Dear Parents,

As you would be aware Mr Kerry Lee will be retiring in his role as school chaplain at the end of the term. His replacement will be Mr Phil Latham who will work each Monday and Tuesday at Bellerive Primary. Mr Latham brings with him a wealth of experience as a school chaplain and is also chaplain at Clarence High School.

I would like to thank all members of the Quiz Night organising committee and all other parents who are assisting on the night of the quiz. Your efforts in planning, organising and giving up time to make sure the Quiz Night remains a special social fundraising event for our school are greatly appreciated. In addition a big thank you to all parents who are attending the Quiz Night, those who bought and sold raffle tickets and to parents who made donations.

This Thursday 20th September staff who are members of the Australian Education Union may take up the opportunity of leaving the school site at 3.05 p.m. Duty of care for students will not be compromised.

A reminder to parents that next week the Growing Up program will be held for all Prep to Grade 6 students. There will be an information session for interested parents from 8.30 a.m. to 9.00 a.m. on Tuesday 25th September in the Central Meeting Room near the school office.

The school is aware that some people may have accepted an invitation to school history functions coming up in Term 4 via Facebook. If you have accepted via Facebook you are requested to contact the school office for your RSVP so accurate numbers can be taken.

A reminder to parents that parent communication with teachers is strongly encouraged. In relation to the use of DOJO, the school expectations are as follows:

- Contact with DOJO by parents should only be between 8.00am—4.30pm on school days.
- Teachers will check DOJO messages at least once per day.
- Responses to DOJO messages will be made within 2 working days.

Steven Hay — Principal
The Primary Schools Maths Relay

The Primary Schools Maths Relay was held last Sunday and our school entered 3 teams:

Grade 4 team: Raena, Kai, Emani, and Oscar
Grade 5 team: Joe, Ambilly, James, and Tom
Grade 6 team: Maddison, Jessica, Tyler, and Logan

A maths relay is a team competition where students attempt to answer 20 problems in 45 minutes with the complexity of the problems increasing. Teams are free to make more than one attempt for the correct answer and may pass a problem if they can’t arrive at the solution. All teams performed well and enjoyed the experience.

Thank you to all parents for supporting the Relay especially Mrs Gregory and Mr Hughes who acted as markers.

175th Anniversary Rock Display

This year Bellerive Primary School is turning 175. To celebrate Mrs Lewer’s 3-4 class designed and built the number 175 out of rocks.

The students began by measuring the length of the wood to build the frame. The students measured the size in meters in their books.

Over time the students painted river rocks in the school colours – green, white and blue.

After the frames were built by Mr Moran and Mr Davis they were fastened to the bank of the school oval in a prominent position.

Everyone in the class had a job, Students set up tables outside where they gave out a coloured rock. Students and teachers could then get their name written on them and then have them glued on with tile adhesive before positioning them.

The next morning students discovered that the rain had ruined the adhesive and most of the rocks came loose. We had to remove these rocks. So Plan B was activated. Liquid nails were introduced and after students dried and cleaned the rocks, the students then glued them back.

The 175 should remain a memorial for years to come.

By Sarah Lamb

Grade 4
Mrs Natalie Wickham is seeking parent volunteers to assist with the running of the School Dance which is being held on Thursday 27th September. Our school SRC will be on hand to assist with the running of the two sessions. ECE from 5.00 – 6.00pm and Primary from 6.30 – 7.30pm

The SRC will be pre-selling tickets which includes fruit juice, fruit kebab, entertainment and prizes on the night. Tickets will be on sale in the middle playground before school on Wednesday the 19th and 26th.

If you are able to volunteer for any of the following; Decorations (Thur between 3pm-5pm); Audio/sound; Compiling Music Mix; DJ; Lighting; Making fruit kebabs (Thursday any time during the day), please email natalie.wickham@education.tas.gov.au if

“Never make fun of someone who speaks broken English. It means they know another language”

H. Jackson Brown Jr (American author, born 1940)

175th School Anniversary Reminders

Please forward school calendar orders (page 4) to the school office. Calendars are $10

175th anniversary mugs available - $5 each or 6 for $25.

Only RSVP’s through the school office will be accepted as we need to know definite numbers for events. RSVP’s through Facebook will not be accepted.

A school history book which will be an A4 and over 200 pages will be launched on Monday 5th November. Books will be $20 and available on the night of the launch or from the school office.

Footy Colours Day—Friday 28th September!

Come dressed in your favourite team colours to support the Fight Cancer Foundation. Gold coin donation to be collected by class SRC representatives.

Reminder: All students who wish to participate in the Triathlon need to return their forms and money before the end of term.

Thank you - Erin Hoult PE Teacher
LEGO COMPETITION

Congratulations to all entrants in this year's Lego Challenge. The school foyer has once again turned into Lego Land due to such an incredible number of entries. Students across the school have certainly enjoyed visiting the office area to see the Lego designs that their fellow classmates have created. Following the judging on Monday 17th the following students have had their Lego chosen to represent the school at the upcoming Brixhibition Expo in October. Our winners are:

Halle Prep F: “Adventure Town” (overall school winner)
Luukas 1-2FW: “Lego House”
Connor 3-4B: “Speedweek”

We would also like to make a special mention to the following entrants:
Amber 3-4L “Rock Climbing”, Wil 3-4L “Rainforest”, Fynn 3-4SR Doom Raider, Holly 1-2L “Lego School” and Lochlan—Prep F “Jail on a Boat”.

Thanks everyone for taking part in this year’s event!

Allison Payne

AST
As part of part of the 175th Anniversary celebrations, our school will be producing and selling a 24 month calendar which highlights student artwork from Kindergarten to Grade 6. Each class will submit artwork for a month in the calendar. The remainder of the months, will feature a French page and portraits completed by Young Archies finalists. The calendar will sell for $10.00. To enable the school to order an accurate print run, could you please complete the order form and return it to school by Friday 21st September. These calendars will be in A4 size and in landscape orientation. They will be an excellent keepsake or present around Christmas time for friends and family. Please note that all parents who order now will be guaranteed a calendar. No money is required with the order. Payment can be made when calendars are collected from the school office in November.

Please contact me at steven.hay@education.tas.gov.au if you require further details.

Examples and format similar to Dodges Ferry Primary School's Calendar. A sample calendar may be viewed at the school office for interested parents.

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KEY DATES FOR 2018

WEEKLY
Assembly – Friday 2:10pm
Banking - Tuesdays
Uniform Shop Tuesday 2:45pm-3:15pm
Friday 8:30am – 9:15am
LIL Thursday 9:00am – 11:00am (LIL)
9:00am-10:30am & 1.00pm-2:30pm (Pre Kinder)
Canteen - Thursday & Friday
Marimba 1.30pm & Honour Choir 2.10pm Fridays

SEPT
Wed 17th Freemasons Visit—Grade 5-6VE
Tue 18th Assembly Kinder- Prep 1.40– 2.10pm
Tue 18th Excursion—3-4M Bunnings & Mornington Tip Shop
Wed 19th Southern Support Visit—Grade 6 Leaders
Thu 20th Excursion Sorell School Farm B4 & Pre-Kinder
Departing 9.00am $2.50 per person
Thu 20th Excursion—Woolworths 11.00am-1pm
Fri 21st No Assembly
Sat 22nd Quiz Night—Doors open at 5.45pm for a
6.30pm prompt start
Mon 24th Growing Up Program
Tue 25th Farewell Assembly—Kerry Lee
Thu 27th Disco ECE from 5.00 – 6.00pm
Primary from 6.30 – 7.30pm
Fri 28th Last day of Term 3
Fri 28th Footy Colours Day— Gold Coin donation

OCT
1-14 Oct School Holidays
Mon 15 Freemasons Visit—Grade 5-6WP
Tue 16 School Association Meeting—5.30pm
Thu 18 Edu.cat—Cooking Room
4-5 HR, 5-6 WP & 1-2 LNK
Edu.cat—Cooking Room 3-4 SR
Mon 22 Bike Education –Grade 4
Mon 22 Band Workshop—Grade 6
Tue 23 Interhouse Swimming Carnival
Tue 23 Band Workshop— Grade 6
Tue 23 Edu.cat—Prep-1 R, Prep NB, 3-4 M, K Green
Wed 24 Bike Education
Thu 25 Show Day
Fri 26 Student Free Day

ACHIEVEMENT CERTIFICATES
5-6MP Luke and Ashton
5-6VE Anais, Jack, and Jye
5-6WP Ambilly, Luke, and Jaylissa
4-5HR Isabelle and JJ
3-4SR Audrey and Jackson
3-4B Lia and Portia
3-4L Will and Eleanor
3-4M Tom, Jack, and Nash
1-2A
1-2F Ethan and William
1-2LNK Ava, Rose, and Ben
1-2FW Patrick and Ruby
1-2LW Olivier and Ela
Prep- 1R Lucas

Golden Ear Award– 5-6VE

B4 and Pre-Kinder
Excursion to Sorell School Farm
On Thursday 20th of September, B4 and Pre-Kinder
will be taking the bus to the Sorell School Farm. The
bus will be departing from school at 9.00am—
10.00am and will be returning to school by 11.30am.
• Cost per child/adult is $2.50 (under 12 months
  free)
• Prams will be able to be stowed under bus
• Please pack a hat, snacks and water

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