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Principal News

Dear Parents and Carers

This is our last newsletter for Term 1. Thank you for making Term 1 a great start to 2019. We have seen many achievements so far and some great evidence of student learning around the school. I would encourage you to visit the Tasman District School Facebook page and also the Tasman District School Food and Fibre Facebook page. Both of these pages showcase some great learning that is happening across our school.

Some highlights so far this year have been the Windeward Bound tall ship experience supported by Rotary, the cattle handling and sheep handling team successes, our Primary Athletics team winning their division in the Interschool Athletics and our swimmers showcasing their great skills in the swimming carnival. At the assembly I spoke about celebrating the successes of not only our students here at school now but also of past students who continue to achieve great results. At the recent Rosny College awards night, five of our past students won awards showcasing their commitment to learning and achievement. Felix Stokes and Heidi Smith were awarded for their outstanding ATAR scores over 90; Felix also won the Maths Methods 4 award; Heidi was also awarded for her achievements in Art; Daymon Evans was awarded for his achievements in Electronics; Alex Shoobridge was awarded for his achievement in Automotive; and Theo Idstrom won the best all-rounder for year 12. These are some incredible results and congratulations to all these students. I know I have said this before but our students do very well at college especially considering the size of our school.

School Opening

The school will be officially opened by the Minister for Education on May 16 at 11.00am – 12.00pm. Invitations and

advertising will begin shortly and we will welcome all members of the public to be in attendance. This is an exciting step for the school after the largest financial and infrastructure project the school has had. I look forward to welcoming everyone to the opening of the school on May 16.

Holidays, Easter and ANZAC Day

Just a reminder to parents that the last day of term 1 will be Thursday 11 April. Next Friday is a student free day where staff work with other schools to ensure consistency in approach to teaching and learning through moderating the work samples. ANZAC Day falls in the holidays this year. We will have a student speaker and the school Choir singing on the day at the 11am ceremony at the cenotaph. We hope to see many of you there to support ANZAC Day as in the past. A reminder as well that Easter falls during the school holidays. I hope you all have a wonderful holiday and we look forward to seeing you all back safe and sound in Term 2.

Kind Regards, Ted Barrance
Principal

Star of the Week Awards

04/04/2019

Prep - 1

Ryley P

Year 1 - 2

Kendall B

Year 3 - 4

Blake S

Year 4 - 5

Darcy T

Year - 6

Robbie S



Launching into Learning - LiL

Launching into Learning, **Term 2** first day back will be Friday May 3, program and dates to follow.

Moving On

School Hall 9.00am - 10.00am

LiL Learn & Play

Kindergarten 10.15am - 11.30am

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



Parents & Friends Fundraiser

Tasman District School Parents & Friends are fundraising with the Entrainment Book. To purchase a book you can use the below link or contact Amanda McCulloch on 0478 607 167.

<https://www.entertainmentbook.com.au/orderbooks/91z9286>



Parents & Friends also held a sausage Sizzle at School yesterday, Thursday 04 April raising **\$313.00** thank you to all staff & students who purchased a sausage.



Student Attendance

A reminder to parents/carers to advise the school office if their child is unable to attend school due to illness or any other reason. A medical certificate is required if a child is absent due to illness for 5 days or more.

ATTEND TODAY, ACHIEVE TOMORROW

Donation - Thank You

Thank you to Matt Stapenell who kindly donated three brand new blow-up hiking pillows to the recreational class along with some milkshake cups for the café class.



School Lunches

Parents and carers are asked to only send packed lunches that can be eaten as is due to department regulations. Teachers and teachers assistants are not able to heat or add boiling water to student lunches.

Lost Property

As Term 1 is ending please check the school lost property basket for any missing items, anything left at the end of term 1 will be donated to the Nubeena Op Shop.



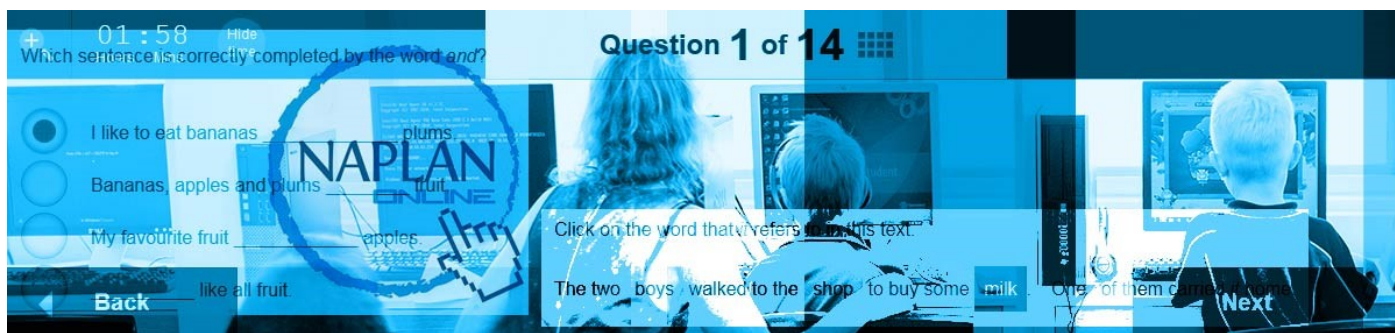
School Levies

Thank you to all families that have paid school levies. A reminder that levies are due by the end of this term. If you are having any issues paying by April 12 please contact our School Business manager Jacqui hunter on 6250 2126 if you have not already done so.

School Supervision Times

School supervision times are from **8.30am to 3.00pm**. No students should be on school grounds before 8.30am unless with a parent or carer.





Naplan Testing for Years 3, 5, 7 and 9

NAPLAN is moving completely online in 2019. This means moving NAPLAN from paper-based assessments to online-based assessments. NAPLAN Online will provide better assessment and more precise results. The assessments feature a tailored test design where the questions a student receives will depend on their answers to previous questions.

Tasmanian schools will participate in NAPLAN Online from 2019.

NAPLAN Online testing will be held from the 14 to 24 May 2019.

NAPLAN Online 2019 will include four components, Writing, Numeracy, Conventions of Language and Reading. For 2019 Year Three students will be completing a paper based Writing Test. Online Testing will be available for each of the NAPLAN year levels (3, 5, 7 and 9)

Schools will receive results and reports for participants following the completion of NAPLAN Online 2019. Individual Student Reports will have the same format as the results from the paper based testing. The same report format is used for every student in Australia.

Individual student performance in NAPLAN is shown on a national achievement scale for each test. The performance of individual students can be compared to the average performance of all students in Australia.

Security and privacy are key requirements for the delivery of national testing. The online assessment platform has been designed to comply with relevant national data security policies and guidelines as well as data encryption standards. It meets the requirements of the Australian Government's Protective Security Policy Framework and Information Security Manual to protect privacy of data, including any personal student data, required to be used.

Please see the Department of Education's [NAPLAN Online Privacy Notice](https://documentcentre.education.tas.gov.au/Documents/NAPLAN-online-privacy-notice.pdf) (<https://documentcentre.education.tas.gov.au/Documents/NAPLAN-online-privacy-notice.pdf>) for more information.

Thank you, in anticipation, for you and your child's participation in this important national initiative.

If you have further questions, please contact Ben Vaughan-Williams through the school office on 6250 2126.

School Association AGM

School Association AGM will be held **Monday May 20 at 5.05pm**. If you wish to nominate for a position please fill in the below nomination form and return no later than **Friday May 17 at 3.30pm**.

Completed forms can be posted, scanned and emailed to: taman.district.school@education.tas.gov.au or passed in at the School Office. Please check all details carefully as incomplete forms cannot be accepted.

A copy School Association Constitution is available from the office or by visiting the Online School Association Constitution Register at <https://documentcentre.education.tas.gov.au/Pages/schoolassociations/a-z.aspx>

Note: two existing members of the School Association must nominate a community member. Positions are for a period of three years.

Membership of the School Association provides an opportunity to be involved in the school in a positive way, participating in discussion and decision making on a wide range of issues (policies, budget approval etc.), and representing the concerns of others. Meetings are held twice a school term in week 3 and 9 and are usually of less than 2 hours duration.

Tasman District School Association Inc.
Nomination Form
For position of Parent Member/Community Member

Candidate's Name _____

Address _____

Phone: _____

Signed _____ Date ____/____/____

Proposer's Name _____

Address _____

Signed _____ Date ____/____/____

Secunder's Name _____

Address _____

Signed _____ Date ____/____/____



Tasman District School Junior Cattle Handling Team spent three days camping with their heifers in Deloraine at the Tasmanian Junior Beef Expo. The expo consisted of a variety of workshops to expand our knowledge of the beef industry and a series of competitions. There were 60 students from all over Tasmania.

At workshops we learnt about cattle structure, calving ease and we also dissected stomachs to identify the 4 ruminant compartments. We practised castration with elastrators, and vaccinating into muscle tissue.

The competitions were fun team games, (Ilse got covered in raw egg!), Junior Judging, all breeds, Junior Handling and team fitting a heifer.

We had an amazing time and really enjoyed learning new things and meeting people who share a love of cattle with us. By Ashtyn W.





COMPETITIONS





Junior Cattle Handling Mel S and Ben H 4th in their heats, Jocelyn M placed 5th and Violet H was awarded 4th in the novice class.

Ilse B team (the Galahs) won the **Team Clipping and Fitting competition**, Jayme N and Makayla U were in the team that placed 3rd.

Encouragement awards were presented to Ruby H, Makayla U, Abigail L and Ilse B.

Junior Beef Judging Violet H was 3rd in the novice class, Mel S won the sub-intermediate class and Candina C came 2nd in the intermediates.

In the **Hermans Competition** Jayme N won 3rd place in the sub-intermediate group.



Community News

Wow! Try 5 musical instruments for just \$5
Enrol with a friend and receive a bonus individual lesson EACH*



- Two hours of hands-on musical fun, have a go at Drums, Guitar, Keyboard, Bass Guitar, and Uke.
- No instrument needed, no musical experience needed.
- There's even a special session for Adults to have a go too.
- And a Q'n'A session to help choose instruments & lessons.

Come'n'Try Holiday Music at IAM Hobart		\$
Kinder Beat (2-3 yo)	9.00- 9.30 Tue Apr 23	FREE
Develop aural & rhythm music skills for 2-3 yo		
Group Piano (4-6 yo)	9.45-10.15 Tue Apr 23	FREE
Develop aural & rhythm piano skills for 4-6 yo		
Group Piano (7-9 yo)	10.30-11.00 Tue Apr 23	FREE
Develop aural & rhythm piano skills for 7-9 yo		
Beginner KIDS 3-day Guitar Class (8+ yo)	9.30-10.15 Tue 23, Wed 24, Fri 26 (no class Thu 25)	*\$5.00
Riffs, Chords, Songs (you can even borrow one of our guitars)		
Beginner ADULT Guitar Class (18+ yo)	7.00- 7.45 pm Tue Apr 23	FREE
Riffs, Chords, Songs (you can even borrow one of our guitars)		
Try 5 instruments for \$5 (8+ yo)	10.15-12.15 Wed Apr 24	*\$5.00
Rock/Pop Keyboard, Guitar, Bass, Drums, Uke		
Try 5 instruments for \$5 (18+ yo)	6.45-8.45 pm Wed Apr 24	*\$5.00
Piano vs Keyboard? Guitar, Bass, Drums, Uke		
Music Lesson Q'n'A Session (adults only)	6.00- 6.45 pm Wed Apr 24	FREE
How to get the right info about lessons & instruments eg "Which instrument? Group lessons vs individual?"	9.30-10.15 am Sat May 4	FREE

Enrol with a friend and receive a bonus individual lesson EACH*
*enrol with a friend for any PAID class and you each receive an obligation free individual lesson, subject to availability

To enrol, contact Lyndon at the International Academy of Music Hobart
0413 289 978 iamhobart.tas@gmail.com iamhobart.com.au
All classes held at 41b Burnett Street Nth Hobart

ABN 95618873354

Any questions about the NDIS??

A NDIS representative will now be in the area the 2nd Tuesday of every month

(Next date is Tues 9th April)

Tasman Neighbourhood House 10.30-12.30
Dunalley Neighbourhood House 1.30-3.30pm



Call 62535579 to book in or just call in

TICKET TO PLAY



Get your ticket to play and join a club in 2019!

Vouchers to help with the cost of sporting club registration are available for children aged 5-17 on Centrelink Health Care or Pensioner Concession Cards. For more information, go to communities.tas.gov.au/ticket-to-play



Department of Communities Tasmania

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SERVICE



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24 April - 3 May 2019
Tasman Health & Community Service
1614 Nubeena Road, Nubeena

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Dates to Remember:

Tuesday 9 April	Year 1-2 to Parsons Bay Beach "Clean Up"
Tuesday 9 April - Wednesday 10 April	Duke of Edinburgh Bushwalk - Cape Pillar
Wednesday 10 April	Drama Class to Peacock Theatre
Thursday 11 April	Parents & Friends Fundraiser Primary School Disco
Thursday 11 April	Year 6 - Woodbridge Marine Discovery Centre
Thursday 11 April	Kinder Gathering
Thursday 11 April	Last Day of Term 1
Thursday 25 April	ANZAC Day Primary Choir Performance
Monday 29 April	First Day Term 2
Wednesday 1 May - Saturday 4 May	AGFEST - Selected Cattle Handling Students
Thursday 2 May	Parents & Friends Fundraiser Crazy Hair Day
Thursday 2 May	Selected Students - Reclink Football
Thursday 16 May	Official School Opening
Monday 20 May	School Association AGM - 5.05pm School Meeting Room
Friday 31 May	Selected Students to Campbell Town Wool Handling Comp
Saturday 1 June	Selected Students to Campbell Town Sheep Show

