

Is it Safe? Is it Fair? Does it show you Care?

Please Ring 62281549 or TEXT 0400 701 682 if your child is absent. Reminder school opens 8.30am. Any students arriving before that time must go to the before school program 8-8.30am.

An Exciting and Generous Gift!

Yesterday we hosted the 'Tour de Cure' walking group who are raising money for Cancer and the SRC presented them with a donation from the school. They hope to raise 13 million dollars across Australia. They gave a presentation to our students, stressing the importance of being fit, eating healthy and being happy — all the same messages we have been hearing through our recent focus on Health Literacy. They then presented us with a surprise — a cheque for \$2500 from the Commonwealth Bank towards our health programs in the school. This was certainly unexpected and will be put to good use in the school.



Pictured in pink and light blue at the back of the hall are the 'Tour de Cure' walkers who were having a rest after walking from Mona this morning.

Ellie and Deegan competed against two adults in the 'push-up' challenge.



Reminders:

Meningococcal Vaccinations

Next Tuesday from 9.30am for those who have sent permission slips back.



DEC Choir practice

at Lenah Valley Primary School
Tuesday 18 September
4-5.30pm



ALERT!! ALERT!! ALERT!!!

Bowen Road Primary Swimming Carnival 24th October 2018 – Friends Health and Fitness Pool Grades 3-6 – 9.30am – 1.15pm

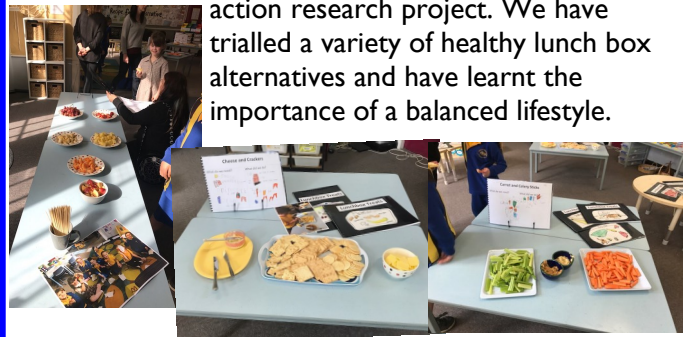
The annual Bowen Road Primary School Swimming Carnival is coming up on Wednesday the 24th October. The carnival will be held at the Friends Health and Fitness Pool, 7 Wilson Street, North Hobart and will run for all students in grade 3 – 6.

All students are required to attend the day and show support for their respective house teams. Support will be available for all swimming abilities and races and modified novelty events to suit. Parents who are interested in attending as a volunteer on the day are asked to contact Mr Dennis as soon as possible.

It would be great if students had an opportunity to revisit a swimming pool prior to the carnival to regain confidence in the water. It is also a reminder to find those bathers!

Learning with Prep W

We have enjoyed participating in the HealthLit4Kids action research project. We have trialled a variety of healthy lunch box alternatives and have learnt the importance of a balanced lifestyle.



Staffing News:

Sadly Mrs Kidd is unwell and will be off for the rest of the term. In term 4 we welcome Mr Lampasona who is on his way back to Tasmania after a teaching contract in Western Australia. He will take over the class for the remainder of the year.

Mrs Allport is still recovering from her knee operation and broken leg!

Safety Reminder!

On windy days the front door will be locked for safety reasons. Please only go through the office if you need to speak with the office staff. Please use the footpath past the classrooms, that leads to the crossing guard. Please also remind students not to walk through the car park as it is very dangerous. There are many paths to choose from to keep students safe.

DATES TO REMEMBER

September

Tues 18	Meningococcal Vaccinations from 9.30am DEC Choir Rehearsal - 4pm-5.30pm at Lenah Valley Primary. Outdoor Program Grades 1/2
Wed 19	5/6 Winter Sports at Bowen Road at 1pm
Thurs 20	LiL Swimming & Water Safety Program
Mon 24	Grade 6 Band Rehearsals at Montrose Bay High - 3.30pm-4.30pm
Tues 25	End of Term Assembly from 1.45pm
Wed 26	5/6 Winter Sports at Bowen Road at 1pm
Fri 28	Last Day of Term 3

October

Mon 15	First Day of Term 4
Fri 19	Day for Daniel - Wear Red
Wed 24	Grade 3-6 Swimming Carnival - 9.30am-1.15pm @ Friends Pool North Hobart

Reading Tutors Needed You Can Make A Difference!

A special thank you to all our past tutors and those who have already made a commitment to continuing. Reading tutors have and continue to make a significant difference to the literacy outcomes that our students can achieve at Bowen Road. **More tutors are still needed**, so if any members of our school community are able to offer their time to tutor students it would be truly appreciated.

Please contact Mrs Jenny Morgan or the school office.

Bowen Road 'Bullets' have their first win!



On Monday the grade 5/6 boys' team played against Holy Rosary and won a very close game: 23-22. It was good to see the development of the skills of the players, especially those who had never played before. It was also great to see the players encouraging each other for their efforts. We thank Lynne who stepped in to the 'box' to manage the times and scores. If any of the parents can help out, it would be appreciated as we are supposed to provide someone to manage the task. *Can I please remind the families to make sure each player brings a bottle of water? (Mrs Richardson)*

Futsal

Hobart Futsal Indoor Soccer Club are now signing on for the summer season. Programs and competitions for all ages from 3 years upwards to open men and women. For more information or to sign up go to www.futsalmania.com email raelene@australianfutsal.com or ring on 0408 774 204



Congratulations to Kaytlyn who has just returned from playing in a soccer tournament in Melbourne. She had been selected by her club to make up a representative team from the Glenorchy Knights Club. She was the only female player in the nine teams competing in the series. She had to play three games on Saturday and one on Sunday. This was quite an experience as they had to play against some state Victorian representatives! She came away with a participation medal and some valuable experience.

Australian Mathematics Competition

Mrs Hanlon's extension maths group recently took part in this competition. We congratulate Caleb W and Ryan C for gaining a Distinction; Riley B, Zachary S, Mitchell S, Arya S, Bella S and Nathan S for gaining a Credit and Toby TR, Jenny R, Jayden F, Keython X, Toby F, Isiah G, Chilanda M, Kaden S, Imogen B who reached 'Proficiency'. This was a very pleasing result all round!

5/6 G HealthLit4Kids

This term in 5/6 G, we have been inquiring into the dangers of various environments. The dangers included road safety, cyberbullying, dangers in sports, and environmental safety. We researched and brainstormed ideas of all the possible dangers in these areas. Then we came up with short videos presenting the dangers and how to prevent them from happening. Some people used iMovie, others used video clips.



By Caleb B
and Grace W

A Message from Total Eyecare

Did you know that there are no out of pocket costs for children to have an eye examination with an optometrist. The fee is bulk-billed to Medicare - just bring along your Medicare card.

See our Facebook Page for more information.