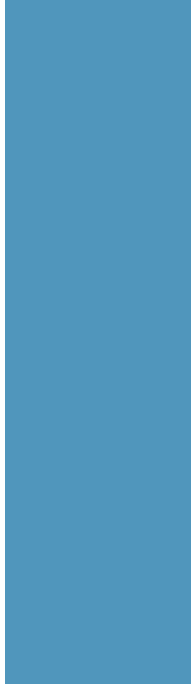




The Creek This Week

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Upcoming events

- Friday 25 November**
Devonport Show Holiday
- Monday 28 November**
Kinder 2023 Orientation
- Thursday 1 December**
Athletics Carnival
- Friday 2 December**
ACPS Got Talent Final
- Tuesday 6 December**
LHS Orientation Day
- Friday 9 December**
Colour Run
- Wednesday 14 December**
Christmas Concert & Dress Up Day
- Thursday 15 December**
Grade 3-4 Excursion
- Friday 16 December**
Grade 6 Big Day Out
- Monday 19 December**
School Picnic
- Tuesday 20 December**
Shining Star Assembly
- Wednesday 21 December**
Grade 6 Celebration Assembly

Principal's Message

It is that time of year where we are very busy planning for 2023. Below is an update on our staffing and classes.

Staff changes for 2023

Unfortunately, each year we farewell some staff, for varying reasons. This year we are all feeling very sad that we will be farewelling Mr Sheldon Parker, Mrs Jodianne Smallbon and Ms Donna Fenlon. Both Mr Parker and Mrs Smallbon are being transferred to other schools, with their new schools yet to be confirmed. Ms Donna Fenlon will not be with us next year due to a reduction in funding that comes into our school for student support. However, if funding circumstances change, we will welcome Ms Fenlon back with open arms. Mrs Bonnie Brown will be on maternity leave for all next year.

Mr Parker begun his teaching career with us in 2017 teaching Grades 2, 3, and 4. The thing that stands out the most from Mr Parker's time with us, is the positive rapport he has developed with all students, staff and our families. Everyone loves Mr P. Mr Parker has developed into a highly skilled teacher, who has always a rich and engaging learning program. During Mrs Smallbon's time with us this year, she has offered our students an engaging skill-based musical program. Students in the early years have focussed on drumming and composing their own music, while older students have experimented with a range of instruments such as keyboard, xylophone, marimba, ukulele, guitar and drums.

Ms Fenlon has been working with us as a Teacher Assistant for 2021 and 2022. During this time, Ms Fenlon has become very well-known and respected in our Creek Café program. The skills and attributes she has instilled in students working on this program have been outstanding. Ms Fenlon has also worked with students from K-6.

We thank Mr Parker, Mrs Smallbon, and Ms Fenlon for their dedication and commitment to our school and the positive contributions they have all made. We will all miss you, and we wish you all the best in your future endeavours.

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Class Structures for 2023

We plan to have seven classes next year. Our predicted enrolment is 162 students. Our class structures and teachers will be:

LiL and Pre-Kinder: Mrs D

Kinder: Mrs D

Prep: Mrs April Bishop

1/2: Mrs Susan Boskell

1/2: Mrs Debbie Bishop (4 days) and Mrs Courtney Hardy (1 day)

3/4: Mrs Serena Hinds

4/5: Mrs Penny Armistead (4 days) and Mrs Courtney Hardy (1 day)

5/6: Mr Phil Wallace

Health and PE: Mrs Courtney Hayes

Literacy and Numeracy Intervention: Ms Andrea Foster

Support Teacher, Quality Teaching Coach: Mrs Paula McGlade

Teacher Assistants: Mrs Hooper, Stacey Halley, Deb Niaura, Alicia Heine, and Mrs Dick.

Class Placements

Parents/carers will receive a letter on Thursday 15 December with information on their child's class and teacher for 2023, along with their child's End of Year report.

We acknowledge that parents and students worry about which class their child will be in and who their teacher will be for the following year.

Please be assured that we go through a detailed and thoughtful process in organising students into classes. This involves taking into consideration factors such as students' academic ability, friendships and year group. It is only in very special circumstances that we take parent requests into consideration. This is because we are too small a school to have the flexibility to meet the requests of all parents regarding class placements and teachers. When parents request a specific teacher over another teacher, it undermines the value of our teaching team. We work hard as a teaching team to support each other, our students and families.

If your child is moving to another school in 2023 and you have not let us know, please do so before next week as it may have an impact on our class planning.

Composite Classes

Questions from parents and students about composite classes is quite common. Composite classes have been a part of our school structure for a long time and is very common in most schools. We work very hard as a teaching team to ensure that we cater for each child's individual needs. Most students are taught their grade curriculum. It is only in special circumstances, such as a child having a learning disability or a child with high intelligence, that a child will be taught the curriculum below or above their grade level.

In Partnership,
Trish Maney
Principal

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SASSAFRAS + ANDREWS CREEK PRIMARY
ATHLETICS CARNIVAL
THURSDAY 1 DECEMBER
9.15AM-2.15PM
ON ACPS OVAL

COME AND JOIN US FOR THIS FUN FAMILY EVENT!

SCHOOL ASSOCIATION BBQ
COFFEE VAN
LOTS OF NOVELTY RACES FOR KIDS AND ADULTS

Andrews Creek
SCHOOL OF EXCELLENCE

Athletics Carnival

We are very excited that parents/carers and family members are able to join us at our 2022 Athletics Carnival. To make our event safe and enjoyable for everyone, we ask that you please read and comply to the following requirements for entry.

Toilets – Visitors are asked to use the toilets in the Interactive Garden area (south side of the hall) only. These will be cleaned regularly throughout the day by cleaning staff. Students will be using separate toilets near the playground.

Parking – We ask parents to please park in the Boyd's family paddock, across the road from the oval on Port Sorell Main Road. There will be no parking on the oval.

Designated Seating Area. – We will have a designated seating area for parents/carers. There will be plenty of space to spread out your chairs. We ask parents not to stand at the finish line. We know you will want to take photos but please do this from the side lines.

Adult Events - We will have more adult events this year and hope that you are able to participate in this fun day.

Back Up Day – In the instance of bad weather, we will reschedule our carnival to the following Thursday 8 December.

Uniforms – Students are not required to wear school uniform on carnival day. They will need to wear their house t-shirts (teal or purple), which are for sale at the office for \$10.

Program – There is a program uploaded on Skoolbag under the Athletics Carnival tab with a list of events and times.

Lunch/Recess – Students will need to bring a packed lunch and water bottle. This year we will be eating recess and lunch on the oval. Please do not pack your child anything that needs to be heated in the microwave or the toasted sandwich maker.

Food and Drinks - A coffee van will be available on the day, and we ask that parents don't purchase drinks for students. They are to drink water only please. If you do want to go to the Wesley Vale shop, please do not take your child with you.

Sausages will be available for students, staff and families to purchase at the oval from the School Association Committee BBQ for \$2 each. If you aren't attending and would like your child to purchase a sausage, please send the money with them to school on the day.

Icy poles will be provided by the School Association at the conclusion of the carnival.

Hats – Students will be taking their school hat from their classroom, so they do not need to bring a hat.

Sunscreen – Sunscreen is available in classrooms and will be reapplied during the day. We ask that parents/carers ensure that their child has sunscreen on prior to arriving at school (especially younger students).

Kinder Students – Kinders are welcome to join us but please let Mrs. D know if you are planning on bringing your child. These students will come to school as normal at 8.55am and Mrs. D and Mrs Hooper will take care of them for the day.

Buses – Buses will be operating as normal, and we will be finishing the carnival by 2.30pm. If you are at the carnival and take your child home, you must let the class teacher know, particularly if they are marked down for catching the bus.

Student Participation – We expect all students to participate in every race, except the 400/800m (which is optional). We also encourage every child to come to school on Thursday and do their best. If your child is away due to a medical condition, we require a medical certificate or a stat dec.

We look forward to seeing you next Thursday.

COVID-19 Update



COVID-19 and other respiratory illnesses like flu and RSV are still circulating in Tasmania.

Although isolation rules have eased, students with COVID should still stay home until all of their symptoms have passed and they are well. Please let the office know and still complete the COVID eform on Skoolbag.

The simple behaviours we have adopted over the past few years are still an important part of taking care of each other.

Remember:

- Stay at home if you are unwell and always cover coughs and sneezes.
- Get tested for COVID-19 if you have any cold or flu-like symptoms, no matter how mild.
- Wear a face mask to protect yourself and others when indoors or in crowded spaces.
- Wash your hands often with soap and warm water. Use alcohol-based hand sanitiser when out and about.
- Try to stay a reasonable distance away from others when you can.

For more information, go to:

www.coronavirus.tas.gov.au/keeping-yourself-safe

Latrobe Council

We would like to thank Latrobe Council for their donation of the books below for the school library. The books were for the Readers Cup but unfortunately, we were unable to enter this year.



Sora Reading App



Libraries Tas has taken out a subscription for all Tas government schools, which gives students free access to e-books, e-Audiobooks, graphic novels, comics and magazines.

This is a free resource and will be a great way to give students more access to reading material.

Families can also access the app on personal devices so students can read at home.

To access, students will need to:

- Download the Sora app from their app store.
- Choose our school.
- Log in using their decyp log in and password.

Please ask Megan at the office if you are having trouble downloading the app.

Spelling Bee Superstar!

For the second year in a row this amazing speller from Grade 3 has been awarded the ICAS medal for spelling.

Medal winners gained the top score in their state for that subject. Well done on this outstanding achievement!



Helping Mrs Dick



On Tuesday 6 and 13 December, Mrs Dick and Sam will be doing some jobs in our school garden so if you are free to come and help them anytime during school hours, please let Megan in the office know.



Remembrance Day

Thank you to 3/4P for hosting a thoughtful and respectful Remembrance Day assembly on Friday 11 November. It was lovely to see some of our family members join us too. For more photos, please check out our Facebook page.



Creek Cafe

There will be no Creek Cafe next Thursday 1 December as our Athletics Carnival is on. The last Creek Cafe will be on Thursday 8 December.

Orders are due in each Tuesday by 9am.

Price - \$3.50 per serve.



Grade 3-4 Sports Expo

Thank you to the NWPSA for hosting another great sports expo for our Grade 3-4 students last week.

Students participated in 4 different sporting activities each, at the Devonport Recreation Centre.





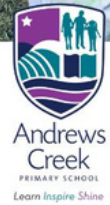
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FRIDAY 9 DECEMBER



Merit Assembly

Congratulations to our Learn, Inspire and Shine award winners last Friday. This was our last Merit Assembly for 2022. Also thank you to Kinder, Prep and 5/6A for sharing during our assembly.

More photos were posted on Facebook last Friday.

Learn - Charlotte M, Judd, Willow, Evie, Kira, Lachlan G, Charli.

Inspire - Charlotte P, Delilah, Kyan, Evora, Harry J, Amber, Ruby E, Lachlan R.

Shine - Bonnie, Emilia, Maeve, Lacey R, Faith, Allixandrea, Annalise, Anika.

Colour Run

Fundraising has closed for our upcoming Colour Run and we would like to say a big thank you to our families for doing such an amazing job fundraising for our school.

We have raised a huge \$6621. This will go towards a new Ga Ga Pit for our playground next year.

We would like to make special mention of the following students who were the top 10 fundraisers with a fabulous effort of \$3441 between them:

Lucy T, Riley B, Maci S, Ella H, Bonnie, Ella P, Phoenix, Jobe, Max N, and Lillie D.

All we have to do now is wait for our big event on Friday 9 November. Families are welcome to come and watch on the oval. We will have more details closer to the day. If you would like to volunteer to help spray colour, please let the office know.

Prizes will arrive sometime before the end of term.

STAR Draw Winners

Our STAR card draw winners from assembly.

- S** - Axel
- T** - Arlo
- A** - Isla
- R** - Jeliaca





End of Year Events

Please add these events in your diary!

Thursday 1 December - Athletics Carnival 9.15am

A school community event for everyone.

Friday 9 December - Colour Run 1.45pm

A school community event for everyone.

Wednesday 14 December - Christmas Concert 6pm

A school community event for everyone.

Friday 16 December - Grade 6 Big Day Out

A special excursion for Grade 6 students.

Monday 19 December - School Picnic

Parents/carers welcome.

Tuesday 20 December - Shining Star Assembly

For parents/carers of award winners, invites will be sent out next week.

Wednesday 21 December - Grade 6 Celebration Assembly

For parents/carers of Grade 6 students, invites will be sent out next week.

We are hoping to live stream our Shining Star assembly along with our Grade 6 assembly, for those who would like to watch from home. We will release more details closer to the date.

Student Council

Student Council are hosting two events over the next few weeks. These are both fun free events, with no donations required.

The Creek's Got Talent

Students from Prep to 6 have been invited to enter as an individual or as a group. Auditions will run at recess and lunch time on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday next week. The final will be held on Friday 2 December, starting at 1pm in the hall. Parents are welcome to come along to watch the final.

Christmas Dress Up Day

Students and staff are invited to dress up in a Christmas themed outfit on Wednesday 14 December. Please make sure there are no sandals, thongs or singlet tops as we still have our normal class routines on this day.

Grade 6 Big Day Out

Friday 16 December

Our Grade 6's are off to Launceston for their "Big Day Out" as their celebration for the end of primary school.

Forms and \$20 are due back by next Thursday 1 December.



Kinder last week of school

A reminder to our Kinder families that Kinder will be a little different in the last week of school.

All of our Kinder students are able to come to school Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday that week due to whole school activities.

Monday 19/12 - School Picnic at Latrobe Pool

Tuesday 20/12 - At school - Shining Star Assembly

Wednesday 21/12 - At school - Grade 6 Assembly and last day of school.

Book Club

Issue #8 is out now! This is the last issue before the Christmas holidays and is **due no later than 9am Friday 2 December. This is to enable books to be delivered before 21 December.**

A reminder that ACPS book vouchers need to be brought to the office with orders. Also, if you plan on giving your child the books for Christmas, please tick the "gift order" option when ordering so office staff know not to deliver them to classrooms.



Screen Time Guide for Parents



As a parent, it can be difficult to determine how much screen time is appropriate for your child. However, there are some general guidelines you can follow to ensure your child is getting the right amount of screen time.

First, it is important to set limits on screen time. How much screen time is appropriate will depend on your child's age, but it is generally recommended that children aged 2-5 have no more than one hour of screen time per day. **For children aged 6 and up, the American Academy of Pediatrics recommends no more than two hours of screen time per day.**

The screens emit blue light that is too bright and unnatural for our eyes to process. When you are using a computer screen, the blue light can disrupt your natural sleep cycle. Your brain will then produce less melatonin, which is the hormone that helps you sleep at night.

Screen time should be used in moderation and should not be the only activity your child is engaged in. Screens offer many benefits, but they can also have negative consequences such as reduced socialization, poor self-esteem, weight management problems, mood problems, sleep problems, and increased risk of chronic health problems. It's important to monitor the content of what your child is viewing.

How to Develop Screen Time Rules

Screen time rules are a necessity in today's society. Children, teenagers, and adults alike spend too much time on their phones and computers. This can lead to health problems like vision problems and fatigue.

The first step in developing screen time rules is to research the effects of screen time on human health. There are many eye-related risks that come from spending too much time in front of screens.

The second step is to set limits for each person in the household, which should be based on age and ability level - e.g., one hour per day for a five-year-old etc.

Claws on the Line

Last Tuesday we had our art competition presentation with the team from "Claws on the Line".

Congratulations to Anika for being the overall winner of the competition and to Lexie, Saya and Majinty for winning their art category.



Library Books & Home Readers

Next week is the last week of borrowing for our APCS library. This ensures all books are returned and shelved by the end of the year.

All library books and home readers are to be returned to school by Friday 9 December.





STAR Cards

Evie - for offering to get a tissue for a class member who was upset.

Emilia - for using whole body listening and finishing her 18th stamp chart.

Ruby H - for joining in our alphabet song and completing her 15th stamp chart.

Isla B - for making sure all the blocks were picked up so nobody would step on one.

Madilyn - for finishing her 7th stamp chart by always trying hard.

Russell - We respect the efforts you are making to complete tasks within time limits.

Ayden - We respect your perseverance to complete the Cartesian Plane Mystery picture.

Archie H - for finishing his 7th stamp chart.

Kodie - for finishing his 12th stamp chart.

Lincoln - for a fantastic job learning his Oxford words.

Delilah - for always being kind to others.

Majinty - for being a fantastic leader in Creek Café.

Jack Sm - for always greeting Ms Maney every afternoon at bus lines - amazing manners.

Nat - for showing amazing skills in Creek Café.

Nevae - for helping Mrs Bishop in the classroom.

Amber - for making sure the classroom was extra tidy at the end of the day.

Kodie - for successfully completing his stamp chart in speech.

Patrick M - for showing amazing skills in Creek Café.

Harry B - for returning 15 home reading bookmarks.

Russell - for helping Oliver when he dropped the xylophone.

Emilia - for always trying your best with writing jobs.

Ashton - for being a fantastic leader in Creek Café.

Kelsea - respectful manners at all times.

Arlo - for finishing your 16th stamp chart and being thoughtful by helping Mrs Bishop.

Emilia - spending so much time on your work, making sure it's your best.

Elizabeth - for picking up a mess somebody else made to make sure nobody trips over.

Freya - finishing your 8th stamp chart by always trying your best.

Poppy - for always walking inside and in the courtyard.

Tarkine - for always using whole body listening.

Evie - for comforting her classmate when she was upset.

Alexander - for demonstrating whole body listening during assembly.

Angus - for being an extra special helper.

Lucy - for reminding her classmates about assembly expectations.

Keeley - for showing whole body listening during assembly.

Grace - for showing whole body listening during assembly.

Oakley - for showing whole body listening during assembly.

Lincoln - for trying his best with his writing and including lots of detail.

Cecilia - for following STAR expectations at all times.

Grayson - for always being a respectful listener.

Lili - for putting her instrument in front of her on the floor and listening beautifully.

Ellie - for outstanding progress with writing assessments.

Liam - for showing whole body listening during assembly.

Class Focus - Prep B

Making Maths Fun!

We have been learning to share small groups of objects equally. We enjoyed the activity in these pictures because we were able to combine art with maths. With a partner, we first counted how many collage shapes we were given. Then we shared the shapes equally between two. Once we were sure we had the same amount each we made a collage with our shapes.



Grade 6 Profiles

Who is your role model and why?

My Mum and Dad are my role models because I learn stuff from them that helps me.

What are some things you would like to do in the future (as a teenager or adult)?

I want to find a good job that gives me good pay.

What do you enjoy doing when you are not at school?

I enjoy riding my bike and scooter at a pump track or skate park. I also enjoy riding my bike on the trails.

How long have you been at Andrews Creek Primary?

8 fantastic years, since Kinder.

What have you enjoyed the most about Andrews Creek Primary?

I have enjoyed hanging out with all my friends and having amazing teachers.

What have been your favourite subjects?

My favourite subjects have been Art, English and Science because I'm good at them and they're fun.

What are your favourite memories from your time at Andrews Creek Primary?

My favourite memory is from our Grade 5/6 camp, especially going to Port Arthur and hanging out with all my friends.

What is something funny you can remember from your time at Andrews Creek Primary?

I can remember when I was in Kinder, I got stung by a bee and didn't notice until I found the stinger. I pulled it out and EVERYONE came running up to me.

What will you miss the most about Andrews Creek Primary?

I will miss the teachers, especially Mr Parker.

What are you looking forward to in high school?

I am looking forward to being able to choose my own Personal Interests subjects.



Who is your role model and why?

My role model is Eddie Ockenden. He is in the Australian men's hockey team, has carried the flag for Australia at the Commonwealth Games and comes from Hobart. I aspire to be like him in my hockey career.

What are some things you would like to do in the future (as a teenager or adult)?

In the future, I would love to continue with hockey and dance. I want to continue to play for Tasmania again in hockey, maybe even Australia if I'm lucky. I would like to become an E.D doctor as my career as well.

What do you enjoy doing when you are not at school?

When I am at home, I enjoy cooking, sport, playing games with friends online/offline and camping.

How long have you been at Andrews Creek Primary?

From Pre-Kinder to Grade 6, so 9 years.

What have you enjoyed the most about Andrews Creek Primary?

I have mostly enjoyed hanging out with my friends at lunch and recess since we always end up laughing and our faces sore from smiling.

What have been your favourite subjects?

My favourite subjects have been P.E, Science, and Writing.

What are your favourite memories from your time at Andrews Creek Primary?

My favourite memory would definitely be in 2020 when I was in Mrs A's 4/5 class. I can clearly remember working in silence when Lucas Arnott yelled out "There's a duckling outside!" We then adopted him and named him Waddles Sonic Junior for some reason. We all took care of him until the very end!

What is something funny you can remember from your time at Andrews Creek Primary?

Something funny I can remember only happened the other day actually. We were all just sitting around, eating lunch outside when all of a sudden Ameli and Anika accidentally spilled Ameli's (full) drink bottle all over Charli and I ended up getting soaked even though Charli was only a little wet.

What will you miss the most about Andrews Creek Primary?

I will miss my friends and some of the staff the most.

What are you looking forward to in high school?

I am looking forward to the opportunities, new teachers, and new friends.

Grade 6 Profiles

Who is your role model and why?

My parents because they have taught me a lot of things in life. I like spending time with them, such as going for walks and playing jokes on each other.

What are some things you would like to do in the future (as a teenager or adult)?

I would like to do MDT in high school. I haven't really thought about what I want to do as an adult yet.

What do you enjoy doing when you are not at school?

I enjoy playing with my Play Station.

How long have you been at Andrews Creek Primary?

I have been here for 7 years, since Prep.

What have you enjoyed the most about Andrews Creek Primary?

I enjoyed going to school camp the most, especially doing all the activities with my friends.

What have been your favourite subjects?

P.E

What are your favourite memories from your time at Andrews Creek Primary?

My favourite memory is from school camp when we climbed through little tunnels at rock-climbing. It was very tight going through them, but lots of fun.

What is something funny you can remember from your time at Andrews Creek Primary?

One funny thing I can remember is at night time on school camp, Lachie and I were talking when we weren't supposed to. We found it very funny.

What will you miss the most about Andrews Creek Primary?

I will miss being the oldest in the school.

What are you looking forward to in high school?

I am looking forward to meeting new people.



Who is your role model and why?

My role model is Esme Higgs because I would like to be like her when I'm older.

What are some things you would like to do in the future (as a teenager or adult)?

Hobbies or jobs that I would like to do in the future is a difficult question, I currently don't have an answer. It would be like asking someone what they are going to be doing in 10 years, but no one knows the absolute answer. But I would like to be an Equestrian Influencer (like Esme Higgs), be in the Australian Defence Force or rule the world.

What do you enjoy doing when you are not at school?

When I'm not at school, I enjoy spending time with my horses and animals. Spending moments that no one else gets to witness and talking (complaining about life and people) with Leroy, and secretly learning how to dominate the world with Russia.

How long have you been at Andrews Creek Primary?

I have been here since (Pre) Kinder, so 9 years.

What have you enjoyed the most about Andrews Creek Primary?

For most people the answer to that question would most likely be spending time with my friends or 'wrecking stuff' but there is nothing that I enjoyed more than something else.

What have been your favourite subjects?

My favourite subjects have changed throughout the years, but it also dependent on who and how people taught it, but in Grade 6, I have enjoyed writing.

What are your favourite memories from your time at Andrews Creek Primary?

I don't have any favourites, but I do have a few memories that will stay with me: My first fight and first friend in Kinder.

What is something funny you can remember from your time at Andrews Creek Primary?

Lots of things during my time at Andrews Creek were hilarious whether it was annoying little kids, disrupting the class, playing pranks on friends, and telling SOMEONE to get out of the red zone. An embarrassing and funny memory is from Grade 1, where ***** went to answer a question quickly (during fruit break) and threw their apple at the TV.

What will you miss the most about Andrews Creek Primary?

I'll definitely miss the school and how everyone knows everyone. I know Andrews Creek like the back of my hand, and I will miss knowing who everyone is. Saying goodbye to teachers and people that I most likely will never see again will be sad. In high school there will be A LOT of students and it'll be hard to remember people's names. I might forget where classrooms are because of how enormous the high school is.

What are you looking forward to in high school?

Starting out as the youngest in the school again, new subjects, finding something that you are good at, ordering food at the canteen and having my own locker.



Grade 6 Profiles

Who is your role model and why?

Steve Irwin because he was very inspiring.

What are some things you would like to do in the future (as a teenager or adult)?

Archaeologist.

What do you enjoy doing when you are not at school?

Kicking balls

How long have you been at Andrews Creek Primary?

8 years

What have you enjoyed the most about Andrews Creek Primary?

Working at the creek and making new friends.

What have been your favourite subjects?

Science

What are your favourite memories from your time at Andrews Creek Primary?

Going down to the creek with friends.

What is something funny you can remember from your time at Andrews Creek Primary?

When Tarkyn and I found a funny image on the computer.

What will you miss the most about Andrews Creek Primary?

Some of my friends and the creek.

What are you looking forward to in high school?

MDT.



Who is your role model and why?

I don't have one.

What are some things you would like to do in the future (as a teenager or adult)?

I'm not sure yet what I want to do when I get older.

What do you enjoy doing when you are not at school?

I like to play on my iPad and I like making something out of Lego.

How long have you been at Andrews Creek Primary?

I have been here since Prep.

What have you enjoyed the most about Andrews Creek Primary?

I have enjoyed playing on the swings the most.

What have been your favourite subjects?

I like Art and using the paints. I also like Maths. I really love Digital Technologies with Mrs McGlade, especially using the Makey Makeys and B-Bots.

What are your favourite memories from your time at Andrews Creek Primary?

I liked the Hobart trip. When we went shopping, I bought a Minecraft sword with my money.

What is something funny you can remember from your time at Andrews Creek Primary?

I used to smile and laugh a lot in Drama class when we had to dress up.

What will you miss the most about Andrews Creek Primary?

I will miss my big classroom. I will miss Stacey. I will miss the swings. I will miss having a sleep when Mrs A reads the classroom novel every day.

What are you looking forward to in high school?

I am looking forward to doing cooking. I can't wait to see my brother Josh there.

Community News



2022

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SATURDAY, 17 DECEMBER

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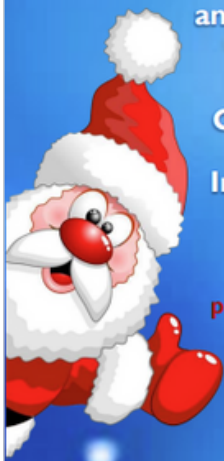
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E-cigarettes: Information for School Staff

E-cigarette use is increasing rapidly among young people.

In this webinar you will learn:

- Facts about e-cigarettes and their impact on young people
- E-cigarette laws
- Resources available for schools

The 30-minute webinar will be followed by a 30-minute discussion. The discussion will focus on smoking prevention and cessation in Tasmanian schools, including e-cigarettes.

Webinar Dates and Times:

Thursday 1st December 2022, 3.30pm - 4.30pm

or

Thursday 8th December 2022, 3.30pm - 4.30pm

How do you register?

To register or for more information, please email the Tobacco Project Officer - Kim Roberts
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Register NOW as sessions are limited to 20 people.

RSVP by COB Friday, 25th November 2022

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