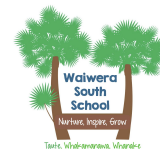


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Upcoming Events

Friday 7th August	South Otago Netball Tournament Year 7 & 8's
Monday 10th August	Teachers Only Day - NO SCHOOL
Wednesday 12th August	Small Schools Cross Country - Clinton (postponement date the 14th August)
Thursday 13th August	Technology (year 7&8's)
Friday 14th August	Hot lunches - Hamburgers (Cleghorn & Harrison) - Orders due by 12th August
Monday 17th August	BOT MEETING at 7pm in the Senior Room
Wednesday 19th August	SOPSSA Cross Country (postponement date the 21st August)
Sun 16th & Mon 17th August	School Ski Trip
Monday 17th August	Waiwera Wee Ones - 10am to 12pm
Friday 28th August	Daffodil Day - Dress Up in Yellow and bring a gold coin donation Hot lunches - Stuffed Baked Potatoes (Whiteside & Nitsak) - Orders due by 26th August
Thursday 10th September	Top Team 4pm - 5.30pm
Friday 25th September	Last Day of Term 3



As you may be aware, the Waiwera South BOT is continually fundraising to fund a 3rd teacher at school. A major part of our fundraising is having some amazing farmers graze our school stock.

Due to the increasing cost in teaching we are looking for more homes for our calves.

If you are interested in donating some grazing and having a calf or two at your place until it gets sent to the works, please contact Ken Campbell on 027 235 5558 to arrange the details.

Tēnā tātou e te whānau o Waiwera South,

Kua mahana i tenei wiki, i harikoa nga tamariki ki te takaro ki waho.

Our quiet start to the term is now over, we took the whole school to Clinton on Monday to watch Elgregoe the Magician, he brought with him quite an array of tricks, animals and dad jokes. We were impressed with the number of parrots he managed to conjure up out of hats, from in balloons and paintings, and out of boxes. He's had us talking at school for the last couple of days. Thank you to Parents Plus for helping finance this trip and the parents that helped transport us all.

We have a busy few weeks coming up with Netball for the year 5-8s this week and the Small Schools Cross Country next Wednesday. The children have been training really well for this - so run hard Waiwerians - we will be there supporting you!

Thank you to John Cleghorn and Craig Whiteside who came down last week to help put the roof on the Genius Hour propagating shed project, it will be all action stations now!

We have had an abundance of Kereru and Tui visiting our grounds - the children are getting really good at spotting them in their various perches - the bird feeders that Bree and Taylor made have been well frequented too - 30 pihipihi (waxeye) one afternoon!

Our new school sign is nearly ready to be installed - it is going to look fabulous, the senior children have done a brilliant job on their letters. We also have new playground signage that will be installed soon - and with our turf being installed next term it's going to look really flash once it all comes together.

Don't forget we have a Teacher Only Day on Monday - no school for the children - the teachers will all be in Balclutha learning!

It seems to be a recurring theme when I write newsletters - but hopefully the nasty weather forecast for the end of the week doesn't come to much.

Make the most of your long weekend and relax with your families.

Heoi anō tāku mō nāianeī, noho ora mai.

Kaz Bissett

Whāia te mātauranga hei oranga mō koutou, kia Tī Kōuka ai te tu.

Seek after learning for the sake of your wellbeing, aspire to be Tī Kōuka.

Waiwerian's out there doing it...

Please send in any photos and a small blurb about a Waiwerian out there doing anything exciting. We are also encouraging the kids to put forward the excitement too - You may have to help them email it through. Please send information to Nic, via email: office@waiwerasouth.school.nz



Left: Caitlyn Forde with her horse, Breeze. They had just finished a barrel racing & games afternoon at Telford. Caitlyn came 3rd in the Junior Barrels, 1st in the Flag race & 2nd in the poles. The next barrel racing event for the South Otago Series is in Invercargill on 30th August.



Right: A picture of the Clinton Under 7's Rippa team after their last day of the 2020 competition. 4th from the left Ryan Miller and Ryan Campbell 7th from the left.

Mrs Holden & Gardening Club - Week One Term 3

Mrs Holden spent this session with the Turnip Group and they made Hash Browns. They dug up some potatoes out of the school garden and then straight into the multi-purpose room to create their yummy masterpieces.

Mrs Holden brought her own hash brown recipe in for the children to try.

Emily's Famous Hash Browns
all recipes

- 2 medium russet potatoes
Shredded
- 1/2 medium onion finely chopped
- 1/4 cup all purpose flour
- 1 egg
- 1 cup oil for frying or as needed
- 1 pinch salt & pepper to taste

Rinse shredded potatoes until water is clear, then drain & squeeze dry. Place shreds in a bowl & mix in the onion, flour & egg until evenly distributed. Heat pan on medium-high heat & add onion. Cook until nicely browned on the bottom, then flip over & brown on the other side. It should take at least 5 minutes per side. Remove from pan and drain on paper towels. Season with salt & pepper and serve immediately



Kayden



Tuvia, Harley, Kayden & Ryan.M



Caitlyn & Ivy



James & Ivy



HAPPY BIRTHDAY WISHES go to the following special person, here at school...

Caitlyn Forde will be turning twelve on the 10th August

(~*~*~* WE HOPE YOU ENJOY YOUR SPECIAL DAY *~*~*~)

The South Otago Theatrical Society presents



Goldilocks and the Vampires

a family pantomime
by Denise Dent

Saturday 1 August 6.00pm
Sunday 2 August 2.30pm

Saturday 8 August 6.00pm
Sunday 9 August 2.30pm

Matinee fancy dress - come as a FAIRY TALE CHARACTER or a VAMPIRE and win a prize!

SOTS George Street Theatre, Balclutha

Ticket prices
Adults \$25, Concessions and high school students \$20, Children under 12 \$10

Tickets available at www.iticket.co.nz



HONEY FOR SALE

Interested in purchasing some local honey?

\$10.00 each (500g)

This will be an ongoing fundraiser for Waiwera South School

Please contact the school office if you are wanting to buy some 4157 973



IN SEARCH OF...

We would like to create a seed bank or library for a community seed exchange.

We are looking for a small waterproof cupboard, box or even a small fridge, similar to this picture that we can utilise.

Please contact the school office if you think you have something suitable



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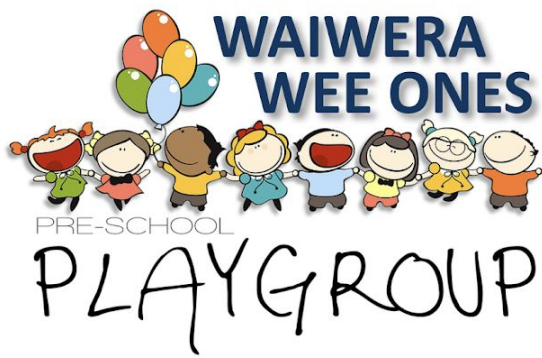
**WE ARE
DRESSING UP
IN YELLOW**

FRI 28th AUG

FOR DAFFODIL DAY



Daffodil Day



MONDAY 17th AUGUST

Come for a casual morning to meet new parents in the area with preschoolers, there are fun things for the kids to participate in, no matter what age.

**Waiwera South School - Old Church Building
10am - 12pm**

Come along to keep this group going!!!

Please contact Madeline Anderson ☎ 027 4626 184 for further information.



ENTERTAINMENT BOOKS

Entertainment Digital Memberships are convenient, easy to use and packed full of valuable 2 for 1 and up to 50% off offers for you to use over 12 months from activation. Enjoy offers from your local hospitality favourites and much, much more. 20% of the sale price goes back to the school, so purchase online today:

www.entertainmentbook.co.nz/orderbooks/2607t84

BEEN DOING ANYTHING EXCITING RECENTLY?

20/20 CLUTHA DISTRICT LIBRARIES LOCKDOWN PHOTO COMPETITION

Did you soar during lockdown?
Did you seek new adventures in your own back yard? If you did then share it with us all at the
Clutha District Libraries
2020 LOCKDOWN PHOTO COMPETITION.
For further information visit
www.cluthadc.govt.nz > Your Facilities > Libraries > Events

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SERGEANT DAN PALLETS - SCHOOL FUNDRAISER

Thank you so much to all the past support from the community with this great fundraiser. The Parent Plus group will be collecting these pallets again in the coming year. If you have any pallets that you would prefer out of the way and gone, we would be happy to take them off your hands.

We would really appreciate our school families and anyone else to drop them off at Anna & Craig Whiteside's but if you can't get them there yourselves we can arrange to pick them up from you.

Please contact... Madeline 0274626184 to make the arrangements.



GENIUS HOUR PROJECTS



James Liggett walking around the raised berry garden they're building.



James Liggett & Hayden Wendelgest using teamwork to piece together their creation.



Mitchell Taylor's turn to have a go on the drill.



Kordelia Brown, Taylor Dobbie, Emily Cleghorn after helping Courtney Jelley complete her compost bin made of pallets.

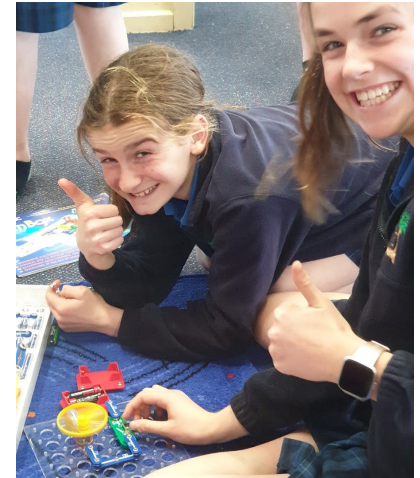


Courtney in on the action - Drilling pieces together to finish off her compost bin.

LEARNING ELECTRONICS



Lincoln Forde & Harriet Anderson working together to create their circuit using the electronics kit.



Bree Campbell & Esther Whiteside also creating a circuit board to power a wheel that spins when they use the on/off switch.



PARENTS PLUS LUNCH ORDER (Parents Plus Account Number: 02-0918-0035370-00)

Parents Plus Lunch Order
Friday 14th August - Hamburgers: Cleghorn / Harrison

NAME(s):

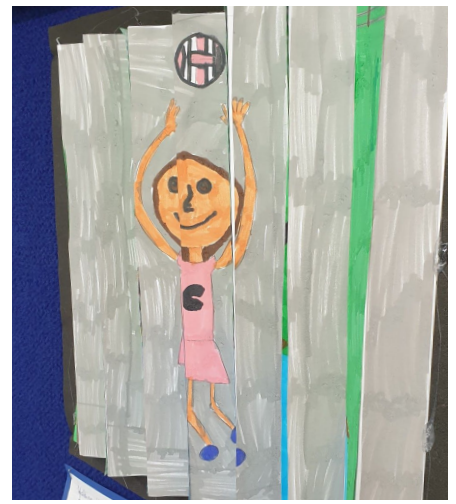
Please circle one: **CASH** **ONLINE**

QUANTITY:
(\$2 per serving)



Order must be at school before **WEDNESDAY 12th AUGUST** as it needs to be organised.
please complete this form and return it to the office with payment by 12/08/20.

An email with the Google Form was sent out a couple of weeks ago, to order hot lunches for the whole term. Let Nic know if you need it re-sent. Thank you to those of you that have already ordered via the Google Form.



Walking through the damp grass towards the frozen over pond, Jen leaping and bounding in front of me excited to be on a new adventure.

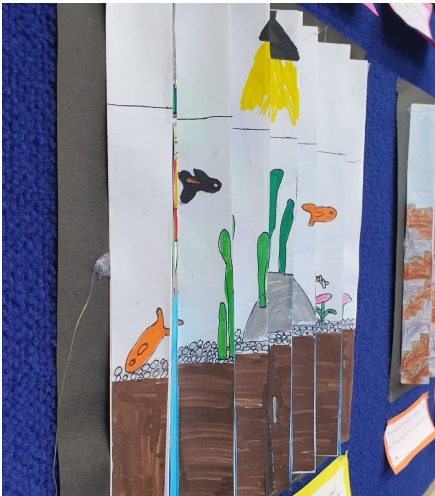
Running full speed, Pushing off my feet into the air and gripping the rough ball with my hands, landing then doing a strong chest pass to Tyla.

ABOVE: Bree Campbell's Agamograph Artwork and pieces of writing

WHAT IS AN AGAMOGRAPH?

An **agamograph** is a series of images that change at different angles. You can walk from one side to the other and watch the creation change from image to another.

BELOW: Emily Cleghorn's Agamograph Artwork and her writing



Ok today's the day, I could feel my heart thumping in my chest as I'm sitting, watching the little bubble eyed fish swim around. Emily the orthodontist called and that was it, I knew that there was no turning back, I was getting braces!

As I'm getting changed I can feel excitement building up inside of me, just waiting to fizz out. I put my bag into a cubby hole and jump into the relaxing warm waters of the new Wanaka pool.