



**Glenorchy
School**

TERM 2 2023

Term 2 Dates

**26 April—30
June**

BOT Meeting

Dates

22 May

20 June

**Small Schools
Swimming Sports**

Yr 5—8

8 June

**Juniors Ice Skat-
ing Start**

**Every Friday
from 26 May—30
June**

Yr 7 & 8 NYLD

Dunedin

29—30 May

Kings

Birthday

**5 June (No
school)**

School News

Term 2 Issue 2

16 May 2023

We would like to extend a warm welcome to Tom who joined the Junior Room yesterday, and to his family Michelle, Andrew and Will.

We had a visit yesterday from Helen from the Kea Conservation Trust who took a session with our students on predators to our native birds, bird sanctuaries and national parks. As a follow up to this session, we have a visitor coming to school on Friday 9th of June to talk to us about the Takahe Recovery Project.

The Small Schools Swimming Sports is being held on Thursday 8 June at the Queenstown Events Centre. Next week, parents of Year 5 - Year 8 students will be sent a link to enter their children in at least two swimming events. To assist you with this, the email will also include information on events each of your children could enter based on their progress during our Term 1 swimming programme.

Forms are coming out today for the Junior Room Ice Skating programme which starts on Friday 26 May. Please return the forms to Gorette by Friday 19 May.

Friday 19 May is Pink Shirt Day. Our school's focus will be on our school value of kindness and we will revisit what it means to be a good friend. We encourage students to wear pink on this day.

Also on Friday 19 May, a film crew from Channel 7, Sunrise Breakfast Show will be in Glenorchy doing some live crosses to Sydney. This is in association with Tourism New Zealand and Destination Queenstown. Glenorchy School has been invited to watch the filming and possibly be positioned in the background of the live crosses. At 8:35am there will be a live cross from the camping ground and at 9:15am from the Headquarters Lodge.

We will take all the children across to the Headquarters Lodge at 9:00am for this experience. If your child would like to view and participate in the 8:35am live cross as well, they will need to be at school by 8:20am where we will be met by Fiona from Destination Queenstown who will instruct us.

If you do not wish for your child to be filmed, please email Gorette by 3:00pm on Thursday 17 May 2023 to let us know.

We are beginning our preparations for the Senior Room Ski Camp to be held at the beginning of Term 3 (19 - 21 July). If you wish to be considered to come along as a Parent Help, please email Gorette by Friday 26 May to let us know you are interested and give your consent to be police vetted. Please note that parent helpers will be decided on and confirmed closer to the time.

Student of the Week

	Junior Room	Senior Room
Week 1	Ollie - For consistently producing high quality work and for helping Cooper settle in at school.	Tom and River - For representing Glenorchy School so well at the ANZAC Service.
Week 2	Kate - Thinking of her idea for writing about before the lesson and writing a great story about it.	TeAaliyah - her participation and enthusiasm in class math discussions about Geometry.
Week 3	Capu - Trying her best at everything this week.	Max - For all the effort he has put into his space project.

Paula, Kelly, Roshell and Gorette.



**Kea Conservation Visit
Monday, 15 May.**



OUT OF THIS WORLD FREE TRAINING



PHOTOGRAPHY GRAND MASTERS

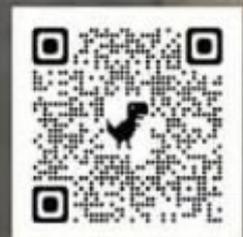
GET LIVE FEEDBACK ON
YOUR WORK FROM MASTER
PHOTOGRAPHERS

FREE WORKSHOP SERIES AVAILABLE TO NEW ZEALAND CREATIVE YOUTH HELD FROM 6-8PM ON WEDNESDAYS.
LEARN FROM NEW ZEALAND GRAND MASTER PHOTOGRAPHERS, LEARN BASIC CAMERA AND COMPOSITION SKILLS,
HELP US TO CREATE A NATIONAL RAINBOW EXHIBITION OF STUDENT WORK



**WEDNESDAYS
FROM 6PM-8PM**

<https://clickhappy.org>



30 DAYS TO GO...

Lights on 1st of June

Hopefully you've already got your ticket and you're just trying to figure out which socks to wear.

If not go to LUMA.nz and pick your night. Some are selling faster than others - don't miss out.



NEWS

Leave the car. Orbus are running their FREE Park and Ride service in association with Queenstown Central Shopping Centre and AJ Hackett Bungy. Buses will be running a loop from 5pm to 10pm each night of LUMA.

Leave the dishes. Dishrupt are on site again for 2023 keeping the single-use cups out of your life. We'll do the dishes, all you need to do is enjoy the show. If you bring a keep cup we'll show you where you can give it a rinse and you'll also be able to buy a swish LUMA cup if you like.

Leave the pooches. LUMA's not always fun for your four-legged friends. Tuck them in beside the fire at home and they won't get stepped on, lost or bewildered. We can't make any promises about you though.

[BOOK NOW](#)

**LUMA23. King's Birthday Weekend.
Queenstown Gardens. JUNE 1-5, 2023.**

