



Term 3 - Week 10

23rd September 2025

Upcoming events

SEPTEMBER	
Mon 15 th to Fri 26 th	Swimming & Water Safety Program Grades 3/4/5
Wed 24 th	AWI Merino Wether Challenge
Thurs 25 th	Country Gold Carnival
Thurs 25 th	Uniform Shop open 2.30pm to 3.30pm
Fri 26 th	Whole School Assembly
Fri 26 th	Sports Colours Day
Fri 26 th	Last Day Term 3

Assembly Roster
Week 10 - Friday 26 th September Whole School Assembly at 11.10am



From the Principal

Open Classrooms

Last Tuesday, despite the less-than-ideal weather, our school community came together for a fantastic Open Classroom event. The BBQ was sizzling, and the turnout was incredible, with a large number of families braving the rain to join us.

A true highlight of the evening was watching our students take the lead—guiding their parents through their classrooms and sharing their learning journeys. It was inspiring to see the pride and confidence with which students explained their learning, celebrated their achievements, and reflected on their progress.

Thank you to everyone who attended and helped make the event such a success. Your support and involvement are what make our school community so special!

3/4 Camp Reminder - Please return your 3/4 Camp consent form by the end of this week. This allows us to determine final numbers and inform the camp kitchen of any dietary requirements enabling them to plan appropriately for this. Due to a technology issue, invoices are currently unable to be sent out. The camp cost is \$80 and can be paid for via the Qkr! App or by visiting the school office in person. Please note that for your child to attend either full payment or part payment on a payment plan is required. Camp is such a wonderful experience for our students, please make contact with one of the Grade 3/4 teachers or Mrs Beams if you have any questions regarding camp and your child's attendance.

As we reach the last few days of the term, we have been experiencing high levels of sickness for students and school staff.

Much of this is caused from contagious germs. We are giving reminders to our students at school to practise good hand hygiene – using sanitiser, and washing hands thoroughly, as well as coughing into elbows.

Please be cautious when your child is showing symptoms of being unwell, and keep them home. We have a number of students at school who are susceptible to every germ and catch everything from their classmates. We also want our school staff to be able to enjoy their holidays, and not be sick from school germs.

I know that we discuss the importance of attendance with families, however, when unwell the best place to be is at home. We would appreciate your support to help keep these bugs at bay.

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Jeanagh Viney
Principal

Uniform Shop Open this Thursday from 2.30pm to 3.30pm

Please be advised that the Uniform Shop will be open this Thursday, 25th September from 2.30pm to 3.30pm. A perfect opportunity for your children to try uniform items for size and purchase products both new and second hand.

**UNIFORM
SHOP OPEN**

A big thank you to our incredible School Association members for assisting us by volunteering their time to open the Uniform Shop on this day – thank you!

MATHEMATICS

Parent Sessions



What does Mathematics look like in the Early Years?

**What are some of the key skills I can support my child with in
Prep to Grade 2?**

What does Mathematics look like in the Primary Grades?

**Would you like to find out more about how to support your
child to develop their knowledge and confidence in
Mathematics?**

Join us to find out more!

Evening Session

Thursday 16th October, 5:30-6:30pm

Day Session

Friday 17th October, 9:00-10:00am



Literacy News - Reading Successes

Earlier this year our Grade 3 and 5 students completed NAPLAN testing which provides an indicator as to how the school is trending overall in reading. Whilst only Grade 3 and Grade 5 students complete it, it shows how the teaching and learning prior to these grades is making an impact. For example in Grade 3 reading, 73% of our students are achieving strong or exceeding results in reading. These results are above the national averages. In Grade 5 reading, 63% of our students are achieving strong or exceeding results.

Another data set shows us the amazing work from our Kinder and Prep teams who teach the precursory skills for reading. Our DIBELS data shows that 83% of our Prep and 83% of our Grade 1's have very strong skills in their ability to blend and segment words.

There is a lot to celebrate in Hagley's reading success. We continue to learn about and implement teaching practices that will continue to drive forward and increase our reading successes.

News from the Library

Holiday Reading

Children from Kinder to Grade 6 have been given the opportunity to take home an extra book for the holidays.



We would love to see some photos of students and their families, including pets or teddies, enjoying some family or individual reading time over the holidays - send your photos through to Mrs Marston – jessica.marston@decyp.tas.gov.au

Story Box Library

A reminder that families are able to access our Story Box Library subscription from home. This is a great way to add some read-alouds to your holiday reading. You can find Story Box Library online or via their free app – just use our school login to access.



Story Box Library School login details:

Username: HFS
Password: stories281

SORA – Audiobook and ebook app

Grade 3-6 students have been shown how to access SORA, which is an ebook and audiobook platform provided by DECYP. Students need to log-in using their school username (email address) and the password they use to log-on to school devices.

Student usernames/emails are generally written in the following format:

firstname.lastname.00@education.tas.edu.au although some students will have a .01, .02 or other number. Your grade 3-6 child should know their unique name/number combination.

Login via the Sora webpage – click on or search for **Education Tasmania** when asked to find your school (**NOT HAGLEY**), then log-in. There is also an app you can download. <https://soraapp.com/library/educationtas>



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



BLOKE'S BAKEOFF

SCONES

WESTBURY SHOW

ENTRIES CLOSE SATURDAY 8TH NOV

Enter any
flavour or
recipe

Present 3
scones on a
white plate

11 Entry fee
First Prize wins \$25
Second \$15
Third \$10

Entries to be
delivered to the
Home Industries
Hall

Hall opens:
Thursday 7th 4-7PM
Friday 8th 8-10:30AM
Saturday 8-10-3:30

For more information contact
WASILadiescommittee@gmail.com

Scan to
download
schedule and
entry form



Westbury Show

2025

**Home Industries
Schedule Now
Available**



Scan the QR code or email the
secretary
wasiladiescommittee@gmail.com



LAUNCESTON Mixed School Holiday Programs

- WEDNESDAY 1ST OCTOBER
- FUN! FOOTY! FRIENDS!
- 9AM-3PM FULL OF FUN!
- 4-12 YEAR OLDS
- @WINDSOR PARK OVAL



**Register
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ALL GIRLS
GROUPS
AVAILABLE

For questions and enquiries - Payton.Connell@afl.com.au



LAUNCESTON ALL-GIRLS School Holiday Programs

- TUESDAY 30TH SEPTEMBER
- FUN! FOOTY! FRIENDS!
- 9AM-3PM FULL OF FUN!
- 4-12 YEAR OLDS
- @WINDSOR PARK OVAL



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