

DATES

Glenorchy School

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AUGUST 2015

16th August

Children's Movie Night at school

21st August

School Cross Country

25th August

BoT Meeting

Ski Camp

Thanks to all the wonderful people involved in making this a success, especially to our parent helpers Will, Patricia, Sarsha, Trudi and Ben. The students came back positively buzzing. Everyone in our community helps to make this happen even if you do not attend.

Gear was lent, fees paid, morning, afternoon tea was baked and fundraising paid for the fabulous meals.

Just so people are aware that the ski camp costs \$252.42 per person, and the school is paying \$152.42 of this cost. Below is a breakdown:

Ski lesson, gear hire \$65.00 per person per day \$3510.00

Accommodation \$25.00 per person per night \$900.00

Food \$10.00 per person per day \$540.00

Petrol \$ 3.00 per person per day \$ 200.00 = \$5150.00

Income: \$100.00 (teacher is paid for) - parent contribution - \$1700.00 Based on 18 people—school contribution— \$3450.00

It was fabulous to listen to the students doing the PMI – Positives, minus and the interesting things about ski camp.

Reading the parents feedback has been great and will be kept and taken into account for the next ski camp 2016 – already booked.



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School News Continued:

Year 4s

The year 4s have moved into the Senior Room and are settling in nicely – the teachers are planning on teaching collaboratively so students will be working with Jamie, Helen or Allie for Literacy and maths so many students will move between rooms.

School Musical

Load of Rubbish

The musical is coming up fast and we are practising hard. Your child will need black leggings, trousers etc.. the white t-shirts will be supplied and painted at school.

Garston School are coming up for the matinee on the 16^h September and have asked to challenge us to a game of netball after the show.

The evening performance will be on the 17th September at 6pm and this will be a gold coin donation.

Strategic Direction

Vision	Gateway to learning Waharoa ki te akoranga
Mission	To foster an inquiring mind, by engaging children through stimulating, fun learning experiences delivered by high quality teachers in partnership with the community and environment.
Values	Honesty, Integrity, Respect, Responsibility, Perseverance, Courtesy and Judgement

From here we are developing a 'graduate profile'.

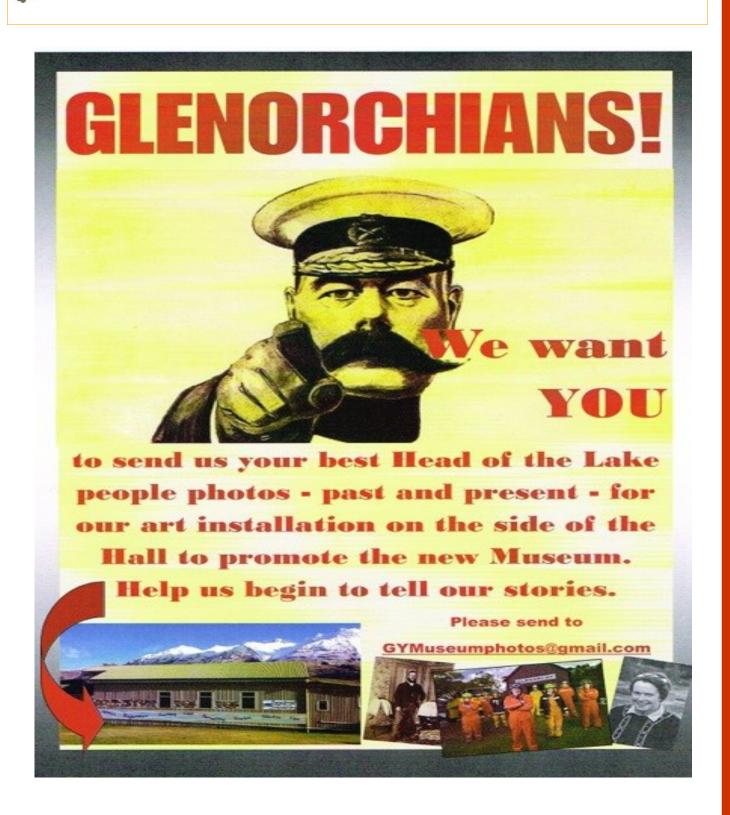
How does a Glenorchy School student who is living all of the above values behave? What do they look and sound like?

If you could brainstorm this week at home about perseverance and either email or send in your families ideas with your child we can start collecting and compiling the first value in this process. The students have begun this at school.

School Cross Country



This year we will be walking the course on the afternoon of Tuesday the 18th of August with all of the students so they get a feel for the distances that they will be running. Our official school X-Country will take place on Friday the 21st of August from 1:40pm through until 2:40pm. This year we have decided not to send our athletes onto the Central Otago Championships because of a lack of focused training and along with other school wide commitments that are important to us this year. We will require some parent volunteers support on the day as Marshals around the course. If you can help on the day please let Mr Barrance know.



GY COMMUNITY PHONE LIST

The official up to date community phone list is free to download from http:// www.glenorchycommunity.nz/community/ living-in-glenorchy/gy-community-phonelist/. For updates, changes or anything else relating to the list please contact

Sharon Aitken, ph. 03 442 9945



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Bus departs from the Real Journeys Visitor Centre, (Steamer Wharf, Beach Street) at 9am or the Frankton Bus shelter at 9.15am

FRIDAY 18TH SEPTEMBER

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