



# School News Corpus Christi

Term 1 Week 3 - Friday 25th February

## From the Principal

Whilst we still have the threat of Covid around us, I congratulate all members of our community for their efforts in keeping us all safe. I look forward to the day that we can welcome parents back inside the classrooms, and I would like to take the time to say a massive thanks to all our parent community for their continued support.

We have had a busy week at Corpus Christi. We welcomed families for our Learning Conferences, blessed our school leaders with families in attendance, and today we had our Swimming Carnival. It was great to see the student enjoying the positive atmosphere and the smiles on their faces. We will continue to enjoy the school community, and we are working on activities to engage our students and families in COVID times.

### Early Arrival

Families are reminded that if students arrive before 8:15 am, they must move to the breakfast club in the Hall. They will move outside the Grade 5/6 area from the hall to join the other students that arrive between 8:15 am - 8:25 am. We must ensure students follow these instructions to keep them safe before school.

### New Website

To improve our communication with families and the wider community, we have updated our Website. A big Thank You to Mr Morgan for updating information and creating the new Website. Please follow the link: <http://www.corpuschristi.tas.edu.au/#welcome>



# School Leaders

Congratulations to our school leaders. It was great to have families in attendance to witness a blessing from Fr Richard



## Kinder

Kinder children met Gabby Getalong, a puppet, who has begun to teach us all how to 'get along' including inviting people to play, taking turns and including peers in games. Gabby was a big hit amongst the children and we all try to be like Gabby throughout the year. In Kinder we work on our social skills all year.



## Prep

This week in Prep we have done some problem solving with patterns and painted pictures of our families.



## Grade 1

In Maths, we have been learning to skip count by 5's. We have had lots of fun singing songs, creating towers, giving each other 'paper high fives' and painting.



## Grade 2

In Grade 2, the students have been learning about place value. They have learnt about ones, tens, hundreds and some students even challenged with thousands. Below these students were asked to create a 2-digit number using dice then model the number using base 10 blocks.





## Grade 4

Following on from last week, Grade 4 tested their Ski Jump designs. Using a marble, we tested the distance it travelled once released. Students had a lot of fun creating and designing their ski jump. We then discussed how we could improve the design, what worked well and if they made any modifications to their original plan. We have some budding engineers in Grade 4!!



## Grade 5

In Grade 5 we have been looking at the Elements of Drama, working with a specific focus of developing Character and Voice. Students have been exploring exactly what each of these elements involves and using their new understanding in performances of Jack and The Beanstalk.



## Grade 6

This week in Grade 6 we created a new play area for all students. The 8-square lines have been painted as another play space for all students. The Grade 6 students are keen on leaving a legacy of investment in their play areas. A special thanks to groundskeeper Danny and Mr VL. We hope to further develop some other areas of the school soon...



### **Ride2School**

During Term 1 and 4 Mr B and Mr Caro (AFL Sportsready Trainee) will be doing guided Ride2School rides every Wednesday to Friday. We meet at the Howrah Sunshine Centre at 7.50am. We aim to ride the students to school and be back at the same location by 3.30pm. A sign showing all our safe routes is placed next to our awesome Bicycle Parking Bay just outside the Grade 2/Kinder classrooms.

The ride is open to any student capable of riding the 4.5km distance(one way) and having a suitably mechanically intact bike and helmet(compulsory). If you require any further information please feel free to contact Mr B at [justin.brasnja@catholic.tas.edu.au](mailto:justin.brasnja@catholic.tas.edu.au)

Starts 23 February, 2022

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### **School Sporting Teams and Opportunities in 2022**

This year we will be looking to help facilitate, in partnership with parents, opportunities to enter school teams in upcoming competitions and one off tournaments. We are able to provide support in regards to some of the organisational aspects, limited uniform supplies, sporting equipment and also areas for training if required.

Please feel free to contact Mr B at [justin.brasnja@catholic.tas.edu.au](mailto:justin.brasnja@catholic.tas.edu.au) if you are interested in running a team in any chosen sport and would like some school support in getting it up and running.

Tassie Cup Soccer tournament 19/20 March. Mixed teams U7-U12 to be held at Pembroke Park, Sorell  
Term 2 Hockey - Prep to Grade 6 Teams. To be held 7 May - 2 July on a Saturday morning at Cornelian Bay Grass Grounds.

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### **Hobart Chargers Primary School League (Basketball)**

The Hobart Chargers Primary School League will tip off at Swisherr (old K+D building in the city) on Saturday 5th March and run for 16 rounds. Entries will be welcomed in Prep/1/2, Grade 3/4 and Grade 5/6 categories. Over the first few rounds teams will be graded to play against similar teams so it doesn't matter if your school team is full of brand new players.

Costs are \$800 per team for 16 rounds. Individual player Basketball Tasmania registration required also (inc. insurance). One parent is required for team manager and score board dates. We will provide 'lowered' rings (P/1/2), all balls, referees and match management.

Register your team at [www.swisherr.com/leagues](http://www.swisherr.com/leagues) or contact us at [admin@swisherr.com](mailto:admin@swisherr.com) for further information.

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## Canteen Orders

All orders for Canteen need to be submitted on the Qkr app by 8 am. This allows our canteen team to ensure that all orders can be filled.



## Thank You, Annabel

Thank you to Annabel and her family for winning a \$1000 wellbeing gift card for the school. The funds will be used to upgrade our well-being space and purchase equipment and paint.



## School Calendar

Week 4	2nd March 28th Feb - 3rd March 4th March	Ash Wednesday Grade 5/6 Learn to Beach Grade 3 CleanUp Bellerive Park Excursion
Week 5	11th March	Grade 3 Molesworth Diversity Excursion
Week 6	14th March	Eight Hour Day Public Holiday
Week 7	23rd March 25th March	Kinder Bus Excursion Catholic Swimming Carnival
Week 8	29th/30th March 30th March - 1st April	School Photos Grade 5 Camp
Week 9	6th April 7th April	2023 Kinder Information Evening Grade 3/5/6 Cricket Day
Week 10	Holy Week 14th April	Last Day of Term

## Quick Links



## Term Dates 2022

Term One	3rd February	14th April
Term Two	2nd May	8th July
Term Three	25th July	30th September
Term Four	17th October	15th December