



Trevallyn Primary School

UPCOMING EVENTS

Monday 14 June

Public Holiday

Wednesday 16 June

Reports sent home with students (Kinder)

Thursday 17 June

Reports sent home with students (Kinder)

Tuesday 22 June

Kinder Parent Teacher Meetings (3.30-6.00pm)

Thursday 24 June

Kinder Parent Teacher Meetings (3.30-5.00pm)

Thursday 24 June

School Association Meeting

Tuesday 29 June

Kinder Parent Teacher Meetings (3.30-5.00pm)

Wednesday 30 June

Reports sent home with students (Prep-6)

Wednesday 30 June

Kinder Parent Teacher Meetings (3.30-4.00pm)
(Kinder Ferrall only)

Thursday 01 July

Kinder Parent Teacher Meetings (3.30-4.30pm)

TERM DATES 2021

Term 2

Wednesday 21 April - Friday 02 July

Term 3

Tuesday 20 July - Friday 24 September

Term 4

Monday 11 October - Thursday 16 December

2021 Student free days

(Professional Learning Days)

Monday 19 July

Friday 29 October

TOPICS 8

11 June 2021

FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Reconciliation Week



**HEAL
COUNTRY!**
4-11 JULY 2021

National Reconciliation Week was last week. Classes particularly in our upper primary explored the concept "More than a word. Reconciliation takes action". At Trevallyn we are working towards deepening our understanding of our rich history that spans for more than 65000 years. We are so privileged to be on Lutruwita land, our bush playground, the Trevallyn Reserve, and the Gorge are all significant places for learning. As a school community we acknowledge the Tasmanian Aboriginal People as the traditional custodians of this land, and we pay our respects to the elders past, present and future, for they hold the memories, traditions, culture and hope of First Nations people in Tasmania.

As a school we are going to celebrate NAIDOC week during our last week of Term, 28 June to 2 July. The theme this year is Heal Country. Teachers will be working in classrooms with students to celebrate our lands, waters, our sacred sites, and cultural heritage. As you can see the official celebrations will be held during our school holidays, if you participate in any events around Tasmania, we would love to hear about them when you return to Term 3.



FROM THE PRINCIPAL...

Inquiry and Feedback

This term our continuous improvement focus has been on delivering “Concept Based Inquiry” and developing feedback strategies to drive learning forward. Our students and teachers have been deepening the language of learning through feedback. Students are actively identifying their new learning, and what they need to do to achieve the next steps. Across the school we have listened to students’ ideas about learning.

Here’s what our Year Ones said:

- You get better at learning by listening and practising having a go!
- Learning is the best part of school because you get better at it.
- I want to work with numbers and then learn how to connect photos to the computer so that when I grow up, I can connect all my work to the computer.
- Trying new things makes me happy.
- Grownups can learn and then they will know what to do.
- It’s trying new things.
- I can learn at home too.

Next term teachers will be utilising the teaching tool “Bump it up”. This is where teachers and students use work samples, analyse the strengths of the samples, and ask:

- This piece would be even better if...
- I can bump it up by...

A HUGE thank you to all the responses to our call out for experts in our Design Day. Next week our Student Leaders will be working with Mrs Martin and Ms Corrigan to Design Change Projects for the Trevallyn community. Our students have explored areas they would like to improve in our community and will design projects to implement in Terms 3 and 4. Our focus is not just to listening to our students, but work with them to implement ACTION. Please keep an eye out for any messages from our students and if you can support please let us know.

Reading Reports with your children

It is almost time for “Mid-year Reports”. Our students work very hard and have a strong focus on achievement. Their hopes and aspirations are strong. At report time it is not unusual for students to have a range of emotions about their achievement. Our focus is not only “doing and being our best” but also on the gains students have made over the last 6 months.


Focus on:

- Teacher comments not just grade
- The strengths showcased and celebrate these
- Encourage what kind of learner they are
- The gains and effort put into their learning
- Not all learners are the same
- Next steps in learning

Remember that parent/ teacher meetings will be held early next term. The purpose is how together we can support all learners to make positive gains in their learning.

Cold and Flu Season

Cold and flu season is upon us. Please remember if your child is unwell contact the front office and let us know they will be away. It is best that they get the rest and care needed for a full recovery. We are seeing a significant increase in illness across the school for both children and adults alike. When our staff are unwell, they need to stay home also. We are encouraging washing of hands and sanitising at school to be as preventative as we can. Thank you for your cooperation and support.



FROM THE PRINCIPAL...

COVID-19 Update

With recent events nationally, it is a timely reminder that Public Health and the Chief Health Medical Officer continue to set guidelines to keep us healthy and safe.

At Trevallyn Primary School we continuously work to ensure our community is safe and find opportunities to connect. Please remember that we are continuing to:

- Adhere to social distancing
- Drop off outside classroom doors (between 8:30am and 9:00am) **and onsite no longer than 15 minutes** (kiss and go)
- Pick up at designated spots for early childhood (between 2:55pm and 3:05pm)
- Pick up please remember, **onsite no longer than 15 minutes**
- **We encourage great communication with your classroom teachers, if you have a meeting arranged with your child's teacher please sign in, use the check in app and sanitise at the front office**

We know this is a tricky time for us all. We really appreciated the support shown. We will continue to find opportunities for our community to connect safely. This includes events such as "Open Classrooms" in Term 3.

Additional to our COVID-19 guidelines, if you are onsite for **volunteering** please ensure that you sign in at the front office, have your Working with Vulnerable People card and identify specifically which area of the school you will be volunteering in (canteen, uniform shop or class). It is so important for our children's and your safety that all visitors check in with the front office.

If there are any updates or changes to COVID-19 plans, as always, we will let you know.

School Review

During week 10, 21 June to 23 June Trevallyn Primary School will undergo a National School Improvement School Review. External reviewers will be coming to Trevallyn to identify the strengths of our wonderful school and support us in identifying our next steps in continuous improvement. We will be asking for input from our Parent Community and will keep you updated with dates and times.

Thanks Trevallyn.



Louise Corrigan
Principal
Trevallyn Primary School

ALL SCHOOLS CROSS COUNTRY 2021

The All Schools Cross Country is a statewide event held at Symmons Plains Raceway on Tuesday 22 June. Parents are encouraged to support their children if they wish to attend. Trevallyn Primary School are happy to provide running tops for the event however we are unable to provide transport or supervision. The All School Cross Country is open to students born in 2009 to 2012. If you would like to register for the event please follow the link below.

https://www.onlineentry.com.au/XCPrimary_Tas_2021.aspx



MID-YEAR REPORTING INFORMATION 2021

Mid-Year Reports will be going home with all Prep to Six students on Wednesday 30th June. The Mid-Year Reports provide parents with an assessment based on the descriptions below for English, Mathematics and Science. It reflects their progress and achievement against the Australian Curriculum Achievement Standards. It also provides Future Focus areas to assist your child in achieving the best possible outcomes in their learning.

The aim of the Trevallyn Primary School reporting format is to make it easier to see exactly where your child sits in each subject area of the curriculum. The slider is there to support the understanding of your child's strengths and areas needing improvement. Each slider **does not** have equal weighting. The overall rating on your child's report is an on-balanced judgement made by your child's teacher/s.

The benefits of the format of this report is that it provides:

- A breakdown of the different strands within a subject area (more specific information)
- More future focus areas
- An opportunity for strengths to be shown and celebrated and
- Greater opportunity for gains to be acknowledged

Mid-Year Reports for Kindergarten students will be sent home with students on Wednesday 16th and Thursday 17th June. These reports consist of a short general comment and the Kindergarten Development Checklist 1.

Below is a guide to assist you with your understanding of your child's assessment.

Assessment Scale	
A - Well above the standard expected	The student has an extensive knowledge and understanding of the content and can readily apply this knowledge. In addition, the student has achieved a very high level of competence in the processes and skills and can apply these skills to new situations.
B - Above the standard expected	The student has a thorough knowledge and understanding of the content and a high level of competence in the processes and skills. In addition, the student is able to apply this knowledge and these skills to most situations.
C - At the standard expected	The student has a sound knowledge and understanding of the main areas of content and has achieved the expected level of competence in the processes and skills.
D - Approaching the standard expected	The student has a basic knowledge and understanding of content and has achieved a basic level of competence in the processes and skills.
E - Below the standard expected	The student has elementary knowledge and understanding in a few areas of the content and has achieved very limited competence in some of the processes and skills.

Dates for the Parent Teacher Meetings for 2021 are as follows:

Kindergarten – Term 2, Weeks 10 & 11 - Tues 22nd June, Thurs 24th June, Tues 29th June, Wed 30th (Kinder F only) & Thurs 1st July.

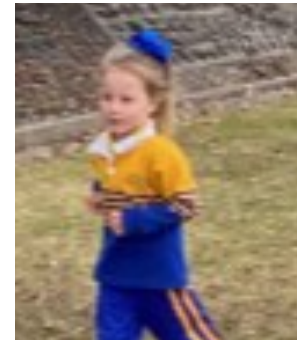
Prep – 6 – Term 3, Weeks 2 & 3 Tues 27th, Wed 28th, Thurs 29th July. Tues 3rd & Thurs 5th August.

You will receive a letter with information on how to book a meeting with your child/s teacher with your child's report.

EARLY CHILDHOOD CROSS COUNTRY

On Monday 31 May the students from Kinder to Grade 2 moved to the Trevallyn Oval to complete the Early Childhood Cross Country. Watched by rugged up parents and teachers, students braved the cold afternoon but unusually dry conditions to cover the course at blistering pace. A massive congratulations goes to all students who showed courage and determination to complete the race, all trying their best. An extra special mention to the Kinder students who completed their first ever school carnival with outstanding success. A further thanks to the School and House Captains who helped with the smooth running of the afternoon's proceedings. We look forward to seeing the students compete in the Athletics carnival later in the year!

Isaac Pinnington



LSSSA CROSS COUNTRY

On Friday 04 June our Cross Country team attended the LSSSA Cross Country at Windsor Park, a brand new location! It was a wonderful day for our team, with students competing with outstanding pride and effort. We finished 3rd in our Division I carnival, behind Riverside and East Launceston. A special mention to Chilli, Lachlan, Sebastiaan for 2nd place finishes and Chloe for a 3rd place finish. Our grade 5 boys also won their division for the second year in a row which is a wonderful achievement. Well done to all competitors, you did an amazing job!

Zac Vedovelli



Trevallyn Primary School KINDERGARTEN 2022



*Is your child 4 by the first of January 2022?
Do you live in the Trevallyn Primary School zone area?*

If you answered yes to both of these questions, we need to hear from you!

Trevallyn Kindergarten
is now taking enrolments for 2022.

Trevallyn Primary School is a community minded primary school situated on Gorge Road. Our Kindergarten and Early Childhood learning areas are coupled with a fantastic bush environment and supportive, caring staff, making Trevallyn Primary School an ideal setting for your child to begin their schooling journey.

If you are interested in enrolling your child for Kindergarten, or would like to know if you are within the Trevallyn Primary School zone area, please call the school on 6331 9657 or via email trevallyn.primary@education.tas.gov.au for information.



GRADE 3 - 6 PRIMARY CLASS AWARDS - WEDNESDAY 02 JUNE

3-RH Griff W, Abbie K

3-4R Ewan D, Marli I, Grace P, Sam V

3-BH Aaradyha P, Blake M, Elke B, Micah F

4-J Ellis V, Jude P, Amelie C

4-T Layla C, Isabelle S, Oliver T

5-6BR Gabi C, Skye C, Oliver H

5-6H Joshua A, Kinsey J, Ada L, Innes M

5-6BI Annalise S, Lachlan P, Stella M

5-6P Levi N, Toby H, Charlie B

5-6FP Bridget T, Tyler B, Jakobie F

Congratulations to all these students.

5/6 SPORT - 18 JUNE AND 25 JUNE

Sport	Versus - 18 June	Venue - 18 June	Versus - 25 June	Venue - 25 June
Hockey	Norwood/West Launceston	St Leonards	Riverside	St Leonards
Netball	Summerdale	Trevallyn	East Launceston	Trevallyn
Football	Norwood	Trevallyn	Youngtown	Youngtown
Soccer Vedovelli	Glen Dhu	Trevallyn	Riverside	Trevallyn
Soccer Horkings	Riverside	Riverside	Invermay	Invermay
Dance		Trevallyn		Trevallyn

Cancellation of 5/6 Sport will be notified via Schoolzine

LOST PROPERTY

Lost property located at the office is overflowing. Please check if your child has lost any uniform and name all items of school clothing.



The Premier's Reading Challenge is due to finish at the end of Term 2, Friday 02 July. Trevallyn Primary School has signed up all Prep to Grade 6 students for this wonderful challenge to read 10 books in 10 weeks. Increase your love of reading, learn new information and



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