Heritage Snap!

celebrating places that matter

City of LAUNCESTON Heritage Advisory Committee
Grade 3-6
St John’s Church
St John Street, Launceston

Zusong Bazaadut  age 9
Launceston Preparatory School

‘This picture is of the church I go to every Sunday to worship God’
Old style fence - timber
Launceston

'It has an olden day handle and a calm look.'

Isobel Broadhurst age 9
Launceston Preparatory School
Old style fence - wire
Launceston

‘The fence makes a stripy shape effect.’

Isobel Broadhurst  age 9
Launceston Preparatory School
Falling down fence

Launceston

Isobel Broadhurst age 9

Launceston Preparatory School

'It reminds me of bonfires in the olden days.'
Red brick, Black timber
Launceston

'It has a sprinkle of nature.'

Isobel Broadhurst  age 9
Launceston Preparatory School
'It looks like a place that hunters would have slept in, in the olden days.'
‘I like the way the design was made.’

Letter Box - Tyson House
Elphin Road, Launceston

Hollie Cullen  age 9
Launceston Preparatory School
'I like the way this is taken over the bushes.'

**The Overgrown Bushes**

East Launceston

Hollie Cullen   age 9

Launceston Preparatory School
Leafy Tyson House
Elphin Road, Launceston

Hollie Cullen  age 9
Launceston Preparatory School

‘This looks magical through the trees.’
I love the patterns on the archway.

Hollie Cullen  
age 9

LPS House - Front Door  
Elphin Road, Launceston

Launceston Preparatory School
Looking at Tyson House

Elphin Road, Launceston

Hollie Cullen  age 9

Launceston Preparatory School

‘I love the greenery and how you can see some of Tyson House.’
Side House
East Launceston

‘I like the sun room on the side of the house.’

Hollie Cullen  age 9
Launceston Preparatory School
The Grand House

East Launceston

'Hollie Cullen  age 9

Launceston Preparatory School

'This house looks grand but shows heritage.'
‘Through the branches it looks like there's a secret.’

Through the branches
East Launceston

Hollie Cullen  age 9
Launceston Preparatory School
‘The combination of leaves is very beautiful.’

The Looking Hole
East Launceston

Hollie Cullen    age 9
Launceston Preparatory School
‘Shows how the brick work was done and that it doesn't have that much colour.’

Through the Trees
East Launceston

Hollie Cullen   age 9
Launceston Preparatory School
‘This is a photo of one of the windows in the chapel at Launceston Church Grammar School, Mowbray. LCGS is the longest continuously running school in Australia and the chapel is a unique place of worship and community in the life of the school. It's important to me because I have recently started attending LCGS and am enjoying being part of it.’

Chapel Rose Window
LCGS, Mowbray

Caitlyn Goodacre  age 8
Launceston Church Grammar School
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Grammar Chapel
LCGS Mowbray

Caitlyn Goodacre  age 8
Launceston Church Grammar School
Leedya Khesang  age 11
Invermay Primary School

‘This photo of my school reminds me of my grandma's school in Bhutan. Our school is 130 years old’
‘This photo is of several old things and reminds me of stillness’

Weathered
Invermay

Leedya Khesang  age 11
Invermay Primary School
This photo really intrigued me. It looks like you are in Summer and Autumn is waiting for you.'
I really liked the angle I took this photo on. I also like the pillars and the stained glass windows.'
Next Door Neighbour Floral Photo
Elphin Road, Launceston

Elsie Miller  age 9
Launceston Preparatory School

‘I ABSOLUTELY love this picture. It really represents me and my personality. It is so pretty.’
'This photo looks very welcoming to me. I love the yellow door and the beautiful plants.'

Next Door Neighbour – Welcome surprise
Elphin Road, Launceston

Elsie Miller  age 9
Launceston Preparatory School
Richards Avenue – Autumn awaits
East Launceston

‘This photo reminds me of an Autumn landscape, the leaves are falling down and the trees are covering the to make it look cool.’

Elsie Miller  age 9
Launceston Preparatory School
‘The read leaves in this photo look really like it's Autumn time. They are creeping over the fence to make it look enchanted.’

Just over the fence
East Launceston

Elsie Miller  age 9
Launceston Preparatory School
'I really like the pepper tree in the background and only a little part of the house is showing. The pepper tree looks really natural and beautiful.'

Richards Avenue –  
In the shade of a Pepper Tree

East Launceston

Elsie Miller  age 9
Launceston Preparatory School
‘I absolutely LOVE this one too. The white roses represent winter and Tyson House in the background. It also represents me and my love of flowers.’

Tyson House – Winter Roses
East Launceston

Elsie Miller age 9
Launceston Preparatory School
Large Tree on the Corner of the Street

‘I took this photo because this tree is part of the heritage of the avenue.’

Jack Millwood  age 9
Launceston Preparatory School
I liked how the colours stand out in this photo. The Autumn colour change higher in the tree.

Mature trees in yard of old house

Jack Millwood  age 9
Launceston Preparatory School
‘I saw the pepper tree when we walked up the same road side as the tree but I wanted to take the photo from the other side of the road to get the whole tree in the photo.’

Pepper tree in front of house

Jack Millwood  age 9
Launceston Preparatory School
The not so yellow door
Elphin Road, East Launceston

Sienna Mullenger  age 11
Launceston Preparatory School

‘I like this photo because it looks naturally heritage and has lots of detail.’
‘I like this photo because it shows perspective with the fence and the house at the front and the house at the back.’

The front fence
Elphin Road, East Launceston

Sienna Mullenger  age 11
Launceston Preparatory School
The row of houses
Elphin Road, East Launceston

‘This picture has also got perspective and has a variety of colour.’

Sienna Mullenger age 11
Launceston Preparatory School
The homestead
Elphin Road, East Launceston

Sienna Mullenger  age 11
Launceston Preparatory School

‘I like the angle I took this photo is on.’
'I like how the photo has texture with the trees and bushes and then there's the house in the middle.'

Tyson House
Elphin Road, East Launceston

Sienna Mullenger  age 11
Launceston Preparatory School
The yellow tree
East Launceston

‘I like how the house is far away from the view and I like how it has natural autumn colours.’

Sienna Mullenger age 11
Launceston Preparatory School
Richard Avenue Autumn Garden  
East Launceston

William Price  age 10
Launceston Preparatory School

‘Dark Shadowy Garden’
Tyson House Stained Glass Window
East Launceston

‘Panes of stained glass’

William Price age 10
Launceston Preparatory School
The big brick wall has thick crosses along the wall.

Cross Wall
East Launceston

William Price  age 10
Launceston Preparatory School
‘Backyard picture beside a tree’

Backyard
East Launceston

William Price  age 10
Launceston Preparatory School
The angle of the house combined with the letterbox is a great photo.

Number 5
East Launceston

William Price  age 10
Launceston Preparatory School
A driveway taken at a strange angle.

Driveway
East Launceston

William Price  age 10
Launceston Preparatory School
This photo shows how fences have changed and it also has lots of nature.

Fenceline on Richards Avenue
East Launceston

Rosie Reed  age 11
Launceston Preparatory School
Nature in the Garden

East Launceston

‘It has a lot of different shapes and colours in the garden.’

Rosie Reed  age 11
Launceston Preparatory School
Light Fence – Nature’s Archway
East Launceston

Rosie Reed  age 11
Launceston Preparatory School

‘The garden archway stands out a lot against the white fence.’
The dark fence stands out a lot against the red brick and the trees.

Dark Fence
East Launceston

Rosie Reed  age 11
Launceston Preparatory School
I liked this empty garage.

Garage on Richards Avenue
East Launceston

Joseph Russnak  age 12
Launceston Preparatory School
'A tree in someone's backyard.'

Tree in yard
East Launceston

Joseph Russnak  age 12
Launceston Preparatory School
Old House next to Giant Tree
East Launceston

'House hidden behind trees.'

Joseph Russnak  age 12
Launceston Preparatory School
Tyson House
Elphin Road, East Launceston

Joseph Russnak  age 12
Launceston Preparatory School

‘Autumn tree in front of Tyson House.’
Tyson House Sign
Elphin Road, East Launceston

Joseph Russnak  age 12
Launceston Preparatory School

‘The Tyson House sign on red brick.’
House Hidden by Trees
East Launceston

Joseph Russnak  age 12
Launceston Preparatory School

‘House and trees under a blue Autumn sky.’
Grade 3-6
Commendations
Grade 3-6 Commendation

Jeremiah Billing  age 10
Invermay Primary School

‘This photo is of an old Examiner which we found at my school, my grandfather works at the Examiner. He is 62’

Connections
The Examiner Newspaper
New Life
Invermay Primary School

Jeremiah Billing  age 10
Invermay Primary School

‘This photo shows that new beginning’s can happen anywhere’
The Chimneys are from very separate rooms in the building and are a key to the age of the house, and so are the spiky pattern parts on top of the building.

Chimneys of Tyson House
Elphin Road, Launceston

James Corbould  age 10
Launceston Preparatory School
‘The green stained glass windows on the top of the picture window and the red brick arching around to make the bright yellow leaves stand out.’

Tyson House 1
Elphin Road, Launceston

James Corbould  age 10
Launceston Preparatory School
Fence of Fisheye
Elphin Road, Launceston

‘This photo was taken with a Go Pro with no actual fisheye effect, however it gives the impression that it was.’

James Corbould age 10
Launceston Preparatory School
Tyson House Feature
Elphin Road, Launceston

‘The design of the woodwork featured in this photo helps date the heritage of this building.’

James Corbould age 10
Launceston Preparatory School
'The house is surrounded in red brick with the cross on top, this is actually not part of the house but from the church behind it.'
Tyson House 2
Elphin Road, Launceston

James Corbould  age 10
Launceston Preparatory School

‘The door leads to our school and the pillars are made from brick and concrete.’
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Grade 3-6 Awards
Grade 3-6 Award - Joint Winner

The Princess
Brisbane Street, Launceston

Isobel Miller  age 10
St Thomas More's Primary School

'I have been performing at the Launceston Competitions for nearly seven years as a dancer. I get butterflies even walking past this building!'
Launceston is a special city with a diverse range of architectural styles. One gaze above the city on any corner reflects this.

Architectural Conglomerate
Cameron Street, Launceston

Isobel Miller  age 10
St Thomas More’s Primary School
Lord Escobar has created a miniature world of mystery - a little bit of Alice in Wonderland in the city of Launceston.

What’s Behind the Green Door?

Isobel Miller  age 10
St Thomas More’s Primary School
‘When I moved into the house I live in I loved the gate’

Reminds me of Home

Annie Howard  age 10
Launceston Preparatory School
‘It is beautiful in this garden’

Sneak Peak in Richard’s Avenue

Annie Howard  age 10
Launceston Preparatory School
I love walking out the front door of school (students don't usually use this door)

Annie Howard  age 10
Launceston Preparatory School
‘There is a beautiful tree in our front garden.’

Annie Howard  
Launceston Preparatory School

Tyson House  
Autumn 2019 - side on

Grade 3-6
The next door neighbour

Elphin Road, Launceston

‘The house next door to school is a beautiful house.’

Annie Howard  age 10
Launceston Preparatory School
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Grade 7-10
‘This photo was taken at Clarendon house in a room that would have originally it would have been the mistress of the houses tea room or escape from her children.’

*High Tea*
Clarendon House

Sananda Day age 12
St Patrick’s College
‘This photo was taken out side of clarendon house but before stables were there it was home to aboriginals for many years, later on it was the river that salmon was introduced in Tasmania.’

South Esk

Sananda Day age 12
St Patrick’s College
'This photo shows the back but still beautiful structure of Clarendon house. I think that the imperfection of the garden is even more pretty then the well maintained front. I love this garden and house and it is very important to keep this bit of history alive for more years to come as it not only tells the story of James Cox and his family but it tells the story of the slaves and maids that were made to work and live such a harsh and cruel life and of the aboriginals who were kicked out of their rightful home.'
Shirin Kilinc
age 15
St Patrick's College

Queen Victoria's Children Jubilee Fountain
City Park, Launceston

‘Found near the John Hart Conservatory in City Park, the fountain was built in 1897 to commemorate Queen Victoria's Diamond Jubilee (60 years of reign).

Every time I walk past the iconic fountain I am brought back to my childhood, running around City Park like many other children in Launceston.

City park celebrates Launceston's nature, culture and beauty.’

Shirin Kilinc  age 15
Launceston Church Grammar School
Art Gallery
Royal Park, Launceston

‘A beautiful building containing a beautiful collection of old and new art.

Sam Miller age 12
'City Park is a special place to escape to in the heart of the city.'

*Park Life*

City Park, Launceston

Sam Miller  age 12
Lest We Forget
Royal Park, Launceston

‘A monument to honour those who gave all for our quality of life.’

Sam Miller age 12
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Grade 7-10
Commendations
Grade 7-10 Commendation

‘This building could be in Gotham City its distinctive vertical features and dynamic lines suggest speed, motion and perspective, appropriate to its original use as a car showroom.’

Gotham City
Duncan House, Launceston

Sanden Cook  age 15
Riverside High School
The industrial buildings along the North Esk River are the remains of the history of technology and industry. Their rich coloured brickwork, simple functional shapes and primary colours make them important buildings in our city.

*Industrial Remains*  
Launceston

*Sanden Cook*  
Riverside High School  
age 15
'Glimpses of the Launceston Post Office clock tower appear in unexpected places and if not seen its chimes can be heard.

The sound has as much heritage importance as its form as it has been heard in the city for over 100 years.'
‘After years of controversy, Launceston's C.H. Smith site has finally been given a new lease of life, linking the city's proud past with an exciting future. The redevelopment of the site proves it is possible to preserve the historic spirit of the city while providing for the needs of a progressive community.’

REBORN: Launceston's C.H. Smith building standing proud

Thomas Page  age 12
St Patrick’s College
‘Overlooking City Park, Sunnybank, at 15 Brisbane Street, Launceston, is one of the city's oldest surviving buildings. Built in 1824 by Englishman William Effingham Lawrence, it may not be a grand building but it's a reminder of our city's rich past.’

1824: Sunnybank
at 15 Brisbane Street, Launceston

Thomas Page  age 12
St Patrick’s College
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Grade 7-10 Award
'This hidden piece of history in Genders lane is full of detail with diamond pattern brickwork, pointed wall bracing posts and a Victorian hoist.

Not many spaces feel like you are transported back in time as in Genders lane.'
‘Is it a building or is it a TV there are even dials to turn it on, change the channel and volume.

This place matters as its design reflects its original purpose and it has the ability to make you smile.’
‘It is easy to forget to look up but Launceston's Victorian heritage is most interesting above the street awnings.

The detail in the extravagant cornices and mouldings is best captured in the winter sunlight.’

Theo Cook  age 13
Riverside High School

Cornices and Mouldings
Heritage Snap! 2019

Grade 11-12 Awards
Grade 11-12
Joint Award

‘The mirrored reflection of Chalmer’s Church on St John Street, Launceston.’

Pheobe Saunders  age 17
St Patrick’s College

Chalmers Church  Launceston
‘The mirrored reflection of Chalmer's Church on St John Street, Launceston.’

Decaying Church  Launceston

Pheobe Saunders  age 17
St Patrick's College
‘Launceston is fortunate to have many styles different of architecture and Chalmers is an excellent example of the flamboyant gothic revival style. These buildings must be cherished to allow Launceston to maintain this unique standing as having a seamless blend of old and new.’

Alexandra Phillips  age 17
Scotch Oakburn College

Grade 11-12 - Joint Award

Chalmers in the Sun
‘Homes such as these are the hidden gems of Launceston. Whilst they may fly under the radar it is unique building such as these, steeped in history, that make Launceston a special place to live.’

The Terraces
St John Street, Launceston

Alexandra Phillips  age 17
Scotch Oakburn College
'Prince's Square, established in 1858 from a disused brick field, provides an inviting green space close to the CBD for all to enjoy. It is areas such as this that need to be cherished more than ever in the wake of a new age in which climate change is at the forefront.'

The Square
Princes Square, Launceston

Alexandra Phillips  age 17
Scotch Oakburn College