



COMMUNITY NEWS

3 MARCH 2015

OUR VISION
'Every Child –
Every Day'



From the Principals Desk.....

Meet the Teacher

It was wonderful to see so many parents attend the teacher meetings and BBQ last week. I would like to thank teachers for their time and preparation of information. I would also like to thank all families who brought along a plate to share, our wonderful BBQ chefs, and particularly Emma Spencer for her overall organisation of the BBQ. It was a great opportunity and setting to informally catch up, have a few conversations and a laugh.

Feedback

Thank you to those parents that have provided constructive feedback on the recent Aussie Sport Leader elections and upcoming SRC elections. All feedback has been considered and we are currently working on adapting those recommendations into the process. While we can't please everyone all the time, we are always willing to review and improve in any way possible, and your feedback helps us to do that.

Feedback is our whole school priority this year – teacher to student, student to teacher, teacher to teacher, and parent to school - and we are looking for ways that we can seek parents' opinions about educational programs, and ensure that parents have the opportunity to participate in decisions about their child's education.

We have a suggestion box in the office foyer as well as a book that comments can be written in. School Association is also a great way to have your feedback acknowledged, please see members below. Our newsletter will also regularly request feedback on a variety of topics. If you have any suggestions on how we can improve this process please let us know. Please see the form below, we would love to hear what you think!

While anonymous feedback will always be considered, it will not be possible to have follow up conversations if needed, so we would appreciate you putting your name whenever you can.

School Association Members

Chris Parker (Chair), Sharon Bugg, Sharryn Crothers, Dellie Jordan, Ian Mackenzie, & Annette Strickland

Regards, Sharryn Crothers

Feedback Form

Name: _____

Topic: Meet the Teacher & BBQ evening

One thing we do well is :

One thing we should consider is :

What's on around the corner at school!

5 Mar - Athletics Carnival - Shot Put (Grades 4 to 6) & 1500metres (Grades 3 to 6) - everyone is invited so please come along - No Assembly today

6 Mar – Athletics Carnival - all grades - everyone is invited so please come along - No Library today

9 Mar - Public Holiday (Eight Hour Day) - Send your bank books along on Tuesday



19 Mar - Assembly 2.15pm in Multipurpose room - everyone is invited so please come along

20 Mar - Athletics Carnival Rain Date

- P&F Meeting 8.45am (Kinder/Little Possums Room)- NB: Change of date and time - everyone is invited so please come along

24 Mar - Bravehearts - Ditto's Keep Safe Adventure! Education Program - 9.15am Parent Information Session, Show 9.45am - Kinder to Grade 3

30 Mar - NMPSSSA Athletics Carnival

1 Apr - End of Term 1 for students

2 Apr - Moderation/Student Free Day – No school for students



20 Apr - Commencement of Term 2

24 Apr - State Athletics Carnival - Symmons Plains

7, 8 & 9 May – Agfest

12 to 14 May - NAPLAN

4 Jun - NMPSSA Cross Country

3 Jul - End of Term 2



If you are interested in entering the ICAS International Competitions (Grades 3 to 6) for 2015, please contact the school office by 19 March. Tests available are Digital Technologies, Science, Writing, Spelling, English & Mathematics.

Caught You Being Good Recipients (CUBG):

Lower Primary: Indianna & Jessica

Middle Primary: Erin

Upper Primary: Alexandra

Canteen News

- * Just a friendly reminder that each child may only get a maximum of 10 yoghurt sticks & a total of 2 treats. Eg 10 yoghurt sticks & Freddo Frog or 2 Freddo Frogs or 2 Mixed Lolly Bags.
- * Please try to keep each sibling order separate or clearly marked on envelope.
- * Looking for new parent helpers. Please let Maryanne or Linda know if you can help.

Thanks, *Maryanne Gilbert* - Canteen Manager

Thank you to the following parents for your help in operating the canteen for the past two weeks -

Angela Cresswell, Emma Spencer, Kelly Tubb & Megan Tubb

Thank you also to the BBQ chefs at our school BBQ & Parent Information Sessions -

Michael Cherdron, Xavier Cherdron & Ian Mackenzie. Also to everyone else who brought along wonder salads and dessert items and who helped out in other ways, thank you.

Everyone's help is greatly appreciated.



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Simple measures could save \$200-\$300 per year on your energy bill!

SAVE energy
SAVE money
IMPROVE comfort

Save energy, save money, improve comfort workshops will be run by energy auditors, Harkness Consulting, who advised Council on recent energy efficiency upgrades at three Council-owned buildings.

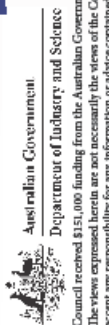
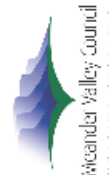
The upgrades have so far reduced energy use by as much as 41%!

Location	Address	Date	Time
Westbury Council Offices	26 Lyall St Westbury	Monday 2 March	7:00-8:30pm
Deloraine Community Complex	15 Alveston Dr Deloraine	Tuesday 3 March	1:00-2:30pm
Deloraine Visitor Centre	98 Emu Bay Rd Deloraine	Tuesday 3 March	7:00-8:30pm
Chudleigh Memorial Hall	54 Sorell St Chudleigh	Saturday 7 March	1:00-2:30pm
Mole Creek Memorial Hall	Caveside Rd Mole Creek	Tuesday 10 March	7:00-8:30pm
Bracknell Memorial Hall	Louisa St Bracknell	Thursday 12 March	7:00-8:30pm
Meander Memorial Hall	Meander Rd Meander	Monday 16 March	7:00-8:30pm
Hadspen Memorial Hall	Clare St Hadspen	Tuesday 17 March	7:00-8:30pm

Come along and learn some great common sense approaches to saving energy, money and improving your comfort at home.

Contact Craig Plaisted on 6393 6324 or craig.plaisted@mvc.tas.gov.au for more information.

FREE workshops. Bookings are not required. Tea, coffee and lucky door prizes of energy saving products on offer at each workshop.



Department of Industry and Science
Council received \$151,000 funding from the Australian Government to help deliver the \$256,000 project. The views expressed herein are not necessarily the views of the Commonwealth of Australia and the Commonwealth does not accept any responsibility for any information or advice contained herein.

Scouts 10% - 14 1/2 yrs
Cubs 7% - 10 1/2 yrs

www.tas.scouts.com.au
PH Rob: 0427 010 870
www.aiz2016.com.au

Join Scouts Now!

There is time now to join Scouts and have the opportunity to attend the next Jamboree, where over 10,000 boys and girls camp and have fun for two weeks. You need to attend for a minimum of around 8-10 months to obtain Pioneer level and qualify for this once-in-a-lifetime amazing event. Cubs will have their biennial Cadere in September 2015 where all of the Cubs in Tasmania get together for a fun-filled camp of outdoor activities, crafts and games.

Australian Jamboree 2016
LEAP INTO ADVENTURE
JANUARY 2016
CONTACT SCOUT PAKISTAN

Hook in2 Hockey 2015

Hook in2 Hockey
When: Thursday 5th March – 26th March
Time: 5 - 6pm
Suitable for children age 5 - 12 years
Learn the hockey skills, play modified games and have fun.
Cost: \$20 for four week program
Free BBQ on the last session

For more information and to register, please contact:
hookin2hockeytasmania.com.au or 0448 808 985

Learn all the skills and play games in a fun and safe environment.

Enrolment Fee

Hook in2 Hockey 2015 participation fees are \$10.00 which includes the entry fee, club gear, and a t-shirt. The fee is payable to the club. The fee is payable to you within 1-2 weeks. In most circumstances you will receive three packs with a week before the start of the program. The fee is payable to you within 1-2 weeks and the fee will include the club bag, membership, night, white and night with night which will be delivered in March. In some circumstances you may receive the club bag from their supplier.

Can you Crack the Secret code?
Rupertswood Farm
2015 Poppy CROP MAZE

Open this weekend in Hagley!

For more information, Call Anna on 0403 075 766 or Visit our website 'rupertswoodfarm.com'

Find us on facebook.

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Flanagan and Chugg Taekwondo

Bracknell

Family Fun and Fitness

Bracknell Gym

Tuesday Nights starting 3rd of March

4.15pm-5.30pm

Cost \$8 per person or \$16 per family

No sign up fees or commitments.



DESPICABLE ME 2

COMMUNITY OF WESTBURY OUTDOOR CINEMA EVENT!!!

WHEN? Friday 27th March 2015
 Gates Open 6:30pm, movie start at 7:15pm
WHERE? Westbury Showgrounds
COST? \$5 Single / \$20 Family
 Gate sales only!



WHAT TO BRING? Your family and friends, a picnic rug or blanket, chairs or a bean bag!



WHAT TRICKS ARE? A football club local bands will perform from 9pm till 11th. Will be held from 5:30 to 6:30 for all ages.



FOOD & DRINK: There will be a barbecue cooking all night, however BYO food is allowed, drink stalls for the kids, and a bar for the adults!
PLEASE NO BYO ALCOHOL

SPONSORSHIP: We are looking for sponsors for the event. If you are interested in sponsoring the event, please contact us on 01451 711111.