

WAIWERA SOUTH SCHOOL

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UPCOMING EVENTS

| Friday 15th March | Sports Activator Assembly 2:15pm | |
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| Thursday 21st March | Tech (Yr 7 & 8) | |
| Friday 22nd March | Hot Lunch - Spaghetti Buns (Davinia Forrester) | |
| Monday 25th March | Otago Anniversary | |
| Wednesday 27th March | Beach Clean Up (Yr 7 & 8) | |
| Thursday 28th March | Assembly 2:30pm | |
| Friday 29th March | Easter Friday | |
| Monday 1st April | Easter Monday | |
| Tuesday 2nd April | Easter Tuesday | |
| Wednesday 3rd April | Netball Yr 5-6 (PP Friday 5th April) | |
| Thursday 4th April | Netball Yr 7-8 (PP Monday 8th April) | |
| Thursday 4th April | Tech (Yr 7 & 8) | |
| Friday 5th April | Hot Lunch - Saveloy & Bread (Larney Miller) | |
| Sat 6th April & Sun 7th April | Otago Swim Champs | |
| Monday 8th April | Parent Interviews | |
| Tuesday 9th April | Parent Interviews | |



RYAN CAMPBELL TURNS 10 ON 17TH MARCH

> HARRISON WILSON TURNS 6 ON 19TH MARCH

Kei kā kupu mai i te tumuaki

Kia ora rā e te whānau o Waiwera South.

He tino pai kā tamariki, he tino waimarie tatou. Our children are so good, we are so lucky! We have had a fabulous few weeks of sports, camps and learning - it has been so good!

Wowee it is Autumnal already! That season change happened in a fast rush.

The SMiddle class had an amazing four days away at camp in Wānaka recently - where they did a huge variety of activities. They have spent this week completing their learning and follow up activities about camp and are looking forward to presenting these items this week at assembly. A huge thank you to Miss Chapman for creating such a super camp, and to our amazing parents who came along to help out including those who came up on our "Lake Day" with their boats to help create some amazing experiences and memories for our children. You will be able to see how fun it was by some of the photos!

We had SOPSSA on Wednesday - our children as usual were fabulous representatives of Waiwera South School and had some great performances, congratulations to our six competitors. A massive thank you to our parent helpers here too! The day wouldn't run without your help!

This week the SMiddle class competed at the South West Otago Triathlon in Ōwaka and everyone tried their best.

The children are continuing on with their learning around making our school more sustainable coming up with some great ideas about what we can be doing as individuals to make a difference on a larger scale - watch this space to see what they come up with next.

I am away at Outward Bound this week, completing some leadership professional development, Lauren and Leanne will run the ship.

Noho ora Mai Kaz Bissett

WANAKA SCHOOL CAMP

The Smiddles and their adult helpers had an amazing week away in Wānaka last week. The weather was perfect, the sun came out each day and challenges were faced! Some of our activities included: Amazing race around Wānaka, Bike Glendhu, Wild Wire, Archery, Lake Day and the Water Park. Well done Smiddles on a fabulous week away!











































SCARECROW MAKING

The students have started working on their entries for the Clinton Scarecrow Competition.



TRIATHLON



The Smiddles were fierce competitors at the South West Otago Triathlon.





WASTE WARRIORS - TOOL TIME

As part of waste warriors the Middles have started "Tool Time". This involves bringing in an old broken electrical item, (that could end up as landfill) to deconstruct and then reconstruct as a robot themed sculpture. Some of the items we are using include: a washing machine, drills, a fan and a water pump. The deconstructing has been so much fun, and learning about tools and tool safety is an important part of this project. We can't wait to see the finished robot sculptures.







HOLIDAY PROGRAMME 2024







3 DAYS OF EACH TERM BREAK FUN ACTIVITES AND GAMES TO KEEP CHILDREN PHYSICALLY ACTIVE AND ENTERTAINED

Dates:

Tuesday-Thursday 16-18 April 2024 Tuesday-Thursday 9-11 July 2024 Tuesday-Thursday 1-3 October 2024

Cost:

School Day session - 9.00am-3.00pm (doors open 8.30am) \$40.00 per child per day \$30.00 per extra child per day

Morning Session - 9.00am-12noon (doors open 8.30am) \$30.00 per child per morning \$20.00 per extra child per morning

Enquires: Please contact Lara, 418 3470 info@crossrecreationcentre.co.nz

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HOT LUNCHES - Term 1

| Date | Lunch | Rostered |
|-------------------|-----------------|-------------------|
| Friday 22nd March | Spaghetti Bun | Davinia Forrester |
| Friday 5th April | Saveloy & Bread | Larney Miller |

ALL HOT LUNCH ORDERS WILL BE DONE THROUGH GOOGLE FORMS You should have now received the email to order hot lunches for the term. Please let the office know if you have not received this email.

All payments go directly to the **PARENTS PLUS Account.** Details will be in the email. *If you are unable to do your rostered duty, please organise to swap with someone else.*