



# Glenorchy School



TERM 2 ISSUE 2

16TH MAY

## DATES

### May 15th

-Cheese Roll making.

-**Katrina** – Public Nurse Visit

### May 16th

Cheese Roll pick up or deliveries made

### May 28th – 30th

-Year 7/8 trip to Dunedin for National Young Leaders Conference

-Seniors Winter Sports every Friday afternoon.

### May 31st-July 5th

Juniors Ice Skating Lessons

### 31st May & 28th June

BOT meetings

### June 27th

Students Led Conferences

### 7th July

Last day of Term 2

## WEEK 3

**Ma whero, ma pango ka oti ai te mahi  
With red and black the work will be complete**

Term 2 has got underway with a flying start.

Jenna the Geologist was truly informative and we are all fired up about rocks at school. We will see Jenna again when we go on school camp as she is going to do a follow up with us at Gem Stone beach and we will explore caves near Riverton in term 4.

Thank you to everyone who has supported our Year 7 and 8 fundraisers ordering Cheese Rolls. They're a great winter snack. We have made orders for 130 dozens. The maths involved in deciding ingredient quantities and costs was an excellent real life situation.

Thanks to Jenny Keogh, Trudi Munroe and Gorette for their efforts with this endeavor.

The Year 7 and 8's have also collected pine cones and these can be bought for \$5 or \$8 depending on the size of the bag. Please pay and collect at the school gate.

Thanks to Pete and Jenny Davies for organizing this.

The native planting around the school is growing really nicely and the mustard seed in the garden is looking after the soil for the winter. We are planning a big vegie garden for the spring so lets hope we get the weather we need.

**This weeks Waiata in the Junior Room -**

**You could you -tube it to get the tune or your children could sing it with you.**

### E toru nga nea

E toru nga mea  
Nga mea nunui  
E ki ana  
Nag tupuna  
Whakapono  
Tumanako  
Ko te mea nui  
Ko te aroha

Previously, Our high performing students have been enrolled in ICAS, an Australian Extension Assessment Programme.

However, this year Canterbury University is offering a New Zealand programme and we have enrolled some students to give it a go later in the term. This is only for years 5 - 8. The students are not aware of this yet but Andrew will discuss this with them closer to the time and then more information will follow.

The PTFA are going to be running quiz night at the Lodge this term so look out for the flyers and get your team together ready for the 31<sup>st</sup> May. I know the first cake is going to be a cracker!!!

**Dates to put in your Diary –  
More information will be sent out closer to each event.**

Term 3

**Ski Camp - (Senior Class) 26<sup>th</sup> – 28<sup>th</sup> July**

Term 4

**School Camp - (whole school) October 31<sup>st</sup> – 3<sup>rd</sup> November**

**Allie, Helen, Andrew, Jenny and Goretie**

### Ski Week Camps 2017:

The Southland Ski Club run Ski Week Camps in the July school holidays staying at our Lodge at Coronet Peak, Queenstown.

Camp package includes a 5 day lift pass, lessons twice a day (Mon-Fri), accommodation & meals, suitable for ages 10 – 18 yrs.

Choose to ski or snow board – awesome opportunity to learn or upskill.

**Week 1: Sun 9<sup>th</sup> – Sat 15<sup>th</sup>**

**Week 2: Sun 16<sup>th</sup> – Fri 21<sup>st</sup>**

Applications are taken on a first in first served basis so apply now to avoid disappointment – applications close 31<sup>st</sup> May. Please go to our website to submit your application – [www.southlandskiclub.org.nz](http://www.southlandskiclub.org.nz) if you have any further queries contact Vicki Murphy 027 275 0665

Coronet Peak, Mt Hutt and The Remarkables are offering Local School Passes this year for the same low price as last year. \$100 for primary aged children (5 years and under are just \$20) \$165 for secondary school aged children. Passes will be available from the [Queenstown Snow Centre](http://www.queenstownsnowcentre.co.nz) from 8<sup>th</sup> May, and there is no deadline for purchase. School passes will also be available for purchase at the [Wakatipu Ski Sale](http://www.wakatipu.skisale.co.nz), May 28<sup>th</sup> at the Events Centre, Queenstown and can also be purchased over the phone by calling 03 450 1970. For any enquires please contact [info@nzski.com](mailto:info@nzski.com)

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