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### **‘Water for me, Water for all’ poster prize winners**

This year’s annual TasWater Water Week Poster Competition prizes have been announced for the Hobart area with winners being presented with their prizes at the Glenorchy Library.

Students from 25 primary schools across the state entered the competition, TasWater receiving more than 300 entries based on the National Water Week theme for this year, ‘Water for me, Water for all.’

Education Officer Teleah Healy has been absolutely delighted with the participation in TasWater’s fifth annual poster competition.

“The students through their entries have all demonstrated a real awareness of the importance of water in our everyday life and consideration for how we use water and what we can do to protect our water environments and resources for the future.”

“Here in Tasmania it is easy to take our flushing toilets, running taps and hot showers for granted but across the globe 2.1 billion people lack access to safe, readily available drinking water.”

“The quality of the posters meant that judging was not easy and all students should be very proud of their work.” Teleah said.

Hobart area students took out first place in all class categories from Prep through to Grade 6 with Albie de Gooyer of Lauderdale Primary, Glover Howells from Campbell Street Primary, Molly Galbraith of Rokeby’s Emmanuel Christian School and Home Schooler, Kathleen Bosveld of Collinsvale, each winning a Samsung Tablet.

Lexie Warfewood of Campbell Street Primary, Oskar Willson of Howrah Primary and Home Schooler Jonathan Coles of Austins Ferry took out second place prizes for their posters with Lindisfarne North Primary’s Sephanie Standfield and Ella Zieserl from Emmanuel Christian School in Rokeby winning prizes for third place.

Prizes were awarded at a presentation at the Glenorchy Library with posters displayed at the Hobart, Glenorchy and Huonville Libraries.

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