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From the Principal
Rain, rain and more rain! What a week so far. I thank all families for their patience and support in dealing with the safety of our children while at school and appreciate your understanding in ensuring that our flooded schoolyard didn’t compromise our electricity supply. We hope that families were not too negatively impacted by the weather and subsequent flooding. Please make sure your student/parent/teacher interview times are convenient for you and if not please get in contact with your child’s teacher. Our winter concert is happening next Friday night the 17th June. The children are excited about the performance and have been practising hard for the many items they will share with you.

Emma Langton
Principal

Key Dates for 2016
June 8th
School Association 7:00 pm

June 13th
PUBLIC HOLIDAY

June 17th
Winter Concert – Town Hall

June 20th – 22nd
Parent Teacher Interviews

June 27th – July 1st
Swimming & Water Safety
East Ulverstone Pool

July 1st
Last day of Term 2

July 18th
Student Free Day

July 19th
First day of Term 3 for students
HOBART EXCURSION
Last week’s trip to Hobart was a wonderful learning success for our Senior Class. The children were enthralled by the Tasmanian Symphony Orchestra. They listened with focus to the range of pieces played by the orchestra. This experience was the first step in their next independent music Inquiry project. The children navigated their way to Hobart last week using maps, compasses and Google Maps on the iPAD. They also located the places of significance in Hobart for us to view.

Following the wonderful performance by the TSO the children walked from Federation Concert Hall to Salamanca along the Hobart dock area. The children considered many of the historic buildings in the area including Parliament House and Kelly’s Steps. This experience will be used by the children to complete the next phase of their Geography & History Inquiry work.
SCULPTURE
The Senior class have been studying sculpture in visual arts this term. The children have used paper, wire, and plasticine to create nature inspired artworks. We will move into clay and flowers in the next few weeks.