



Trevallyn Primary School

TOPICS 13

15 September 2023



FROM THE PRINCIPAL

UPCOMING EVENTS

Monday 18 September

Parent/Teacher Student Conferences
(3.30 - 4.15pm)

Tuesday 19 September

Parent/Teacher Student Conferences
(3.30 - 5.30pm)
Grade 6 Riverside High School

Thursday 21 September

Footy Colours Day

Sunday 24 September

Dad's Group Gorge Walk

Thursday 28 September

School Association Meeting

Friday 20 October

Grade 3-6 Swimming Carnival

Tuesday 24 - Wednesday 24 October

School Photos

Wednesday 22 November

Grade 6 Orientation Day
Grade 6 Parent Information Evening

TERM DATES 2023

Term 3

Tuesday 25 July to Friday 29 September

Term 4

Monday 16 October to Thursday 21 December

Student Free Days

Friday 3 November

OH, THEY CAN SING!

This week students from Grades 3 to 6 participated in Singfest. This was an extravaganza of song and the ultimate in coming together and creating something magical. Music is such a powerful tool for learning and connecting. Singfest is a culmination of a lot of work from the students and Mr Lamb. A huge thank you to Mr Lamb and Susan!

THIS IS IMPORTANT

The Office of Safeguarding Children and Young People was established in 2022 to lead and provide strategic advice and direction on the Department's culture, systems, practices, processes, procedures and professional learning as they relate to safeguarding children and young people from the harm in all settings.

This builds on the holistic approach we already take to protect the wellbeing of children and young people in our schools, libraries and Child and Family Learning Centres.

Our Safeguarding Framework underpins our commitment to promoting the rights and safety of children and young people, supported by the work we are doing to strengthen our governance, culture, systems and practices to keep children at the centre of our work and protect them from harm.

If you would like more information, please contact Jane Hudson, who is our Safeguarding Lead, or myself.



FROM THE PRINCIPAL..

SURVEY SEASON IS HERE!

When you are at school picking up your children, find a QR code and complete our School Satisfaction Survey.

Every year the Department of Education conducts a School Satisfaction Survey to find out what your child(ren)'s school does well and where it may improve.

We are looking for as many families as possible to complete the survey about Trevallyn Primary School. Your feedback is very important, and we want to hear from you, to help us inform our school planning and decision-making.

The survey is open from now until Friday 22 September 2023 and should take about 5 minutes to complete.

Take the online survey by clicking this link or pasting it in your browser:

<https://ncv.microsoft.com/72B8mz00Ei>

Look out for our posters around the school!!



REMEMBER LAST TOPICS?

In the last three editions of Topics, we gave you a heads up about planning for 2024. Trevallyn has a very clear process for creating classes, that honours the expertise and professionalism of teachers, learners' agency and opportunities for families to share new information.

We are starting to plan for 2024. We know that most families have stayed very connected to their classroom teachers. Teachers play an active role in placing students for the following year, through working closely with you and your children. They have a wealth of knowledge to support these decisions and will work with children to identify peers.

Throughout the year we know families invest in lots of outside support for children. If you have accessed an integrated service and have new reports and would like to discuss these or 2024 with me, please make an appointment through the front office.

We need to know from you and thank you to the families that have already reached out.

We know there are some families that will be moving on from Trevallyn. If you are planning to move interstate or to another school, we really need to hear from you. Please email trevallyn.primary@decyp.tas.gov.au as soon as possible to let us know your plans.

HAVE YOU MET SANDY?

Our new School Business Manager has started! It is wonderful to have Sandy join our amazing Administration Team. We are truly lucky to have such professional and friendly staff who take care of our needs. If you are in the office pop in and say Hi to Sandy.

Thanks Trevallyn!



Louise Corrigan

Principal

Trevallyn Primary School



**PHOTO DAY IS
COMING**

Tue 24th & Wed 25th Oct 2023

**MSP Photography will be visiting our school
on the above day.**

- ❑ Place your order online at **www.msp.com.au**
- ❑ Online ordering closes 7 days after photo day, please order early to avoid a late fee.
- ❑ Sibling photos are taken before school and can only be ordered online. A sibling order form will be supplied by the photographer at the time of the sibling photo being taken. If your children require a sibling photo please ensure they arrive to the photographers before school.

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**Please contact MSP if
you have any questions**

T 03 6231 5880

E msp.tasmania@msp.com.au

CUPCAKE DAY

It was an honour to have Clare from the RSPCA attend our Grade 3-6 assembly last week. We can officially announce that our 2023 Cupcake Day raised \$834.15!! Congratulations to Lucy and her family for organising such a successful day. We appreciate how much work goes on behind the scenes to bring something like this together. Thank you also to everyone who purchased a cupcake, this money will make a real difference for the animals at the RSPCA.



SINGFEST

On Wednesday 13 September our school was one of the many represented at the Singfest Event for 2023. The event was held this year at the Launceston Conference Centre (Door of Hope) and was a spectacular showcase of Primary School Choirs from around Launceston and the surrounding area.

I would like to thank the students who committed to learning the songs and performing. Well done! I would also like to thank Susan Peacock, who came with us as a parent helper during the rehearsal part of the day.

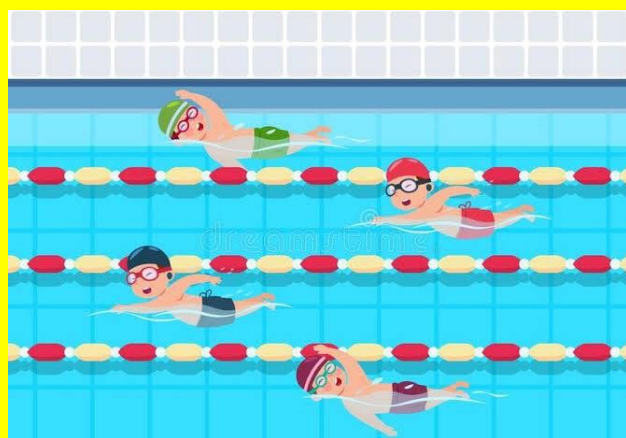
Mr. Lamb

Music Teacher



GRADE 3-6 SWIMMING CARNIVAL

FRIDAY 20 OCTOBER



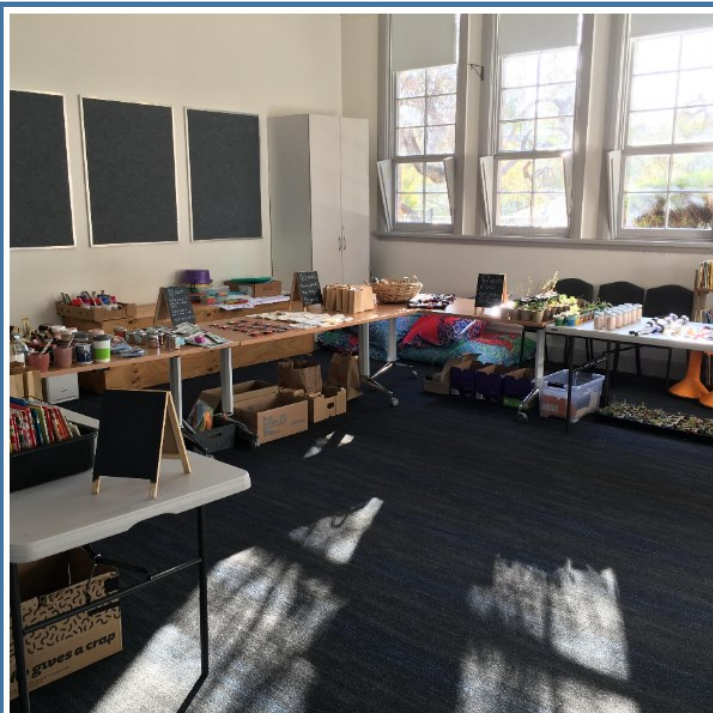
FATHER'S DAY STALL

Our traditional Fathers Day stall was held on 31 August and 1 September to give students the opportunity to independently and thoughtfully purchase, or make, a gift for someone special in their lives.

All gifts were homemade and where possible plastic-free, biodegradable or locally sourced .The event raised \$1,430 and will be used to support the school with valuable resources and future events for our school community.

Thank you to the amazing Toni Earl for coordinating the event and volunteers who gave their time to support the event – Lori, Susan, Clarissa, Nat, Marcus, Alison, Tracy, Alena, Mel, Louise and Camille.

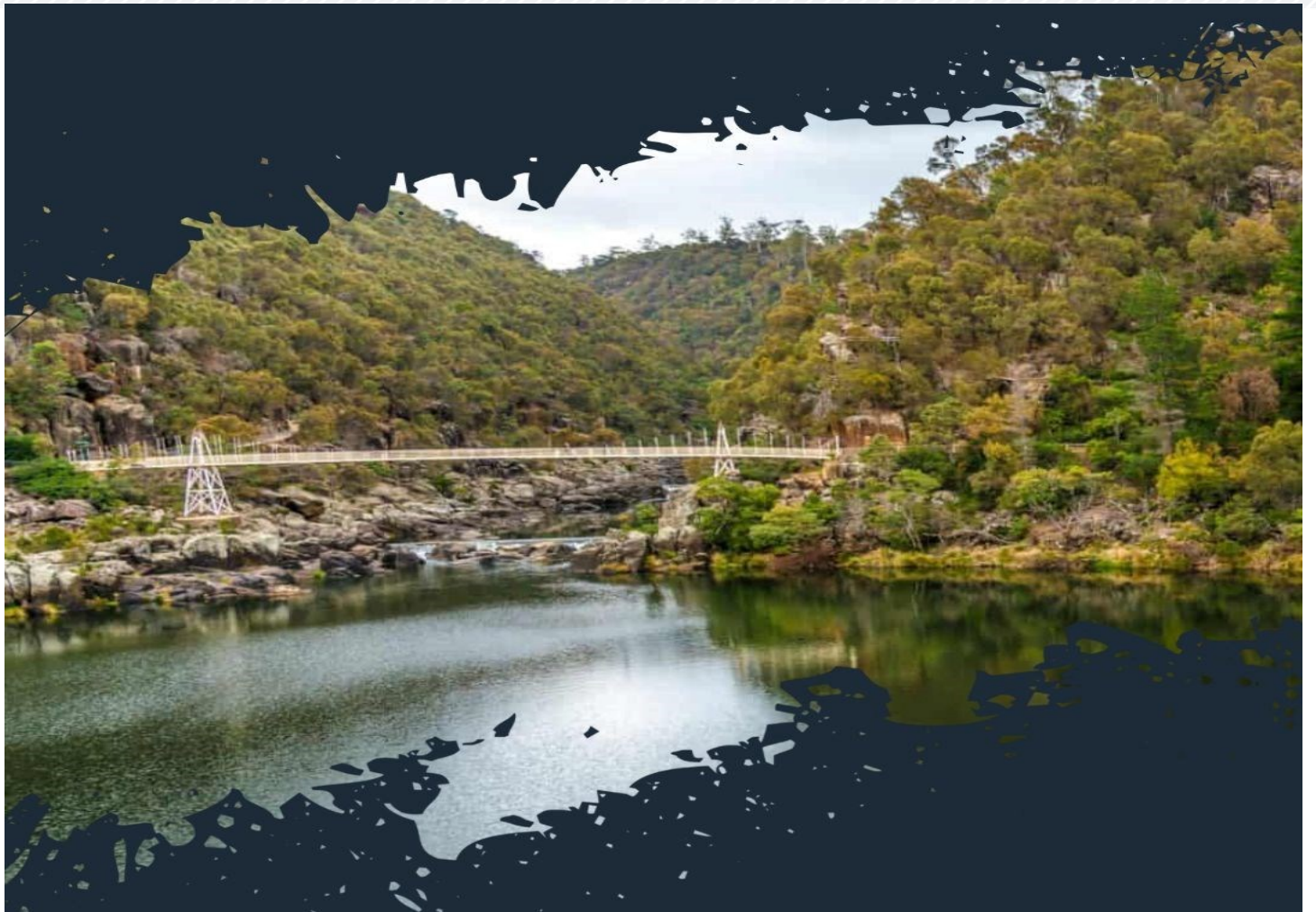
School Association Committee



1/2 OLIVER/CERECKE

Team 1/2 Oliver/Cerecke headed up to our Book Buddies, Kinder Coyle! We were communicators and read a rich text to our buddy first from our school library. Next, we interviewed a Kinder person to get details on what kind of stories, characters and settings they like to read about. We will now plan, write and publish a story for our Kinder buddy! The Grade 1/2s can't wait to share their stories with the Kinders when they are completed.





DAD'S GROUP

GORGE WALK

2PM, SUNDAY 24 SEPTEMBER

Join other Trevallyn Primary School students and their fathers, or father figures, for a walk around the Cataract Gorge.

During the walk we'll meet Aunty Judith-Rose Thomas, a local Aboriginal Elder and artist who will tell us the Aboriginal history of the Gorge and surrounding area while teaching us craft using what nature offers us.

WHERE TO MEET

Meet in the Gorge car park
(Trevallyn side)

TICKETS

Free tickets are available through Qkr!
Please RSVP by **6PM Friday 22 September**

For more info, email tps.association@outlook.com.au



Abacus - October 2023

Vacation Care Program

The times listed below are excursions: they indicate when the bus is scheduled to leave Trevallyn Primary School and when the bus is scheduled to return to the school.

Monday 2 nd October	Tuesday 3 rd October	Wednesday 4 th October	Thursday 5 th October	Friday 6 th October
<p>Grand Final Fever</p>  <p>Come along Dressed in your favourite team. Decorate biscuits and footy craft. A footy lunch will be provided today. Active Children Tasmania work shop at 10am.</p>	<p>Miniature Golf</p>  <p>We will set off to play a round of miniature golf at Tamar Valley resort. We will have a play on the playground and a picnic lunch on the lawns.</p> <p>9.30-1.30</p>	<p>Imagination Day</p>  <p>Come along dressed up As your favourite Character, have your face painted, make Imaginarium gardens and watch a movie.</p>	<p>Abacus Glover Exhibition</p>  <p>Come along and create your own canvas artwork for our very own Glover competition. Your art will be exhibited and we will have a mystery judge to award prizes.</p>	<p>Puppets and Peg Craft Day</p>  <p>Come spend the day crafting and creating. We will be making sock puppets and peg craft.</p>
Trevallyn	Grindelwald	Trevallyn	Trevallyn	Trevallyn

Monday 9 th October	Tuesday 10 th October	Wednesday 11 th October	Thursday 12 th October	Friday 13 th October
<p>Tasmania Zoo</p>  <p>Come along and learn more about the animals that live at Tasmania Zoo. We will observe feeding times and explore the Jurassic Swamp.</p> <p>9.30-1.30</p>	<p>Abacus Bake Off</p>  <p>Come along and test your baking skills:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Cup cakes - Slice - Make your own Chef hat 	<p>Royal Auto Museum and a visit to Bunnings & Park</p>  <p>We will be doing a tour of Bunnings at 10am to see the what happens be behind the scenes. Lunch and a play at Riverbend Park. Then off to check out the cars at the Royal Automotive Museum.</p> <p>9.30-3.30</p>	<p>Abacus is Closed Today</p> 	<p>Early Halloween Party</p>  <p>Come along dressed up for a Halloween party. We will decorate biscuits, do Halloween craft, dance party and spooky lunch.</p>
Riverside	Trevallyn	Inveresk	Closed	Trevallyn

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GRADE 3 - 6 CLASS AWARDS - WEDNESDAY 6 SEPTEMBER 2023

3-4A Violet J, Carter W, Fletcher S

3-4BF Dexter C, Angus M, Metaya L, Alaia M

3-4JF Charlie M, Sam T

3-4R Gus H, Maisie D, Jacob S, Kaiden F

3-4RF Layla B, Paddy B, Kai D

5-6F Gabrielle J, Jack R, Lily R

5-6H Emma S, Micah F, Viana M, Ewan D

5-6M Jacob H, Emmett N, Milo S, Finn M

5-6PB Harrison M, Ollie Y, Kitty B

5-6P Jade P, Raff H, Harvey B

Congratulations to all these students.

LAUNCHING INTO LEARNING - TERM 3 CALENDAR

Please find below the outline of LiL sessions for Term 3. We are continuing to hold 2 sessions each Friday. Session 1 is the preferred time for children who will be attending Kindergarten in 2024. These are called Pre-Kinder Sessions. Session 2 is catered for children from Birth – 3 years. These are called Toddler Sessions. Sessions will need to be pre-booked in order to support numbers on-site. Please book into **ONLY ONE** session by emailing our office: trevallyn.primary@decyp.tas.gov.au. If you have a Pre-Kinder child and sibling/s – all the family are welcome to attend the Pre-Kinder Session. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us.

DATE – Term 3	Session Time	VENUE
Week 9: Friday 22 September (Final session for Term 3)	Pre-Kinder Session: 9.00 am – 9.55 am or Toddler Session: 10.05 am – 11.00 am	Indoor and Outdoor at the Kindergarten
Friday 29 September No Launching into Learning Session	School Holiday Break 2 October – 13 October Inclusive	To re-commence Term 4 Friday 20 October

CANTEEN VOLUNTEERS NEEDED



Do you have time to help out in our canteen Wednesday to Friday between 9.00am and 1.00pm? Please contact the school office on 6331 9657 to

Kinder are seeking donations of school trackpants in sizes 4 or 6? Please drop any donations at the office.

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