From the Principal’s Desk

Dear Parents and Carers,

Learning Program
It is a very busy time for teachers as they write reports and ensure a strong learning focus during the last part of the term amongst a range of extra end-of-year activities. Please look out for information in our school dates calendar about dates and times for events including concerts and presentation assemblies.

Swimming and Water Safety Program
Mr Preece and his team have ensured a great start to this important program. All our Year 3, 4 and 5 students, together with some Grade 6 students, have been participating in a range of swimming and water safety activities designed to help keep them safe in and around the water. With summer coming up, this is an invaluable program for our students.

Breakfast for 5/6s
I had the pleasure of attending a healthy breakfast promotion this morning for our 5/6 classes, sponsored by Woolworths. The reinforced message was that as our students move into adolescence, a nutritional start to the day is very important.

School Association Nominations
A brief description of the role of our School Association was provided in a recent newsletter. This group plays an important role in our school community providing advice & recommendations to the Principal in relation to general management of the school. The Association is made up of the Principal, at least 2 staff, 1 community member and requires 2 parent members (+P&F president). Meetings are held at school approx. 4 times per year. The timing of meetings can be flexible amongst members. The Parents & Friends AGM calls for parent nominations for these 2 vacant positions as parent representatives. The nomination form must be obtained from and returned to Mrs Carol Spencer at the school office and voting will be completed at the AGM.

I would strongly encourage any interested parent to nominate for a position on our School Association

Regards,

Mick Davy
Principal

Hagley Farm School Newsletter
17th November 2015
STUDENTS IN THE SPOTLIGHT

2015 RECYCLED PALLET COMPETITION

Recently the Launceston Self Help Workplace held a competition to recycle a pallet. The competition was open to school students, amateur craftspeople, community groups and professional artisans. The competition’s entries were judged on functionality, attractiveness, quality and commercial potential.

Gus from 1/2 Korpershoek/Hendriksen entered the competition by building a billy cart. Gus won 1st prize in the School or University Student category, earning himself $500.

A great effort Gus!

MERIT CERTIFICATES
Primary: Owen, Aliya, Jordan, Landon, Codey, Adele, Marcus, Bethany, Summerani, Ty, Georgia, Daniel, George, Sophie, Saxon, Alexander, Alex, Tom
Early Childhood: Caden, Callan, Mason, Barnabas, Sam, Connor, Cooper, Eve, Gus, William, Rueben, Zane

GT4GC
Early Childhood: Amy, Isabella, Deklan
Primary: John, Sam, Tom, Zachary

MATHLETICS
Reece
WESTBURY SHOW PRIZE WINNERS

Congratulations to the following students who received prizes for their school-entered art, craft and floral items from the Westbury Show, held on Saturday 7th November.

**Primary**: Kate, Tamahlia, Tayla, Abbie, Lachlan, Lydia, Brayden, Brooke, Claire, Ella, Charlotte and Neil.

**Early Childhood**: Isaac, Owen, Ava, Madison, Grace, Ella, Tiquiri, Molly, Melissa, Rowan, Lachlan, Elias, Alicia, Mercedes, Ella-Grace, Isabella and.

**Grade 4-6 Poster Competition**: Solomon and Cohen.

**Kinder to Grade 3 Colouring-in Competitions**: Summer, Tessa, Imogen, Lily (presented in Kinder) and Lottie (presented in Kinder).

Thank you to all of those who took part. The number and variety of entries was amazing to see, with well over 500 hundred pieces of art, craft, cooking, Lego, photography and floral items on display in the Primary School section.

*Jessica Marston*

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**STUDENT ASSISTANCE SCHEME (STAS) 2016**

If you are a current 2015 recipient of STAS you do not need to reapply. Families who have been in receipt of STAS should be soon receiving correspondence directly from the Department advising them if they have been approved or not for STAS. STAS application forms are available from the school office for new enrolments or for families whose circumstances have changed and wish to apply. Should you have any questions regarding STAS, please call Carol Spencer at school.

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**INCOMETEST FOR THE SCHEME - TAXABLE INCOME TABLE 2014-15**

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* For more than 8 children, add $135 per week or $7,020 per annum for each additional dependent.

# Gross Taxable Income

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**SCHOOL BANKING**

This week is the final week for school banking this year. Tokens may be carried over to next year for reward redemption.

Thank you so much to this year’s volunteers: Melanie Rataj, Anna Clark, Lani Gunn, Donna Emery, Sonia Martin, Kylie Westwood and Jenny Taylor. Your time has been very much appreciated.

*Sarah Gibson*

*Banking Co-ordinator*
**ORDER OF EVENTS**

(Approximate times only)

**2014 Hagley Swimming Carnival  Friday 27th November**

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**PARENTS & FRIENDS NEWS**

**Annual General Meeting**

This meeting will be held on **Wednesday 25th November** in the Kindergarten building at 2.00pm.

**Swimming Carnival**

I’ll be on the look out for volunteers next Friday for food service in the little kitchen at the Gym. We will be serving food for parents watching the swimming carnival.

**Menu**

- Chicken salad roll $3.50
- Ham and cheese toasted sandwich $3.00
- Hot and Cold Drinks $2.00

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**CAR BOOT SALE – Hagley Farm School Carpark**

**Sunday 29th November from 8am - 12pm**

$15 a car/ute or BYO table/ marquees.

Now with coffee van and Sausage Sizzle!!

Make room for Christmas, finally sell that pile of stuff that’s been sitting in the spare room/shed, kids rooms need a clean out before Santa comes!

**SPACES ARE GOING FAST DONT DELAY!!!**

If you would like more info let me know on any of the contacts below.

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Cheers for now

Liv Johnston

0438 558 782

hagleypnf@outlook.com.au
LOST PROPERTY
A school rugby top named Tayla Richardson, please check your children’s rugby top in case they have mistakenly taken the wrong one home. We do have several un-named rugby tops in lost property.

GRADE 6 NOTICES
All Grade 6 students received notices last week regarding their Term 4 Behaviour expectations and end of year events. A reminder that Leaver’s Dinner forms and money need to be returned to the school office by December 7th.

UNIFORM SHOP
Now is the time to order your uniform requirements for next year. Order forms are available from the school office (a copy has been attached to email with newsletter). These forms need to returned with a deposit by the end of the month. The last opening for the Uniform shop for the year is Wednesday 9th December from 8.30-9.30 am.

Any questions call Susan on 0439 549 696.

CANTEEN
Recess:
Vege Chips/Corn Chips $1
Popcorn/Sultanas/Choc Truffles .50
Biscuits/Slice/Muffins $1
Liquorice .10 (maximum of 5 pieces per student)
All cold drinks $1.50
Milo $1

Subject to availability through term 4:
Fresh Fruit Salad and Greek Yoghurt $2
Fruit Kebabs $1
Berries and Greek Yogurt $2

Thursday 19th November
Pizza $2.50
Dixie Cup $1.00

Tuesday 23rd November
Fried Rice (gluten free) $3.00
Paddle Pop $1.50

PLEASE think about volunteering next year in the canteen! We’d love to see some new faces and it’s only a couple of hours (11am-1pm)

WRAPS ON WEDNESDAY
Chicken and Ham wraps are available through order from the office. $5 with a drink or $4.50

DATES TO REMEMBER

November
9th-20th Swimming & Water Safety Program
Fri 27th Hagley Swimming Carnival
Union Shop 8.30-9.30

December
Wed 2nd Northern Midlands Swimming Carnival
Wed 9th Uniform Shop 8.30-9.30 am
Grade 5/6 Concert (evening)
Thurs 10th Kinder/Prep Concert 11.30am
Fri 11th 9.30am Grade 3-6 Service Award
Assembly
Tues 15th Presentation Assemblies
10.30am - Early Childhood (Prep-2)
11.00am - Primary (Gr 3-6)
Wed 16th Leaver’s Dinner
Thurs 17th Last day for Students

2016 Term Dates
Term 1
3rd February—8th April
(Easter Break 25th - 29th March)
Term 2
26th April - 1st July
Term 3
18th July - 23rd September
Term 4
10th October - 21st December

Student Free Days
Friday 8th April
Monday 18th July
Friday 21st October

Hagley Farm Primary School
Meander Valley Road, Hagley 7292
Telephone 6392 2272  Fax 6392 2221
Email: hagley.farm.primary@education.tas.gov.au
Matthew Garwood
LIVE in concert
Saturday 12th December
with special guests
Ross Marsden  Abbey Hansson

Doors open 7pm
Tickets @
ticketbooth.com.au
or at the venue

Summer Camp
17th Jan - 22nd Jan
For children aged 5 years to 12 years old.
A fun and action packed holiday camp
Featuring music from some of the world's greatest musicians
as well as classics from Frank Sinatra and Michael Buble.

Friends, Sun & Summer Memories

ALISON LESTER
At Petrarch's
My Dog Bigsy
Meet my dog Bigsy. He’s only small, but everyone knows he’s the boss.
Each morning he visits the animals on the farm.
Squawk, quack, quack, meow, bow, woof, chock, purr, ruff ruff ruff!

Alison Lester is one of Australia's most beloved children's authors, having written many bestsellers including Now the Pony, My Farm, Magic Beach, Age We Wear Ties and many many more.

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Book signing
11am Friday 27th November

Get your kids active at
MY GYM
with
Kidz Fizz
Registrations are now open for 2016
Join in the fun of our 30 minute fitness class designed just for primary school aged kids
Fun + Games = Fitness
Suitable for children aged 5 - 10 years
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Email: info@mygymtas.com
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