14 competitors.

JUNIOR CATTLE HANDLERS

13-14 years

2nd Melanie Shoobridge

3rd Paige Parker

Heat finalists were Candina, Jocelyn and Jayme



**SCHOOL
TEAM OF
THREE
CATTLE
HANDLERS**

Tasman District School

**Shorthorn
Feature Breed
Special Awards**



ROYAL HOBART SHOW 2018

Beef Cattle Section



BEN HARMAN

Ben has "Phoenix Santa Gertrudis Stud" and he successfully exhibited his heifers winning :-

Beef Cattle Herdsman's Award

Phoenix Padme

Reserve Champion Junior Heifer

Grand Champion Female

2nd Sires Progeny

1st Pair of animals

Tasmanian Rural Ambassador 2018

Ashley Evans



ROYAL HOBART SHOW 2018

Stud Sheep Section

The Tasman Hampshire Down Stud and Alexi Bancal's White Dorper Stud made up the sheep for the Tasman Sheep Team at the Royal Hobart Show. Alexi, Drew Churchill and Edie Little exhibited the sheep and competed in the Junior Sheep Judging Competition.



The menagerie is growing!

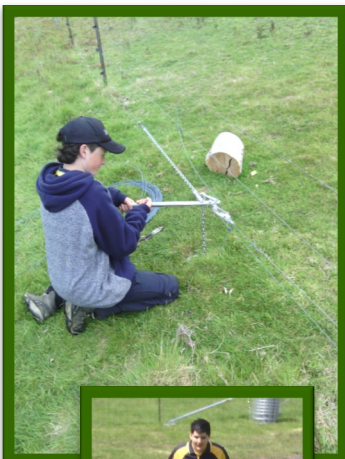


Our Wiltshire poll ewe 'Sunday' has had a ewe lamb we have named 'Friday' because she was born on Friday 20th October. Mother and lamb doing well. The other Wiltshire poll sheep are at a property at Westerway kindly lent to us by Richard & Annalesa Doedrens, where they have had their lambs.

Declan and Noah relax in the hay feeder , Razzle & dazzle look bemused! The heifers will be going to Westerway soon to have a feed of grass.



Josh & Drew have been maintaining fences and putting in a new gate on the farm.



Catie & Violet welcomed a new English Giant rabbit called 'Cookie' to our farm. He is 3 months old.



Cows Create Careers 2018

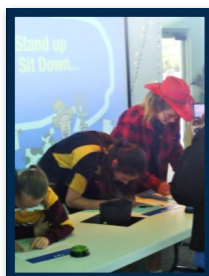
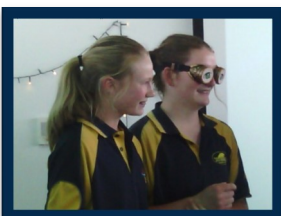


Winners

1st Senior Team Tasman

(Lizzie Ashtyn Candina Makayla Alexi Ruby)

3rd Junior Team Tasman (Mel Jocelyn Ilse Edie)



Community News

Christmas Cooking Class

Parent and child FREE activity

Making a Gingerbread village



Friday 16th November -

Friday 7th December

3.15 - 5.00

At Tasman District School Kitchen

Limited Spaces

Please call Dunalley Tasman Neighbourhood House
to book your spot

Ph: 62535579

DUNALLEY PRIMARY SCHOOL FAIR



**FRIDAY 16TH
NOVEMBER**
3PM - 7:30PM

**JUMPING CASTLE
SHADOW PHOTOGRAPHY BOOTH
SPORTS AND GAMES
LIVE MUSIC
DELICIOUS FOOD, COFFEE &
LOCAL AWARD WINNING WINES**

**CHRISTMAS DECORATIONS, CAKE STALL,
WHITE ELEPHANT STALL, ZOOPEER DOOPERS,
SKATE AND SCOOTER DEMONSTRATION, PLANTS,
DISCOVERY RANGER, CLASSIC CARS,
DECORATE YOUR OWN CUPCAKES,
& DUNK TANK AND MORE....**

**EVERYONE IS WELCOME TO THIS WONDERFUL
DUNALLEY COMMUNITY CELEBRATION
AT DUNALLEY PRIMARY SCHOOL**

Family Fun Night- Saturday November 3rd

You are invited to a night of dancing and performance

5.00 - 9.00pm at the Eaglehawk Neck Hall

Hot Potatoes Variety Band will be playing music to get us dancing- Bush Tunes, Rock and Roll, kids dances. The evening is to raise money for Acholi Resilience, a charity raising money for children and families in Uganda (for more info www.acholiresilience.org)

Entry is by paper money donation

Curry and rice for sale. BYO mug for your hot drinks.

Acholi Resilience is a registered Charity with the Australian Charities Not for Profit Commission (ACNC) to support Acholi People in Northern Uganda.



SUP Surf Groms 9-12yrs

Term 4 and Holiday Clinics :

Dodges Ferry, Seven Mile Beach,
Kingston, Sandy Bay.

Info and bookings:

surfgroms.com



Dates to Remember:

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| Monday 5 November - Friday 16 November | Gr K-2 Water Orientation Program begins for 2 weeks Gr 5 Swimming and Water Safety begins for 2 weeks |
| Wednesday 7 November - Friday 9 November | Grade 8 Camp - Fortescue Bay |
| Sunday 11 November | Brighton Show Excursion - Cattle & Sheep Exhibit |
| Monday 12 November | Southern Primary School Swimming Carnival |
| Friday 16 November | Fun in the Pool - LiL |
| Wednesday 21 November - Thursday 22 November | Duke of Edinburgh - Waterfall Bay Hike |
| Friday 23 - Saturday 24 November | Deloraine Show - Cattle & Sheep Exhibit |
| Monday 26 November - Friday 30 November | Grade 9 Canberra Trip |
| Wednesday 28 November | Orbost Secondary Concert Band Visit |
| Wednesday 28 November | Kinder Orientation begins |
| Wednesday 19 December | Achievement Recognition Assembly |
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Thank You

To **Hansen's Orchards** at White Beach for their continued support of our school with their kind donation of fruit to the Breakfast Club and Primary classrooms.

