

### Trevallyn Primary School

### **TOPICS 12**

27 August 2021

### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

### **Tuesday 07 September**

Open Classrooms 3.30—5.00pm (A - M)

### **Thursday 09 September**

North V North West 5/6 Sport Exchange

### Thursday 09 September

Ditto's Keep Safe Program Parents Information Session 11.30am (Kindergarten only)

### Thursday 09 September

Open Classrooms 3.30—5.00pm (N - Z)

### **Tuesday 19 and Wednesday 20 October** School Photo Day

### **TERM DATES 2021**

### Term 3

Tuesday 20 July - Friday 24 September

Monday II October - Thursday 16 December

### 2021 Student free days (Professional Learning Days)

Friday 29 October

### **TERM DATES 2022**

#### Term I

Wednesday 09 February- Thursday 14 April

## FROM THE PRINCIPAL Celebrating Learning

Our School Improvement Focus has been on developing student agency through Inquiry and Concept Based Learning. A key learning for us has been



developing good questions with and for our students.

When talking to children about their day, it can be tricky to get more than a "yeah good" out of them. There is lots of information available for us to talk to our children, check out this link as a starting point:

https://raisingchildren.net.au/school-age/school-learning/ school-homework-tips/talking-about-school

A really easy way to start is to ask your children:

- What went well today?
  - -Aim for 2-3 things (What else? Is a great follow up  $\;$  question)
- Tell me three things you found out that you did not know?
  - -Tell me more? Is a great follow up question.
- Did anything challenge you today? In your learning?
   With friends?
  - -Always follow this up with empathising (recognising emotion is real) and support by being solutions focused. "I wonder what you think is the best way of fixing...)

If you are interested in connecting to the children's inquiries at school, a really simple way to start is to have a space at home for "wonderings". Having a spot that you and your children could create a "Wonder Wall" will give them extra practise to create questions about the world around them... Don't forget to ask them, "I wonder how we might find out?"









### FROM THE PRINCIPAL...

### **Open Classrooms**

Open classrooms will be held Tuesday 7 of September and Thursday 9 September. Given we are still working under COVID restrictions please ensure you follow all of our school guidelines. Families with surnames (children's) A - M are invited to Tuesday 7 September, and families with Surnames (children's) N - Z Thursday 9 September. Classrooms are OPEN from 3:30pm to 4:45pm both days.

### The School Association is Celebrating "DADS IN THE CLASSROOM"

With Father's Day around the corner, the School Association would like to invite all families to celebrate Dads and the important people in children's lives! A sausage, daggy music and some games is the best way we thought to celebrate our Dads!

The School Association will hold a barbeque on each day of the open classrooms to recognise the importance of Dads in school. Please come and join us to connect and celebrate.

The Barbeques will be held from 4:30pm on each day of the Open Classroom. Listen out for the "daggy music". If you can support and help out with cooking, please let us know. Many hands make light work.

### **Duty of Care - Mornings and Afternoons**

Trevallyn Primary School is open from 8:30am through to 3:10pm, class hours are 9:00am to 3:00pm. It is important that parents do not bring children to school before school hours because there is no supervision of students at that time. Similarly, it is important parents either collect their children at the end of the school day or arrange for them to catch the bus home/make other collection arrangements so that students are not left unsupervised at the end of the school day. Children's safety is our priority and unsupervised students may engage in or put themselves in dangerous positions/locations such as car parks being used by buses and cars during school drop off/pick up. Parents are responsible for their children outside school hours unless they have accessed school based child care during these times.

### Cold and Flu Season

Cold and flu season has continued with the wet weather. 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.

Thanks Trevallyn! Have a great weekend.



Louise Corrigan Principal Trevallyn Primary School

#### **2021 SCHOOL SATISFACTION SURVEYS**

Each year the Department of Education conducts School Satisfaction Surveys in Tasmanian Government schools, to gain feedback on what you think our schools do well and where you think we may improve.

We encourage you to complete the survey about Trevallyn Primary School. Your feedback is very important to help us inform our school planning and decision-making.

You can complete the online survey at any time until Friday 17 September 2021. Survey link: <a href="https://ncv.microsoft.com/">https://ncv.microsoft.com/</a>
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All responses are anonymous and confidential with the survey carried out on a secure website.

Feedback is only accessible to the school principal and teachers and relevant Department of Education staff, in online summary report formats with no individuals or families identifiable.

For any assistance please contact Education Performance and Review by emailing: <a href="mailto:schoolsurveys@education.tas.gov.au">schoolsurveys@education.tas.gov.au</a>.

Thank you for taking the time to fill in this survey.



Grade 6 Students and Parents

Grade 6 Celebration Evening Tuesday 14 December 2021

Tailrace Centre

(Please note this could be subject to change based on COVID regulations at the time.)

### **BOOK WEEK 2021 OLD WORLDS, NEW WORLDS, OTHER WORLDS**

What a great week of fun and reading we have had! Classes have read the shortlisted books, completed a daily quiz to test out their knowledge, been creative with art activities, helped raise money during the Book Week Book Swap and paraded around dressed as their favourite characters. Mr Vedovelli has some drone footage that we will share once it's edited.

Our canteen did an amazing job as always with their Book Week Special of 'Cloudy with a chance of Meatballs' and Spaghetti lunch.

Here are some photos from our week.















### **BOOK WEEK 2021 CONT...**



### TREVALLYN PRIMARY SCHOOL

# Father's Day Stall

# Thursday 2nd & Friday 3rd of September

The stall is an annual event that gives children an opportunity to select a present for Dad or a special person in their life

### Gifts range between \$2 - \$5

Classes will be allocated a time on one of the days to visit stall. Allocations will be announced the Monday before.

### **Gift donations needed**

Thank you for your donations, as these make the stall possible! Donations can be left at the school office.

### NOTE:

Kinders who do not attend school on Thursdays will have an opportunity to purchase a gift during class time on Wednesday the 1st

### **ESK BAND COMBINED WORKSHOP**

On Wednesday, August 18, the continuing players of the Esk Band had the opportunity to visit Newstead College and perform in a combined Concert Band with students from around Launceston.







# Ditto's Keep Safe **Adventure Program**

Empowering kids with personal safety skills since 2006



**Kindergarten Parents Information Session** II.30am Thursday 09 September 2021



### ALBERT HALL, LAUNCESTON

22 SEPTEMBER, 6:30 p.m. East Launceston Primary School Longford Primary School Punchbowl Primary School Riverside Primary School Scotch Oakburn College Junior St Thomas More's Catholic West Launceston Primary School

23 SEPTEMBER, 6:30 p.m. Glen Dhu Primary School Hagley Farm School Invermay Primary School Launceston Christian School St Finn Barr's Catholic Summerdale Primary School Trevallyn Primary School

TICKETS: WWW.TRYBOOKING.COM









# COVID-19 > TERM 3 UPDATE

Can I drop off my kids at the beginning of the day? YES you can!

'PLEASE MAKE SURE YOU ARE UP TO DATE WITH LATEST TAS GOVERNMENT INFORMATION AND FOLLOW GUIDELINES'

We ask for you to be extra vigilant with social distancing.



Please remain outside the classroom doors KISS AND GO 8:30 to 9:00 onsite no longer than 15 minutes

Check in on APP nearest to your child's classroom

# COVID-19 > TERM 3 UPDATE

Can I pick my children up at the end of the day?

YES you can!

'PLEASE MAKE SURE
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We ask for you to be extra vigilant with social distancing.



Pick up at the same designated spots for Early Childhood 2:55 to 3:00 onsite no longer than 15 minutes



# COVID-19 > TERM 3 UPDATE

Can I still volunteer?

YES you can!

'PLEASE MAKE SURE
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We ask for you to be extra vigilant with social distancing.



All volunteers
MUST sign in at
the front office.
This ensures we
can keep
everyone safe
while onsite.





#### GRADE PREP - 2 ASSEMBLY AWARDS - WEDNESDAY 18 AUGUST

**Prep-C** Elliot G, Hope G, Paddy L, Lloyd Y

**Prep-M** Beau H, Shaylia-May L

Prep/I-S Scarlett B, Milla C, Lily B

I-2 H Jonas C, Elijah C, Merrick M

2 N Aubrey W, Edith G,, Gus S, Hallie C

**2 OB** Layla B, Alex B, Nathaniel W, Jake S

### Congratulations to all these students.

#### 5/6 SPORT - 03 SEPTEMBER AND 10 SEPTEMBER

### \*TREVALLYN PARENTS ARE WELCOME AT TREVALLYN PRIMARY TO WATCH 5/6 SPORT\*

If interested in attending alternative sites please contact Mr Vedovelli

Sport	Versus - 03 Sept	Venue - 03 Sept	Versus - 10 Sept	Venue - 10 Sept
Hockey	Norwood/ St Leonards	St Leonards	St Leonards/ East Launceston	St Leonards
Netball	St Leonards	Trevallyn	St Leonards	St Leonards
Football	Riverside	Trevallyn	West Launceston	Trevallyn
Soccer Vedovelli	East Launceston	Trevallyn	West Launceston	West Launceston
Soccer Horkings	Glen Dhu	Glen Dhu	Glen Dhu	Trevallyn
Dance		Trevallyn		Trevallyn

### Cancellation of 5/6 Sport will be notified via Schoolzine

### **MESSAGES TO STUDENTS**

To prevent disruption to classroom teaching, please make after school arrangement with your child BEFORE school. If this is not possible, every attempt to deliver urgent messages will be made by the end of the school day.

Also, if your child needs to be collected early or will arrive late, please notify both classroom teachers and the Office of time and reason by note or email: trevallyn.primary@education.tas.gov.au

### **CANTEEN VOLUNTEERS REQUIRED**

Are you able to volunteer your time to assist Mel in our Canteen between 9:00am and 1:30pm Wednesday to Friday?

If you hold a current Working with Vulnerable People Registration and would like to help out in the Canteen, please contact the school office on 6331 9657.

### **SPARE CLOTHING**

With all the rain during the last couple of weeks, our school yard has become very muddy and we have had to close parts of the yard. The students, however are still slipping over and getting wet and muddy. We suggest that you put a change of school clothes in your child's bag because our supplies of spare clothing are running low.



### **Trevallyn Primary School**

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