Wakatipu HIGH SCHOOL Newsletter

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Principal's Message

Kia ora and welcome as another busy Wakatipu High School week comes to a close. It has been a good week here with lots going on and school going well. Tuesday was Option Afternoon, and it was great to see so many parents attend and engage with their student's subject selection for 2021. This is a very important process - see below for more. On Wednesday morning we met as a whole school in Te Kirikiri (our internal guadrangle) for some words and the latest House competition points, including Matatu as well as Term 2's Excellence and Akonga Passport points. The junior House basketball competition has been on this week and it has been a great event with plenty of good games and heaps of support from the sidelines - congrats to Duncan on their win today. The senior competition starts next week.

As has been extremely well-flagged, the commencement of Phase 2 has meant that student parking has now been reduced. Students driving cars to school need to ensure that they are reading their emails, and are parking correctly and if necessary taking advantage of a final very generous offer from Remarkables Park to allow them to park for \$2/day.

Junior Mid-Year Reports - came out on the Portal earlier this week and we strongly encourage parents/caregivers to read through these reports with their students and acknowledge great work and engagement and identify areas and attributes that need work. Please contact subject teachers, Kaiārahi and/or Deans if you have any questions or concerns.

Principal's Awards - are awarded to 'great all-round students' who have demonstrated outstanding effort and academic achievement, as well as participation in extracurricular activities. These follow mid-year reports and below are the lists of senior and junior Principal's Award recipients. My congratulations to all of them - well done!

Junior Mid-Year Prize Giving and Senior Excellence & Ad Alta Assemblies - are on Monday. There are large numbers of prizewinners, with parents having been informed earlier this week we look forward to seeing many of you on Monday. Please do note that these ceremonies will start on time, and please do allow time for parking.

Junior Next Steps - are coming up again on Tuesday 18th August, see below for more.

Senior School Exams - run from Thursday 13 to Tuesday 18 August, ie now less than 2 weeks away. Seniors need to be looking towards preparing for these exams.

Junior Teacher Only Day - as always during senior exams, is on Friday 14th August.

WHS App - has an update, please see below for more.

It was interesting to note that a possible Covid case was connected to Queenstown this week - a reminder to us all, including that students should not come to school if they are unwell. Tonight our Kapa Haka group are holding a Wānanga here at school, we hope it is a great and useful night of learning. Today's newsletter is huge, with great sections from sports, arts and careers. Ruby Noton's Student Leader piece is a good read, and make sure that you put the new Musical dates (in Week 8) in your diary.

Unfortunately the weather for the weekend is pretty mixed. As the winter weather guru, the Grasshopper, says we remain 'stuck in this nauseating northerly flow', so the cloudy mild weather continues - good for sport and walking the dog but not great for snow and sliding (fingers crossed for that for later next week :) - have a great weekend.

Steve Hall, Principal

Junior Principal's Awards

Avila, Harlen	DEQD	9	Henderson, Georgia	FRCA	10	Rasmussen, Sophie	HJTH	9
Baker, Ben	MKJK	9	Higgins, Mae	HJRM	10	Ricketts, Daphne	DCHW	9
Balzarini, Marite	MRML	9 10	Hogan, Ben	AJGB	9	Rider, Monique	ASKG	10
Balzarini, Valentina	MLHI	9	Hollebon, Bryce	DAWR	9 10	Roberts, Alexandra	DCSB	10
Banks, Brodie	HJKN	9	Hollyer, Anthony	AJGB	9	Robertson-Muir, Samuel	DEQD	9
Barlow, Evie	FABR	9 10	Howick, Edward	AJGB	9	Rogers, Holly	FRCA	9 10
Bennetts, Zoe	DJHN	10	Hudson, Jess	FSTM	9	Rooney, Tara	FKJA	9
Bisset, Olivia	HJKN	9	Hutchins, Jesse	FLFD	9	Rose, Scarlett	FRCA	9 10
Blair, Stan	AAST	9	Ide, Phoebe	MLHI	9	Schenk, Tom	DMPR	9
Blundell, Harriet	DMPR	9	Johnson-Pettiford,	FBKL	9	Scoles, Alex	MKJK	9
Bodle, Jessa	DJHN	9 10	Avalon	TDICL	9	Seeto, Harry	ADRS	9
Bogue, Eva	FABR	10	Johnson, Primrose	DCSB	10	Sheehan, Saxon	HRCR	9 10
Boniface, Lachy	DJHN	10	Jones, Paige	MHDX	9	Shimizu, Chihaya	MGLO	9
Bowman, Caitlin	DEQD	9	Jordan, Ben	MKJK	9	Short, Neve	APHN	9 10
Brady, Joshua	FJRD	9	Jordan, Finn	MKJK	9	Shuttleworth, Ellie	HNKU	10
Breen, Taylor	FJRD	-	Joubert, Francois	MKJK	9	Sikka, Mishika	MAPC	10
Breitenberger, Matthias	FJRD	9	Kan, Morgan	HRCR	10	Sinclair, Lucy	MAPC	10
Briscoe, Azaria	MRML	9	Key, Olivia	DNPD	10	Smillie, Jack	HJKN	
		10	King Smith, Marley	MYKM	10	Snow, Evie	MGLO	9
Bulling-Eady, Mia	MLRY	9	Korani, Mace	MGLO	9	<i>`</i>		9
Burt, Isabella	HJHZ	9	Lambrechts, Anja	DCSB	10	Spencer, Isabelle Stevens, Ruth	AONT	10
Cameron, Lyla	FJRD	9	Long, Jared	DNPT	9		FRCA	10
Campbell, Alex	FJRD	9	Macdonald, Maddy	MYKM	10	Tam, Minnie Tavlan Balla	HRCR	10
Cavanagh, Phoebe	HJAD	10	Mackley, Zara	FRCA	10	Taylor, Bella	MHDX	9
Chinn, Georgia	AAST	9	Macleod, Aurora	HDAS	10	Taylor, Scarlet	MZAR	10
Clark, Sophie	MZAR	10	Marshall, Lucia	AJGB	9	Theron, Jade	DEQD	9
Collins, Eliana	MLRY	9	Martin, Zara	HJHZ	9	Thompson, Jake	DEQD	9
Comer, Billie	MAPC	10	McAtamney, Pippa	DNPT	9	Thompson, Lucy	FKJA	9
Davis, Peter	DMPR	9	McKinney, Ella	FRND	10	Thomson Farquharson, Jorja	MYKM	10
Deaker, Jude	HJHZ	9	McLean, Madi	MZAR	10	Tucker, Mia	DCSB	10
DiFazzio, Daniela	HNKU	10	McNay, Lucy	DNPT	9	Vaivars, Zali	FHWD	10
Ebbinge, Jan	HJAD	10	McNee, Libby	DNPT	9	Warmington, Sara	MHDX	9
Edmonds, Elise	MYKM	10	McPike, Alice	MLHI	9	Watts, Maggie	DMPR	9
Escott, Avie	MDHR	9	Mead, Sophie	DKWB	9	Webster, Ricky	DEQD	9
Figueroa, Isadora	MAPC	10	Milburn, Kai	FKMT	9	Wheatley, Meg	FJDC	9 10
Fookes, Abby	ADRS	9	Molloy, Jazsy	HLKN	9	White, Abigail	HDAS	10
Fraser, Stella	HRLU	10	Monoy, sazsy Moodley, Mandela	DCSB	9 10	Wilkinson, Sorcha	DMPR	9
Garceau, Elias	FSTM	9	Moouley, Manuela Morrison, Paige	HRCR	10	Ye, Judy	FABR	9 10
Gilbert, Emily	APHN	10	Muir, Charlotte	DNPD	10	York, Mikaela	HDAS	10
Grufferty, Maisie	FJDC	10	Nakayama, Ayla	DAWR		TOTK, WIKACIA	IIDAS	10
Haas, Lucas	MDHR	9			10			
Hall, Brianna	FRCA	10	Niccol, Sylvia Osborne, Keely	FRND FKMT	10			
Hall, Luca	MRML	10			9			
Hall, Stefan	AONT	10	Pagan, Mia Pick, Beth	HLKN EKMT	9			
Hemingway, Eva	FSTM	9	TIUK, DEUI	FKMT	9			

Senior Principal's Awards

Allemand, Eliott	HJTH	13
Almquist, Kira	FABR	12
Alva, Om	MDHR	13
Anderson, Georgie	HJTH	13
Archibald, Bella	MRML	12
Balfour, Greta	DNPT	13
Bashford, Pippa	FKJA	11
Battrick, Hannah	DCSB	12
Bisset, Emily	HDAS	12
Bramwell, Cole	HJTH	11
Brown, Evie	DMPR	13
Burns, Nadia	MLHI	11
Cera, Sebastian	HJKN	11
Cerecke, Hanna	MBJN	12
Cheifetz, Izzy	DCSB	12
Clearwater, Emily	DMPR	11
Collin, Nieve	MKJK	13
Collins, Kaiya	MLHI	11
Crawshay, Mia	FRCA	12
Crichton, Jasmine	FRND	12
Crichton, Luke	FBKL	11
Cusiel, Jasper	HJHZ	11
Cusiel, Paige	HJST	11
Devereux, Scarlet	MYKM	12
Edmonds, Kate	MZAR	12
Forrest, Angus	MLRY	13
Forrest, Ed	MLHI	11
Frew, Maggie	AJGB	13
Frewen, Isaak	MHDX	13
Gaboda, Hannah	MAPC	12
Gavin, Antonia	ADRS	13
Gillan, Marsha	FLFD	13
Greer, Briar	DEQD	13
Grufferty, Amelia	FHWD	12
Hall, Grace	FJDC	12
Heeley, Tannin	HJHZ	11
Hingston, Fineen	DNPD	12
Hogan, Charlie	FBKL	13
Hollyer, Caitlin	ADRS	11
Hornbacher, Helena	HJTH	11
Jamieson-Gough, Millie	HJAD	12
Jones, Tessa	DAWR	12
Kaihe, Sade	FKMT	11
Kunath, Marigold	MRML	12

Lanuel, Ella	MLHI	13
Long, Alix	DEQD	11
Mackay, Johannes	FRND	12
Marriott, Jacob	FJRD	11
McBeth, Jack	AJGB	11
McCulloch, Megan	DJHE	11
McDonald, Erin	MLHI	13
McKinney, Alisha	FSTM	13
McLean, Ollie	HDAS	12
McLister, Michaela	FHWD	12
McPherson, Aliyah	HJST	11
McVicar, Harry	FSTM	11
Middleton, Bella	AKBM	11
Millan, Marcus	FHWD	12
Milne, Mucha	FBKL	13
Nakao, Niki	DNPD	12
Nguyen, Micky	FKJA	13
Panapa, Keanu	MDHR	13
Peasey, Amelia	MYKM	12
Price, Alice	DNPT	13
Rasmussen, Bryn	MZAR	12
Reed, Lottie	AJGB	11
Ricketts, Jacinta	DEQD	11
Ritchie, Linus	DAWR	12
Ritchie, Olive	DJHE	11
Rossi Macaes, Juliana	HJTH	13
Ruski-Jones, Ruby	HJHZ	13
Saint-Pere, Amelie	FKMT	11
Salonga, Julia	HDAS	12
Saxon, Emma	MKJK	13
Scobie, Rachel	DEQD	-0
St John, George	MDHR	13
Stevens, Hannah	FJRD	13
Steyn, Loretta	MLRY	11
Suzuki, Natsune	MLHI	13
Taquet, Sofia	FBKL	11
Thompson, Sophie	DMPR	11
Thomson, Gigi	MGLO	11
Tulloch, Lucy	FJRD	
-	FLFD	13
Vaivars, Jonty		11
Vang, Max	AJGB	13
Vermeir, Kloe	HJKN	13
Viggers, Lucy	MBJN	12
Vile, Esther	AJGB	11

Watanabe, Rei
Watherston, Olive
White, Hannah
Wilkinson, Ally
Wilkinson, Jacob
Zhu, Minna

ORDER LUNCH ONLINE!

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HMBN

FJDC

MZAR

FJRD

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You can now pre-order and pay online for food and drinks from our cafe.

Specify which break you want to have your food ready for and you can collect from the Cafe Cart.

Food must be ordered by 9am for same day pick up.

You can find the link on the front page of our website; https://whscafe.myshopify.com/



Option Selection

On Tuesday 28 July, we had our Option afternoon to kick off the process of students selecting their Course Options for 2021. It was great to see so many parents and students making the most of the opportunity to hear about the process and talk to teachers, Deans, Careers and SLT about their options for 2021. If you were unable to attend the afternoon, here is a link to the powerpoint presentation. We appreciate that this is a complex, yet very important process, so if you would like to meet up with a member of the Senior Leadership team to discuss Option Selection for 2021, you can make a 20 minute appointment through www. schoolinterviews.co.nz using the code: 7bmjp.

A reminder that students must complete their option selection through the Portal by 4:00 pm on Friday 21 August.

Oded Nathan Senior Deputy Principal

In-school Readers' Cup Competition 2020

On Friday, 24th July, nine Year 9 teams met in the Library to compete for the opportunity to attend the Readers' Cup Regionals in Invercargill, August this year.

Readers' Cup is a National competition whereby students (in a group of four) read 5 texts and then are quizzed on the books. Last year we were lucky enough to go to the Nationals finally finishing 5th in the country.

This year, every Year 9 English class competed for the opportunity to go up against each class' top team. The winning class team was then put through to the final school round, judged by our wonderful librarian and supporter of Readers' Cup, Mrs Paula Bell. After a gruelling competition with very close leads, the winning team members (heading their way to Invercargill) are:

Ava MacIntyre, Milky Tam, Katherine Read and Abby Fookes (Reserve: Georgia Chinn)

Ms Jackie Rodgers English Department







Junior Next Steps

Once again our upcoming Junior Next Steps meetings will comprise a 20 minute meeting with students, parents and Kaiārahi. They are on Tuesday 18 August from 3:00 - 7.00pm. The discussion will centre around the students' goals, their learning engagement, progress and achievement, and course selection for 2020, including future pathways. These meetings will be held in the spaces the students have their Ako time. School will finish at 1.50pm but buses will only be running at the normal time of 3.30pm. Students need to make alternative arrangements if they plan to leave school at 1.50pm. Students are welcome to use the library and gymnasium while they wait for their scheduled meeting time or buses. Next Steps are really important for all Junior students and parents and we do expect all to attend. If you or your child are unable to attend on the day please email your child's Kaiārahi directly to arrange another time. Schedule an appointment with your Kaiārahi at www. schoolinterviews.co.nz, using the code zppkt.

Don't miss out! Last Market Day 2020

The Level 2 Business Studies classes will carry out their second sales cycle during Break 2, Wednesday 5th August in Te Kirikiri. The groups successfully completed their first sales last week. Students have been working in class reviewing and refining their business plans in order to improve aspects of their business and to maximise sales.

Some of the Level 3 Business groups will also join in on the market day so be sure to not to miss out on their innovative and sustainable products on offer.

Students - please be sure to bring some cash on the day. You won't want to miss out, this is your last chance!

Check out the student's advertisements included in the newsletter.

Josh Kendall, Nicola Proffit, Gemma Boel -The Business Team









Lee Hiestand Assistant Principal



School App update 2.4.2

SchoolAppsNZ have just released the latest App update 2.4.2, which resolves a couple of outstanding bugs some users were experiencing. Please ensure you have the most up to date version on your phone. There are also a number of new features, such as 'Email Reply to Alert' and 'Restricted App Content'

Covid-19 | Support and Wellbeing

We are all in this together | Help is available

As the COVID-19 outbreak unfolds, it has become clear that a number of people in our community may need some support. Whether you need help or know someone in your whānau that does, there are organisations and charities locally and nationally who can help.

LOCAL QT SUPPORT



Oueenstown Lakes District Council

Assistance with day-to-day costs of living, access to essential services, and basics such as food - for more info click here.

Register for help: www.gldc.gov.nz/covid-19



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How can you support your community?

Endorsed by Queenstown Lakes District Mayor Jim Boult, the Wakatipu Community Foundation (WCF) has established the Greatest Needs Fund to help address gaps in central Government assistance to the most vulnerable or worst affected by Covid-19 in our community.



YOUTH / KIDS

WakatipuYouth (

Wakatipu Youth Trust

Support for young people aged 10-24yrs www.wakatipuyouthtrust.co.nz/



Wakatipu High School

Christopher Tweddell and Vicki Patton, the school Guidance Counsellors, are available by email in the first instance. They can arrange to talk to you or connect you with other resources or agencies as needed.

Students and families can also email help@wakatipu.school.nz with guestions or concerns about support.

MENTAL HEALTH & WELLEBING



Mental Health Foundation

www.mentalhealth.org.nz/ Youthline: 0800 376 633



NATIONAL SUPPORT

Government Resource Hubs

www.covid19.govt.nz

www.gldc.govt.nz

Helplines and Local Mental Health Services

Directory April 2020

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Head Student Address

Good Afternoon everyone,

We have flown through our second week of term 3! It has already become a very action pack week full of many internals for seniors and subject tests for juniors. Since term three is notorious for being a busy term make sure you stay on top of classwork and internals so you aren't stressed for when they are due. Some ways to manage this is to fill in the term planner that was sent out in Mr Nathan's email at the start of the term. This calendar will be very helpful and I urge you all to use it.

On Tuesday the school held our option afternoon where parents and students were welcome to have a look around possible subject choices for 2021. It is really important to choose subjects you are passionate and interested in as well as subjects that will help keep your options open for years to come. It's a good idea to reflect on what subjects you have enjoyed this year or the subjects you haven't enjoyed that much this year. I always looked forward to choosing what options to pick as well as finding it a bit stressful as I did not want to close any specific pathways. I encourage you to keep an open mind but also think towards your future.

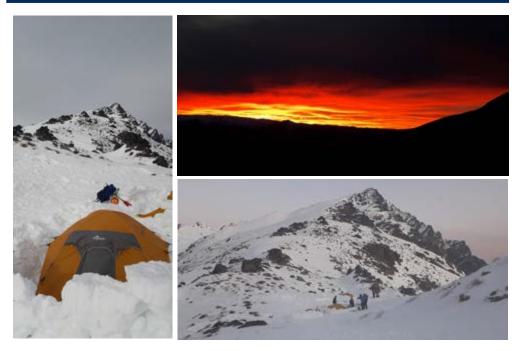
House basketball kicked off at the start of the week. This is personally one of my favourite House competitions because of all the intense and exciting energy. All the junior teams have played at a very high level and it is good to see all the positive sportsmanship. A specific shout out to the Duncan junior team that has been unbeatable up until wednesday when they versed the arthur juniors, it's going to be a very exciting final. Make sure to work towards your Ākonga Passports and LEI reports because as we learnt from Wednesday's full school assembly the results from these could be the difference of a House losing its top placing in the House competition.

A quick heads up around formal. Formal this year will be held up Skyline on the 19th of September. The formal is for both year 12's and 13's like previous years, so it is looking to be an excellent night! I'd like to give credit to the formal committee for working hard in sorting out all decorations, photos and music to make it a good night. Look out for more information around ticket sales in the next couple of weeks.

I hope you all have an enjoyable weekend!

Ruby Noton, Environmental Lead Prefect





The 8 OREC classes spent this week up on the Remarkables learning how to expedition in the mountains! Spectacular views, freezing temps and buffeting winds were the order of the camps!

Ken McIntyre Physical Education and Outdoor Education

Year 10 Branches Camp



Following a number of recent queries, the Branches Camp date this year is: Friday 27th November - Tuesday 8th December. There will be an Branches information evening for parents/caregivers and students on Tuesday 22nd September.

Bridget Janse Branches Camp Coordinator

The Big AE Project

Two students, Claudia Watts and Keanu Panapa, featured in a project with QRC called The Big Aotearoa Experience. The project shares positive messages on the future of tourism and how it will, given time, regenerate in our new landscape.

Part of this campaign involves a competition to win a road trip across the country.

You can check out each episode here:

EPISODE 1 - AUCKLAND EPISODE 2 - BAY OF ISLANDS EPISODE 3 - QUEENSTOWN



Arts Department

World Championship of Performing Arts

Congratulations to Eliott Allemand who has progressed through the first stage of the World Championship of Performing Arts competition to make it to the semi-finals. To put this in perspective, there were 2000 entries from around the world and Eliott is currently sitting in the top 60 for the Instrumental section and in 19th place for the Variety section. The finals will be announced on Saturday. Huge congratulations to Eliott for all the work that he has put into this.

Links to his entries and Youtube channel are listed below:

- https://www.youtube.com/ watch?v=JOLD-Wm7JSg
- https://www.youtube.com/ watch?v=Nw7NMkIYbI8
- https://www.youtube.com/channel/ UC8Ia92utbFfuF9eHUBxsUAw

Rockquest

Congratulations to Greta Balfour who is through to the next stage of the national Rockquest competition in the Solo/Duo section. The link to her regional performance is on the following link: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9sOWD5s_4FI

Jazz Ensemble trip

The jazz ensemble heads to Christchurch this weekend to take part in the secondary schools jazz event that features 22 groups from schools in the area. We also get to have a workshop with one of the judges and compete in the competition.

Central Soundwaves

The Central Soundwaves event for solo/duo and group acts is now being advertised in the Music area. It is an opportunity for students at all levels to gain some experience in an event happening on September 20 at Yonder in Qtn.

The Muso's Classroom

Any students keen to be involved in Music should be part of the 2020 Muso's Classroom. It gives details on events and initiatives happening both in and out of school. Students need to let Mrs Price know if they want to be added to this group.

Musical

The students have been shared an updated Musical rehearsal schedule which will continue to evolve over the next few weeks. Students need to be checking the classroom on a regular basis for any changes.

Alison Price HoLA Arts



Sports News, Results and Information













Follow Us on Facebook

The WHS Sports Facebook page is the best place to stay up to date with the latest news and results of our students.

Swimming - Otago Secondary Schools

Wakatipu High School had a team of five swimmers attend the Otago Secondary Schools Competition in Dunedin over the weekend. The swimmers not only won both of the relays - mixed 200m free and mixed 200m medley, they also achieved lots of podiums. 26 individual medals and two relay Golds - a great effort from the team! A lot of times were achieved for the National Championships to be held in Hamilton in October. Congratulations to all five the swimmers.

Results are:

Daniela DiFazzio: 3rd 100m breaststroke and 400m freestyle

Isaak Frewen: 1st 100 backstroke, 100IM, 200 backstroke and 50 backstroke, 2nd 100 fly and 3rd 50 fly

Sara Jameson: 1st 100IM, 50 fly, 100 fly, 2nd 50 fly, 200 free, 200 backstroke and 100 free

Jacob Marriott: 1st 100 backstroke (Otago record), 100IM, 200 backBackstroke (Otago record) and 200 IM

Connor Paton: 1st 400 free, 2nd 50 free, 100 fly and 100 free

50m Freestyle relay of Isaak, Sara, Connor and Jacob broke the Otago schools record.

Central Otago Secondary School Sport

This Monday saw the beginning of both the Central Otago Junior Boys and Girls Basketball and Girls Football competitions. These are two new competitions established between Cromwell, Dunstan, Mt Aspiring and ourselves that are providing regular quality school aged games in the local region for our students and this is awesome to see. The girls basketball team had an exciting last minute win over Dunstan, while the Year 9 boys were schooled. The girls football team went down 3-2 to MAC in a game that could have gone either way. All support is welcome!

WHS Coaches Club

Former professional rugby player and coach, Ben Herring, spoke to a group of keen coaches on Wednesday night about 'The Art of Growing Leadership in Sport'. This presentation focused on the importance of growing great people as a coach and how leadership and culture are essential to this. Thank you very much to all who attended, Ben Herring and Sport Central.

House Basketball

The House Basketball competition is in full swing for 2020 and the student sports council and sports prefect Nieve Collin have done a great job on organising this competition. The junior final between Duncan and Mackenzie was played at Break 2 today. Congratulations to Duncan The senior house basketball competition begins on Tuesday.

MAC Exchange

Put the 19th August in your diaries folks, WHS head over the hill to play Mt Aspiring College in the annual exchange. Here is a copy of the draw: https://drive.google.com/ file/d/1XcctxLilKTb5tk8wurs7-m6Z84FsC26j/ view?usp=sharing

Rugby Cheese Roll Fundraiser

This year the WHS Rugby Club went old school and completed their first annual cheese roll fundraiser selling over 1540 dozen cheese rolls. We would like to sincerely thank the community for supporting this so well, the players and parents for their time and hard work on Sunday, WHS food technology staff for the use of the school kitchen and amazing fundraising parents Nicolle Marshall and Mandy Erskine for all of their efforts to pull this enormous project off. We are hopeful of making a solid profit that will cover the costs of the season.

Weekly Results:

Basketball

The basketball season is reaching it's halfway point of the year, with the Tuesday night QEC competition coming to an end on Tuesday 4 August and both the Central Otago and Southland Basketball competitions starting this week.

Central Otago Junior Competition

Junior Girls beat Dunstan High School 32-28 Fishbone player of the Game was Madi Wallace who scored the last 16 points of the game. Year 9 Boys lost to Dunstan B 66-10

QEC Competition

WHS Girls beat the Rangers Fishbone Player of the Game was Ruby Kirk. WHS Junior A Boys beat WHS Senior Boys B WHS Senior Boys lost to 24Kobe8 in the men's semifinals.



Football

Girls 1st XI lost to MAC 3-2

Hockey

Development Team defaulted Mixed B Team lost 6-0 to DHS defenders - player of the night: Ella McKinney Mixed A Team beat DHS Black 4-1 - player of the night: Sammy Fookes Thank you to Love Chicken for the Player of the Night awards!

Rugby

1st XV beat Waitaki Boys 32-10 U15 beat Waitaki Boys 33-0 U14 lost to Cromwell 57-40 Girls 1st XV beat MAC 41-5

Girls Rugby

The WHS Girls 1st XV hosted MAC 1st XV at the events centre on Wednesday night. The game was played in great spirit from both sides with WHS coming away with a fantastic 41-5 win. The WHS girls played with structure, speed and confidence to put together the best performance of the year so far. Congratulations on a great team effort!!

Weekly Draw

Basketball

Friday 31st July Senior A Boys vs James Hargest 2nd V - Stadium Southland 5:30pm Junior A Boys vs Verdon Junior A - Stadium Southland 6pm Junior A Boys vs James Hargest Junior A -Stadium Southland 7pm Monday 3rd August Year 9 Boys vs MAC - MAC 5pm Junior Girls vs Cromwell - WHS 5pm Tuesday 4th August Queenstown Event Centre Finals night

Football

Sunday 2nd August 1st XI Boys vs MAC - Wanaka Rec Ground 1pm Monday 3rd August 1st XI Girls vs Dunstan - Cromwell 4:30pm Hockey Friday 31st July Mixed A vs Dunstand 1st XI - Cromwell 5:45pm Sunday 2nd August Mixed B vs Dunstan - Cromwell 5pm Thursday 6th August Mixed Development vs Mixed B - Cromwell 5:45pm

<u>Netball</u>

Saturday 1st and Monday 3rd August Wakatipu Netball Centre Draw: https://drive. google.com/file/d/1qdCImEjIsUOZ0tuVFetvAK8SS 3CvPlaw/view?usp=sharing Saturday 1st and Sunday 2nd August Senior Tournament for Senior A, Senior B Gold and Senior B Blue https://drive.google.com/file/d/1fhhPOS7oOskiqV IYdC6DHvELCkSenHFo/view?usp=sharing

<u>Rugby</u>

Saturday 1st August 1st XV vs South Otago High School - SOHS 1pm U15 vs South Otago High School - SOHS 1pm U14 Blue vs MAC - WHS 11:15am U14 Gold vs Cromwell - WHS 1pm Wednesday 5th August 1st XV Girls vs Cromwell - Cromwell 6pm Photos Dropped (Y/N): Y Run Time: 1 week

The Careers Department

University Open Days

Year 13 students who are committed and serious about a particular Tertiary Study in 2021 are invited to sign up for our school organized visits – we do all the travel and accommodation bookings for these (please do not do your own). Students are subsidized by 50% to attend two experiences. Those who attend more will be asked to pay the full cost for the extra one(s).

Planned visits include:

Otago Uni and Otago Poly	9 and 10th August
Canterbury University	27th August (Day Trip)
Victoria and Massey (Wellington) Uni's	20-21 August
Auckland Uni	28 (flight 4.15pm) & 29 August

This information is communicated to Year 13 students via e-mail and Year 13 Google Classroom. Permission Slips for these trips need to be completed and returned by the 21st July. This ensures we have enough time to confirm flights, busses and accommodation.

Scholarship Opportunities

<u>Cosgroves Consultants Directors Scholarship</u> We have an exciting new Scholarship from Cosgroves Consultants:

The Cosgroves scholarship is established to provide financial assistance to students of Wakatipu High school (WHS) so that they might attend a University in New Zealand. The Scholarship is to the value \$2500.

"We are interested in encouraging any student from the Wakatipu into a technical area where we can assist you with gaining work experience in our Christchurch office as an intern over Summer. Our main office in Christchurch has over 40 staff and it is there that we have the best opportunity to mentor you for a summer internship, with potential for other opportunities after that. We envisage the scholarship would likely go to a student studying either of Civil, Electrical, Fire or Mechanical design engineering as those disciplines are aligned with our core services."

Interested students are to collect the application forms from the Careers Hub. (Closes 28th August)

Local Scholarships

Year 13's students are encouraged to apply for local scholarships. At the Careers Hub we have the applications for the following local scholarships:

- Meyer Cruden Civil Engineering @ University of Canterbury \$3000(closes 31st July)
- Central Lakes Trust Scholarships \$2500 (closes 31st July)
 - Full Time Tertiary Scholarship
 - Full Time Vocational Scholarship
- Keystone Trust (closes 14th August)
 - For a professional Career in Property, Infrastructure or Construction. \$5000 for up to 3 years
- Margaret Templeton Hardship Scholarship \$5000 over 3 years (closes 24th Sep)

A great place to start looking for Scholarships is: https://www.moneyhub.co.nz/scholarshipsnz.html it provides a complete list of all scholarships available for our students for 2020.

UC Science Summer Camp 2020

The UC Science Summer Camp 2020 is as much a chance to experience life on campus as it is an opportunity to meet fellow Year 12s who are as interested in science from all over Aotearoa. Year 12 students come to stay on campus for 5 days and explore all the college has to offer.

Camp details:

Girls with high vis

Dates: 12 to 16 December 2020 Eligibility: Year 12 New Zealand school students Applications open: 8 July Applications close: 21 August Successful applicants announced: 1 October Costs: \$575

Māori, Pasifika and Support Scholarships available



Calling all females! We have an opportunity for you to gain hands-on experience and get a clear sense of what a career in the infrastructure industry can offer.

There is a great range of infrastructure companies hosting events this year, from civil construction and power generation to water treatment looking forward to providing students an insight into the varied roles and opportunities available.

HEB Construction – Queenstown –Wednesday 2 September

Register your interest at the Careers Hub so that you can attend a Girls with Hi-Vis® event.

Painting & Decorating Apprenticeship

M.R. Decorating is looking to offer work experience and potentially apprenticeships for those students who are interested in the painting and decorating Industry.

"We would like to provide them with an opportunity to come join us and make a start. It is a way in which we can reach out to NZ residents and provide an opportunity to build a career in this trade. Our students (future generation) are an important factor in this."

The Xmas holiday period being a good time for this opportunity to begin.

If interested please make contact with : Geraldine Gray Quality Compliance Manager (027) 450 2955 geraldine@mrdecorating.co.nz

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Career - Apprenticeship Opportunity

Angle Interiors is a well-established local company who is looking at offering an apprenticeship to any keen students who are interested in learning a trade in Construction as an Interior Linings Trainee gaining BCITO unit standards qualification.

If interested please make contact with Brett Anderson 027 330 3083 or Jason Payne 027 481 8166 or email angleinteriors@xtra.co.nz





Leaving Process

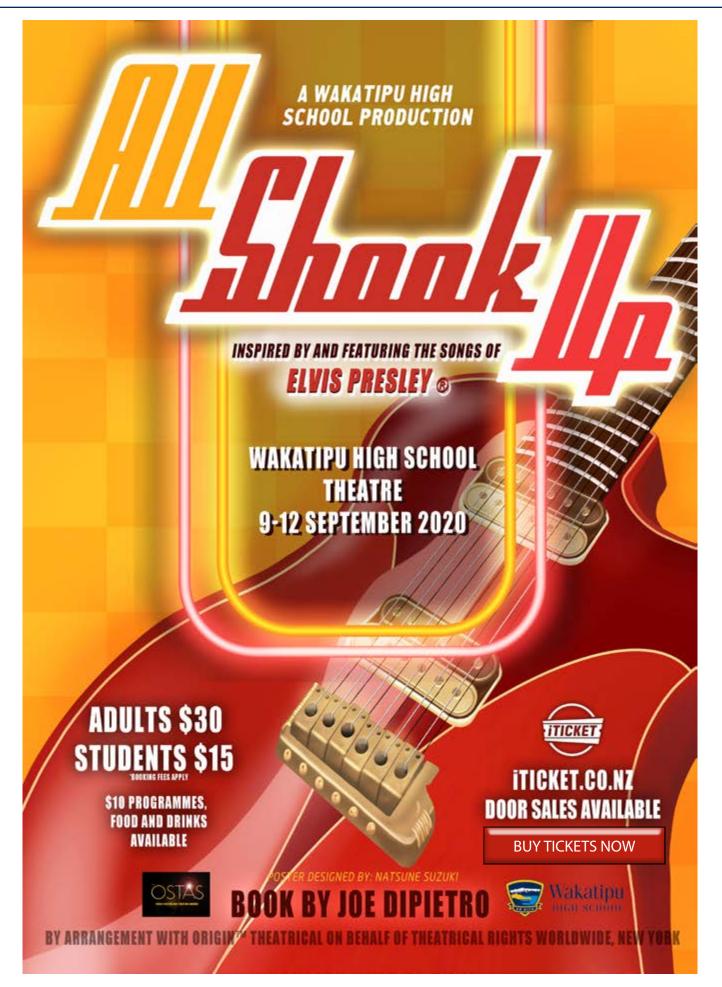
In this time of rapid change, if you have a student leaving WHS please let us know. This includes students leaving for work/further study and students who will be enrolling in another school.

We have updated our leaving process and made it online. The new electronic leaving form is located on our website here. This is a very short, quick form. This form also initiates in school processes ensuring NZQA information is up to date, and accounts/refunds are finalised.

If you have any questions, or if there is anything we can do to support your student with a transition to a new school please contact Lee Hiestand.

School Key Dates

3 August	Junior Mid-Year Prizegiving
	Excellence, Ad Alta & Ākonga Passport Assemblies
13 August - 18 August	Senior Exams
18 August	Junior Next Steps (School closes at 1:50pm)
19 August	MAC Exchange





In 2020, we're helping WHS deliver the best all round education to the students of WHS by funding:



Find out how you can support the students in your school community by visiting www.wakatipuhsfoundation.co.nz



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