



THE TERRACE SCHOOL

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Kia Ora Koutou

'If you put your meal 'off centre' in the microwave - will it heat it better?'

It does seem that the school is full of science at the moment and above is just one of the many questions that were posed this week.

Our Y7/8 children won a 'Optics Physics' rotation and Otago University presented through Monday a range of physics based activities for the children to learn. It was quite an eye-opener.

And low and behold it wasn't just Y7/8 studying science, R11 science experiments were just a taste of the science inquiries happening throughout the Y3/4 syndicate.

Amazing efforts from our CO Cross Country children and with just a short turn around many of them have now been selected to go to Dunedin. Good luck to you all on Friday. And fingers crossed that individuals recovering from the dreaded flu bug are well enough to travel and participate.

Polyfest was amazing and a special thank you to the number of parents and wider school family for supporting the children's efforts. The Kapahaka Group do produce something special and we understand that getting to Invercargill during the day provides its challenges - so watch this space. We will arrange a special performance of The Terrace School Kapahaka Group.

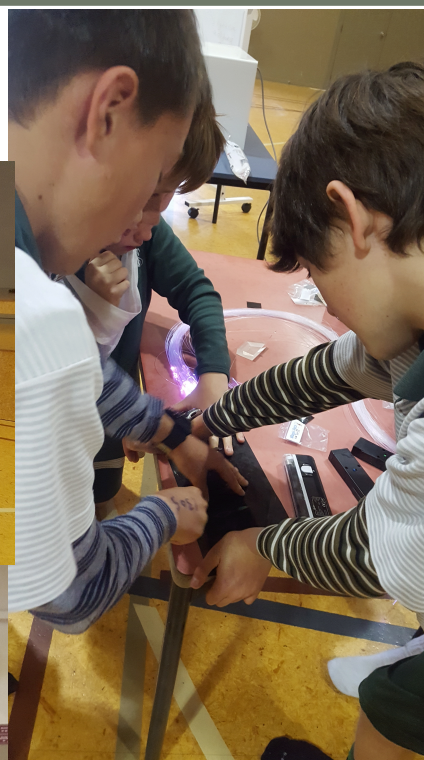
In the meantime let's take time out and celebrate our successes at Friday's Disco.
NE - Y4 - 5pm to 6.15pm
Y5-8 - 6.30pm to 8pm.

Finally can I extend our congratulations to the Dunstan High School Senior Girls Choir. Your performance at school here obviously was right up there with the best. Well done at The Big Sing Finals and your winning the Maori Presentation and silver medal overall!

Noho ora mai ra.
Garry Anderson
Principal



Optics Physics



CO Cross Country



Please be aware that activities advertised in this newsletter have not been assessed by The Terrace School board of trustees. The board advises parents to make their own enquiries to determine whether the activities follow best practice and/or are suitable for their children.

DATES TO REMEMBER:

Otago Cross Country	Fri 1 Sept 2017
TTS Disco	Fri 1 Sept 2017
CO Current Events	Thurs 7 Sept 2017
PTA Meeting 7.30pm	Mon 11 Sept 2017
School Photos	Mon 18 Sept 2017
Girls Self Defence	25 - 27 Sept 2017
Last Day Term 3	Friday 29 Sept 2017
First Day Term 4	Mon 16 October 2017
Proposed Y3/4 Camps to Dunedin	18th - 20th October
Labour Day Holiday	Mon 23 October 2017

PTA Fundraiser - Mardi Gras Food Stall Helpers needed!

The school PTA is going to run a food stall at the Blossom Festival Mardi Gras on Friday 22nd. Money raised will go into the PTA account that helps to supply sports equipment/ furniture and all sorts of other school materials for our children. If you are going to be at the Mardi Gras enjoying the festivities why not volunteer 1/2 an hr of your time to help out on the food stall? At least your kids will know where 'home base' is when they run out of money and have to find you!

If you can help please contact Avril 021764174 or Chelsea 0274780068.

Uniform Shop is open Thursday 3.00 – 3.30 p.m. If there is a problem getting to the shop at this time you can make alternative arrangements by ringing the school on 448-8124.

The uniform shop is also open on the first Monday evening of the term 5.30 - 6.00. The next date is to be Monday 16 October 2017.

Please make sure all clothing is well named with the wearers name. With swimming and other activities all items need to be identified. If an item is named (with the current owners name) it can be returned to the owner without delay. If an item is not named it will be washed and put away. (You can purchase 'iron on' labels ready printed, \$15 for 50, from the school.)

UNIFORM SHOP ROSTER - TERM 3

31.08.2017	Amy & Rochelle W
07.09.2017	Kate & Chelsea
14.09.2017	Laura & Jodi
21.09.2017	Jill & Sandra
28.09.2017	Celeste & Tracey
19.10.2017	Jeanine & Jenny
26.10.2017	Trudy & Shelley
02.11.2017	Amy & Rochelle
09.11.2017	Kate & Chelsea
16.11.2017	Laura & Jodi
23.11.2017	Jill & Sandra
30.11.2017	Celeste & Tracey

Scholastic Bookclub Offer #6

Orders need to be delivered to the office with payment (chqs made out to Scholastic NZ Ltd) or completed online by Thursday 14th September please.

The Terrace School PTA Disco

Friday 1 September 2017

School Disco Information

We would like to remind Families and Whanau of the following: Pupils are not to bring mobile phones to the disco. As per school procedures, parents who require their child to have a phone will need to have it taken into safekeeping by staff and returned at the end of the disco. The school office phone will be available in case of emergency.

All children must be dropped off and collected from the main entrance of the school hall. Please make sure your child knows who will be picking him/her up after the disco. Children are to remain in the hall until they are picked up. When Y5-8 arrive at the hall please stay on the hardcourt until you are asked to enter the hall.

Bad behaviour will not be tolerated. This is for the health, safety and enjoyment of all children attending. Any child not complying with this will be required to leave and their parents will be contacted to pick them up.

The disco is for The Terrace School children only. Pupils from other schools are not eligible to attend the disco. The disco is for NE-Y4 and Year 5-8 children only. Don't forget your named water bottle.

Children must remain in the hall throughout the disco. Other areas of the school are out of bounds. Children will be supervised when walking over to the toilet. Children who have been absent from school due to illness on the day of the disco should not attend the disco. This is a health & safety concern.

Admission to the disco will be gold coin payment at the door. Lollies and glow sticks will also be on sale. Children should need no more than \$5, including admission. Have a safe and enjoyable disco!

Netball Round Up

With this beautiful spring weather comes the end of the 2017 netball season.

I really enjoyed watching some of the games last Saturday, and I know that netball at The Terrace School is in good hands.

With that in mind we need to be thinking forward to next season when a parent committee will be formed to ensure our club runs smoothly.

Thanks you to our wonderful coaches and managers this year- Jo McKay, Bethan Spooner, Tina Lake, Shelley Sanders, Kirsty Deans, Lynda Gare, Donna Ellett, Phillpa Helm, Hannah Begg and Kimberley Herbert. Your time and hard work is truly appreciated.

Some of the uniforms and balls have been returned but I need all of them by the end of this week. Please return them in a team bag- not individually.

Once again thanks to parents and friends who have supported The Terrace School Netball Club this season.

Ann Conder

MARLOW PIES

Year 3/4 Syndicate are selling Marlow Pies to fund-raise for their camps in Dunedin next term. Orders need to be in by **Tuesday 12th September** Delivery **Wednesday 27th September**.

Standard \$3.00

Mince
Mince & Cheese
Steak
Steak & Cheese
Steak & Onion
Steak & Kidney
Steak & Cracked Pepper
Creamy Chicken
Chicken Satay
Vegetarian
Mince & Chilli Cheese
Sausage Rolls

Family \$7.50

Mince
Mince & Cheese
Steak
Steak & Cheese
Steak & Mushroom
Steak & Onion
Creamy Chicken
Chicken Satay
Bacon & Egg
Vegetarian
Apple

Orders can be made at the school office or by calling Brent 0276 825 825.



JUNIOR BASKETBALL WORKSHOP SEP 2ND & 3RD

BOOKINGS STILL OPEN...
RARE & EXCITING OPPORTUNITY
FOR SKILL DEVELOPMENT



Yr 5 / 6 (8:45am - 12.30pm)

Yr 7 / 8 (12:45pm - 4:30pm)

\$25 per child

Dunstan High School Gymnasium

Please contact Sharelle to book a spot!

sharelle@kellysports.co.nz /

027 370 6307



LOST: From R3 girls Guess watch, white strap, if found please return to the office or R3.

Friday Lunches:

Sausage in Bread \$1.50 each.

Money in a named envelope with order and placed in appropriate container at office before school. Food will be available outside the staff room at lunchtime on Friday.



Central Swim School



Book now for Term 4 Lessons

16 October to 16 December 2017

The swim school's Learn to Swim programmes provide a range of classes for all ages and levels of ability.

Book now and let our team help your child gain confidence and enjoyment in the water.

Holiday Programmes – October 2017

2-6 October – Molyneux Aquatic Centre and Cromwell Swim Centre

Check out the programmes on Council's website
www.codc.govt.nz



Phone: (03) 440 0680 or 021 490 264
Email: centralswimschool@codc.govt.nz



'SHARE THE LOVE' - Monthly Competition

Nominate a '**Hooker Hero**'
who you believe deserves recognition in our community

They will be entered in a draw to win a \$200 Alexandra 4 Square Voucher

Check out Facebook @LJHookerAlex for details, or pop in and see us

#LJHookerAlexGivingBackToTheCommunity

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We would LOVE your help.

If you can help with these chances to raise money for our group or if you have any questions, please either drop us a message on Facebook or email

sticksnstonesnz@gmail.com

Keep up to date with what Sticks 'n Stones are doing by Liking our FB Page, www.facebook.com/onlinesticks

Support our work by buying a BAG or BALL

We have great cotton reusable bags available for sale for \$4 each or 3 for \$10

We also have a small number of GAMECHANGER Rugby Balls left.

These are \$30 each and are high quality balls produced by Leslie Rugby.

If you are interested in supporting us with buying a bag or a ball, please get in touch.

Thank you for your support and for being part of changing attitudes and behaviours around bullying.



FESTIVAL OF SPORT AND RECREATION

A community event for everyone

- Learn what's on offer
- Try a new sport
- Meet the people involved

HAVE A GO DAY
Wanaka Recreation Centre
Saturday 23rd September 2017
9am – 1pm
FREE

Email: festivalofsportandrec@gmail.com
 or contact Bronwyn 027 4733 141 or Diana 027 468 0048 for more details.



UPPER CLUTHA SCHOOLS

SKI AND SNOWBOARD RACE

Tuesday 19th SEPTEMBER 2017

CARDRONA
ALPINE RESORT / NEW ZEALAND

Open to all Year 3 to Year 8 students of intermediate skiing/boarding ability, no racing experience required. Come and have FUN racing down a Giant Slalom and Gravity X course. Get a team of 3 or 4 together - all boys, all girls or mixed where the best 3 combined times count towards medal placings.

Race entry is online via www.snowsports.co.nz; <https://www.snowsports.co.nz/events-and-results/events/cardrona-upper-clutha-primary-ski-and-snowboard-championships/>

Also locate by filtering on resorts **Cardrona** for **Upper Clutha Primary School** ski and snowboard Event Registration \$10 per person and lift pass is discounted to \$30 for registered competitors One team manager per team receives 50% discount on regular ticket price

It is essential when registering to add **school code** and **team name** (limited to 20 characters)
 Refer additional information sheet for more details

This is a TEAM event – please ensure each team submits the TEAM FORM to: ucssevent@gmail.com

Entries must be completed online by 3.00 pm Saturday 16th September
 and relevant forms received by the Race Coordinator

An additional information sheet and relevant documentation can be collected from the **school office**
 or via email from the Race Coordinator: Suzy Gendall at ucssevent@gmail.com

Ski Connect Trophy for the best performing school
Current trophy holder 2016 event – Holy Family Catholic School

This event is brought to you by
 Wanaka Ski and Snowsports Club and Cardrona Alpine Resort



Can you tell a great story in 750 words or less? We want to find the region's best writers in the inaugural Lakes and Central Otago Short Story Competition.

Prizes include vouchers, wine and \$500 in cash for the winning adult and \$250 in the junior category.

Get your entry form by emailing mirror@stl.co.nz or visit your local page on Neighbourly.co.nz.

Entries close 30th August 2017

