



NEWSLETTER

14 SEPTEMBER 2018

Dear Parents and Carers,

I want to give my sincere appreciation to all who contributed to a most successful Oliebollen Festival last Saturday. It was an exceptional day. There were large crowds and a carnival atmosphere predominated. It was again an occasion for Old Scholars to return and connect to their school and to previous classmates. A number of Old Scholars took the opportunity to seek out their past teachers. Many consider the Oliebollen Festival Kingborough's third largest event, after Australia Day and possibly ANZAC Day. The event on Saturday certainly seemed to confirm this view.

Staffing Announcement

I wish to advise that our current Deputy Principal – Head of Secondary School, Mr Ian Riley, continues to slowly recover from his recent injury. He has recently advised me that, predominantly due to his health, he wishes to relinquish this leadership role. Consequently, I will act in this capacity for the remainder of the year.

lan Riley has made a significant contribution to the sophistication of the school's operational systems that has led improvements in efficiency and clarity of communication. Through his efforts, we are significantly advanced in our goal to have a deeply Christian culture with highly professional systems and high standards. We are also a safer school for staff and students due to lan's skill in risk assessment and management. His contribution to improving the efficiency of our system in this regard is also significant.

For the coming weeks I will assume the responsibility for the day-to-day management of the school. This will include having the presence in the school grounds that is the natural habitat of the Deputy Principal's role. Consequently, I will be more involved in the response to student behaviour, attendance, and the host of other daily occurrences.

The process to recruit a new Deputy Principal – Head of Secondary will commence this weekend. We have engaged a national search firm, Hutton Consulting, to assist us in the recruitment of a high-calibre replacement.

Primary Concert

This morning, the musicians in the primary school presented their skills and virtuosity at the Primary Music assembly. In the presence of seventy parents the students performed individually, and in choirs and bands. The standard covered the full range of abilities that should be evident in a primary school committed to fostering the development of gifts. Students who are learning music for the first time were received with an enthusiasm that displayed the warmth of community

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and a recognition that encouragement would propel further application. There were also some outstanding virtuoso performances.

Community Prayer

I would ask that our community be prayerful for the leadership team's presentation to Kingborough Council about our Master Plan on Monday evening at 6:15 pm.

Parent Night

Finally, I have written to every family today encouraging them to attend the parent evening on Monday. Andrew Fuller will make a great contribution to our community's understanding of stress, individual talent, and resilience.

lain Belot





Andrew Fuller
Clinical psychologist, Andrew
Fuller works with many schools
and communities in Australia
and internationally, specialising
in the wellbeing of young
people and their families. He is
a Fellow of the Department of
Psychiatry and the Department
of Learning and Educational
Development at the University
of Melbourne.

MONDAY 17 SEPTEMBER 7:30pm



Multi Purpose Hall Calvin Primary Campus Maranoa Road, Kingston

ENTRY BY GOLD COIN DONATION

PRIMARY TERM 3

17/9 Parent Forum - Stressed to Strong

28/9 Footy Colours Day and BBQ Fundraiser

28/9 Term 2 concludes

Term 4 - Learn to Swim - Week I and Week 2

SECONDARY TERM 3

17/9 Parent Forum - Stressed to Strong

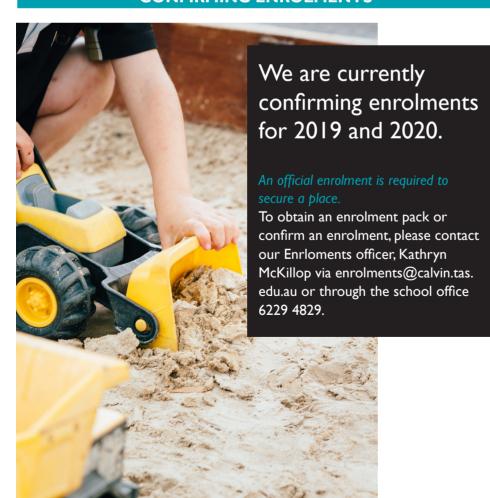
18/9 Senior Drama and STC evening

22/9 SATIS Athletics Carnival (St Leonards)

24/9 TASC Interim Reports sent out

26/9 Term 3 concludes

CONFIRMING ENROLMENTS



TERM DATES

TERM 3

Monday 30 July -Friday 28 September

TERM 4

Monday 15 October
Wednesday 19 December

From the Deputy Principal - Primary

Dear Parents and Families.

Thank you for your support of the Oliebollen Festival last weekend. It was fantastic to see so many of our Primary School families taking in the beautiful weather and being immersed in the community of this event. A special thanks to those parents and students who helped out on stalls throughout the day. I had the pleasure of welcoming people as they entered the Olliebollen Festival, which gave me the opportunity to see how much of our local community we are able to bless and reach out to through this event.





Mrs Julie Smith - Long Service Leave

Mrs Smith will be taking long service leave from Friday 14th September through to the end of Term 3. During this time, the Kindergarten class will be taught by Mrs Ineke Bosker. The students were very sad to hear this news on Wednesday which is a great testament to the care and support that Mrs Smith offers to all students through her teaching. Her heart and care for others is further displayed by the fact that Mrs Smith will be spending some of her leave supporting and training others in overseas communities. As mentioned by Mr Belot, Mrs Smith has informed us of her intention to retire at the end of this year. We look forward to having Mrs Smith back in Term 4 so we can honour and celebrate her contribution to Calvin Christian School over many years.

Coming events - more information soon...

Please keep an eye out for notes in your children's bags and in your email inboxes about important information for the following events:

- Learn to Swim Program Week I and 2 of Term 4;
- Pre-Kinder sessions Tuesdays in term 4 (starting week 2, running for 6 weeks).
- Athletics Carnivals P-2 (November 7); Year 3-6 (November 1).

Safety Reminder - Use of Playground

We love to see people spending time together in the quadrangle for a chat and building the community of the school after the 3pm bell. Unfortunately we are unable to provide staff for duty in the playground after school during this time. As a result, all play equipment will continue to be out of bounds for students after 3pm. This includes with parent supervision as it is too tempting for others to come and join in unattended and create unsafe situations. We do provide duty teachers in the morning from 8:20am and short term after school supervision in Mr Smith's classroom for those who require slightly later pickup.

Thank you for your ongoing support, contribution and partnership in the education and personal growth of students in our school community.

PRIMARY CAMPUS



PREP

In Prep this term we are learning all about how God has made our Bodies.

We began by drawing and labeling a blank human body outline with what we thought might be inside - this certainly led to some interesting discussions, as well as placement of bones, internal organs and whatever else we thought might be in there!

Since then we have learnt that adults have 206 bones in their bodies and we can even name them! Just ask us where you might find your phalanges, mandible or patella and we'll point them out.





We've also learnt about some of our internal organs and made our own set (as seen in the pictures) with 'working' oesophagus, stomach, windpipe and lungs.

We are now learning about our 5 senses.

We began with touch and enjoyed a walk around the school in bare feet, feeling lots of different surfaces around our school (and watching out for surfaces that might make our skin, nerves and brain work together to say 'ow'!).

Next we talked about sight. We looked carefully at our eyes in a mirror to see all the different parts and colours of our eyes. We made a picture of one of our eyes and used collage materials to make something to help us to see.

This week we are learning about hearing. We made ears to help us hear and enjoyed playing 'Secret Sounds' where we had to listen to a sound and draw a picture of what we thought it might be.

We look forward to learning about the senses of smell and taste over the next 2 weeks, especially as we prepare to go on an excursion to Woolworths and put these senses to use.

Miss Karalyn Bylsma Prep Teacher









PRIMARY CAMPUS

Primary Office

Monday- Friday 8:30 am - 12:30 pm 1:30 pm - 3:30 pm Phone: 6229 3814

School Absentees

Primary School Absentees
Phone: 6229 3814
email:
primaryschool@calvin.tas.edu.au

Student Health

Have your child's health or allergies changed? Please let the office know as soon as possible.

Small Wonders Playgroup

A free early years program for children (0-5years) and their parents/carers.

Thursday mornings during school term.

Time: 9:00-10:30 am

Where: Kindergarten room

GERMAN

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PRIMARY & SECONDARY CAMPUS

Competition Results

PostersGRADE 7
HM – Sheridan Hay

Poetry GRADE 5

1st Place - Suzanna Verdouw 2nd Place - Holly Haas

> GRADE 7 HM: - Molly Schmidt

GRADE 8
1st Place - Emily Weir

GRADE 9 Ist Place - Olivia Bittner Grade II/I2TCE level 2 HM: - Jade Searle



Conversation GRADE 8

HM: - Isabella Verdouw

GRADE 11/12 TCE LEVEL 3 HM: - Thomas di Pretero

Reading Comprehension GRADE 9 HM: - Zoe Levett

Jasmine Straatsma

(HM: Honurable Mention)



Mrs Ridge's Year 7 German students got to bake traditional Pretzels and assemble a Black Forrest Cake in their class on Monday. The best part of the morning according to the students, was getting to eating what they had made!

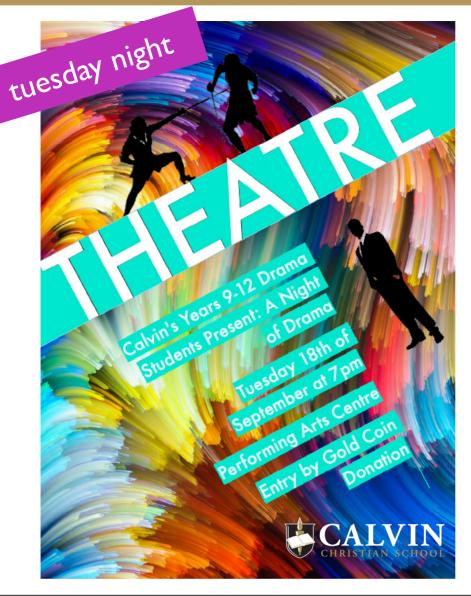








CREATIVE ARTS



SECONDARY CAMPUS

Secondary Office

Monday- Friday 8:00am - 4:30pm Phone: 6229 4829

School Absentees

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CALVIN BOOK WEEK ART PRIZE

The Calvin student Book Week Art prize went to Evelyn Tiemens

Her artists statement was this...

"My treasure is found in my friends and passion for horses. This drawing illustrates a horse and in the reflection of it's eye are two people walking, holding hands. The horse represents my passion. The mane is curly; this represents our journey and the fact that it will always get rough at some point. The people symbolise friendship. They are holding hands because even if the journey is tough your friends are always there for you, no matter what."

Well done to the following Calvin Senior students whose artworks have been accepted into the Light Up The Lane festival. http://www.youthartsandrec.org/light-up-the-lane-2018-2/

- Merryn Day Drawing
- Samarah Davey Photograph
- Hamish Powell Photograph
- · Naomi Berg Digital drawing



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BRONZE

Jacquie Petrusma, Travel with a Cause, Kairos Cafe, Zone 3, Animal Tuckerbox, Water's Edge Apartment, Heritage Museum, Kingston Pool and Wellness Centre, Nick Marchioli Painting, Tastex, North West Bay Golf Club Inc., Maveric Builders, The Beach Restaraunt, Bubbles Dog Spa and Groom, Cheeky Devil Coffee Roaster, Cyber Hair, Tahune Air Walk, Century Photos, Ginger Brown, Hill Street Grocers - Blackmans Bay, Hobart City Council/Hobart Aquatic Centre, Hon. Elise Archer, Studio42Dance, Nubco, Jack Loves Red, Woolworths, Bunches, Sushi Zanmai Japanes Fusion Food, Tas Laser Skirmish, Breadd, RACT Murray Street, Ice Skating Tasmania, Unpacked.

CALVIN CHRISTIAN SCHOOL UNIFORM SHOP

Calvin Uniform shop will

CLOSE Thursday 27 September at 4.00 pm and

REOPEN Tuesday 16 October at 8.30 am.

Now is the time to check with the uniform shop that they have the correct sizes for your child for Back to School 2019.

They are able to order in extra small or extra large sizes or made to order items, but they need to know as soon as possible.

If you come to in January/February it will be too late! The wait time can be up to 12 weeks on some items. Skirts and Blazers are items worth checking.

Please call Jo to discuss your uniform needs on **6240 1883**

Tuesday or Thursdays only.

To avoid dissapointment **ORDER NOW!** It will save the stress at back to school time for you and for the uniform shop



PRINCIPAL

Christian Schools Tasmania is currently seeking to appoint an experienced, dynamic leader to take over as Principal of Channel Christian School.

Channel Christian School is a co-educational independent K – 6 school located in the beautiful southern seaside town of Margate approximately 20 minutes' drive from Hobart's CBD.

This once in a lifetime opportunity to join a well-established organisation and use your experience in and passion for Christian education to drive academic outcomes and enrolment growth for this wonderful, community focussed school.

For more information or to request a full Position Description please email: hr@cst.tas.edu.au

www.channel.tas.edu.au

Love to Learn, Learn to Love

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WHOLE SCHOOL NEWS

School Uniform Shop

Secondary Campus
Phone: 6240 1883
Email: ccs.kingston@midford.com.au
Opening Hours
Tuesday and Thursday
8:30am - 4:00pm

Working with Vulnerable People registration

Parent volunteers at Calvin are asked to obtain a Working with Vunerable People Registration. For details please contact

- Primary Office:
 6229 3814
- Secondary Office: 6229 4829

Calvin Facebook page

For school life, photos and events, visit our Facebook page.