

WEEK 5, TERM 1 NEWSLETTER

Notices:

2023 Term Dates:

Term 1: 7th February to 6th April

Term 2: 26th April to 30th June

Term 3: 17th July to 22 September

Term 4: 9th October to 20th Dec

School closed for the following dates:

Teacher Only Day 24th April (day 1 of 2 days from the MoE to train for the NZ Curriculum Refresh, 2nd day tbc)

Anzac Day 25th April

Kings birthday 5th June

Labour Day 23rd October

Teacher Only Day 20th November

Assembly this week

Upcoming events:

March

14th Central Athletics

14th Jubilee Meeting 7pm

21st 7.30pm Home & School meeting at Limehills School

22nd Southland Kids Lit Quiz

23rd Steel Netball visiting

24th Yr7 Vision Screening

25th Southland Athletics

28th Yr8 HPV vaccines

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April

6th End of Term Assembly

BE SEEN - Wear Hi-Vis

Please send your child to school with a hi-vis vest to ensure they are seen and safe with our busy bus & vehicle traffic!

Lost Property:

Kia ora e te whānau,

Thank you to everyone for making athletics day such a huge success. It was fabulous to see so many children happy, smiling, enjoying taking part and showing sportsmanship! The 5YA building project is well and truly underway, the asphalt has been laid out the back of room 8 in the quad area. I look forward to seeing all the children having fun in this area. The ramp & junior entrance/exit is beginning to take shape also. Room 5 & 6 breakout space is progressing well and will be a fantastic space for our tamariki!



Ngā manaakitanga,

Whaea Kat
Tumuaki (Principal)

Senior School News



Room 5 and 6

We have been experimenting with a number of science projects as part of their Mahere Ako learning. So far we have had fireworks in a glass, dancing raisins, exploding coke and investigating density with oil! We were also lucky on Monday afternoon to have an interview with Black Farn Ruby Tui as part of our inquiry project "thinking like an athlete".

Room 7 and 8

We have been working at developing our skills leading up to the Athletics with goals of qualifying for Central. In our Literacy we have been writing "Vignettes" on a variety of topics. We have also been setting up our SVA groups, focusing on our goals and clearing the canvas for this year.

We are already seeing a pile of lost property starting to stack up. **We ask that you label your child's belongings with their name.** This makes it easier to return lost items. Lost property will be displayed at the end of the week on the picnic table near the office. We would really like to reunite the owners with their lost property.

Contact Details:

It is crucial for us as a school to have up to date contact information. Please ensure the office has updated details or the correct details. A form will be coming home with your child shortly, please return the form to the office. Thank you.

Principal Certificates:

Awarded for Excellent Leadership

- Angus Collie
- Ryan McKenzie
- Sienna Saunders

Awarded for Respect

- Terrence Alonso
- Archer McDowall

Awarded for Integrity

- Ava Marnane

Awarded for Perseverance

- Sophia McKibbin

Awarded for Empathy

- Marika O'Brien

Awarded for Sportsmanship

- Hunter Roskam

Yr5 & 6 Rippa Tournament

A special thank you to Chris Brand for supporting our team. We are grateful for the Rippa Tournament, the students had lots of fun!



Limehills/Dipton Athletics

Congratulations to everyone who took part in our Athletics Say, it was such a wonderful display of sportsmanship and perseverance. Thanks to all the parent helpers on the day. Thank you to Dipton School for hosting and thanks to all parents, family members and wider community for supporting our students and making the day a very special one. Lastly, a huge thanks for Mr. Murray and Mr. Affleck for their hard work to make the day a successful one.

	Champion	2nd	3rd
5 year old Boys	Tyler Roberts	=Thomas Price, Archer Beer	Agam Baidwan
5 year old Girls	Ada Roskam	=Holly McIlwrick, Maddison Palmer	Laila Herdman
6 year old Boys	Andrew Ferris	=Angus English, Terrence Alonzo	=Ashton Caldwell, Austin Gill, Archie Johns, Callum McKenzie
6 year old Girls	Isla Gerritsen	Isabella Davis	=Hannah Jack, Ida Leatherby
7 year old Boys	Hunter Roskam	Jack Heath	Blake Macgregor
7 year old Girls	Madison Cashell	Lizzie Price	=Manawa Winson, Grace McIlwrick
8 year old Boys	Will Riley	Henry Beer	Hunter Legg
8 year old Girls	Ebony Close	Emme Boys	Chalee Frew
9 year old Boys	Sam Cairns	George Collie	Sam Brand
9 year old Girls	Zara Mitchel	Georgia Wylie	Ruby Langford
10 year old Boys	Jonty Scott	Liam Ferris	Hunter Riley
10 year old Girls	Amy McDonald	Abby Gill	Luiza Frew
11 year old Boys	Braxton Cameron	Maddox Cameron	Lochlain Young
11 year old Girls	Paige Owen-Nicoll	=Emily Officer, Marika O'Brien	Jody Velenski
12 year old Boys	Ferguson Hammond	Angus Collie	Ryan McKenzie
12 year old Girls	Emily Newell	=Olivia Chrystall, Mae Lagan	Karmah Field

The Pool Committee is holding a fundraiser on the Saturday 18th March, The Vetsouth Gorge Race, the funds from this event will go to improve our Limehills pool.

The committee would like to know whether you have a slow cooker that they can use to make their delicious pulled pork buns.

Please contact the office by Monday 13th March if you can help.

Winton Football Club

We will be having a 'have a go' session for juniors (4-16 yrs old, male and female) previous and new players are welcome.

Date: Thursday 9th March 2023

Time: 4pm

Place: Moore's Reserve, Winton.

Enquiries can be made to

wintonfootballnz@gmail.com or via facebook

Past players can just register with MyComet

<https://mycomet-oceania.analyticom.de/> using their username and password from last year.

Jazz Time Dance School

Based in Invercargill will be running Saturday morning dance classes at the Salvation Army hall in Winton.

Classes will be Pre-School at 9.00-9.30,

Primary 1 Ballet 9.30-10.00(5-6yrs),

Primary 2 Jazz 10.00-10.30 (7-8yrs)

Foundation Hip Hop 10.30-11.00 (7-8yrs)

Contact Lou 0272177985 or

paul.lou.horo@gmail.com

LIMEHILLS NETBALL CLUB TRIAL DATES:

*Junior Muster for Year 3-5, March 9th 3:30-4:30pm Limehills School

*Year 6-8 March 13 CSNC 5:00-6:00 pm

Open to all new and existing players, see you there!

Any questions please email:

limehillsnetball@gmail.com



Oreti Bus Trip

Mid & Lower Oreti

Learn about our beautiful Oreti Catchment & what's being done to look after it

Wednesday 22nd March 2023, 9.00 a.m. - 2.30 p.m.
Bus departing from and returning to Anzac Oval, Winton

Exploring four special sites

New River Estuary - Gavin MacPherson's constructed wetland - Marshall Farm - Kowhai Reach (QEII Covenant)

Great speakers

BBQ lunch!

Discover & learn

For more info & to RSVP contact: Sheree on 021 466 700 or office@thrivingsouthland.co.nz

Spaces open to local community first

You are welcome to join us at any of the sites in your own vehicle - please contact Sheree for more information on site locations and timings. If taking your own vehicle please RSVP still so we can manage numbers at each site

Organised & run by your seven local Oreti Catchment Groups
Call Sarah if you have any questions 027 588 5200



A fundraiser for Montessori Children's House Wānaka & Wānaka Primary School

WĀNAKA TRAIL RIDE

SATURDAY 1 APRIL 2023

WE'RE BACK FOR 2023.

Join us for an epic, all-ages and all-abilities trail bike ride over Deep Creek, Long Gully, and Lindis Peak stations.

FOOD • DRINKS AVAILABLE CASH ONLY

EVENT DETAILS —

TRAIL BIKES AND PEE WEES No side-by-sides
Registration on the day from 7:30am
Trails open 8:30am - Trail gates close 3:30pm
SPARK ARRESTORS COMPULSORY

TICKETS —

PRE-REGISTER ONLINE FROM 1 FEBRUARY
ADULTS (16 yrs+) Pre-registered \$55 On the day \$65
JUNIORS (under 16 yrs) Pre-registered \$20 On the day \$20
FREE PEE WEE TRACK

WWW.WANAKATRAILRIDE.ORG



ANZAC SUPPORTERS
\$1 from every entry fee is donated to the RSA appeal.