



Smithton Primary School

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5-6 Jordan

5/6 Jordan have been exploring reversible and irreversible changes in science. We have enjoyed exploring the properties of various substances and comparing if combining them with others will lead to a reversible or irreversible change.

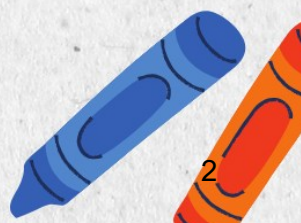
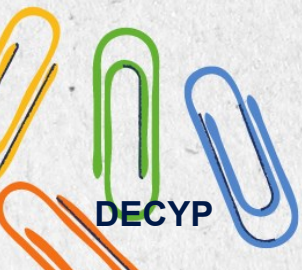


Rocket Launching in STEAM





AROUND OUR SCHOOL





RIVER GOT THE CHOP!



What an exciting morning we had on Thursday 23rd May as everyone watched River's hair being cut off!! It wasn't just any old hair cut, it was an army of hair! River has kindly donated his hair to the Kids with Cancer Foundation (Wigs for Kids) so they can make a wig out of it.

A big thank you to all those who donated. An amazing \$1100 was raised. Thank you also to Mrs Goodwin for helping River and his mum to organise the fundraiser and to Abby and Piper for volunteering their time to cut his hair.

Roving Reporters: Emmy & Piper

What an amazing, thoughtful person River is to have done this for Kids with Cancer!!

HAIR CUT RAISED OVER \$1100





SCOTT'S BMX TRICK BIKE SHOW



On Wednesday the 22nd May we were lucky enough to have Scott Hone bring his unique children's show, Scott's BMX Bike Show, to Smithton Primary.

Our Roving Reporters, Piper and Emmy, asked Mrs Goodwin and Layla what they liked best about the show:

'I liked when he stood on the handlebars' - Mrs Goodwin

'I liked when I got to stand on the bike!' - Layla M

Piper and Emmy's favourite trick was when he showed everyone the circus routine.



National Simultaneous Story Time

What a wonderful treat it was for Kate to come in and share a passion for reading with our students for National Simultaneous Story Time on Wednesday 22nd May. What an amazing Bowerbird Kate was!



In many schools all over the nation the book 'Bowerbird Blues' by Aura Parker was read on the same day, at the same time!!

Well done to Nate, Kobe, Evannah and Hope on winning the colouring in competition.





Thank you to Mayor Gerard Blizzard and Deputy Mayor Annette Dawes for visiting our Year 5-6 students on Monday 27th May.



It was great for our students to engage with our local leaders and link their local roles with the curriculum.



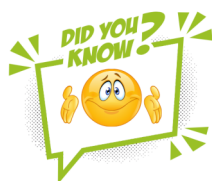
NWPSSA Cross Country

Congratulations to Jett and Lachlan who represented Circular Head with other CH cluster students at the NWPSSA Cross Country in Ulverstone .

Well done to Cash who made the team but was unfortunately sick on the day and wasn't able to attend.



LUNCH ORDERS



If you have ordered your child's lunch online and your child is absent please phone the school before 11:30am to let the office know.

The order can then be cancelled so it can put in another day.

Thank you!!



17 JUNE – 23 AUGUST

TASMANIAN PREMIER'S READING CHALLENGE

HOW MANY BOOKS CAN YOU READ?

To find out more, visit decyp.tas.gov.au/premiers-reading-challenge

All students from Kinder to Year 6
will be participating!

Department for Education, Children and Young People



Dates To Remember - 2024

June

Every Friday - 9:00am to 10:30am during school terms	Launching into Learning - Launchpad with Jayde Grey (<i>Birth - 5 Years</i>)
Friday 7th	Student Free Day
Monday 10th	Public Holiday - King's Birthday
Tuesday 11th - 1:30pm to 2:30pm	Cross Country - Kinder to Year 2 - Parent/Carers most welcome to attend!

July

Every Friday - 9:00am to 10:30am during school terms	Launching into Learning - Launchpad with Jayde Grey (<i>Birth - 5 Years</i>)
Tuesday 2nd - 9:10am	School Assembly
Friday 5th	Last day of Term



Department of State Growth



HALF PRICE FARES

June 1st 2024 to June 30th 2025.

Student Cash Fare will be \$1.00 per child/per trip and a Sheet of 10 tickets will reduce to \$8.00.

Make every school day count

School is the best place for your child to learn, it's important that they attend.



2024 School Term Dates

Term 1	Thursday 8th February to Friday 12th April
Term 2	Monday 29th April to Friday 5th July
Term 3	Monday 22nd July to Friday 27th September
Term 4	Monday 14th October to Thursday 19th December

Student Free Days

Friday 7th June
Friday 1st November

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