

# Term 4 No 1 17<sup>th</sup> October 2018

# Ngā mihi o koanga - Greetings for spring.

Welcome to the last term of the year. School will be finishing for the year at the Break Up on Monday 17th December. We have started the term with a number of new faces enrolled. Welcome to our new students who have started or will be starting over the next few weeks.

We are looking forward to Pet Day on Friday. The weather should improve tomorrow and by Friday we should be seeing a bit more sunshine and reaching 17 degrees. The grounds are very wet so please only drive in vehicles that really need to be on the grounds and keep to the outside of the fields. I expect this will be the horses and the odd trailer. The rest will need to drop pets and gear off and then park down the hill.

Our hockey coach was down from Dunedin on Tuesday to work with the children again. It was a bit wet first thing and cold but we are making up for sessions missed last term. We still have a couple more to go.

The Life Education Truck will be here in week three and I hope to run a parent session as part of this so that you have the opportunity to come in and see what the truck is all about and you can meet Theresa, the educator. The truck has awesome technology to bring the lessons to life and of course Harold the Giraffe will be there to support the children's learning. The Lions are wonderful sponsors of this programme and Sue Poole is on the committee for our area.

The children will be learning about: How to be a good friend - Juniors, Making the right choice - Miss McKenzie's children, Body care - Team Whero, Peer pressure - Team Karaka How the brain works - Team Papura. Ka pai to wiki and I will see many of you at Pet Day.

Regards Kate Stevenson Principal

"Life is better when you're laughing!"

## Address for newsletter advertisements

patricia@tokanui.school.nz

Advertisements cost \$5 each and to be at School Office or above address by 12 noon on the Tuesday.

## Calendar of Events:

Friday 19<sup>th</sup> October Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> October Monday 29-31st October Tuesday 30th October Friday 9th November Monday 17<sup>th</sup> December

-	Pet Day
-	Labour Day
-	Life Education Van
-	Board of Trustees Meeting – 7.30pm
_	Southern Zone Football Tournament

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- Last Day of School 2018 and Breakup

# Hot Lunches

Please only send heat-ups that can go in the pie warmer. No microwave heat ups or noodles. It has become very time consuming for support staff to make these non-nutritional lunches that come with various instructions. Sorry for any inconvenience.

## Class Reports:

Team Kikorangi/Kowhai: We welcome Zekaia and Shaynae Hansen to our room this week and we farewell Jack, James and Harry who are moving up to Team Whero on Thursday. We are busy making our clay art for Pet Day. Please remember to bring your pet diaries to school by Thursday.

Team Whero: We started off the term experimenting with Roald Dahl's Foaming Fizzy Potion, it fizzed, frothed and swizzled with a swirl of a teaspoon. We mixed baking soda, dishwashing liquid, food colouring, and lemon juice; plain old pantry items lead to instructional writing. As a follow up we are writing instructions about caring for our pets for Pet Day.

Team Karaka: We would like to welcome Mackenzy Hansen to Team Karaka. Lots of exciting things are happening this term. We are currently working on clay animals for pet day.

Team Papura: have been working on their clay art for Pet Day. We are looking forward to Pet Day on Friday. We are doing Food Technology at Menzies College this term. We are looking forward to eating our creations. Good luck to Ruby, Kaelan, Quinn and Hazel at the Eastern Southland Golf Tournament on Thursday.

Odd Spot: The average human body contains enough phosphorous to make 2,200 match heads

If you wish to subscribe to our online newsletter, please go to Tokanui.school.nz what's on: newsletter and subscribe.

Zone Sports News: The Facebook Group called "Southern Zone Schools Sport" has useful information. Draws, news and some photos on it for those in Zone teams.

## Below are the dates for our Zone events for 2018

Football Tournament Friday 9<sup>th</sup> November – Tbc – run by Tokanui

## Tokanui Medical Centre – Phone 2468 850

Doctor Days: Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> October - 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.

Niagara Hall 90th birthday celebrations November 17<sup>th</sup>, 8.00pm Dance with the theme 1920s Prize for best dressed \$8.00 per person. Tickets available Ph 03 2469 566 or 03 246 8402 B Y O Drink and Supper Good Music and entertainment





Curio Bay Christian Fellowship Sharing the love of Jesus Sunday Service 10.30am All Welcome Ceila & Paul Watson

Grazing Available Dairy heifers and Calf grazing **Experienced Grazier** Rob Dean 0274 424 859

# Southern District Arts Trust:

Tokanui Christmas Choir Starting up on Friday 19th of October 7:30pm at the Library in Tokanui School New and existing members very welcome Anette Macdonald 2468 497

Feed getting short? Hogget grazing available Rob Dean 0274 424 859





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#### \*FOR SALE\*

Willet Discs - 12 ft, hydraulic wheels Good order - Offers Fire Wood logs available, 2WD access Ph 027 2468 781

#### Southern District Arts Trust

Greenstone Workshop with Gavin Thompson Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> October Come and make your own "Pounamu" (Greenstone pendant) Stone provided Please contact Janice 03 2469 566 for more info

## Pilates:

Btpilates bookings are now open for Pilates Term 4 at Tokanui **Pilates:** Tokanui Hall Wednesdays, 9.30am

- 10 weeks \$120
- 5 weeks \$70 (plus casual price for workouts over and above five visits)
- Pay as you go \$16.00



Winter Menu 9.00am - Finish Open 7 Days Sunday Roast \$20 Sundays 12.00-2.00pm Strictly Coffee All day Cabinet Food Set menu options for groups Dinner Bookings Recommended The World Class Gateway Experience Pop in and see Ange and the friendly team www.curioscape.co.nz - phone number: (03) 246 8897

This week's joke: Why don't anteaters get sick? Because they are full of antibodies!



Arborist available for your tree maintenance and landscaping Based out of Tahakopa and keen for work Phone Will on 03 2807 501

A casual position is vacant to help our existing manager with housekeeping duties at our accommodation properties at Curio Bay. Hours will vary according to bookings. Applicants will need to be trustworthy and reliable. No experience is necessary. For further information please contact Brendan on 027 6262910 or email <u>curiobaysalthouse@gmail.com</u>



AGM Fortrose Cemetery Committee 24 October 2018, 8pm, at Scott McKenzie's home. Apologies- Philip Golden 027 436 9743

Southland Shooters – Term 4 – ILT Stadium Southland Years 1 & 2 – Mondays 4.00pm – 4.45pm 29<sup>th</sup> October, 5<sup>th</sup>, 12<sup>th</sup>, 19<sup>th</sup>, 26<sup>th</sup> November & 3<sup>rd</sup> December Years 3 & 4 – Thursdays 4.00pm – 5.00pm 25<sup>th</sup> October, 1<sup>st</sup>, 8<sup>th</sup>, 15<sup>th</sup>, 22<sup>nd</sup> & 29<sup>th</sup> November \$75 with singlet/\$50 without For more info and to register www.basketballsouth.co.nz/shooters



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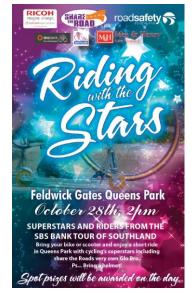
\$5 per family. All Welcome. Enquiries ph. 03 246 9739 **Restore & Rebalance in the Catlins -- 'Coming Home' Mindfulness Meditation Retreat, 2nd-4th November.** Dur daily lives can leave us feeling disconnected from ourselves and others, getting caught up in busyness, habits and behaviours which cause distress. On this silent, weekend retreat learn and practice mindfulness with Di Robertson, co-founder of Southern Insight Meditation in Christchurch. For more info contact Rene 027 6878 II3 or <u>renetherapy@gmail.com</u>

#### Win with Ricoh and Road Safety Southland.

We have a "Win a bike Competition". Mums and Dads can download the Southland App and enter their child on the link below. We have four Bikes to giveaway with helmets and highvis vests!! Clink on the link below. The click on the Tour of Southland icon and enter!

## https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=com.app.p9605GI&h l=en

Then we have the "Riding with the Stars" happening on Sunday the 28<sup>th</sup> October starting at 2.00pm from Feldwick Gates where we will have all sorts of prizes and giveaways for the kids!



### **Goldilocks and the Three Bears**

Once upon a time there was a little girl called Goldilocks and she saw a house. She knocked on the door, but nobody was there, so she opened the door and there were three bowls on the table. After that she sat on baby bears chair and she broke the chair. She got tired and she walked up the stairs. She lay down on baby bears bed and she said, "This is just right"! Story by Honor McCabe



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