

Newsletter

Friday 11th January 2019





<u>Values for Life – Reverence and Respect</u>

The theme for this week has been reverence and respect for God's Creations



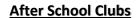


Welcome Back Everyone!

We hope you had the most amazing Christmas and New Year and you are all ready to get back into another term of school.

Our newsletter comes out weekly with lots of important information and dairy dates. We have some exciting new things being introduced this year, so please read the newsletter weekly to keep up to date.

Our website will be updated every week too, with events entered on the calendar and also permission letters for trips and events will be available under your child's class name for the convenience of printing one off yourself. Please can we ask that PE kits and clothing is took home every Friday. Also please check your child's book bags every day, as letters and permission forms are sent home regularly.



Monday – Multi Sports (years 1, 2,3,4,5 &6) 3.30pm till 4.30pm

Monday - Year 6 SATS club 3.15pm till 4.00pm

Tuesday - Kiddy Cook Club 3.15pm till 4.15pm

Wednesday - Year 6 SATS club 3.15pm till 4.00pm

Wednesday – Hip Hop Dance Class (All Years)

3.15pm till 4.15pm

Thursday – Lunchtime Karate 12.45pm till 1.15pm **Friday afternoon** – Forestry School (this term years 3 & 4)

Permission slips and payment, if applicable, must be returned to secure your child's place on any clubs.

Sports Hall Athletes

Well done to all the children that took part in the Sports Hall Athletes at Hobart High school on Wednesday. They were all very well behaved and gave their all in each of the activities.



Class Updates

All the staff would like to thank everyone for their gifts at Christmas.

Willows

In Literacy we have been looking at the Owl & the Pussycat poem, we wrote post cards and letter from the animals. In maths we have been adding using a number line. Please speak to your child and ask them to demonstrate this to you at home

Our new topic is 'On a Journey' and this week we started to look at China.

Please continue to read with your child and to practise their spellings.

Oaks

This week in **maths** we have been comparing fractions using bar modelling alongside formal methods and finding fractions of amounts.

We are beginning a Harry Potter themed **literacy** topic and will be analysing effective story openers and letters contained within a story.

Our **science** and **geography** topic this term is Tropical Rainforests. We will be studying where rainforests are located, climate, layers of the rainforest and animals and plants which live there. **PE** will take place on Monday and Thursday afternoons until half term when swimming will take place on Wednesdays again.

Please encourage your child to spend time on Maths Whizz, as well as daily reading. Thank you

Kid Inventor's Day Special Lunch

Letters have been sent out for this special lunch, please note there has been a change of menu for this day.

Main: Sausage, Beans and Chips
Vegetarian: Veg Sausage, Beans and
Chips

Pudding: Sponge Pudding

You can now order a School packed lunch or a

Jacket Potato on special lunch days too.



Times Table Olympics

Congratulations to Charlie, Lacy and Mylee for achieving their finalist level and to George M-F for achieving the European Olympics.

Well done to all of you.

Forest Schools – year 3/4

A reminder that years 3 and 4 do Forest Schools every Friday afternoon. Please can you make sure that your child has old clothes and wellies with them to change into for this class. Thank you



Important Note

Please can we ask that when you are picking your child up from a club, you sign the signing out sheet to say you have collected them.

Also after dance or sports clubs, please remember to send your child in next day with their PE kit, so they have it again in school for any day time PE lessons.



Dates for your Diary

Thursday 17th **January** – Special Inventors day lunch – Please return forms by Monday 14th January **Friday 18**th **January** – Year 4 Cycling Level 1 – Forms went home today and do require completing and returning please.

Thursday 24th January – Year 4 Seat Belt Safety

Friday 1st February - Year 6 Forensic Science Day at Hobart - details to follow

Tuesday 5th February – Chinese New Year Special Lunch

Tuesday 5th February - Safer Internet Day – activities individual classes

Thursday 7th February - Tag Rugby @ Hobart - details to follow

Monday 18th Feb to Friday 22nd Feb – Half Term

Wednesday 27th February – Oaks swimming starts

Friday 1st March – Years 5 and 6 Forest School afternoons start

Tuesday 5th March – Parents Evening

Thursday 7th March – Parents Evening

Thursday 7th March – World Book Day

Friday 15th March – Red Nose Day

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Key: White Dates - School open to pupils

Yellow Dates - Pupil Holiday

Red Dates - Bank Holiday

Purple Dates - PD Days (No children in school, staff only)