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### Message from TASSO

We would like to thank those of you who have already responded to our strategic planning survey. Your input is essential in shaping the future of TASSO and ensuring that we continue to support School Association Committees and education in the best possible way. If you haven't yet had a chance to complete the survey there's still time, the closing date is COB March 27. We would greatly appreciate your participation and that of your committee.

The survey link is: <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/GMWC5W8>.

Thank you for your continued support and engagement.

Together, we can make a difference.

Sincerely, The TASSO Team

## Annual General Meeting



If your School Association year ends March 31 and you have not scheduled your AGM or started the nomination process consider planning the AGM date for the first week of May.

If you need any assistance please reach out via phone or email.

Email [info@tasso.org.au](mailto:info@tasso.org.au) or (03)6243 7718.

For a quick refresher on AGM's [click here](#)

## Update Your Committee Details

To ensure information is landing in the correct inbox, please update your Committee detail post your AGM.

Complete this form: <https://forms.office.com/r/w2e8aYwSOD>

Email: [info@tasso.org.au](mailto:info@tasso.org.au)

Call: 6243 7718

Still wish to receive TASSO information: <https://forms.office.com/r/XHBLiVBgwe>

## Like and Follow us on Facebook

We regularly share grants via social media that Schools and School Associations can apply for.

Like and follow us here: <https://www.facebook.com/tasso.org.au>

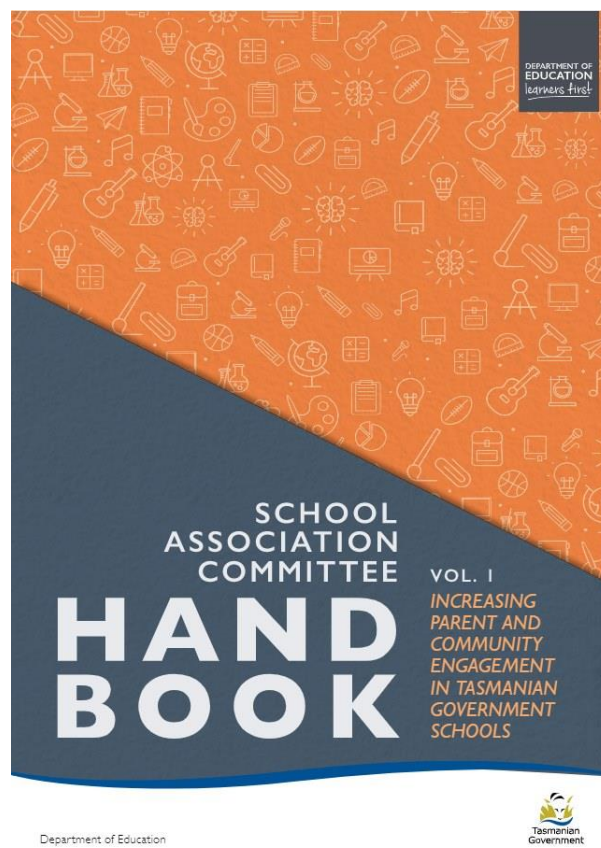
Does your association have a Facebook page? Do you need more information about how to set up an Association page?

Let us know if you require any assistance.

[Social Media Policy](#)

[Social Media Procedure](#)

## School Association Committee Handbook and Resources



1 - [School Association Committee Handbook](#)

[Download the School Association Handbook](#)

[Download Frequently Asked Questions](#)

For additional templates and forms: <https://www.decyp.tas.gov.au/about-us/community-and-engagement/school-association-committees/>

[Download Secretary Instructions No. 7 for School Associations](#)

[Download Ministerial Instructions No. 12 for School Associations](#)

Grants you may be eligible for...



School Associations may be able to apply for an Arts Grant to deliver a arts based program for students in schools.

Grants between \$5,000 and \$75,000

[More information here](#)

Open date: 1 May 2023

Closing date: 7 August 2023



The Australian Science Teachers Association (ASTA) have grants available for school-initiated National Science Week activities.

Grants are to support schools and teachers to deliver STEM programs during National Science Week.

[More information here](#)

Closing date: 24 April 2023



Grant round for Term 3 opens: 22 May, 2023

Closes: Friday 2 June, 2023

[Sporting Schools Grants - multiple closing dates](#)



A program to keep in mind if you have a student travelling interstate/internationally for a sporting championship event.

The Local Sporting Champions program provides financial assistance for coaches, officials and competitors aged 12-18 participating in state, national or international championships.

More information [here](#)



### [Variety Tasmania Community and Schools Grants - apply anytime](#)

Apply anytime

### Upcoming dates:

These dates may help in planning events for your School Association:

March 20 - March 26: Harmony Week

March 22 - April 20: Ramadan

March 24: Ride to School Day

March 25: Earth Hour

April 2: Daylight Savings ends

April 5 - April 13: Passover

April 7 - April 10: Easter

April 13: Auslan Day

April 25: ANZAC Day

May 14: Mother's Day

May 19: Walk Safely to School Day

May 30 - June 1 - North Years 9 &10 - [Girls in Power](#)

### Contact Us

TASSO is the recognised peak state body representing Tasmanian State School Associations. We provide guidance and assistance to School Association Committees and their members, while advocating for the best educational outcome for all students in State Schools.

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