

# Newsletter

Dear Parents and Community Members,

As Christians, our faith is of central importance. We are in relationship with Christ only to be in relationship with others. The strength of our personal relationship with our heavenly father must not be a selfish pursuit. We are in relationship so that we can bless others. Christ calls us to be a community. Thus, we can influence and bless other communities.

Calvin is a multifaceted community. We are, at our core, a faith community. As an academic community we deliver outcomes that are the equal of any other independent school in Hobart. The public data proves this beyond dispute. As a service community we constantly impact the lives of other people.

"Do you see a man skilled in his work? He will stand in the presence of kings."  
(Proverbs 22:29)

Not only are we a school of significant positive community influence, but hand-in-hand with that comes a reputation.

I wish to draw the community's attention to an acknowledgement of this from the Premier of Tasmania, the Honourable Mr Will Hodgman. MP.

We are appreciative of the Premier's remarks.



PARLIAMENTARY SPEECH – DATE 2017

Parliament House, Hobart

Calvin Christian School – Olliebollen Festival

Mr HODGMAN (Franklin - Premier) - Madam Speaker, I congratulate the Calvin Christian School for again holding the wonderful Olliebollen Festival on 9 September. It is the highlight of the Kingborough community social calendar and importantly raises funds for the Calvin Christian School. It brings many people into the municipality and strengthens the community network that exists around this great school. It also allows for many visitors to enjoy a taste of Holland and many other wonderful local artisans, events and activities are available for people to enjoy. It is through the hard work of teachers, parents and volunteers from the Calvin Christian School community who work tirelessly each year to ensure the event is a roaring success and a wonderful celebration of the Calvin Christian School community.



Mr Iain Belot  
PRINCIPAL

# Primary

Dear Parents

Welcome to Term 4! A special welcome to new families who have begun their association with Calvin this term.

It is lovely to see your children back from their holidays looking refreshed after their break. A reminder that in Term 4 hats need to be worn as part of the school uniform. If children forget their hats or have misplaced them they will be required to play in a shady area of the school.



We are encouraging all students to **drink more water** during the day especially with the warmer weather. It is essential that children are hydrated throughout the day. Please ensure that hats and water bottles are clearly named.



On Wednesday, all students enjoyed a nice cool icy pole to help refresh their hot bodies from the heat of the day. It was a great way to end a hot day at school..

Once again, Learn to Swim has started and students seem to have adjusted well to the slight change in school routine.

Due to the traffic issues in the city earlier this week, the swimming lessons for Year 2 and Year 5 were cancelled. In addition to this, both Year 6 classes lose a swimming lesson due to their excursion to UTAS on Monday. Therefore to make up the eighth swimming lesson for these classes an extra session has been booked with Collegiate Pool. It will be held on Monday, 30 October and the lesson times are as follows:

- Year 6S – 9:15am**
- Year 6W – 9:55am**
- Year 5 – 10:35am**
- Year 2 – 11:15am**



## PRIMARY SCHOOL OFFICE HOURS

Monday- Friday  
8:30 am - 12:30 pm  
1:30 pm - 3:30 pm  
Phone: 6229 3814

## SCHOOL ABSENTEES

Primary School Absentees  
Phone: 6229 3814  
or email:  
[primaryschool@calvin.tas.edu.au](mailto:primaryschool@calvin.tas.edu.au)

## STUDENT HEALTH

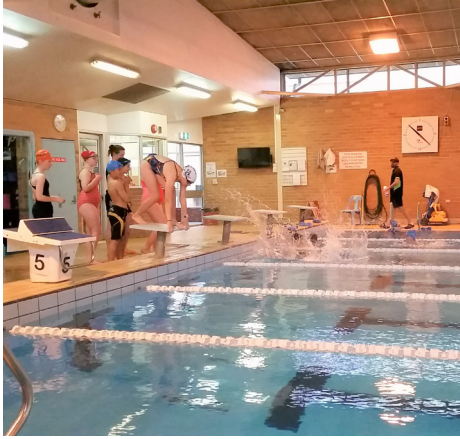
Have your child's health or allergies changed?  
Please let the office know as soon as possible.

## SMALL WONDERS PLAYGROUP

A free early years program for children and their parents/carers.  
Thursday mornings during school term 9:00 - 10:30 am in the Kindergarten room.

# Primary

Students in these classes will need to come to school in their sports uniform and bring their swimming gear. We do apologise if this has caused any disruption at your end.



The lost property pile is increasing. If your child has misplaced an item and cannot find it please send them to check the lost property or alternatively you are welcome to go through the items to locate your child's misplaced uniform. The lost property is in the Primary Admin building.

Earlier today, all primary parents would have received a term overview letter from me. In this, I outlined our main events for the term with additional information. If you did not receive this please notify the school office.

**A friendly reminder that next week, is only a three day week. Thursday 26th October is Hobart Show Day. Friday 27th October is a non-student day.**

Finally, we have provided an up to date calendar of events for Term 4.

Kind regards

Caleb Cooper  
Head of Primary

## TERM 4 CALENDAR

### Week 1

16/10	Learn to Swim
17/10	Learn to Swim
18/10	Learn to Swim
19/10	Learn to Swim
20/10	Learn to Swim

### Week 2

23/10	Learn to Swim Mole day visit – UTAS – Yr6
24/10	Learn to Swim Pre-Kinder Introductory Session
25/10	Learn to Swim
26/10	Public Holiday – Hobart Show Day
27/10	Non-student Day

### Week 3

30/10	PIPS testing – Prep PAT Testing Commences
31/10	PIPS EOY testing – Prep Pre-Kinder Introductory Session
02/11	Yr5/6 Fun Night
03/11	Primary School Assembly – Year 2

### Week 4

07/11	Pre-Kinder Introductory Session
08/11	Athletics Carnival
10/11	PAT Testing Concludes

### Week 5

14/11	Pre-Kinder Introductory Session
15/11	Primary HCSSA Athletics
17/11	Primary School Assembly – Year 1

### Week 6

20/11	Year 7 Head of Year meets Year 6 student's (2pm) Year 7 Head of Year meets Year 6 Calvin parent's (3pm)
21/11	Pre-Kinder Introductory Session
22/11	Year 7 Parent Welcome/Information Night (2018 intake, Secondary School)

### Week 7

28/11	Pre-Kinder FINAL Introductory Session
01/12	Primary School Assembly - Prep Pink Stumps Day

### Week 8

06/12	Masterpiece Exhibition K-12 student art Volunteer Thank You Morning Tea
08/12	Primary School Assembly Primary Schools Triathlon

### Week 9

11/12	P-6 Orientation Morning for 2018
13/12	Kindergarten Christmas Play
14/12	Year 6 Graduation Service / After Party
15/12	Year 6 Activity Day

### Week 10

18/12	PS Picnic Day
19/12	PS Final Assembly

Reports sent home

**Term 4 concludes**

**CALVIN SCHOOL COUNCIL PRESENTS**

**Calvin & Channel  
Year 5/6**

# **DANCE Night**

**Thursday, 2 November  
7:30pm to 9pm  
MULTI PURPOSE HALL**

**DJ, party food and drinks**

For more info or to help out on the night contact  
Gen Muenchhagen on 0403820577  
or [genm75@gmail.com](mailto:genm75@gmail.com).



**CALVIN**  
CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

# Secondary

## We want you! ...

To support our Year Ten community fundraising projects!

This term Year Ten has teamed up with the charity **CanTeen** as a means of focussing on their local community and to support those at school whose lives have been irrevocably changed because of cancer. CanTeen has made a positive difference to the lives of some of our students and because of this we have decided to support their work. The Year Ten students are planning two important events to help to raise money to further the work that CanTeen does. We are asking the school community to support these events. Here is how you can help us.

Next week Year Ten students will be selling bandanas on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday at recess and lunch for **CANTEEN'S NATIONAL BANDANA DAY**. These will be available for purchase for \$5.00 and we are asking everyone to buy a bandana and wear it proudly all week. The bandanas will be available in a variety of awesome colours. Those who buy a bandana will also get a free brownie, and a special lunch treat on Wednesday!

### SECONDARY SCHOOL OFFICE HOURS

Monday- Friday  
8:00 am - 4:30 pm  
Phone: 6229 4829

### SCHOOL ABSENTEES Secondary School Absentees

Phone: 6229 4829  
or email:  
[absences@calvin.tas.edu.au](mailto:absences@calvin.tas.edu.au)

### STUDENT HEALTH

Have your child's health  
or allergies changed?  
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know as soon as possible.

**BUY IT, WEAR IT!**

 canteen  
national  
bandanna  
day

**\$5 ea**

free  
brownie  
with every  
bandana

on sale Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday

## We want you! ..

To support our Year Ten community fundraising projects!

November 10 at 7pm there will be a **TRIVIA NIGHT** at the Multi Purpose Hall hosted by the Year Ten students. If you love a good night out with friends and family, you have a competitive spirit or you are a quiz night tragic, this evening is for you! We will be having a silent auction, a dessert auction and bucket loads of fun which will be appropriate for any age.

Tickets are \$10 each (to be paid for on the night). Tickets can be booked by contacting the Secondary School Office on 6229 4829 or by emailing Mrs Whiteley at [awhiteley@calvin.tas.edu.au](mailto:awhiteley@calvin.tas.edu.au). We have quiz questions from **CanTeen** as well as from the Year 10 cohort. A representative from CanTeen will be speaking about the work of CanTeen on the night.

*So book a seat or a table of ten, and enjoy a great night out!*

HOSTED BY YEAR 10 STUDENTS AND STAFF

# TRIVIA NIGHT



FRIDAY 10 NOV AT 7PM

**\$10**  
ENTRY

- ~ SILENT AUCTION
- ~ GAMES
- ~ ENTERTAINMENT
- ~ DESSERT
- ~ GREAT FUN

MULTI-PURPOSE HALL \* MARANOVA ROAD



## NORTH SOUTH TRACK - MOUNTAIN BIKING



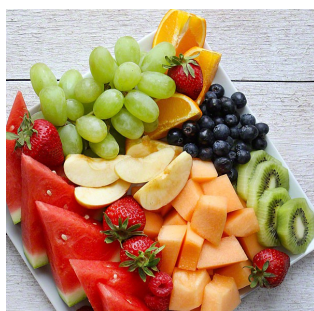
On Tuesday this week Outdoor Leadership student, Finlay Cooper, planned and ran a mountain biking lesson for the TASC2 Outdoor Education class. He led the class down the famous North-South Track from The Springs on Kunanyi / Mt Wellington to Tolosa mountain bike park in Glenorchy. This trip was the culmination of the six week mountain biking unit. We were blessed with good weather and it was a great adventure.

Mr Patrick Stam  
Teacher of Outdoor Education and Sport Science.

Year 11/12 students and parents are warmly invited to attend

## Study Week Breakfast + Prayer

Mon 6 November - 7.45 am - 8.45 am - Senior Common Room





## IMPORTANT INFORMATION PAT TESTING YEAR 7-10

At Calvin, students undertake online PAT testing during Term 4 each year. These tests are developed and administered through the Australian Council for Educational Research (ACER) and provide objective, norm-referenced information to teachers about their students' skills and understandings in a range of key areas. Each PAT has its own proficiency scale with descriptors outlining the content and skills students are consolidating at any given point on that scale. Each PAT provides quantitative and qualitative data on student performance, making the PAT ideal for understanding students' current strengths and weaknesses, informing teaching and learning, and monitoring progress over time.

For 2017, all Year 7-10 students at Calvin will undertake 5 PAT tests: Maths, Science, Vocabulary, Comprehension and Grammar/Punctuation. These tests will occur in Week 3 of this term in the normally scheduled Maths, Science and English classes. **Students will need to have fully charged laptops for this week.**

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact your son/daughter's classroom teachers or Head of Year.

Bonny Moroni  
Director of Studies

## FROM THE PE DEPARTMENT

### Get excited! Get involved!

The annual CEN Athletics Carnival is coming up and it is a great opportunity to finish off the athletics calendar well. Calvin has a great history of performing well and making a fun day of it!

The carnival is being held on Wednesday 8th November. So think about how you, as a parent or student, can get involved and be part of one of the most enjoyable athletics days in the school year!

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**As the weather hots up and we spend more time outside in the sun we ask that ALL students wear a hat and bring a drink bottle to all their PE classes.**

Mr. Jono Quinn  
Health and PE Teacher



# Whole School

## CALVIN CHRISTIAN SCHOOL UNIFORM SHOP

### 2017 TRADING DAYS AND TIMES

#### Extended Trading Hours

*All new parents are advised to make an appointment.*

#### Term 4 Trading days in December 2017

Tuesday 5 Dec and Thursday 7 Dec 8.30 am to 4.00 pm

Tuesday 12 Dec and Thursday 14 Dec 8.30 am to 4.00 pm

Tuesday 19 Dec 8.30 am to 4.00 pm

#### The Calvin Christian Uniform Shop CLOSSES

Tuesday 19 December 2017 at 4.00pm

### 2018 TRADING DAYS AND TIMES

**RE-OPENS** for **Back to School** on Monday 22 January 2018 at 10am

<b>JANUARY</b>	Monday	22 Jan 10.00 am to 3.00 pm
	Tuesday	23 Jan 10.00 am to 3.00 pm
	Wednesday	24 Jan 10.00 am to 3.00 pm
	Monday	29 Jan 10.00 am to 4.00 pm
	Tuesday	30 Jan 12.00 pm to 7.00 pm
	Wednesday	31 Jan 10.00 pm to 4.00 pm

<b>FEBRUARY</b>	Thursday	1 Feb 10.00 am to 4.00 pm
	Friday	2 Feb 10.00 am to 4.00 pm
	Monday	5 Feb 8.30 am to 4.00 pm
	Tuesday	6 Feb 8.30 am to 4.00 pm
	Thursday	8 Feb 8.30 am to 4.00 pm

Normal Trading hours: Tuesday and Thursdays 8:30 am – 4:00pm  
Resume on 6 February 2018.

Please contact Joanne to make an appointment time.

Phone: 03 6240 1883

Email: [ccs.kingston@midford.com.au](mailto:ccs.kingston@midford.com.au)

### SCHOOL UNIFORM SHOP

Secondary Campus  
Opening Hours  
Tuesday and Thursday  
8:30am - 4pm

### WORKING WITH VULNERABLE PEOPLE REGISTRATION

Parent volunteers at Calvin are asked to obtain a Working with Vulnerable People Registration. For details please contact  
Primary Office:  
6229 3814  
Secondary Office:  
6229 4829

### CALVIN FACEBOOK PAGE

For school life, information, photos and events, visit our Facebook page.



## After-School Fridays

The KidCity Fridays Program is full of extreme energy and excitement! Term 4 will begin with ice-cream and mix-ins – our own version of ‘Cold Rock.’ Starting 3<sup>rd</sup> November, 3:30-5pm @ CityLight Church, 150 Redwood Road Kingston. Open to all students in Years 3-6 for \$2. Permission forms can be filled out by adults at the door, or can be found attached to the KidCity Fridays A5 calendars in the school foyer.

### Future Events:

“Cold Rock” – Nov 3<sup>rd</sup>

Nerf! – Nov 17<sup>th</sup>

Summer Splash – Dec 1<sup>st</sup>

### Contact:

Jono Laning, [kidcity@citylightchurch.org.au](mailto:kidcity@citylightchurch.org.au), 6229 1944, or 0437 990 584

A colorful graphic for KidCity Fridays. It features a blue sky with white clouds, a yellow ground, and a blue sign on two black legs. The sign lists the dates and activities: 3rd Nov - Cold Rock, 17th Nov - Nerf, and 1st Dec - Summer Splash. Below the sign is a beach ball with orange, white, and blue segments. The KidCity logo is in the top left corner.

**KIDCITY**

# Fridays

**3rd Nov - Cold Rock**  
**17th Nov - Nerf**  
**1st Dec - Summer Splash**

Grade 3-6  
Cost: \$2  
Time: 3:30-5pm

150 Redwood Rd  
Contact Jono: [kidcity@citylightchurch.org.au](mailto:kidcity@citylightchurch.org.au) - 62291944  
Complete permission forms required - available at door

## CLOTHES SWAP



WHO: Women & children of all ages are invited  
WHEN: 2-4pm Saturday, 4th November 2017  
WHERE: St Clements Centre, 100 Beach Rd, Kingston  
WHAT TO BRING ON THE DAY: CLOTHES TO SWAP (up to one bag of new or washed "preloved" & in good condition clothes and accessories) OR an AFTERNOON TEA PLATE to share OR a DONATION.

EMAIL: [JENNY@MAUMILLGROUP.COM.AU](mailto:JENNY@MAUMILLGROUP.COM.AU)



We are a Good Sports club



**Glendon** BUSINESS CENTRE



**KINGSTON BLUES  
NETBALL CLUB**

## Selections for 2018 Kingborough Sports Centre

Sunday 3rd December 2017

Age	Time	Court
11u	9am - 10.30am	Court 1
13u	9am - 11am	Court 2
15u	1.30pm - 4pm	Court 1
17u	11am - 1pm	Court 1
21u	11.30am - 1pm	Court 2
Grade	1.30pm - 4pm	Court 2

Register online at [www.kingstonblues.org.au/registration](http://www.kingstonblues.org.au/registration)

E: [kingstonbluesnetball@gmail.com](mailto:kingstonbluesnetball@gmail.com)



[facebook.com/kbnetballclub](https://www.facebook.com/kbnetballclub)



Kingborough  
Crays



**T-ball season starts soon!**

**New players wanted  
and welcomed!**

- ⓪ Mixed boys and girls teams.
- ⓪ Ages: 5-13
- ⓪ Registration: \$60, includes uniform and all equipment

**Dates to remember:**

- ⓪ Sat, 14 Oct @ 10AM – Come N Try Day
- ⓪ Sun, 22 Oct @ 11AM – Come N Try Day
- ⓪ Wed, 1 Nov @ 5PM – Pizza Night, Play the Parents and Registration
- ⓪ Sat, 4 Nov – Season Starts!

Practices and Come N Try Days will be held at the old Kingston High School playing field (across from Banjos)

All games played Saturday AMs at Prince of Wales Recreational Grounds (Gepp Parade, Derwent Park)

**Want more info?**

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/KingboroughCrays/>

Sarah Day: 0431 276 005 or [crays.tball@gmail.com](mailto:crays.tball@gmail.com)



**Batter Up  
T-Ball League**

<https://www.facebook.com/batteruptball/>



Tasmania Police

## **UPCOMING TASMANIA POLICE RECRUITING**

Tasmania Police Recruitment public information sessions will be held during October and November as follows.

Please RSVP by 20 October 2017 via email to [recruiting@police.tas.gov.au](mailto:recruiting@police.tas.gov.au)

ST HELENS, 30 Oct 2017, 6.00pm – 8pm, St Helens High School

LAUNCESTON, 31 Oct 2017, 6.30pm – 8.30pm, Newstead College Auditorium

DEVONPORT, 1 Nov 2017, 5.30pm – 7.30pm, Devonport Police Station

BURNIE, 1 Nov 2017, 8.30pm – 10.30pm, Burnie Police Station

QUEENSTOWN, 2 Nov 2017, 6.30pm – 8.30pm, West Coast Council Chambers

**HOBART**, 15 Nov 2017, 6.30pm – 8.30pm, Police Academy Rokeby