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Dear Year 5 Parents

### **Tasmanian Reader's Cup**

The Children's Book Council of Australia will hold its annual Southern Tasmanian School's Reader's Cup at 12 noon on Tuesday 30 October 2012 at Campbell Street Primary School.

In the Reader's Cup, teams of 6 read 6 books and then compete against each other based on their knowledge and interpretation of the books. The aim of the Cup is to encourage girls to read and to enjoy what they read. It is also a way to reward enthusiastic readers in the context of a team activity. There will be no cost of entry. A teacher will be present at the Cup to supervise the girls.

The Readers' Cup comprises two elements. Firstly, a memory-test about the books read by the teams. There are usually approximately 10 questions per book. Secondly, a 'creative element' in which each team interprets an aspect of just one of the books and presents their interpretation to an audience. Each presentation lasts five minutes.

The books for the Reader's Cup are as follows:

The little refugee	Ahn & Suzanne Do
Boy overboard	Morris Gleitzman
45 & 47 Stella St	Elizabeth Honey
Are we there yet?	Alison Lester
War horse	Michael Morpurgo
Bungawitta	Emily Rodda

At this stage, I am proposing that the following preparation take place for the Cup: "book club" discussions and review tutes. Your daughter is more than welcome to attend the tutes and the discussions but not attend the Cup.

If you consent to your daughter participating in the competition will you please sign where indicated and return the form to me.

Regards

**David Hodgman**  
**Year 5 Teacher**

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### **Tasmanian Reader's Cup**

I give permission for my daughter \_\_\_\_\_ to attend the 2012 Reader's Cup at 12 noon on Wednesday 30 October 2012.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_  
(Parent/Guardian)