TENNIS REVIEW

Last Friday, eleven keen tennis players represented our school at the Central Primary School Tennis Champs in Winton. It was a perfect day for tennis and all players gave their best effort and had some great games. The following players have made it through to the Southland Primary Champs next Wednesday, boys at Gore and girls at Waihopai Invercargill.

Year 7 & 8 boys - Harry Clark, Jack Churstain
Year 5 & 6 boys - Ryan Munro, Cameron Scully
Year 5 & 6 girls - Jade Hamilton

Well done to everyone who competed and good luck to those that are playing next Wednesday.

TAILING

Last Friday we tailed the school lambs. I had the school camera set up on the tripod and an ipad over there filming so that it could be used for next year’s science fair involving tailing. We tailed all the lambs except one because it was too big. Eddie, Leon, Luke and Brooke F all got to tail some of the lambs. We only used rings to tail the lambs this year. From this year’s science fair project I found out that sheep and lambs feel pain but I think lambs should still be tailed because my first science fair project was on tailing and the lambs that were tailed weighed more at the end. It provided entertainment for the juniors who came over and watched.

Thank you to Mrs Shaw who helped with the tailing and taught some of us how to tail the lambs.

By Maisie Smith

WHAT’S ON DIARY

October
27th - Enviro Hui Borland
27th - Home & School meeting 7pm
28th - Nga Putangitangi 10.20am
31st - Pet Show

November
1st Nov - Western round of Golf - Riverton
2nd - Rm 3/4/5 Ice Skating/Swimming Trip
7th - BOT Meeting 7pm
10th - Book bus
21st - 23rd - Rm 6 Camp Columba
22nd & 23rd - Christmas Pantomime Rm 7/8
28th-1st Dec - Rm 7&8 Dunedin Camp

December
2nd - Sports Activator Tournament
5th-7th - Rm7&8 Riverton Rotations
6th - Rm4&7 School Overnight Camp
15th - Prizegiving TBC
19th - Last day for Y0-7
20th - Last day for Y8
FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK
principal@limehills.school.nz

Congratulations to all the children involved in Putangitangi. They are really lifting the bar for our kapa haka group and setting a legacy of high performance standards for future groups to achieve and hopefully further improve. Special thanks to Whaea Marlu and Whaea Maryse for all their help.

Excitement is also building for Pet Day. As you would expect, the senior kids are doing an outstanding job of organising this special event. Thanks to the committee for all the hard work they are doing. It promises to be another ripper event!

End of 2015 year trophies
Please return all trophies to the office.

Weekly Awards
Congratulations to all those that received awards this week.

Writers - Jonty Pyle
Readers - Savarna McKee
A+ Attitude - Liam Ankerson
Maths - Frinz Catli
Student of the Week-Mia Harper
School Pride - Flynn Roskam

ALERTS
- Home & School meeting tomorrow 7pm in the staffroom.
- Scholastic orders due in on Friday.
- Uniform orders due in on Friday.
- Putangitangi on Friday.
- Pet Day alerts
  1. No buses in the afternoon
  2. Best Dressed Pet/Owner
  3. Raffle Prizes - please bring unsold cards back.
  4. Dad’s Bake Off

LOVE LETTERS
Some people in Room 7 and 8 in SVA time have been doing love letters for people in the children's ward at Southland Hospital. The love letters have pictures that are to do with the letter meaning if one of the children in hospital name starts with a ‘k’ the love letter would have a kite on it. After they have been coloured in then they are put on different coloured card. These love letters will be delivered to Southland hospital next Friday.

By Brooke Anderson

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From Manigha Laing

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SWIMMING NEWS
Over Labour Weekend I had swimming races. It was long course racing. 50 metres backstroke was my first race. I got a 3rd placing and then carried on to my next race, the 200 breaststroke. Again I got a 3rd placing. After I had a rest and some food I raced in the 50m breaststroke. I got a 3rd again, but I got a big p.b. (personal best) of 22 seconds. My last race for the day was the 100m backstroke. I remember it very clearly. I was getting ready, the whistle has gone, take your marks.... go! I am in the water, I am off racing going as fast as I can go. I see Millie, my best friend, she is doing so well. We are side by side at the flags then she is in front. I am trying so hard to catch up. She placed first and I placed second. I hugged her and congratulated her because she did so well. We did so good this weekend. I am so proud of myself and I am so proud of Millie. That was my swimming weekend. By Amie Pratt

YOUTH ART PROJECT
The Muka Youth Prints project is a touring arts programme and was started and is funded by husband and wife team Frans Beaters and Magda Van Gils. Children aged 5-18 can choose up to three works. The unframed prints cost $70 each. “The idea is that the work becomes...the property of the young people themselves...so that there are now thousands of people in New Zealand with valuable collections of art which they have chosen themselves.”

Southland Museum & Art Gallery, Invercargill Friday Oct 28 10am - 4.30pm
Eastern Southland Gallery, Gore, Saturday, Oct 29 10am - 6pm

COMMUNITY NEWS
Touch Southland are looking for more U14 girls for the Southland U14 mixed team based in Winton. They will train in Winton on Friday’s after the primary school touch and one other training in the weekend TBC. If you are interested please contact Touch Southland. Touch Southland are happy to run a trial after Touch on Friday if there is enough demand.

SAFETY REMINDER
We have been notified by some of our key holders of several occasions where children have been in the pool, unsupervised.
- Please remember that all children under 18 must be supervised in the pool by the responsible key holder (or another adult) at all times.
- Furthermore children under 14 must be "actively supervised" at all times which means the responsible adult is able to provide immediate assistance.
- Please do not let other children into the pool facility without a key or a responsible adult.

Thank you
Limehills Community Pool Committee

Limehills Community Pool
The pool is open from 6am to 10pm, only closed during school hours (9am-3pm Mon-Fri Term time), for swimming lessons (Mon & Thurs 3pm to 6:30pm) or for maintenance.
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