

# NCS Update



## Information from the Principal:

A big welcome back to a new term for the students and staff and a very special welcome to the McKeand family, Luke and Annabelle who have joined Mr. MacKenzie's and Mrs Nielsen's class. There's lots of exciting things lined up for this term – Science Week, Book Week, Reader's Cup Challenge, Grade 10 Work Experience, Athletics Carnival and Seniors Trip to Canberra, just to name some of the events outlined in our School Diary.

At the end of last term, we had our School Registration Review and it was a very positive and productive visit from the Reviewer. God's favour and provision have been very evident over the last three years since our last SRB visit and we have a lot to be thankful for; in fact, many significant developments were outlined in our supporting documentation.

Some of the teachers attended the State CEN (Christian Education National) Conference in Hobart last week and it was a good time to reconnect with our colleagues and focus in on what sets us apart as an organization of Christian Educators. I would like to thank Di Hooley for representing NCS so passionately with her talk on 'Bible Curriculum'. Di lives out her faith in a way that powerfully impacts her students, work colleagues and those blessed to call her a friend. In fact, NCS is in good hands with all our staff, as they work with their God given gifts and a God driven sense of purpose.

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Psalm 127:4a –

"Like arrows in the hands of a warrior.."

## Note to Parents:

A friendly reminder to let the Office know if your child/ren will be off school due to illness or another reason. You can do this by using our App - School Stream; emailing or calling the school before **9:30am**. *Thank you!*

## Pre-Kinder 2017:

Pre-Kinder (this is for children who will be going into Kindergarten in 2018) will run every Thursday from 9am to 11am. It will be run by Jo Green, Kindergarten TA.

Parents are asked to stay with their child throughout the session and engage with their child in the various activities set up around the room. There will be a story time and singing, plus children will need to bring some morning tea and a water bottle.

Thankyou



## Duty of Care

Please remember that we have a teacher on Duty to care for your children between 8:30 – 9am and 3 – 3:30pm each day. Should your child/ren arrive at school early, please note that NCS does not have duty of care over students prior to 8.30am.

## Principal's Days:

**Mrs Eastley currently is available  
Monday - Thursday 8:00am - 4pm**

**Please make an appointment if needing  
to see the Principal or Business Manager  
Phone the Office on - 6331 1922**

## Business Manager's Days:

**Mr Lambie is available  
Mon, Tues & Fri 9am - 3:00pm**

## Tuesdays:

**Uniform Shop is open from 9am to 2pm**

# What is Happening in the next Fortnight?

## **TUESDAY 01 AUGUST 2017**

Gr 3-6 PCYC from 9.30am to 10.30am

## **WEDNESDAY 02 AUGUST 2017**

Gr K-2 PCYC from 11.15am to 2.15pm

Gr 9-10 Soccer/Netball from 12.30pm to 3.00pm

## **THURSDAY 03 AUGUST 2017**

Gr 7-8 Soccer/Netball from 12.30pm to 3.00pm

## **FRIDAY 04 AUGUST 2017**

Gr 10 Student Immunisation Packs back to the Office

Gr 9-10 Snow Day at Ben Lomond from 9.00am to 3.00pm

## **MONDAY 07 AUGUST 2017**

Assembly (Gr 5-6) from 9.00am to 9.30am

Gr 3-4 Excursion to Local Council from 12.00pm to 2.45pm

## **TUESDAY 08 AUGUST 2017**

Gr 7-8 Snow Day at Ben Lomond from 9.00am to 3.00pm

## **WEDNESDAY 09 AUGUST 2017**

Gr K-2 PCYC from 11.15am to 2.15pm

Gr 9-10 Soccer/Netball from 12.30pm to 3.00pm

## **THURSDAY 10 AUGUST 2017**

Pre-Kinder Playgroup from 9.00am to 11.00am

Gr 7-8 Soccer/Netball from 12.30pm to 3.00pm

## **FRIDAY 11 AUGUST 2017**

Outdoor Ed YMCA Futsal Training from 1.30pm to 3.00pm

## **MONDAY 14 AUGUST 2017**

National Science Week

Gr 9-10 Science Excursion to Beaconsfield from 9.00am to 3.00pm

## **TUESDAY 15 AUGUST 2017**

Gr 3-6 PCYC from 9.30am to 10.45am

## EVENTS COMING UP

### YOUTH ALIVE TASMANIA

As representative of Youth Alive Tasmania I just wanted to invite your students to the upcoming Youth Alive - United We Stand event on August 18<sup>th</sup>.

UWS is a national Youth Alive Event that happens once a year in hundreds of locations across Australia on the same night!

These nights are specifically designed for teenagers to bring their friends and to build community in the youth in the Launceston area.

They are held all across the country and with our one being in the Launceston Region we would love to see some of your students come along

These are the details you need to know;

DATE: August 18<sup>th</sup>

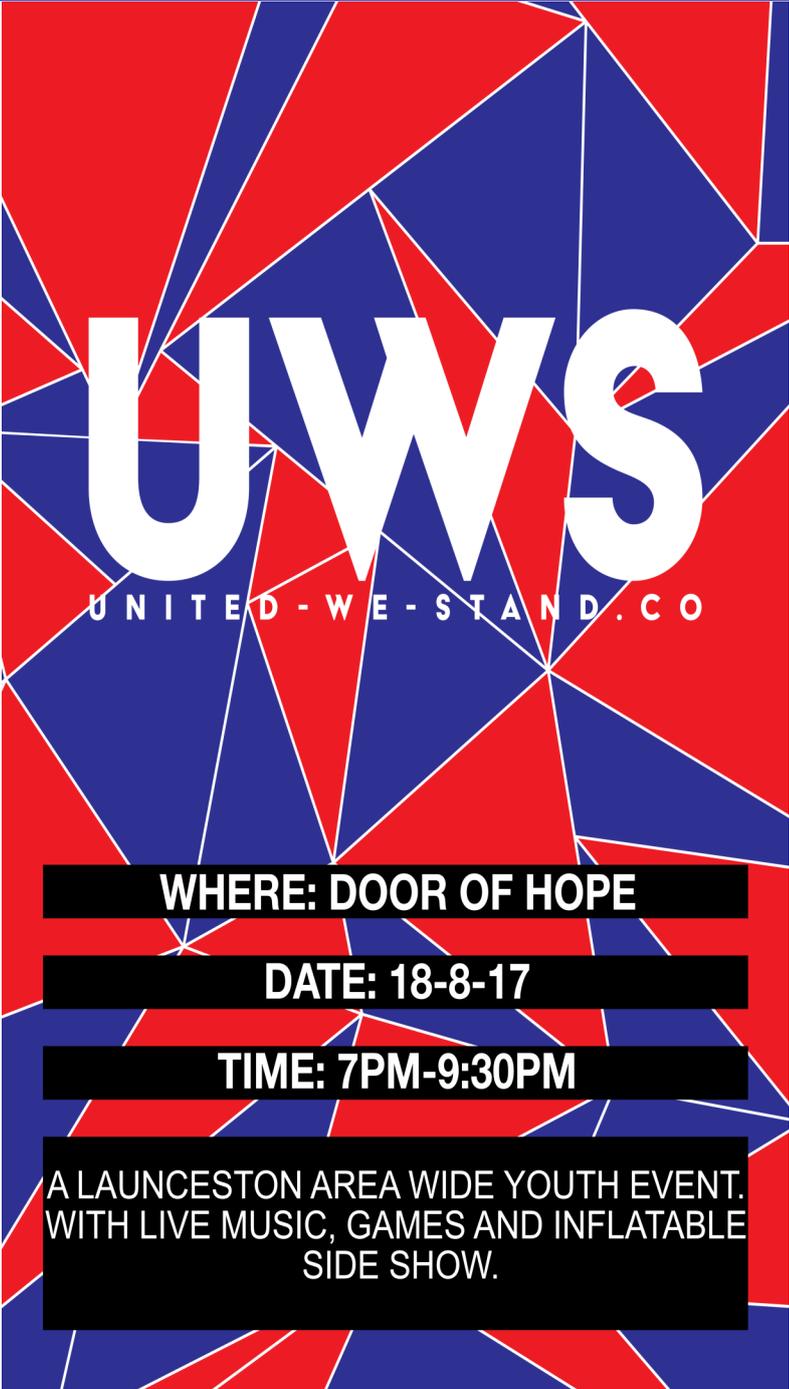
TIME: 6:30-9:30pm

LOCATION: Door of Hope Christian Church

COST: FREE!

If you need more info or want to help out, feel free to contact me at [zoe.bennett@door-of-hope.org](mailto:zoe.bennett@door-of-hope.org)

Thank-you for your time,  
Zoe



**UWS**  
UNITED - WE - STAND . CO

**WHERE: DOOR OF HOPE**

**DATE: 18-8-17**

**TIME: 7PM-9:30PM**

**A LAUNCESTON AREA WIDE YOUTH EVENT.  
WITH LIVE MUSIC, GAMES AND INFLATABLE  
SIDE SHOW.**