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Notices

Please click here to view Wakatipu High School's Student Notice Board.

Facebook Page

Please see our Facebook page for all the latest updates from Wakatipu High School, and take a look at our sports page for news on football, rugby, snow sports and more. Recent posts include this year's school musical - Dusty: The Original Pop Diva and a message from our students following a full school assembly on Monday.

Kia ora - welcome to the Wakatipu High School newsletter. Like all of NZ, WHS has been impacted by and responded to the Christchurch attacks. On Monday morning we gathered as a school for some words and a moment's silence, as well as outlining the support in place for students. We also informed students that we will conduct a lockdown drill (which they will be briefed on) before the end of the term. During the week we passed on the information regarding it being an offense to possess or distribute copies of the video of the shootings, but we are aware that some of our students have viewed this. We encourage you to discuss this with your student and encourage them to seek support if they feel they need it. Today we had a multi-coloured mufti day to raise money for the victims of the tragedy and we observed the 2 minutes silence along with the rest of NZ. At Break 3 our students formed the word 'Kotahitanga' (which is our value inclusion) as a message of support to Christchurch - see below for more, including a great photo!

There are a number of important items below, and for some great news I would draw your attention to the Sports section which celebrates the incredible achievement of Alice Robinson who placed second (in the world!) in the GS at the final Alpine Ski World Cup, as well as some outstanding performances by our athletes in the recent Southland Secondary School champs.

Junior Next Steps (Parent-Teacher) - are next Tuesday 26th March. Hopefully by now junior parents have made a booking with their student's Kaiārahi (Ako teacher). These meetings are important and we do expect all to attend please - go to www.schoolinterviews.co.nz and enter the event code xbrgz. Please note that for all students school will finish at 1:50pm on Tuesday, with buses running from that time.

Senior Next Steps - are coming up soon on Tuesday 9th April. These follow the traditional 'five minutes with subject teachers' model, and we encourage senior parents to come along to meet teachers and be engaged with and support their student's learning, progress and achievement. Bookings are now open at www.schoolinterviews.co.nz , enter the event code 5aduh - get in quick to get your time slots!

Musical - also coming up soon now is the school musical, Dusty, which opens in less than two weeks! The story of Dusty Springfield, it contains some awesome music and will be a great show as always. See below for more, but tickets are now on sale so click here to get in and get your seats!

LE Reports - LE #2 will be emailed out and on the Portal this evening. Please do have a look at these and check your student's engagement with their learning - particularly noting any 2s or 1s, especially if they are recurring. These LE Reports are timed well re Next Steps.

Parent Tours - a reminder that we offering parents an opportunity to come and have a look at teaching and learning at WHS. Tours are at 9.30am on Wednesdays this term, and are 60mins. They will

be hosted by members of the senior leadership team, and are limited to 10 parents. You do need to book in - please email my PA, Karla Dawson kdawson@wakatipu.school.nz.

Next Week - is not only summer Tournament week, with many students away competing in a range of summer sports, but a very different week so please note:

- Monday: Otago Anniversary
- Tuesday: Junior Next Steps, school finishes and buses run from 1.50pm
- Friday: Teacher Only Day

Another significant week at WHS, but one in which we saw, as with the rest of the country, our young people respond strongly and positively to the horror of Christchurch. As Week 9 comes to a close there are now only three weeks and 13 days left in this term. Please note that with the short week next week and Teacher Only Day next Friday there will be no newsletter next week.

Our summer continues with good weather and warm temps until Monday at least - only two weeks until daylight saving ends so make the most of it. Enjoy the long weekend :)

Steve Hall, Principal

Wakatipu High School students gathered on the field today to show their support for our Muslim community and Christchurch following last week's attacks. 'Kotahitanga', is the te reo word for our school value of Inclusion and also means unity and solidarity. Trevor Moeke, Maori elder and community leader, explains that 'tahi' is the Maori word for one and 'kotahi' is the Maori word for single, therefore the word 'kotahitanga' is the Maori word for oneness. The students feel that this word encapsulates our message to the victims.

The initiative aligned with the national Colour Your Day movement in support of Christchurch and also the International Day for the Elimination of Racial Discrimination, observed globally on the 21st March. A huge thank you to Heliworks for their generosity and for making this possible, and to our Head of Languages Guillaume Charton for taking the photo.

From our students: "Kia Kaha Christchurch, we stand with you."

Lucy Ford, English



Supporting our Young People

If your young person is upset and worried about the traumatic incident in Christchurch here are some key principles:

- Spend time in places that are safe and comfortable
- Remember this is normal to feel this way at this time
- Stick to your normal routine
- Reach out for support
- Keep active

If you need support then get help. Go to your GP, counselling service, text 1737 for free counselling or contact a school guidance counsellor. vpatton@wakatipu.school.nz or ctweddell@wakatipu.school.nz.

1737 does provide interpreters however if you know someone who may need this service and has limited English then spend time helping them to prepare a message in English that they can text asking for an interpreter.

Useful links to more detailed information:

- Government mental health coping advice
- How to talk about world trauma with your children.

Vicki Patton, Guidance Counsellor

School Safety Drill

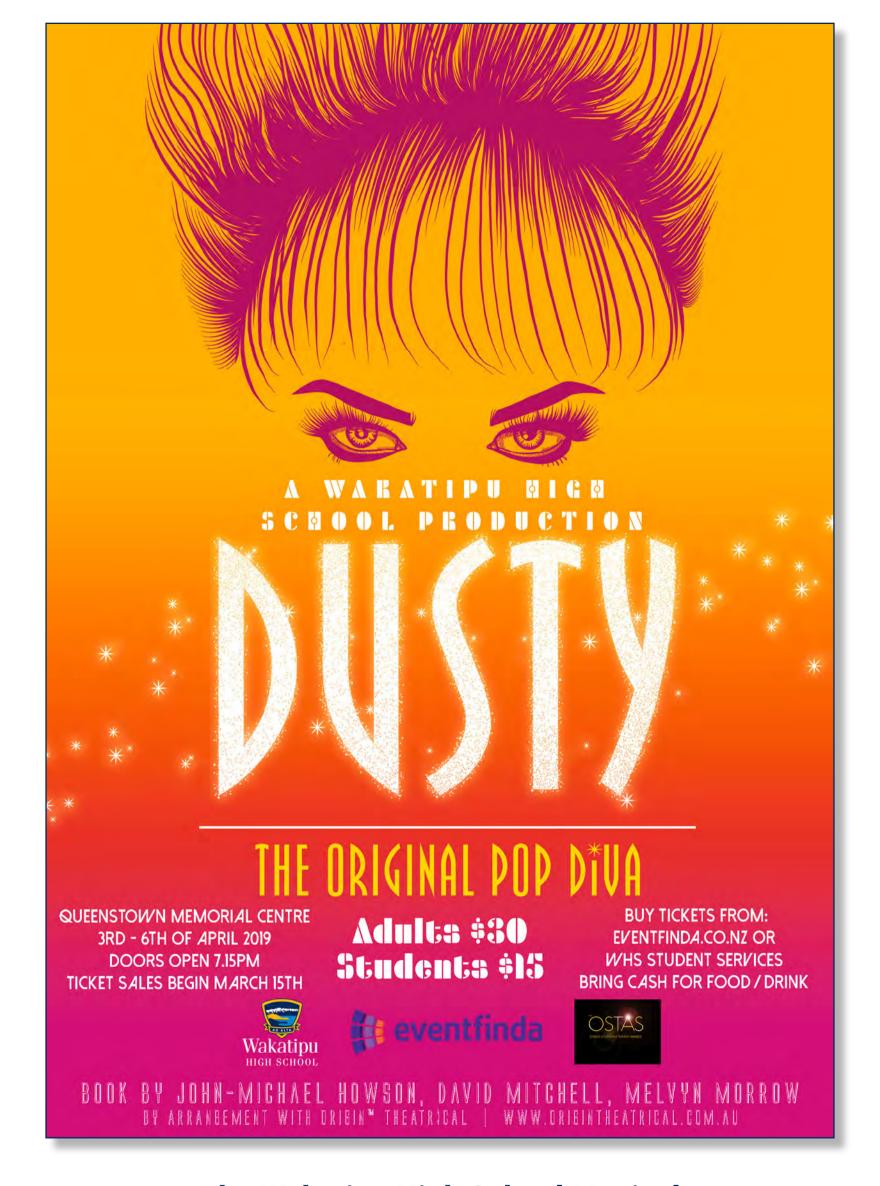
Subsequent to last Friday's tragic events in Christchurch and all schools going into Lockdown, we know there is a lot of interest in our own Lockdown procedures. Our Lockdown procedures for our new building are slightly different from our previous ones at Fryer Street. To make sure everyone, particularly students, are comfortable with expectations during a Lockdown, we are scheduling a drill which will take place before the end of the term. The date and time of the drill will be notified to everyone in advance so no one is taken by surprise. Our local Police liaison officer will also be in attendance as an observer to provide feedback.

If a Lockdown is initiated, the school will use the School App to notify parents of the Lockdown and of any updates. Whilst we will not simulate this during our drill, please take the time to install the app if you have not done so already.

Parents should not under any circumstances make their way to the school to collect students during a Lockdown, unless they are advised to do so. If the school is in Lockdown then the doors will not be opened until the Police have advised us it is safe to do so.

Whilst we follow Ministry of Education guidelines and don't publish our Lockdown procedures (to prevent potential threats pre-empting our plans), if, after the drill, you still have questions please email office @wakatipu.school.nz and we'll do our best to answer them, although, depending on the particular scenario at hand, different circumstances may apply.

Andrea Wilton-Connell, Executive Officer



The Wakatipu High School Musical April 3-6, Queenstown Memorial Centre Tickets now at Eventfinda



A musical celebration of pop icon Dusty Springfield.
Listen to the Spotify Playlist here, featuring hits like
'Son of A Preacher Man', 'Take Another Little Piece of
My Heart' and 'I Just Don't Know What to do with Myself'

Winter Uniform

It's time to start thinking about kitting out for winter.

The blue winter kilt can be ordered from Argyle Online.

Sizing guide: if the summer kilt is a good fit, order a size up for the kilt eg. size 10 summer skirt will require a size 12 winter kilt. Please also note that the green winter kilt may only be worn by Year 13 students.

Knee high socks (\$15 for 3 pairs) and winter tights (\$18 per pair) are now available in the uniform shop. Winter jerseys (\$90) are also available for fitting and for purchase in the uniform shop.

Uniform shop hours are 8.30am to 3pm.

Top Art Exhibition

This week saw the NZQA's Top Art exhibition arrive at WHS as part of its Southern Tour. Some of the work on show this week is truly incredible - including that of WHS student Ray Crawshay, who graduated last year. His astounding Design folio on the topic of mental health awareness made up part of the North Island leg of the tour.

The exhibition showcases the best of the five fields of NCEA Level 3 Visual Arts; design, painting, photography, printmaking and sculpture. What is displayed is just a small selection of the exceptional artwork produced in schools across the country.

The exhibition is an opportunity for students to celebrate their achievement with their whānau, friends, and their teachers.

Well done to all of the students' whose work has been chosen. You can find a full collection of their work on NZQA's Facebook page, and view Ray Crawshay's work here.







Head Students' Address

Hey Everyone,

It's been another action-packed week at Wakatipu High School. Gracie and Archie spoke in the assembly on Monday last week regarding the tragic events that happened in Christchurch and I thought the words spoken by Gracie were very powerful. "That we as a country, as a community and as a school are strong. Now it's more important than ever to support one another. No matter who you are or where you come from you are accepted at Wakatipu High School, you are accepted in Queenstown and New Zealand is your home. We stand beside the Muslim community and the people of Christchurch." This was and will be a very big event in New Zealand history and has made many kiwis reconsider how we approach topics such as ethnicity, sexuality, gender and religion. This week we, as a school, were very focused on upholding and representing our value of inclusion, kotahitaga.

This began with International Day on Wednesday which was a huge success. The Arts and Cultural Council ran the event to celebrate the unity of different cultures at WHS. The international students were enlisted to bring in cuisine from their different countries and cultures which was all sold at break 2. Spring Rolls from Vietnam, Belgium Speculoos and Waffles, Indian ladoos and German hefëzopfe were just a small portion of the selection on offer. All of the funds raised was donated to the Christchurch support fund. At break 3 we ran kahoots, or quizzes, in which a large range of students came to test their knowledge on different aspects on different cultures and countries around the world. This was an amazing day, demonstrating and celebrating inclusion and diversity.

Today we had a mufti day to show our support for the families, muslim communities and people impacted by the tragic events in Christchurch. Everyone dressed up in colourful attire and brought in a gold coin donation to send to Christchurch. At break 3 the school gathered on the field to take an aerial shot of our bodies forming the word Kotahitanga, our school value of inclusion. It has been amazing to watch our school band together and support each other in light of this tragic event. We have come together as a school and to celebrate diversity and demonstrate inclusion.

On another note there is one week left until we move into the Memorial Hall for musical and the cast is super excited to perform on stage, in front of you all. The musical is starting to properly come together with the band and cast rehearsing together for the last 2 weeks. Next week all the crews will begin coming to rehearsals and all the little pieces will start to come together and the story of Dusty Springfield will be presented onstage. With songs like 'Son of a Preacher Man' 'Dancing in the Street' and 'My Generation.' This year's musical showcases the life and work of an amazing performer, someone whose career is what many of the students participating in the musical are aspiring to.

Tickets are now available at the school office or on eventfinda. Have a great weekend and a good week next week,

Thanks,

Tasman Hughes, Deputy Head Girl

Living in LaLa Land

In Term 4 last year you may remember a group of WHS students visited Mt Aspiring College to do a cultural exchange, of sorts. Students from MAC then visited us for a day. The resulting documentary went live today on the Crux website -- check it out! Our student team was Presenter: Nina Johnston (graduated 2018), Director: Eliott Allemand, Sound - Aidan Gordan, Producer - Lucy Glover, Director of Photography - Thomas Whelan-Henderson and Writer/presenter - Elissa Blong.

Jennifer Smart, Media Studies

Patagonia support Japan

A huge thank you to our local (and delicious!) ice cream makers, Patagonia! Their support has been fantastic as they donated ice cream for a student to sell to help him raise funds for him to go on the Japanese Exchange Trip 2020. Ice cream has been sold at Break times to eager student. Students needs to raise \$5,200 for the trip. If any other businesses would like to offer support to help students please get in touch with the teacher in charge of the trip: rlund@wakatipu.school.nz.

Rebecca Lund, Technology



Learning Outside the Classroom

This Thursday, a number of students learning English as a Second Language visited the new library in Frankton for the first time. They received a tour outlining the many services and facilities offered, as well as advice on filling in membership forms. This was a great opportunity for students to apply some of their classroom learning in a meaningful way.

Zita Arnold, Languages





Darkness Into Light

On Saturday the 11 May at 6.30 am, Queenstown will join hundreds of thousands of people around the world to walk together in aid of Mental Health and Suicide Awareness. Gather your friends and family, young or old for this 5km walk and support Pieta House and Queenstown Lakes Family Centre. Register here or speak to Miss Arnold for more info.

Zita Arnold, Languages



Host Families Needed

We are looking for a warm, caring home to host a year 9 Boy from Thailand who will be arriving 9 April. He has cat and dog hair allergies. He will be enrolled for the 2019 school year. Reimbursement is \$290 per wk. Please email dbaldey@wakatipu.school.nz.

Donna Baldey, International Homestay Coordinator

Sports Report - Week 8

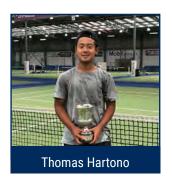
Snow Skiing - FIS Alpine Ski World Cup Women's Giant Slalom

Alice Robinson finished second behind overall World Cup champion Mikaela Shiffrin of the United States by 0.3 of a second in the Women's Giant Slalom Event at the Alpine Ski World Cup Final. Alice earned her World Cup finals entry by winning the giant slalom at the Junior World Championships last month. Alice has had an incredible season of racing overseas and we look forward to seeing what the future holds for her.



Tennis - Otago Open

Etrusco's 2019 Otago Open Tennis Tournament was held in Dunedin from the 8th-10th of March. After 3 days of competition and a lot of tennis, Thomas Hartono won the men's single title. Thomas also partnered up with his older brother Peter in the doubles, where they unfortunately got beaten in the final and finished second. Well done Thomas!



Swimming - Division II Swim Champs

WHS had a team of nine swimmers attend this 4 day highly competitive national meet in Dunedin from the 13th - 16th March. Isaak Frewen, Charlotte Payne, Sophie Adamson, Gabbi Barr, Jett Fa'amalepe, Grace Seeto, Jemima Barr, Sara Jameson & Kaleb Poole all produced some gutsy swims and came away with a lot of new personal best times.

Some finals results in their age groups are as follows;

- Isaak (16-18): 1st 100 back &100 IM, 2nd 200 back, 50 breaststroke & 100 butterfly, 3rd 100 free & 5th 50 free
- Jett (14 years): 1st 100 & 200 back & 50 free, 2nd 50 back & 4th 100 free
- Gabbi (15 years): 1st 50 breaststroke, 4th 100 breaststroke & 6th 200 breaststroke
- Sophie (16-18): 8th 50 butterfly & 400 freestyle
- Grace (12-13): 4th 50 breaststroke
- Kaleb (12-13): 6th 100 butterfly
- Sara (12-13): 8th 400IM

The girls relay teams of Jett, Grace, Sara & Sophie narrowly missed a medal, finishing 4th in the girls 12-18 year 200m medley relay and the team of Jett, Grace, Gabbi & Sophie placed 7th in the highly competitive 200m freestyle relay. Well done to all these dedicated swimmers doing well at a National level

Athletics - Southland Secondary School Champs

On Friday almost 50 athletes headed down to a sunny Invercargill (a slight oxymoron) to smash the competition. The event was quite literally record breaking, with over 20 first place winners and 4 records being broken - Hayato Yoneto in the 100m, two by Samantha Fookes in the 800m and 1500m, and the 4th by the 400m relay team comprising of Aleks Cheifetz, Hayato Yoneto, Josh Drinkwater and Gareth Harcombe. A truly amazing effort by everyone who ran, jumped and threw throughout the day, the next stage of the competition will be South Islands in Nelson next weekend.

U14 Girls

Maisie Grufferty 400m 2rd, 100m 5th Ellie Shutttleworth 400m, 3rd 100m 8th Sammy Fookes 800m (record 2:20 broke by 6 secs) 1500m (record 5:02 broke by 6 secs) 1st long jump. 1st 4x100m Relay Sammy, Maisie, Ellie & Kyra Lazor

U15 Girls

Hannah Battrick 1st 3000m Olive Watherston 2nd 100m, 5th High Jump Mikayla Evans 5th 100m, 5th 400m Twilo Bevan 4th High Jump

U16 Girls

Lucy Viggers 1st High Jump
Paige Loggenberg 1st Shot Put
Anika Moetaua 3rd Shot Put
Carmen Woodhouse 2nd 800m 3rd 1500m

Senior Girls

Jemima Stevens 1st 1500m 1st 3000m Kloe Vermeir 6th 100m

U14 Boys

Oliver Bowman 6th 200m final

U15 Boys

Todd Vermeir 1st 1500m and 3000m Jack McBeth 8th in the Final of 100m

U16 Boys

Tasuku Yoeto - 1st 100m Hurdles, 3rd = 100m, 4th Long Jump Finley Young 3rd 800m, 4th 400m Linus Rtchie 3rd 1500m & 3000m

Senior Boys

Hayato Yoneto 1st 100m
(Record 10:97 VERY FAST and very impressive) 1st 200m
Josh Drinkwater 1st 400m
Gareth Harcombe 1st 800m 3rd 1500m
Archie Ritchie 1st 1500m, 1st 3000m
Aleks Cheifetz 2nd 800m 2nd 1500m
Benny Britton 3rd 3000m and 4th 15000m
Angus Herron 3rd 100m and 200m

4x400m Record 3:36 Hayato, Aleks, Gareth & Josh - last event of the day and a brilliant way to finish. (They averaged 54s per lap)







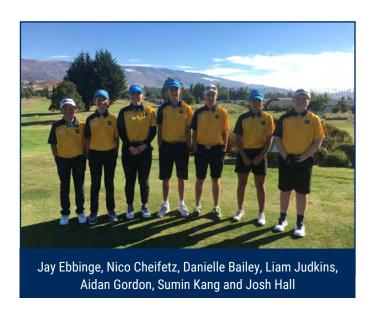


Adventure Racing - South Island Secondary School Adventure Race Championships

Well done to Sam Davies, Zoe Crawford, Jess Macdonald and Linus Ritchie for placing 6th in the mixed team event at the SISS Adventure Race Champs. Teams were given a time frame of 8-12 hours to mountain bike, trek, kayak, abseil and navigate their way around the course. The team is now building up to the NZSS Adventure Race Championships in Cromwell next week.

Golf - Otago Intercollegiate Golf Finals

Last Friday, 2 teams of Wakatipu High School golfers took part in the Otago Intercollegiate golf finals, which is the qualifying event for the national secondary schools tournament to be held later this year. The Wakatipu High School teams competed well, with our top team taking overall honours, beating out the nearest challengers from Otago Boys' High School by 9 shots. Sumin Kang took out the prize for top female golfer, while Liam Judkins earned second in the male category. Both Sumin and Liam have now qualified for the NZ Eagles tournament that will be held in Te Awamutu. It was great to see our golfers performing well in this competitive environment, and the future of golf in the region looks strong!



Mountain Biking - National Mountain Bike Championships

Last Sunday, seven members of the WHS Mountain Bike Club competed in the Altherm Mountain Bike National Championships in the Whakarewarewa Forest, Rotorua with some great results. The forest is considered one of the top mountain biking destinations in NZ and it didn't disappoint. The fast course incorporated new trail sections, which changed continually over the course of practice, seeding and race runs, along with impressive jump lines and rooty chutes. On the fast course times were tight, with Jess Blewitt missing out on first place by less than 0.4 sec.

U19 Female

Jess Blewitt 2nd Maia Jowett 3rd

U19 Male

Alex Barke 4th

U17 Male

Max Caulton 9th Will Adamson 18th Dylan Foote 20th

Riley Adlam withdrew injured during practice runs Recent past WHS student Sam Robbie placed 11th Male Elite

Southand Volleyball Championships

Three Wakatipu High School Volleyball teams travelled to Invercargill last Saturday to compete in the Southland Volleyball Championships. The standard was very high this year and therefore there was some stiff competition from a number of schools. The Senior A team lost to Southland Girls High School in a close semi-final match. The Senior B and Senior Mixed teams played each other for 6th and 7th in a tight battle, with the Senior B coming out on top. Good luck to the 20 players who are heading to Christchurch next week to play in the South Island Satellite Tournament.





Netball Coaching

With netball season approaching fast, we are looking for WHS students from all year groups who are interested in taking up the whistle and learning how to umpire. Training support is given throughout the season. Not only is it a great way to increase your knowledge of the rules of netball, which helps your own game if you play, it also provides you an opportunity to give back to the sport.

Interested? Contact Jane Hughes 027 451 1161 for more information.

WHS Mobile App

Upcoming events and important dates now available on the WHS App Calendar





You can now get information on our important upcoming events on the 'Calendar' section of our WHS App. It's free to download and use for iOS and Android devices. Once you have the app on your smartphone or tablet, simply hit 'Calendar' to view important upcoming events. You can also tap on the three bars in the top left to bring up the menu, then use the 'Alert Subscriptions' option to select what groups, years, or subjects apply to you. The WHS App is recommended for both students and parents.

Push Notifications

The app allows you to select alert groups so that you only get notifications relevant to you such as:

- Whole School information alerts
- Sports and activities reminders
- Year level events
- House announcements
- Buses updates, such as lateness or breakdowns

This feature will help ensure that you receive only messages that are applicable to you.

Other Features

The app also gives you quick links to:

- Report your child's absence
- Log into the WHS Portal
- Access the school notices
- Read the latest newsletter
- Quick link to the school website
- Check upcoming calendar events
- Contact the school

Date	Event	Who
Monday 25 March	Otago Anniversary Day - No School	Everyone
Tuesday 26 March	Junior Next Steps	Year 9 and 10
Friday 29 March	Teacher Only Day	Everyone
Wednesday 3 - Saturday 6 April	Musical	Everyone
Tuesday 9 April	Senior Next Steps	Years 11, 12, 13
Wednesday April 10	Sheila Winn (Dunedin)	Sheila Winn Students
Friday 12 April	End of Term	Everyone



Wakatipu High School Foundation Business Partnership Programme

The success of Wakatipu High School Foundation depends on the strength of its partnerships – with our schools, our community and business leaders. The WHSF Business Partnership Program is comprised of a dynamic group of local companies and professionals who, through their financial support, share in its success. Partnering with WHSF is a great way to invest in our schools and promote your business. Outstanding schools help strengthen the entire community including the business community.

If you would like more information on how your business can participate in this vital programme, please contact:

Chris Duffy (Trustee): chris.duffy@crowehorwath.co.nz +64 3 450 1801 Josie Debenham (Executive Officer): josiedebenham@gmail.com + 64 22 037 8993

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Please support these businesses as they are investing in our students and school.





"Towards zero waste and a sustainable district"

\$50,000 is available to support activities throughout the Queenstown



WHAT IS THE FUND?

The Waste Minimisation Community Fund is an initiative of Queenstown Lakes District Council's WASTE MINIMISATION **AND MANAGEMENT PLAN 2018** (WMMP).

The Council has up to \$50,000 available in 2018/19 to help support community-driven waste minimisation initiatives. The fund provides for initiatives that minimise waste, maximise resource recovery and support the WMMP vision and objectives.

WHO CAN APPLY?

The fund is open to community groups, businesses, iwi/Māori organisations, educational institutions and other community-based organisations operating in the Queenstown Lakes district.

WHAT CAN THE FUNDING **BE USED FOR?**

THE FUNDING CAN BE USED FOR:

Feasibility studies and business

Materials and equipment

Skills development

Trials and pilot programmes

Education programmes

Learning opportunities

surveys

Workshops, events, monitoring and

Research and development (that is not aimed at supporting the attainment of a qualification)

Project execution or implementation costs

Funding can be used for operational or capital expenditure that is required to undertake a project.

THE FUNDING CANNOT BE USED FOR:



Projects that are inconsistent with QLDC's Waste Minimisation and Management Plan

Projects that involve waste generated from outside of the Queenstown

Lakes district Projects focused on waste

disposal, the treatment of waste or litter clean ups

Retrospective projects where the funding sought is for work already completed

Activities which duplicate other

Debt servicing

Pilot studies



projects

Any Questions? Email

zerowaste@qldc.govt.nz

WHAT ARE WE LOOKING FOR?

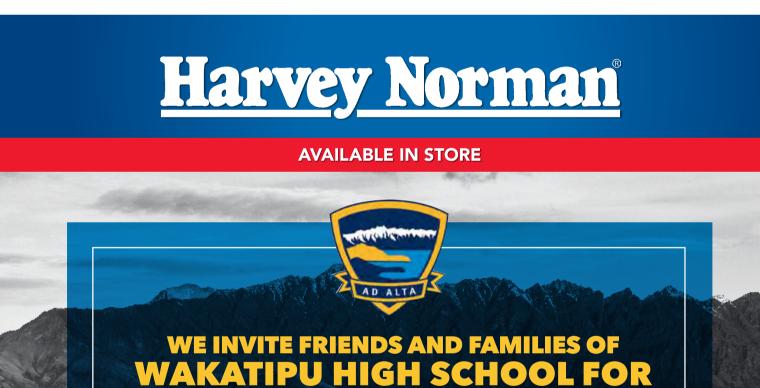
Inspire us with how your ideas will move our community towards zero waste! The aim is to support new initiatives that complement and enhance existing programmes, address gaps or create new opportunities.

Projects must be consistent with the WMMP and achieve the following outcomes:

- > Waste Reduction Reducing waste at source and/or,
- > Resource Recovery Diverting waste from landfill

Successful applicants must show how the fund will be used to achieve these outcomes and submit a final report on the success. If needed, we can help support you establish measures for your project outcomes.

Whether your project is large or small, we welcome your application.



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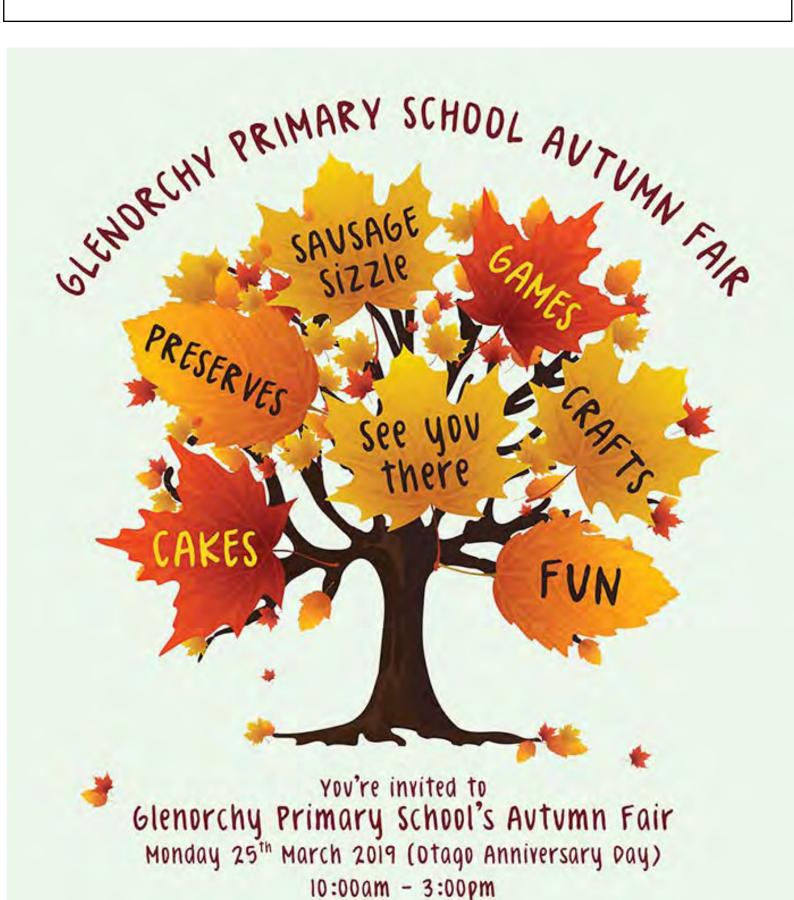


Drama Classes ~ Musical Theatre ~ Creative Writing ~ Performing

Inspired by Kate, our Collective offers a range of performing arts classes for students aged 5-15 years. Register your interest by email to thedramacollective@gmail.com More details on our website: https://sites.google.com/view/thedramacollective/home

Classes on Monday, Wednesday and Thursday at St Margaret's Church Hall, private classes by arrangement, including examination tuition and guidance.

Class	Time	Teacher
11/02 - 08/04	Monday	
Making Magic 10-12yrs	4-5pm	Mla
Bring to Life 7-10yrs	5-6pm	Tas
Creative Writing 10-12yrs	5-6pm	Beatrice
13/02 - 10/04	Wednesday	
Storytelling 5-7yrs	3.30 - 4.30	Bille
Storytelling 7-9yrs	4.30 - 5.30	Bille
Script n Scene 13-15yrs	5.30 - 6.30	Mla
14/02 - 11/04	Thursday	
Musical theatre	3.30 - 4.30	Bille
Bring to life 11-14yrs	4.30 - 5.30	Tas



Come support our school and enjoy local wares, homemade cakes and preserves, produce, sausage sizzle, games and lots of other fun activities.

Entry with a gold coin donation.



EASTER SCHOOL HOLIDAYS

WORKSHOP

Clay is a great way to introduce art to your curious child, or help your budding artist expand his or her creativity. Sign up for a two hour workshop and your child will take away a handmade pottery artwork.

WPG Studio at Queenstown Arts Center, 50 Stanley Street. Ages 7-15 years welcome. 10am - 12pm 15,16 Or 17 April. \$40 per workshop (includes clay, kiln firing and teaching)

Sign up at www.wakatipupotters.typeform.com/to/J7FSpL

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APRIL HOLIDAY PROGRAMME



QUEENSTOWN

VENUE: REMARKABLES PRIMARY SCHOOL

4 DAY PROGRAMME MON 22nd-THU 25th APRIL

> Children Born/Time: -2010-2011 9.00-11.00am -2008-2009 11.15-1.15pm -2006-2007 1.30-3.30pm

\$120 PER PLAYER

See Coach Profile & More Info on Website

WWW.ALLSTARSFA.COM





On Campus Experience (OCE) Scholarship

Sunday 5th - Thursday 9th May 2019 Sunday 9th - Thursday 13th June 2019

Closing date for applications: Friday 15th March 2019

The On Campus Experience (OCE) is a fully funded scholarship that provides an amazing opportunity for senior secondary students of Māori descent to experience learning at the University of Otago. The scholarship covers flight costs, accommodation at a residential college, food, programme activities and light entertainment. Students will be selected to participate in one of the two OCE scholarship programmes offered

Students will explore the Otago campus and the student city of Dunedin. They will also have the opportunity to attend lectures in their areas of interest as well as meet academic staff and students.

The OCE allows students to experience life in a residential college and meet the Māori Centre staff who provide great support for Māori students when they come to Otago. All successful recipients of the OCE scholarship will travel to Dunedin on one of the two programme dates.

Entries are sought from Year 13 students of Māori descent, who are currently enrolled in a New Zealand secondary school, and considering studying at the University of Otago in 2020. All applicants should be students who are completing their final year of secondary schooling, and are likely to gain University

ELIGIBILITY

- Applicants must be New Zealand citizens or permanent residents, of Māori descent
- Applicants must also be students who are attending and completing their final year of secondary schooling



For further enquiries, please contact: Grace Latimer | Māori Liaison Officer | Email: auckland.liaison@otago.ac.nz

Please complete an online application at: otago.ac.nz/future-students/oce.html





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"Hate Speech in the Age of the Internet: Challenges for All of Us" A Catalyst Trust Conversation

The Christchurch Mosque terrorist attack has made the significance of hate speech in the age of Internet horrifically clear. Distinguished Prof Paul Spoonley is a demographer of national renown who has extensively researched factors behind hate speech and recently chaired a government agency group on this "extremely challenging issue".

What qualifies as hate speech and who decides? What does it do to respectful and positive relations among our communities? Can it be controlled, and if so, how?

"When I began to research the issue and its extent, I was appalled at how much there was and the degree to which racial and religious vilification played a part. I have studied anti-Semitism but what struck me was how extensive Islamophobic comments were, including from New Zealanders.

"And I was also struck by how particular groups – ethnic/religious minorities, youth – were impacted. The Christchurch terrorist attack has brought the significance of all this home. What lessons might we – as a society, community and individuals – learn?"

Thursday, April 4, 6-7.30pm, at The Rees Hotel Queenstown conference room, \$5 koha at door. Registration is required as seating will be limited, with tickets available through Catalyst Trust's <u>Eventbrite page</u>. Please bring your tickets (printed, emailed or Eventbrite app).



Prof Spoonley is the Pro-Vice-Chancellor of the College of Humanities and Social Sciences at Massey University. He is a leading demographer involved in major research projects on immigration and diversity in NZ. He is the author or editor of 27 books and a Fellow of the Royal Society of New Zealand. His original research was on anti-Semitism and the extreme right in New Zealand.



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