

1st April 2025 Term 1 - Week 9

Upcoming events

April	
Mon 7th	School Photos - rescheduled
Thurs 10 th	Uniform Shop 2.30-3.30pm
Fri 11 th	Last day of Term 1
Fri 25 th	ANZAC Day service at Hagley Rec Ground 9.45am
Mon 28 th	1 st day of Term 2
May	
Fri 9 th	State Athletics

VALUES TOKENS – Week 8

Early Childhood – Flynn B, Hunter G, Isla H, Aria Y, Yoona L, Bill F and Archer J

Primary – Connor C, Ella D, Beau C, Leo F, Mason P, Darcy W and George L



From the Principal

Hello everyone,

On the weekend, 33 Grade 5/6 students (5 teams), participated in the Basketball Tasmania Grade 5/6 Tournament. It was a pleasure to watch so many of our students display such high levels of determination, grit, fabulous sportsmanship, teamwork and enjoyment. We are so proud of the feedback we received regarding our students and the way they played and interacted with other schools and referees over the course of the weekend. Having this many students involved is a large undertaking and I would like to thank the following people for their commitment to ensuring so many of our students were given the opportunity to participate:

- Jeannette Layton, Simon Donovan, Austin Brooks, Janine Harris and Cameron Lynch for coaching a team.
- Courtney Jenkins, Alana Donovan, Shiona Brooks, Lauren Beams and Kylie Lockett for managing a team.
- Our office staff for assisting with the communication and organisation for the weekend.

This weekend it is our Grade 3/4 students turn, please watch our Facebook page for game times and if you can, come along to support our teams. Entry to all venues is free.

At the end of this week, our Primary Progress Reports will be sent home to all students in Grades Prep to 6. This report assesses across ten indicators how your child has settled into the new school year and how they are applying themselves to their learning. Please take the time to read this report with your child, celebrating the areas they are doing well in, and discussing areas where there is room for improvement.

Our Kinder teachers have already sent home their Evidences of Learning for this term, these are assessed against the Early Years Learning Framework. Our students in Grades 1 to 6 will all receive an Evidence of Learning for English this term. These Evidences of Learning are a way of communicating with families, where their child is currently in terms of a specific skill or knowledge set relevant to the specified curriculum area and aligned with the Australian Curriculum.

Again, please take the time to read and discuss these Evidences of Learning with your child/ren. They are a great way of celebrating learning with your child, provide positive feedback on what they can do and the growth you can see. The Evidence of Learning also provides you with insight on the next steps for your child in their learning journey.

Lastly, in the school holidays, the Hagley ANZAC Day service is held. We traditionally support this service by laying a wreath, having students read what ANZAC Day means to them and accepting books that are donated to the school. Please see information below in today's newsletter regarding this service. We welcome all Hagley Farm School community members attendance at this service. If your child can attend, please let Mrs Beams know by the end of this week, to allow her to allocate students to roles for the service.

Lauren Beams

For - Jeanagh Viney Principal



ANZAC Day Service

Traditionally our school has had student representatives attend the Hagley ANZAC Day service. Continuing with this tradition we are asking our students, particularly those who hold a leadership position in our school to attend and we are inviting all members of our school community to join with us. *The service is on Friday the 25th of April at the Hagley Recreation Ground at 9.45am.*

We are aware that this falls in school holidays and we understand if you cannot attend. To assist with our planning of this, as we need students to lay a wreath, accept books on the school's behalf and do a reading based on what ANZAC Day means to them, can you please indicate if your child can attend via email to Mrs Beams lauren.beams@decyp.tas.gov.au by Friday the 4th of April.

Grade 5/6 students who are interested in doing a reading at the service are required to write a piece of text about what ANZAC Day means to them and email it to Mrs Beams by the 4th of April. Mrs Beams will read these and select between two and four based on the following criteria, writing MUST

- show an understanding of ANZAC Day and what it is about
- describe what ANZAC Day means to the writer personally
- show an understanding of the impact of war on society

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Mrs Beams.

Lauren Beams Assistant Principal

NMPSSA ATHLETICS CARNIVAL



Friday the 28th of February saw 35 students travel to the St Leonards Athletics Centre for the NMPSSSA Athletics Carnival. Our students battled the challenge of very warm weather and gave it their all in every event that they went in. Their behaviour and support for each other was exemplary, cheering the performances for all competitors. Congratulations to all who were involved. From this carnival a team will be selected for the State Athletics Carnival, the date for this carnival will be Friday 9th of May.



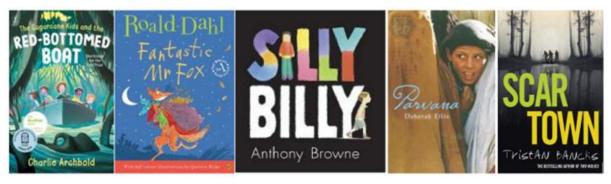


NEWS FROM THE LIBRARY

Readers' Cup

Readers' Cup is an optional reading competition for grade 5/6 students. Students create a team of no more than 6 people, reading 5 set books over 5 school weeks. Teams then complete a quiz about the books and present a short creative presentation about one of the books in our school final.

This year the books are those pictured below, and we have just over 30 students who have opted to join in. We will hold our school final in Week 3 next term, and our winning team will then represent Hagley at the Inter-school Final, competing against 17 other Northern primary schools for the chance to win the trophy – which is known as The Readers' Cup.



Book Club

Issue 2 orders should arrive soon. We will get them out to classrooms as soon as we can after they are delivered.

Overdue Books

This week we will be sending home overdue book notices. If your child brings a notice home, please don't panic - just read the attached information carefully and help your child find and return the book or get a message back to us if that is not possible.

Chess Club

A reminder that Chess Club runs on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday lunchtimes in the library. Prep to grade 6 – all levels of experience welcome.

Happy Reading from the Library Team – Mrs Jessica Marston (Teacher-Librarian - Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday) and Mrs Bron Walker (Library Technician -Tuesday, Thursday)



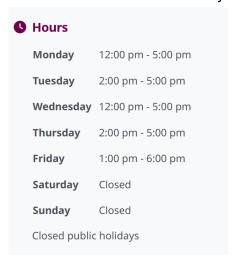
Brixhibition - Lego Competition



branch of Libraries Tasmania at 33 William Street, Westbury.

Please see opening hours pictured. If you wish to contact the Westbury Library for more information about the Lego competition, please call them on 67012189 during opening hours.

If your child would like to enter the Lego Brixhibition Competition they are able to do so via the Westbury



SCHOOL PHOTOS

School photos will be taken next Monday 7th April, it is not too late to place an order with Leading Images. Scan the QKR code on poster pictured to place your order.



VOLUNTEERING AT SCHOOL

To ensure the safety and wellbeing of our students, it is mandatory for all volunteers to have their RWVP(Registration for Working with Vulnerable People) and to have completed the Our Obligations – Safeguarding Training 15-minute video before engaging with children and young people in a volunteer capacity at our school. Certificates for the training video are valid for 12 months from the date of completion. These steps are essential in helping us maintain a safe and supportive environment for our children.

To apply for a Registration for Working with Vulnerable people, please visit Apply for registration to work with vulnerable people | Service Tasmania To complete the Our Obligations – Safeguarding Training 15-minute video please visit: Compulsory Safeguarding Training for Workers - Department for Education, Children and Young People Volunteers are a vital part of our school community, and we are excited to collaborate with you in the year ahead.

STUDENTS IN THE SPOTLIGHT

Many of our students are involved in many and varied extra-curricular activities and when they have an achievement in these activities we love to share the news with our school community. If your child has a story to share please send it through with a photo or two to hays.gov.au.

Last week Noah competed in the Under 12 Mountain Bike Twilight Series coming away with first

place. Congratulations Noah.









Lunchtimes in the Library





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The library is open on Mondays, Tuesdays and Wednesdays from 1.00-1.30 for Prep-6 students.

Activities include colouring in, Chess Club, blocks and other toys, games, puzzles and, of course, reading!



SCHOOL ASSOCIATION NEWS

Thank you to the outgoing Chairperson, Emma Forsyth, and Committee Member, Mathew Dent, for your dedication and contributions to the Association over the last few years. We welcome our new Chair, Chris Gee, and Deputy Chair, Alana Donovan, who is also a new member. We also warmly welcome Shelley Bennic onto our Committee and welcome back our Secretary, Sharon Williams, Treasurer, Abbey Harper, and returning parent committee members Jane Heazlewood (renominated for another term), Priscilla Jordan, Fiona Archer, Teann Edwards, and returning staff representative members Shelley McNeair and Lauren Beams.

School Association Committee 2025

Principal: Jeanagh Viney

Chair: Chris Gee

Deputy Chair: Alana Donovan (new member)

Secretary: Sharon Williams **Treasurer:** Abbey Harper

Committee Members: Priscilla Jordan, Fiona Archer, Jane Heazlewood, Teann Edwards, Shelley

Bennic, Shelley McNeair, Lauren Beams

A big thank you to all who attended the AGM. Your involvement helps make the School Association a vibrant and supportive team, ensuring our school remains a great place for students and families.

Chris Gee - Chairperson

AGFEST 2025 VOLUNTEERS NEEDED – WE NEED YOUR HELP!

Agfest is fast approaching, and the School Association is gearing up for another busy Agfest in the Hagley School Food Van. If you can volunteer, we need to know ASAP so we can finalise our rostering system.

Thank you to those who have already volunteered! We still need more hands to help cover the following shifts:

Thursday: 7:00 AM – 11:30 AM & 11:30 AM – 4:00 PM

Friday: 7:00 AM – 11:30 AM & 11:30 AM – 4:00 PM

Saturday: 7:00 AM – 11:30 AM & 11:30 AM – 4:00 PM

Any help is appreciated, so if these times don't work for you - but you'd still like to be a part of it. Get in touch as we need as many hands on deck as we can get!

If you can help in any capacity, please contact **Alana Donovan** (via text message preferred) on **404** or **109** hagleyschoolassociation@gmail.com

WANTED – Pumpkins and Pumpkin Soup Making Volunteers!

We need donations of pumpkins and someone to make the soup for us (recipe provided) for Agfest. If you can help, please drop them at the school or contact Alana using the details above.



Thank you for your support!

SCHOOL ASSOCIATION GARDEN CLUB

The School Association Garden Committee is so grateful for those who braved the cold windy day and generously donated time to attend the working bee. Everyone, from 3 to 89 years old, left feeling happy and accomplished at finishing off the pathways and prepping more beds for planting. The students were so happy to share their food & fibre experiences in the garden with their parents on the day and show them where they have planted seeds.

We'll be back in the garden on Tuesday 830 - 930 for Garden Club - all welcome.









NEWSTEAD ATHLETICS CROSS COUNTRY SERIES

This series begins on Saturday May 3rd (first weekend of Term 2) with a run at Heritage Forest. It is a well-run event and provides your child with some great opportunities to improve their cross-country running and have some fun. It is open to all abilities and all primary aged children. There is a cost of \$15 per student for the whole series. You can register online via their website, and then please let us know so we can include them in our Hagley Teams. It would be great to have a big Hagley presence at these runs, especially as there is an event here at school. If your child is interested and has any questions, please tell them to have a talk to Mr Lynch or Mr Ankin.



SCHOOL SERIES CROSS COUNTRY COMPETITION

Interschool, Team and Individual competitions

Open to all Primary and Secondary School aged Students

1.5km & 3km Races

3rd May Heritage Forest

10th May Carrick Park Pacing Club17th May Hagley Farm School

24th May
 31st May
 Scotch Oakburn Park (Scotch Oakburn College)
 Faulkner Park (Launceston Church Grammar School)

Including the Northern All Schools Cross Country Championships at Carrick Park on May 10th

Races start at 1pm

\$15 per Student

More information available online at newsteadathletics.org.au







Meet the coaches!

Pick up some swag!



Learn from GNL players!

Make friends!

Come and Try!

6-7pm
8 April 2025
Northern Hockey Centre,
St Leonards
tchcjuniors@gmail.com



Ready Go Swim! Term 2 2025 Enrolments Open

Learn to Swim After School Program at Hagley Farm Primary School

Ready Go Swim! will again be delivering the Royal Life Saving Society's national Swim and Survive endorsed program after school during Term 2 2025 at the Hagley Farm Primary School Swimming Pool.

Lessons are available to suit all levels of swimming for children aged 4 years and above, with each course developing individual swimming skills and strokes, swimming endurance, water safety and survival techniques.

Additional to the Learn to Swim Program – Term 2 will also offer Squad based programs. These sessions will focus on fitness, endurance, technical stroke development and race ready tips and tricks.

- Children will attend 1 swimming lesson per week
- Program commences in the first week of Term 2 and continues until the last week of May
- Lessons will be held on either Monday or Tuesday afternoons
- 30 minute lessons

Hurry! Places are extremely limited! Don't miss out! To secure enrolment, please email readygoswim@bigpond.com

or call 0407 851 913







