



## WHAT'S ON AT THE FRIENDS' SCHOOL

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### Quaker Query of the Week

*How can we make the world a better place?*

*We acknowledge the current Year 11 students for contributions to the Quaker Query of the Week.*

### Kakadu Trip 2010

This is a reminder to parents that the initial deposit for the Kakadu trip is due by the end of July. Please direct any enquiries to Sandra Brooks.

### 2009 Fair

Enthusiastic gardeners are needed for this year's garden stall at the School Fair to be held on Saturday 8 November.

How you can help now:

- If you have plants that need dividing, please put your excess baby plants into pots and they will be a good size by the time November comes along. The plants that sell best are those that flower in November but all donations are willingly received.
- If you need pots I have a supply, but if anyone has an excess of plant pots in any size, please drop them at the Main School office.

Contact Jane Luckman on 0408 122 122 or email [janeluckman@kaoota.com.au](mailto:janeluckman@kaoota.com.au) if you have any queries or if you want to help.

### Uniform Centre Opening Times Term 2

Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri
Closed	8.00-9.30am	1.00pm-4.30pm	3.00-5.00pm	Closed

### Wednesday Morning Meeting for Worship

Members of The Friends' School community are welcome to attend a short Meeting for Worship held each Wednesday morning during term time, starting at 7.45am. Just come quietly in when you can and join us until 8.20am in the Hobart Quaker Meeting House, which is located just below the Clemes office on Boa Vista Road.

# MORRIS

## **Year 2 Excursion**

Year 2 Students will be going on a field trip to the Lauderdale Grocer and Eastlands on 15 July. They will be departing School at 9.00am and returning back to School at approximately 11.00am. Further details are available from Denise Wadsley or Cindy Cartwright.

## **Intrastate Carnival**

The Intrastate Carnival will be held at Hutchins/Mt Carmel on Tuesday 14 July. All Year 6 students who play soccer/hockey/netball for the School will be participating along with some Year 5s. Students will leave school by bus at 10.45am and return by 3.15pm. Lisa Di Venuto, Jenny Wood, Steve Bentley, Debbie Taylor and Peter Mason will be accompanying the students on the day.

## **JSSATIS Cross Country**

The JSSATIS Cross Country will be held at Rokeby Police Academy on Thursday 23 July. Selected students will receive a letter home shortly. Any queries please contact Lisa Di Venuto on 6210 2228.

# HIGH SCHOOL

## **Year 9 Drama Evening**

We warmly invite family and friends to attend the Year 9 Drama Evening. This evening will feature pieces of work from our voice, poetry, *Trapped* and Greek Theatre History units. Thursday 16 July, 6.00pm, Bill & Marjorie Oats Theatre, High School Campus.

## **Science and Engineering Challenge 2009**

On Tuesday, 14 July, a group of students from Year 9 will be participating in the annual Science and Engineering Challenge, hosted by the University of Newcastle, together with The University of Tasmania. The top eight schools will be invited to participate in the Tasmania Super Challenge in August. The top one or two Tasmanian schools will then be invited to compete in the Grand Challenge to be held in Bendigo on 21-22 October.

Students selected for the 14 July round will be required to organise their own transport to the Moonah Sports Centre, arriving promptly at 9.30am. Students will be dismissed from the venue at 3.00pm. Students selected will have received a letter that will need to be signed by parents acknowledging these arrangements.

Further information can be obtained by contacting Lindy Pritchard at The Friends' School or by visiting [www.newcastle.edu.au/group/challenge](http://www.newcastle.edu.au/group/challenge).

## **High School Reports**

Reports for Semester 1 are currently being completed by High School teachers. They will be posted home on Wednesday 15 July and will be followed by parent teacher interview opportunities on Thursday 23 July and Tuesday 28 July.

# CLEMES

## **Progress Checks**

Clemes teachers will be completing progress checks over the following weeks. They will be sent home to parents on the week ending Friday 10 July. These should be a timely opportunity to address any concerns teachers have about a student's progress prior to the mid-year examination period.

## **Mid-year Exams**

Mid-year exams start on Thursday 30 July. All exams are held at Clemes. Morning exams start at 8.45 am and afternoon exams at 1.15 pm. Students need to assemble in the Mark Curtis Foyer at least 10 minutes prior to the exam starting time. Students are not required to wear uniform during the exam period. A copy of the timetable and an instruction sheet outlining examination rules will be distributed to students next week.

## **International Food Fair**

Friday 17 July is a plain clothes day at Clemes (gold coin donation) and the International Food Fair. Both of these activities are raising funds for the school we helped build and maintain on Bhola Island in Bangladesh. Tutor groups are organising a selection of tempting cuisine from around the world to sell on the day.

## **Audio Design Excursion**

Audio A and C students will be visiting Sonic Solutions during their Wednesday lesson next week. This will give the students the opportunity to look at a mastering suite and hear about mastering techniques in audio.

## **Special Consideration**

The Tasmanian Qualifications Authority allows special consideration to candidates who are unable to be assessed in the same way as other students. Consideration may include allowances such as additional time, spelling consideration, special seating, use of a computer etc.

To gain this, students need to provide evidence to support their claim. The forms to make this application for the November exams will be distributed to relevant students later this term. If you feel your child may be eligible for some form of special consideration please ask them to see Lyn Tunbridge, if they have not already done so.

# CO-CURRICULAR

## **Sport**

Australian Schools Teams Racing Sailing Regatta

10-14 July

Manly, Queensland

# Sport Rosters

SPORT	LOCATION	TIME
<b>Badminton</b>		
<b>Friday 10 July</b>		
Year 8 Girls v Ogilvie 2	Sacred Heart	4.00pm
Year 9 Girls v Ogilvie 3	Cascade Road	4.00pm
Year 10 Girls v Fahan	Fahan	4.00pm
Year 10 Boys v New Town	Geilston Bay High School	4.00pm
<b>Friday 17 July</b>		
Year 8 Girls v Fahan	Sacred Heart	4.00pm
Year 9 Girls v Ogilvie 1	Cascade Road	4.00pm
Year 10 Girls v Collegiate 2	Fahan	4.00pm
Year 10 Boys v Rosetta	Geilston Bay High School	4.00pm
<b>Hockey</b>		
<b>Friday 10 July</b>		
1 <sup>st</sup> Grade Boys	BYE	
2 <sup>nd</sup> Grade Boys v Hutchins Magenta	THC3	4.00pm
<b>Saturday 11 July</b>		
Girls Div 3 v Ogilvie	Bell Street	11.00am
Boys Div 3 v Sacred Heart	CB1	10.00am
Girls Div 4 v Collegiate	HC1	10.00am
Girls Div 5 v Ogilvie	Ogilvie 1	11.00am
Girls Div 6 v Sacred Heart	Bell Street	9.00am
<b>Monday 13 July</b>		
Girls Div 1 v Collegiate	THC2	4.00pm
<b>Thursday 16 July</b>		
Girls Div 2 v Collegiate Red	THC2	4.00pm
<b>Netball</b>		
<b>Monday 13 July</b>		
Y8 Div 1 Girls v Dominic M	Friends'	4.15pm
Y8 Div 2 Girls v Dominic W	Friends'	5.00pm
<b>Tuesday 14 July</b>		
Y9 Div 1 Girls v Sacred Heart	Friends'	4.15pm
<b>Wednesday 15 July</b>		
1 <sup>st</sup> Grade Girls v Fahan	Aurora Court 6	5.10pm
2 <sup>nd</sup> Grade Girls v Fahan	Aurora Court 5	4.00pm

## Soccer

### Saturday 11 July

1 <sup>st</sup> Grade Boys v St. Patrick's	Friends'	11.00am
2 <sup>nd</sup> Grade Boys Red v Guilford Young	Barrack Street	9.00am
2 <sup>nd</sup> Grade Boys Blue	BYE	
U13 Div 3 Boys v Brighton S W	Bell Street	9.00am

## Water Polo

### Friday 10 July

Year 5/6 v Hutchins	Pool 3 dive end	6.30pm
Girls 7/8 Red v St. Mary's	Pool 1 change end	9.00pm
Girls 7/8 Blue v Ogilvie/Sac. Heart	Pool 1 change end	8.30pm
Boys 7/8 v Combined	Pool 3 dive end	9.00pm
Girls 9/10 v Fahan	Dive Pool	6.00pm
Boys 9/10 v New Town	Pool 2 middle	9.30pm
Girls 11/12	BYE	
Boys 11/12 v Guilford Young Boys	TBA	8.00pm

### Friday 17 July

Year 5/6 v Collegiate White	Pool 3 dive end	7.30pm
Girls 7/8 Red v Ogilvie	Pool 1 change end	8.30pm
Girls 7/8 Blue v Dominic	Pool 1 change end	8.00pm
Boys 7/8 v MacKillop	Pool 3 dive end	9.00pm
Girls 9/10 v Dominic Gold	Pool 2 middle	7.30pm
Boys 9/10 v Hutchins Magenta	Pool 2 middle	8.30pm
Girls 11/12 v St. Mary's/EC	Dive Pool	8.30pm
Boys 11/12 v Hutchins	Dive Pool	9.00pm

# CALENDAR 2009

*For all calendar and term dates, please refer to our website [www.friends.tas.edu.au](http://www.friends.tas.edu.au) and click on school calendar located on left hand side.*

## **July**

11	Executive Committee Meeting and Planning Day
13-17	Year 10 Work Experience
13-14	Year 9 Science & Engineering Challenge
15	Year 7 Oats Mountain Walk High School Reports home Cybersafety Information session IB Music Performance
16	Year 9 Drama
17	End of Semester 1
18	Former Staff Lunch
18-20	Year 10 Climbing
20	Semester Break - holiday for students and staff
21	Start of Semester 2 Parents & Friends Meeting
23	Junior SSATIS Cross Country High School Parent/Teacher meetings
25	1979 Reunion
27-31	LOTE Week
28	High School Parent/Teacher meetings
29	LOTE Food Fair
30-7 August	Clemes Mid-year exams

## **Term Dates For 2009**

Term 2	Tuesday 16 June	Friday 4 September
Semester Break	Monday 20 July	for students and staff
Term 3	Monday 21 September	Thursday 10 December