

16 May Street Waiwera South RD 2 Clinton 9584

WAIWERA SOUTH SCHOOL

'Learning for Life'



office@waiwerasouth.school.nz www.waiwerasouth.school.nz

Newsletter, Issue 15: September 26th, 2018

Upcoming Events...

Friday 28th September	∣⊦
Friday 28th September	I F
Friday 28th September	A
Friday 28th September	L
Monday 15th October	F
Thursday 18th October	Т
Monday 22nd October	L

Hot lunch - Saveloy & Bread PCT Challenge am - Yr 7-8 Assembly 2.15 pm Last day of term 3 First day for term 4 Technology LABOUR DAY - NO SCHOOL



The Senior Room Genius Hour projects are almost complete

Tēnā koutou Families and Community,

The last week of term! Wow, isn't this year flying by. It is hard to believe the children played their first round of Touch last week - that is a true signal that the end of the year is getting close.

Mrs Cleghorn has been busy in the school garden with the children getting it ready for planting - we have a good lot of seedlings ready to plant out to get some summer veggies growing. The classes all planted some seed potatoes for out interclass Potato in a Bucket Competition, a bit of research was done as to the best way to plant a potato to get maximum yield - we will see which class comes out on top at the end of term 4.

This year for our end of year event we are going to be producing and performing a full school production, we had a read through of the play which Mrs Cleghorn has written on Monday - the more senior children will be auditioning for parts today and will know by the end of term which part they will be for the production so they can get learning during the holidays. We may be making a big call out next term for some help with costumes, props and backdrops - it is always very social to come along and be part of a prop working bee.

We have recently received Sue Sands resignation from her job as the Pool caretaker, we would like to say a huge thank you to Sue for all her hard work she has done around the school and for Waiwera South for many years. We wish her all the best with health and recovery.

Dean Richardson has been employed as the new Pool Caretaker.

Our Senior Class Genius Hour projects are almost complete, the school is looking quite flash with all its new gear made by the children. They will be presenting their final projects at assembly on Friday.

Constable Tim Roy brought his police dog Targa along to school on Tuesday. He spent some time talking to us all about what it takes to train a dog and the types of work he has to do as a Police Dog Handler. It was a great way to finish off our term learning about a variety of different services we have in NZ. Next



term will be an arts based inquiry - with a bit of research and history added in, as we lead up to our reunion.

Miss Holden will be away for the first three weeks of term 4, during this time Mrs Cleghorn will be teaching in the Junior Room. Mrs Landells will be working in the Senior Room with me.

Have a safe and fun term break and we will see you all again next term.

Kia pai tō koutou wiki

Kaz Bissett



Well done to these wonderful Waiwera Pupils who received Values and Key Competencies awards at the last assembly. Jayden Cambridge received an award for Respect and Caitlyn Forde received an award for Managing Self. Taylor Dobbie (who was absent) also received an award for Respect. Fantastic work everyone!





CONGRATULATIONS to the four students that represented Waiwera South School at the OPSSA Cross Country recently in Dunedin. Here are the results...

James Dobbie was place 43rd in the year 8 boys with a time of 10:15:6 Esther Whiteside was placed 22nd in the year 6 girls with a time of 9:44:3 Bree Campbell was placed 55th in the year 6 girls

with a time of 10:31:8

George Anderson was place 31st in the year 7 boys with a time of 10:29:8



OTAGO CRICKET SCHOOL HOLIDAY PROGRAMME

Keep the kids entertained these holidays!

Balclutha Recreation Centre: Tuesday 9th October

> Times: Yrs 2–10 9am to 4pm

> > Cost = \$40

For any queries email jess@otagocricket.co.nz To register visit www.otagocricket.co.nz



Kaitangata BMX Club

Are you interested in trying out a new sport? Want to meet new people and get fit?

BLACK GOLD BMX CLUB Are welcoming new riders to their club!!!

NO AGE REQUIREMENTS

If you can ride a bike you can come along and join in GREAT SPORT FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY

THREE sessions available at the start of the season...

WEDNESDAY 3rd OCTOBER at 5pm - 7pm WEDNESDAY 10th OCTOBER at 5pm - 7pm SUNDAY 14th OCTOBER at 10.30am - 1pm (BBQ running)

Come along, bring your bike (doesn't have to be a BMX) Wear long pants and sleeves, gloves and sneakers, we have full-faced helmets available for hire (normally \$2)

Check out our FB Page for more info: Kaitangata Black Gold BMX Or contact Jo: 0276315748 or Nic: 0275377883

SCHOOL HATS!!!

We have our NEW school hats available for purchase. These are part of the uniform and are compulsory to wear in the summer school terms, 4 & 1.

If you choose not to buy these new school hats, the old ones will be available to borrow until the new ones are phased in.

Please fill in & return this slip if you are wanting to purchase a school hat.

Invoices will be sent out for the orders, unless cash is sent to school.

NAME of Students:	Quantity	L / XL	M/L	(\$15 each)
			TOTAL:	



Senior Room students Kordelia'rose Brown, Ashley Wendelgelst & Cooper Hale practicing the Ukulele. It was a pleasure to hear from the office on such a nice spring day!!!

Thank you

to Mark and Madeline Anderson, Peter and Tania Dobbie and Tom Whiteside who have responded to our call out for a piece of land to adopt. We now have three splendid bits of land to choose from in our quest to add natives to the Waiwera South area. The staff will put their thinking hats on and work out which piece will work best for us as a school to look after and maintain into the future.

We will keep you posted.





Children's Section Tuesday 16th October 2018 Memorial Park 5.30pm - 6.30pm Age - 5 - 12yr olds

Register on-line - www.athleticstaieri.com enquiries@athleticstaieri.com

GREAT BIG HAPPY BIRTHDAY WISHES go to the following special people...

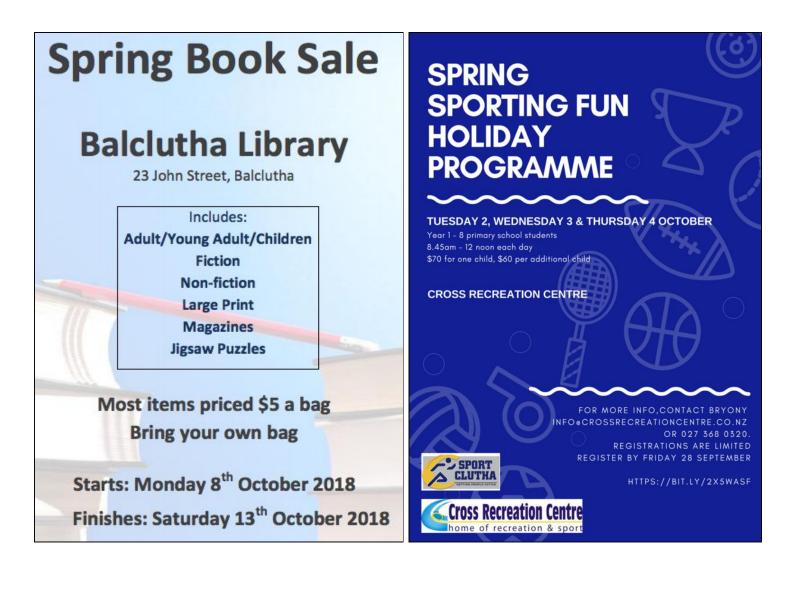
feed please ring

George Anderson

on 4157322

Wilfred Morgan who turns eight on the 27th September George Anderson who turns twelve on the 1st October Pacer Bangma-Cribb who turns seven on the 1st October Lincoln Forde who turns nine on the 13th October Florence Anderson who turns six on the 14th October Chase Cambridge who turns eight on the 20th October

(``'•.,* (``'•.,* WE HOPE YOU ALL ENJOY YOUR SPECIAL DAY *,•'´`) *,•'´`)





A note has gone home this week in regards to Operation Christmas Child. A project that our three classes are contributing to, but we need help to fill these gift boxes with joy from Waiwera South.

We are asking the children to get their hands dirty over the holidays and complete some jobs to earn some cash. Once we have collected this money in the first week of term 4 we will sit down and work out how much each class has and what we can purchase with the money for these gift boxes.

Each class is creating a box for a girl and a boy of similar age to them.

Any donations would be greatly appreciated please feel free to contact Nic at the office to arrange a donation if you can't make it into the school office.

Waiwerian's out there doing it...

Beth Dalley (right) sat her BBO solo ballet dance Medal Award on Tuesday afternoon with a Les Sulphides Prelude dance routine for the examiner who had flown over from Sydney. She danced and moved well, looked beautiful and came away with a gold medal to show for all her practice and her efforts.





Hayden Wendelgelst (left) receiving his Gold Cub Award, his certificate for completing all of his cub section awards and all of the personal challenge badges at cubs. This is a very big deal as not many cubs complete all of the 20 challenge badges, the last one to do this is now in Venturers.

Please send in any photos and a small blurb about a Waiwerian out there doing anything exciting, to Nic via email: <u>office@waiwerasouth.school.nz</u>

Assembly, 28 September

Assembly will be at the slightly earlier time of 2:15pm this week. This is because we have so much to share with you from our learning this term.

We look forward to seeing many smiling faces at our last assembly of term 3.

SAVE THE DATE ...

Tues 16th October Sat 27th October

For our ANNUAL TAILING FUNDRAISER

This is one of our major fundraisers and we would love to see help from ALL school families if possible. Any help, even if it's only half a day is greatly appreciated.



Senior Room Kai Kaha Art





South Otago Junior Touch Holiday Camps

Monday 8th October 2018 - boys Tuesday 9th October 2018 - girls

> Balclutha Showgrounds 9am - 3pm

Cost: \$20 per participant

These camps are open to all South Otago touch players from year 3 to year 9

Grant Milne, our Otago Touch Development Officer will be running these holiday camps with help from Otago and New Zealand Representative Age Group Players



Registrations: Please register with your school, South Otago Junior Touch Committee <u>southotagojuniortouch@gmail.com</u> or Kaz Bissett <u>principal@waiwerasouth.school.nz</u>, OR players can register on the day. Payment on the day required!











