

#### 28th June 2017 Term 2 No 9

We have finally managed to have a morning of hockey instruction with Hamish from Hockey Southland. Every time he was to come out it was very wet and cold and then he was sick so we were so pleased to meet him on Tuesday. All children had a session learning hockey skills. We have another morning booked on Thursday and two more next week so everyone will be well on the way to knowing the basics of playing hockey by the holidays. He is impressed with our turf which is a lot more even since we had a top dressing of sand put on it last term.

Our House Leaders have organised a Chess, Draughts, and Connect Four competition held on Thursday Lunchtimes. They do such a good job of organising the younger students. It is great to see the children playing these games, in particular Chess. Some of our experts are happy to teach others how to play if they wish.

The teachers have been writing reports and these will be coming home with them at the end of next week. These will be followed with Learning Conferences at the start of next Term.

Next week our Year 7 & 8 students will take part in an inaugural Zone day for seniors. This has been organised by our Zone Co-ordinator, Snow and looks like a lot of fun. It will be an opportunity to get to know other students that they will meet at High School and to try out a number of activities.

You are welcome to come along and support the Year 8 students playing netball against the Staff on Thursday lunchtime next week. This has been a lot of fun over the last couple of years and I'm sure it will be again this year.

Ka kite ano Kate Stevenson

Principal

"Remember this, the choices you make in life, make you." John Wooden

#### Calendar of Events:

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Thursday 29th June	- Hockey Skills
Friday 30th June	- Sausage Sizzle
Tuesday 4 <sup>th</sup> July	- Hockey Skills
Wednesday 5th July	- Zone Year 7 & 8 Day
Thursday 6th July	- Hockey Skills
Thursday 6th July	- Year 8 v's Staff Netball – 12 noon
Friday 7th July	- Assembly – 2.20 – 3.00pm
Friday 7th July	- Winter Hours end
Friday 7th July	- Last Day Term 2
Tuesday-Wednesday 18th-19th July – Menzies College Netball Camp Yrs 5-8	
Monday 24 <sup>th</sup> July	- First Day Term 3
Monday 24th July	- Book Bus

### Class Reports:

Room Tahi: We have been learning about Matariki and making some artwork with Room Rua. Everyone is enjoying the Hockey coaching with Hamish.

Room Rua: This week we have started learning about probability and the chance of something happening. We have been using the words certain, possible and impossible. We have also been learning about sketching and how to shade. We have completed our shark sketches this week.

Room Toru: We enjoyed hockey with Hamish yesterday and are looking forward to another session tomorrow. We will be sharing our speeches next week. Room Wha: We enjoyed our first hockey session with Hamish yesterday. We have further ones on Thursday this week and Tuesday and Thursday next week. We have started writing our speeches so make sure you ask us about these. Room Rima: is having a shared lunch next Wednesday to celebrate our class reward.

The School Enviro Group is selling "worm juice" from our worm farm. We are asking for a donation of \$3 or more for a 2L bottle of worm juice. This juice needs to be diluted down at a ratio of 1:10 and is great on the garden. If you are interested in buying some please contact the School Office or Kate Jarvie kate@tokanui.school.nz. Thanks for your support.

If you have any unwanted Tokanui School hoodies or want to order a second hand hoodie (\$10) then please contact Beth 2468 558

#### Tokanui Home & School Quiz Raffle Roster 5th July Tokanui Swimming Pool

12th July Toi Tois Lions 19th July Tokanui Home & School



Tokanui Home & School new updated telephone lists are now available from School Office- \$10 per list.

Zone Sports News A Facebook Group called 'Southern Zone Schools Sport' has been started; it will have useful information, draws, news and some photos on it.

Entertainment Books - If you would like to purchase a copy please go here http://www.entbook.co.nz/9b31766 or please contact Angela on 2468 741 to purchase one through making a bank deposit or chq or cash. Cost \$60



### Southland Primary Schools Cross Country Results

Congratulations to Germain Manson 13yr boys 5th and Brook Strang 10yr girls 9th

## Southland Shooters' Holiday Basketball Programme

July 12th, 13th, & 14th, July ILT Stadium Southland A fun development opportunity for girls and boys from Years 3-10.

Registrations due by Thursday July 6th. Spaces are limited. Years 3 - 6, Wednesday 12th & 13th July 9.30am-3.00pm \$60 per child (100 for 2 siblings, \$140 for 3 siblings) Years 7 – 10, Friday 14th July 9.00am-3.00pm \$35 per child (\$60 for 2 siblings, \$85 for 3 siblings) Registration form with fee to

## dan@basketballsouthland.co.nz

Internet banking No: 03-1750-0494294-00 (Child's name in Reference, "Holiday" in Code) Cheque to Southland Basketball Association, Stadium Southland, PO Box 22, Invercargill 9840

## Firewood for Sale

## DRY BLUE GUM firewood

\$60/m proceeds to Toe Toes Pool

Contact Cheryl Leith 027 2468 721 or Roger Buckingham 2468 434

### **Toe Toes Pool Kevs**

A huge thank you to the Tokanui Food Centre for issuing the casual keys during our swimming season. Can all keyholders please return their keys to the school office ASAP. Thanks.

### Menzies College Netball Camp for Years 5-8

The Club is offering this fun filled overnight camp again in the second week of the holidays-Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> to Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> July at Menzies College. \$100 registration includes food, prizes, goody bags and Camp T-shirt. Coaching and supervision provided by Menzies College parents and students, Netball South Development officers.

For enquiries and registration form contact camp coordinator Sue Shaw rb.sishaw@velocitynet.co.nz / 03 292 4412

The 13th Annual Southland Social Sciences Fair is on now at the Invercargill Workingmen's Club. 9.00-5.00pm. There are around 240 exhibits on a huge variety of subjects. The fair finishes 3.00pm Saturday. Late night Friday to 8.00pm. Free entry.

Fly and Spider Control (locally based) are in your area, treatments for flies, spiders, borer, clusterfies etc for any more information you can ring Glenis on 0800 277 933 or email pestcontrol@thenet.net.nz





Rugby Jersey Roster 8th Sandra Earwaker Missv MacRae

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Tokanui Medical Centre - Phone 2468 850 12<sup>th</sup> July - Abraham

Doctor Days:



26<sup>th</sup> July - Abraham Flu vaccinations will be available on these days. You don't have to be enrolled in this practice to have this vaccination at Tokanui. Please contact Balclutha Medical Centre to make an appointment and for repeat prescriptions - (03) 4190 400 Anyone wanting a smear test, contact the Tokanui Medical Centre

Emergencies phone 111 Ambulance, Fire and Police.

# OPEN DAY AT SOUTHLAND GIRLS' HIGH SCHOOL

Thursday, 3 August 2017. School - 3.30pm to 7.00pm Hostel - 2.00pm - 4.00pm All welcome.

Thank you to all our local supporters once again for their very kind donations towards Tokanui / Waimahaka Plunket. Your generosity has brought \$1300.00 for our local families so we can continue providing for our 0-5's. A little goes a long way and our youngest generation are reaping rewards from the music and movement and swimming sessions we are able to provide. We really appreciate it from the bottom of our hearts.

And thank you to our local mums who volunteered their time organising and who got out and collected, amazing team work.

We would also like to thank those families who supported through the school and donated for 'Pedal for Plunket', the money that was raised for National Plunket (not local) but will benefit us by helping pay for our awesome Plunket Nurses.

If there are any new families to our districts that would like to know more about Tokanui / Waimahaka Plunket and when we hold our sessions, please do get in touch with either myself, Dee McKenzie 03 246 8333 or Darlene McCabe 03 246 8377

# The General Election is on 23<sup>rd</sup> September 2017.

We are seeking people to work at Advance Voting Places as well as in Voting Places on Election Day and casual staff at Electorate headquarters before, on and after Election Day.

We encourage you to apply online at

http://www.elections.org.nz/events/2017-generalelection/working-2017-general-election .

For more information about these roles, email recruitment@elections.govt.nz or contact us at our local headquarters, contact details below. Applications close when all roles are filled.

# Curio Bay Christian Fellowship

Sharing the love of Jesus Meeting 1st and 3rd Sunday of each month July  $2^{nd}$  and July  $10^{th}$  ~ Service 10.30am All Welcome John & Jenny 2468 722 June 2468 363



This week's joke: Teacher: I thought I told you to stand at the end of the line! Student: I did sir, but there was someone there already!

## Waikawa Museum

Hello all, just letting you all know that next Monday (3<sup>rd</sup> July) we will be spring cleaning at the Museum from 10.00am – 3.00pm, so if you can find any time to come down and help, even if just for a little while that would be greatly appreciated. Thanks





Otara Church Service Sunday 9 July, 2.00 pm. Afternoon tea to follow. All welcome. Inquiries to Barbara Morrison. Phone 2468 404

Pilates in Tokanui Hall Wednesdays, 9.30am Scientifically designed to tone you up and stretch you out. If you're stiff and have a sore back or knee, then save yourself a trip to town: Try my Pilates first!

brucethomson@btpilates.co.nz





COFFEE CATCH UP TO SAY FAREWELL TO SANDY SMITH after many years of taking music and movement to our under 5's we are very sad to say goodbye to Sandy and her family. It would be great to see as many PAST and PRESENT families

that have reaped the reward of her teaching your little ones at 11am in the Tokanui Fire Brigade, Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> June. BYO plate, tea, coffee etc supplied. See you there.

> Anyone who wants wet weather pants Size 3XL, Oringi still have Field Days Special of \$30 per pair Contact Chris & Gen Bousfield 06 836 6474 oringipw@xtra.co.nz

Catlins Coast Inc AGM to be held on the 6<sup>th</sup> July 7.30pm at the Papatowai Fire Station. All welcome. Apologies to Dianne 03 4158 669 or Robyn 03 4158 013.

JAMES HARGEST COLLEGE OPEN DAY

at the Junior Campus Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> July 12.30pm – 2.30pm (Please allow an hour)





The Annual Meeting of South Catlins Charitable Trust will be held in the RSA Hall Tokanui, Thursday, 29<sup>th</sup> June 2017 at 7.00pm Trustee retiring by rotation but available for re-election. Greta Buckingham

**ODD SPOT**: The initials M.G. on the famous cars stands for Morris Garage



Southern Reap is coordinating a Workplace First Aid training workshop in Gorge Road on Thursday 16th November 2017 with St John. Attain St John First Aid Level 1 Certificate (valid for two years)

Venue: Gorge Road Country Club Cost: \$100 per person

## Tokanui Junior Rugby Draw



Rippa: 10:30am Bluff four square VS Titiroa Transport Tokanui Bluff 1A

10:30am Blues Gee Dee Electrical VS Tokanui Bistro Tokanui U8: Blues 2B

U9: 10:15am Star Mon Stars VS Borlase dipping Tokanui Star 1B U10: 9:45am Todd Pierce Stainless Steel Welding and Fabrication Myross Bush VS Callahan Transport Tokanui Myross Bush Hall 2B



Hockey this week with Hamish

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