TASSIE MUMS

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Coats for Kids Update

A great big thank you to everyone that has been involved and supported Tassie Mums - Coats for Kids 2025. All 17 Coles Stores in Tasmania supported this initiative for the second year in a row.

Our volunteers are busy sorting and counting coats with the current count sitting at 635. We still have collections coming in and are sure to meet our target!

210 clothing bundles went out in May and all included a warm coat! Thanks to our generous donars who help keep our most vulnerable kids warm this Winter.



Tassie Mums is inviting our supporters to celebrate our upcoming 10th birthday this EOFY by helping us raise

10k in 10 days

Kicking off on Thursday June 12th













Big Day of Circular Living

The end of March saw Tassie Mums attend the Big Day of Circular Living in South Hobart to share all the ways we practice sustainability. It was a very busy day and we enjoyed sharing all that we do, even with guest speaker Costa!

Did you know that in 2024/25 Tassie Mums diverted 160,000 items of children's clothing from landfill?!

We accept open packets of nappies to rehome, have supported 94 families to try cloth

nappies in the last 2 years and love our community of sewers who are absolute gems at upcycling and repairing.



Tassie Mums Founder, Clair Harris at the Big Day of Circular Living

> "These boxes of clothes are amazing my three little ones got a box and it's got a little bit of everything in there, very happy with what we got, kids love their new clothes, everything looks brand new so thank you kindly"

-Recipient feedback, May 2025

We Love Feedback

For all things Tassie Mums or to provide your own feedback as a donor or recipient please visit

tassiemums.org



<u>Officeworks Make a Difference Appeal</u>

We are thrilled to announce Officeworks Hobart & Launceston store teams have chosen to support Tassie Mums this June with their Make a Difference Appeal.

Look out for our posters in store and don't forget to ask an Officeworks team member how you can get involved when you're shopping at Officeworks.



We absolutely love all the amazing handmade items we receive at Tassie Mums and the 99 beanies Bev knitted for Tassie Mums caught the attention of community with Hobart Mercury covering the story too! Read the full article here; KNITTING NAN BEV A TRUE PURLER

If you have sewing or kitting skills please visit our <u>MAKERS</u> page to see how you can get involved and support Tassie kids.

<u>Thank you Bev!</u>



With thanks to our Annual Sponsors









Trolley Grant

Tassie Mums would like to thank the Department of Premier and Cabinet for their recent support. We were able to purchase much needed trolleys that allow us to move donations around HQ safely.

Thank you to Jacquie Petrusma and Marcus Vermey for visiting and putting our application forward.



TASSIE MUMS STICKER

Whether you stick it on your car, laptop, drink bottle, lunch box or notebook these delightful decals are more than just eye-catching; they represent hope, kindness, and the power of giving back.

By supporting this cheerful sticker, you'll not only brighten your day but also help Tassie Mums provide vital support to children and their families in need.



Help us reach our fundraising goals and donate your drink containers today



<u>May</u> <u>Snapshot</u>



PROVIDED **275** TASMANIAN **BABIES + CHILDREN** WITH ESSSENTIAL ITEMS INCLUDING CLOTHING PACKS, SHOES, COATS AND UNDERWEAR.





OF GOODS SUPPLIED





SUPPORTED **93 ORGANISATIONS** IN **19 COUNCIL AREAS**.