

Kia ora everyone

School photos went well on Friday with Geoff Horrell coming over from Gore to take them. We had the perfect morning; it was overcast and there was no wind. Geoff took advantage of our beautiful rural backdrop.

The Life Education Truck was here after Labour Weekend delivering healthy messages to the students. Harold is always very popular with the children. He is a puppet that supports Teresa with the teaching. This year we were treated to a full size Harold who walked around the school greeting the children at lunchtime. The younger students really loved this.

Keep an eye out on the Advocate online as the Tokanui School Page will be up in the next couple of weeks. You can view it on the Southland App.

Thank you to the parents who have been helping with coaching the children for athletics. We sent off our best athletes to the Zone Competition last week and had a number qualify to go through to Southland on 14th November.

Congratulations to our golfers who took part in the Southland Tournament last week. Thank you Selwyn Earwaker, Morgan Ferguson and Luke Guillard for coaching and supporting the children at this competition. The teams played well and they really have enjoyed this experience.

Ka pai to wiki (have a good week)

Kate Stevenson

Principal

“Friendship is the only cement that will ever hold the world together”. Woodrow Wilson.

Calendar of Events:

Friday 13th November – Healthy Eating Magic Show

Friday 13th November – Southland Girls High School, Southland Boys High School, Verdon College & James Hargest College - New Entrants Day

Friday 13th November - School Photos orders due in

Saturday 14th November – Southland Athletics

Wednesday 18th November – Board of Trustees Meeting – 7.30pm

Friday 20th November – Teachers Only Day

Friday 27th November – Enviro School Day

Monday 23rd November – HPV Seniors

Wednesday 2nd December – Mitre 10 Tough Kids – Year 8

Thursday 10th December – Year 8 Leavers Dinner

Friday 11th December – Final Assembly

Tuesday 15th December – Break Up

Tuesday 15th December – Final Day – End Term 4

Out of School Events Coming Up that may be of interest

Friday 20th November – Southland Secondary Schools Junior Adventure Race – Sandy Point (Year 7-10)

Sunday 20th November – Northern Southland Cycle & Celebrate – Lumsden – all ages

Sunday 6th December – Family Adventure Race -Sandy Point – all ages

Class Reports

Team Kikorangi: This week we have been looking into problem solving challenges. We are focusing on solving problems as a team and finding different ways to solve the problem. Some vegetable plants in our garden are ready so we will be harvesting these on Friday.

Team Kowhai: We have been looking at different athletes and sports. Then we made gold medals for our Athletes who competed at Zones last week. This week we are sharpening up our basic facts recall.

Team Karaka: This week in Team Karaka we have been learning to write explanations. Well done to all the students that participated in Athletics. Thank you to everyone for donating milk bottles for our worm juice.

Team Papura: are enjoying having a quiet week where we can focus on our learning.

Congratulations to these children who qualified for Southland Primary School Athletics

Harry Barnes - 9 year old boys 200m, Relay team

James Watson - 10 year old boys 100m

Zoe Crosswell - 10 year old girls 200m, Relay team

Cameron Barnes -11 year old boys 100m, Long Jump, High Jump

Manaia Hakaraia -11 year old girls 100m

Libby Templeton -11 year old girls Discus

Jonty Jennings - 12 year old boys High Jump, Shot Put

Brooke Strang - 12 year old girls 100m, 200m, High Jump

Erika Leith - 12 year old girls High Jump

KEEPING SAFE ONLINE

One of the major concerns about young people's use of phones relates to online bullying.

Here are several resources that can help address online bullying:

- Bullying Free New Zealand Student Voice for ways to empower young people to deal with cyber bullying.
- Netsafe for ways to stay safe online
- Keep It Real Online for advice on managing difficult conversations such as online grooming, pornography, harmful digital content and online bullying.
- Anyone who experiences harm through digital communications is encouraged to contact Netsafe for advice and support.

This week's joke: What's is the smelliest game in the world?

Ping-Pong

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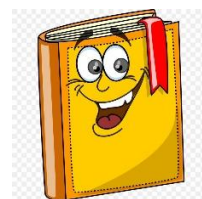
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Library Books

There are a large number of Library Books overdue.

We ask parents to help children to look for any Tokanui School books including readers.

While looking through your book shelves if you find any books that are suitable to be included in a “Book Swap” we would appreciate them as we are going to have one near the end of the year.



Improv Comedy Night

5th December 2020

S.D.A.T presents an evening performance of improvisational comedy
Tickets available soon.

\$20 adult \$5 primary school children, pre-schoolers free.

Tokanui Medical Centre –Phone 2468 850

Doctor Days: Wednesday 18th November – Abraham
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Odd Spot: Babes have the strongest sense of smell. They can recognise their mothers by scent.



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Southern District Arts Trust

Painting in the Pub is returning on

Wednesday 11th November at 6.30p.m.

Nibbles provided, Tutor Moira Short 03 2468 707 or for
more info Janice Broad 021 1670 110



Tokanui Rugby Club - AGM

The AGM for the Tokanui Rugby club will be held on
Tuesday 17th November at 8.00pm at Tokanui Rugby club
rooms.

Any questions, apologies, or items for discussion please contact
Daryl Johnstone 027 454 9024.

Southern District Ambulance Society Meeting

Monday 16th November at 7.30pm in the

Fire Brigade Rooms. All welcome.

Apologies to Marylyn Hayes 03 2468 446.

This is to discuss crew workload so your input would be valuable.



Movement for Learning & Active Play

The Tokanui Tamariki Trust, along with
Southern REAP, invite **all pre-schoolers** in the
Tokanui area to join us for 3 sessions at the
Tokanui School Hall.

Wednesday 11th Nov, 25th Nov and 2nd Dec at 10:00am

These interactive, movement based sessions are based on the Perceptual Motor Programme (PMP) which uses a variety of movement based physical experiences to build gross and fine motor abilities, hand eye co-ordination, concentration and many other things that are important for a child's development. Sessions will be targeted towards mobile toddlers and older pre-schoolers but all are welcome to come along and join in. There will be a baby friendly play space.

Contact: Megan Lamb - meganlamb@outlook.co.nz - 027 353 8984
Please RSVP by Friday 6 November to register your interest.

Hereford and Murray Grey cross weaned 100kg heifer calves for sale. Also looking to buy standing grass within reasonable distance of Curio Bay.
Ring Chris 021 08491 559.



RWNZ Tokanui/Waikawa/Otara general meeting at Fortrose Café on Wednesday 11th November 1.30pm.

Pani Finch our Community Board member will speak about her role on the District Council.

All welcome. Apologies to Lyn 2468 356

Otara Church Anglican Service

Sunday 8th November beginning at 2.00pm

Afternoon tea to follow. All welcome.

Any inquiries, ring Barbara 2468 403



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