



22nd October 2020

Principals Report

Staff News

We are pleased to welcome Kristyn Green to Campbell Town as our Primary AST. Kristyn started in her new role last week. We look forward to the fantastic contribution Kristyn will make in this role. She will be working 3 days per week and Laurindah Taylor-Hambleton will be in the AST role two days per week.

Book Week

It has been great to hold our Book Fair this week – we love seeing children excited about exploring new books. On Friday we are looking forward to seeing our favourite characters come to life as students come dressed up to celebrate Book Week.

Student Leaders' Mental Health Expo

Congratulations to our Student Leaders for a fantastic afternoon last Thursday. The event was a great success which was well supported by our students, who participated in the activities in the spirit of fun and positivity, despite the weather. The Colour Fun Run was postponed due to the weather – it will now be held on the final day of our Athletics Carnival next week.

Grade 10 Bursaries

Our local community continue to support learning through funding our generous Bursary Program. Grade 10 students completed bursary applications last term and have been attending interviews this week with their parent/guardian. We continue to be impressed by our Grade 10 students and their plans for the future. Successful recipients for the 2020 bursaries will be announced at the Grade 10 Celebration Assembly later this term.

Performance Evening

Congratulations to all our students and staff for their hard work and commitment that contributed to a fantastic '2020 COVID style Performance Evening' at the end of last term. We hope you have had the opportunity to enjoy the fabulous performances on our School Facebook page.

Thanks again for a great start to the term, I hope to see you at the Athletics Carnival next week – please remember to only come if you have been well, complete the health check form, sanitize your hands and maintain physical distancing.

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Attendance

Can I please remind families that everyday is a learning day at CTDHS and all students need to attend unless they meet one of the authorised reasons outlined below.

Attending school every day has a big impact on how well your child goes at school. Attendance has a positive impact on students' learning. Because of this, the new Education Act specifies the reasons a child can be authorised not to attend school.

It is important that you discuss why your child is absent from school with the school Principal or a staff member as soon as practicable.

When can my child be authorised not to attend school?

Reasons your child can be authorised to be absent include:

- sickness/incapacity
- medical, legal or related appointments
- natural disaster or extreme weather preventing your child from safely attending their enrolled school
- terminal illness of an immediate family member
- bereavement of a person your child had a close, significant or family relationship with
- having witnessed or been subjected to family violence
- being a participant or official at a recognised State, National or International event
- participation in a recognised learning experience
- an application for home education being received by the Education Registrar and provisional registration being granted.

As our staff work together to ensure all children who attend school at CTDHS receive the highest quality education – we ask for you to work with us to ensure your child is at school every day unless there is a genuine reason for being absent. Please speak to your child's teacher about attendance if you are having difficulties getting your child to school – we want to work with you on this to ensure your child receives the highest quality learning program possible – everyday counts.



Cindy Johnston - Principal



Mental Health Expo

Last week our Student Leaders held a Mental Health Expo. Classes participated in activities such as meditation, yoga, cookie and a chat, juggling, giant Jenga and sports activities. Great fun was had by all. Thank you to Meagan Chivers from the RFDS, Kellie Donaldson and Mrs Lowe for their help and support throughout the Expo - Student Leaders 2020



Hockey Tasmania

STICK2 HOCKEY 2020

GET INTO HOCKEY
Stick2Hockey Summer Skills
Northern Hockey Centre, St. Leonards

Mini Games - BIG FUN!
Tuesdays 5-6pm
27 October to 24 November
Cost: \$40

Learn and Develop the skills of hockey
 Play mini-sided games

Receiving & Trapping

Passing

Ball & Stick Control

Fun Skills

Correct Grip & Posture

Register: <https://hockeytasmania.com.au/junior-zone/>

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NORTHERN MIDLANDS COUNCIL

ACTIVE NORTHERN MIDLANDS YOUTH

FREE after school activity program for ages 10-15.

- Do you want to improve your fitness and activity levels?
- Are you willing to try different things?
- Activities range from fitness classes, games, competitions and activities.

When: Tuesdays 3.00pm-4.00pm (starting in term 4 on 20th October)

Where: Campbell Town Recreation Complex
 70 High Street Campbell Town

FREE bus transport available to Conara, Avoca, Royal George and Ross — bookings essential)

For further information or bus bookings please contact the Youth Officer BJ Lowe on 0408487805 or email billie-jo.lowe@nmc.tas.gov.au

Consent forms available from the school or [here](#):

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Book Week 2020

Curious Creatures/Favourite Character Day

On Friday 23rd October students from Kinder to Grade 6 are invited to come to school dressed as a curious creature or their favourite book character. Participation book prizes will be randomly drawn in classrooms during the day. Keep an eye out for our creative and curious costumes on Facebook!

Book Fair

The Scholastic Book Fair will run from Monday 19th October until Thursday 29th October in the Old School House.
 Monday to Friday morning (8.30am-8.50am).
 Tuesday and Wednesday afternoon (3.00pm – 3.20pm).



COLOUR FUN RUN

DAY 2 OF
ATHLETICS
CARNIVAL



THURSDAY 29TH
OCTOBER

REMEMBER TO BRING A WHITE T-SHIRT TO
CHANGE INTO!

RYDA Excursion

On Tuesday 20th October, some of our Grade 10 students attended the Road Safety Education Program at Symmons Plains.

One thing I learned:

Jake - When stopped behind a car at traffic lights you should be able to see their back tyres.

Jasmine - Trucks have big blind spots.

Ellie-Mae - Three second distance is required between cars.

Most enjoyed session:

Jonty, Jasmine and Ruby - Stopping session.

Connor B - Police session about road trauma.

What I found interesting:

Daniel - Didn't know that cars take that long to stop.

What I found confronting:

Ellie-Mae: Car accident involving Alf.

Ruby - Genevieve accident and the ripple effect of accidents.



Calendar Term 4 2020

2	<u>19th October</u>	<u>20th October</u> - Grade 10 RYDA program at Symmons Plains	<u>21st October</u> - 9/10B Forestry Excursion - RACT Driving lessons	<u>22nd October</u> - LI drivers licence testing	<u>23rd October</u> - Country Gold Cricket selection trials - Book Week K to Gr 6 Curious Creatures Dress up day - Kinder to Gr 6 Assembly 12.40pm
		Book Week and Book Fair			
3	<u>26th October</u>	<u>27th October</u> - RACT Driving lessons	<u>28th October</u> - Athletics Carnival Day 1	<u>29th October</u> - Athletics Carnival Day 2 - K to 2 Bravehearts session	<u>30th October</u> - Student Free/Moderation Day Kinder to Gr 10
		Book Week and Book Fair			
4	<u>2nd November</u> - Public Holiday	<u>3rd November</u>	<u>4th November</u>	<u>5th November</u> - 11/12 Dinner Hogs Breath	<u>6th November</u>

Term Dates 2020

Term 4 - Monday 12th October to Thursday 17th December

Kindergarten to Grade 10 Student Free/Moderation Days

Friday 30th October

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