

# TASSO Annual Conference & AGM Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> August 2016

## PROGRAM

- 8.30** Registration
- 9.30** Welcome
- 9.40** **Official Opening**
- 10.15** **Guest Speaker – Sharon Butler**  
*Sharon has been consulting for more than 25 years in the areas organisational change and leadership development initiatives. She works across government, not-for-profit and corporate sectors. In education, Sharon has worked with both government and Catholic schools in Victoria, NT and Tasmania.*
- Sharon started working in the area of Family School Partnerships 10 years ago and in 2007 was awarded a Churchill Trust Travelling Fellowship to explore how schools can more effectively engage families in their children’s learning. In 2013 she presented at the 16th international roundtable on Family School Partnerships in Vancouver.*
- In addition, Sharon is the Chair of the 100 Story Building, a social enterprise located in Melbourne’s west whose mission is to provide opportunities for the most marginalised children and young people in its community to build the literacy skills, confidence and sense of belonging that are fundamental to future success.*
- 11.15** **Morning Tea**
- 11:45** **Starting Age Discussion Panel**
- Participants:**
- DoE Secretary, Jenny Gale
  - Demographer, Amina Keygan
  - Jannette Armstrong, Tasmanians Say NO to a Lower School Starting Age
  - Executive Director, Devonport Childcare Centres, Mick Clark
  - Commissioner for Children TAS, Mark Morrissey
- 12.30** Announcements
- 12.45** **Lunch**
- 1.45** **AGM – Call to Order**
- Attendance & Apologies**
- Rules of Procedure**
- Adoption of Standing Orders
  - Appointment of Time Keepers & Scrutineers
  - Procedure for the Election of Management Committee
- Business of AGM**
- Confirmation of 2015 AGM Minutes
  - Business Arising from 2015 AGM Minutes
  - Election of Office Bearers & Committee Members
  - Notification of Items of General Business & late items
- Reports**
- President’s Report
  - Treasurer’s Report & appointment of Auditor
- 2.15** **Agenda Items**
- 3.15** Afternoon Tea
- 3.45** **Agenda Items**
- 4.45** Announcements
- 5.00** **Close**