



Yoga starts from the 11th August to 15th September. Yoga is non religious practice that is used to stretch and strengthen the body, relax the mind and aids with wellbeing. Children love to challenge themselves by making shapes with their bodies, while learning to breath well and relax and quieten their minds.

Allie, Helen, Andrew, Jenny and Gorette

Newsletter Term 3 Issue 1

Ahakoia he iti he Ponamu

Although small it is greenstone

DATES

Term 3 Starts
24th July

Music Starts
Monday
2nd August-
27th September

Public Nurse
Visits
14th August
&
11 September

Inter-School
Cross Country
Arrowtown
24th August

Yoga Starts
Every Friday from
11th August-
15th September

B.O.T
Meeting Dates
30th August &
27th September

Term 3 Ends
29th
September

School News

The ski camp was a success as all students improved their skills and gained confidence conducting themselves on the slopes. These three days are a great way for our students to access one of the benefits of living in this special place.



Thanks to the PTFA for raising the money and meeting the cost of the food,. Thanks Gorette, Toni and Trudi for the prep and cooking.

Thanks to the parents who helped out and ensured the students had the opportunities to practice their skills by taking them out on the slopes. Practice is the key to improvement and without the skills of the parents this would not be possible.

Thanks to Andrew and Helen whose planning and attendance made sure the camp ran as smoothly as camp can. The evaluations and feedback have been helpful in planning for 2018 and other school camps.

The students behaved as Glenorchy School students always behave - fabulously and the ski instructors commented on this. Great event everyone.

Football

Harvey Davies continues to demonstrate that hard work and practise pay off - he has made it into the Southland Under 12 football representative team. Congratulations.

Cross Country

This event is coming up and some students are already training in their own time - good on you guys. We have been doing fitness activities at school and the Seniors will be out walking the course and then practising this week. The juniors will be running the field and timing each other - learning to use a stop-watch and measuring their improvement.



Past Students doing well:

Congratulations to Renee Johnson (science) and Lucy Glover (maths and science) who both received awards at High School last week.

Interschool Cross Country

The interschool cross country has been brought forward this year to August the 24th - this is before our school cross country. We are inviting students who would like to have a go to let Mr Soutar know so he can enrol you. This is open to Year 5 - 8, it is run in Arrowtown. If we have enough interest Mr Soutar will attend. We will need parent transport to help make this possible.

Other News

Fulton Hogan COMMUNITY DAY



***** INVITATION *****
to ALL Otago Rugby fans around Central Otago to attend our community day, proudly supported by **Fulton Hogan**

- Meet the team
- Autograph session
- Skill zones
- Spot prizes
- Giveaways
- Games

SEE YOU THERE...

* In the event of bad weather, please meet inside the Alexandra RFC clubrooms

The General Election is on 23 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 in Invercargill before, on and after Election Day.

We encourage you to apply online at <http://www.elections.org.nz/events/2017-general-election/working-2017-general-election> <<http://www.elections.org.nz/events/2017-general-election/working-2017-general-election>> .

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

Daffodil Day pre-sales.

This is where you can order bunches of daffodils from the Cancer Society ahead of time and have them delivered on the day. It's a great way to be part of Daffodil Day if you want to support the Cancer Society but won't be in town to buy them on the day (which is the 25th August).

A bunch of daffs costs \$15, or you can get a soft toy bear "Florence" for \$10. I've got a bunch of order forms here and I will start toting them about with me, to library on Wednesday and Friday afternoons, and to book club this week, but if you don't see me and you would like to order daffs please drop me a line or give me a ring and we'll work out a plan. They are a lovely burst of colour at a time when it's still a bit grey and soggy out there, or some kind people order them and then have them delivered to other people, which is super cool, I have been a beneficiary of this before, it's a great surprise.

Leslie will be back in time to deliver your flowers, fear not, I am just the stand-in at this early part of the procedure! I need to have your orders by the 10th August...

Cheers, Kate Scott.



Seniors Ski Camp- 2017 Coronet Peak

McBeths, Wills, Alise and Jack



Hurry Up Dad...
I want to go skiing!!



Where's everyone??



Ben Pope

Quiet time with
Helen Clark 😊



OK Guys, who's keen for
some problem solving
before bed??



OUCH-That hurts!!



Matthias



Stone Hood

