



# Newsletter

**26 June 2019**  
**Newsletter No 11**

**NEW STUDENT**

We welcome Lavanya Renjith and her family to Grantlea Downs last week.

**STUDENT SUCCESS**

Congratulations to Miglia Schicker who won the Hayden Paddon – Z Energy Colouring Competition. Miglia’s prize was being brought to school by Hayden Paddon in his rally car. The whole school came out to have a look at his car and Hayden spoke about rallying. Congratulations also to Zanikx Wilson, Riley Egerton, Murphy Geary, Seven Felizardo and Mikayla Ryan whose names were drawn from the entries and received a signed cap from Hayden.



**BOARD OF TRUSTEE MEETING**

BOT Meeting tomorrow, Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> June 6.30pm in the Meeting Room. All welcome!



**PASIFIKA ART'S WEEK (24<sup>th</sup> – 28<sup>th</sup> June)**

Reminder of the Dress Up Day tomorrow Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> June. Come along dressed in Pasifika theme – traditional dress, sea captains, pirates, native birds, sea creatures etc



We also have a Grocery Raffle in the office. Tickets are \$1 each.

**Art's Week Open Day this Friday 28<sup>th</sup> June, 11am – 3pm** – refer to the timetable on the back of the Arts Week Newsletter for more information.

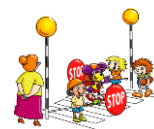
**DICTIONARIES FOR YEAR 4 STUDENTS**

A special thanks to the Timaru Rotary Club for their generous donation of illustrated dictionaries. Mr Mark Oldfield presented these to our Year 4 students on Thursday 13 June.





## Road Patrol Help Required



We require volunteers to help with road patrol for next term.

All that you need to do is spend **15minutes** one day a week (3:00 – 3:15pm) supervising the children on the crossing.

If you can help, please contact Sally Guthrie in Room 6.

### Jump Jam 2019

We have three teams competing in the Jump Jam Extravaganza tomorrow. We wish them all the best! Come along and support the teams.

**JUMP JAM**  
**EXTRAVAGANZA**  
**2019**  
 Theatre Royal, Timaru  
 Thursday 27th June 2019  
 All categories  
 Heats: 8:30am-3:00pm  
 Finals Show: 6:00-8:00pm

### SPORTS UNIFORMS

We have a large number of sports uniforms that have not been returned since the end of the season. These include touch, basketball and uniforms used for interschool events. Please return any uniforms to the office as soon as possible.

### ABSENCES

If for any reason your child is going to be absent **please** contact the school office. Please advise their **name and ensure you give a reason for absence ie sick, doctors apt etc.** You can call 684 7706 any time, our phone system is automated to take absence messages before school opens, text on 027 684 7706, or send us a message through the Skool Loop App.

## Assembly Awards

### Principals Award – Term 2 – Week 8

Brodie Fox, Elena Wilkins, Ardia Fitzgerald, Chelsea Nicholls

### Term 2 - Week 7

Lucy Thornley, Kurt Carson, Dominic Esler, JJ Milne, Scarlet Hayes, Murphy Geary, Auberon Kleinow, Teiria Tungia, Casimir Kleinow, Oscar Whyte

### Term 2 - Week 8

Scoutt Tee, Manaia Evans, Greer Hurst, Ola Latu, Romeo Yerbury, Makayla Winiata, Jeremiah Barrett, Brylee Taylor, McKenzie Don, Corbin Thorn, Makea Patterson, Michelle van-Rooyen, Jackson Guthrie, Jayla Badman



### Kereta Syndicate Mini-Fair

On the 2nd of August the students will be holding their annual Mini-Fair from 12pm until 1.30pm to help with camp costs. We would appreciate any donations of old toys, books and plants you may have for us to sell on the day. We will be having a sausage sizzle, selling food items, crafts and a variety of games for children to participate in. There will also be raffles, mystery bottles and a cake walk. Please let your family and friends know, and come and support our students on this day, we look forward to seeing you here.



### A MESSAGE FROM NZ POLICE

NZ Police recently launched a new non emergency number, **105**. We've done this to make it easier to get hold of us in the event of non-urgent situations or 'Things which have Already Happened', which don't require Police assistance immediately. You can call us on 105 for all non emergencies, or you can go online at [105.police.govt.nz](http://105.police.govt.nz) to report things like:

- Lost property
- Theft for a public place or car
- Intentional property damage
- Or to get an update or add info to a previous report

In the event of an emergency, always call 111 - Things that are Happening Now.

## BREADTAGS for wheelchairs

We are supporting this initiative as it is not only helping people in need but also our own environment. Bring your bread tags in to school, we have boxes in the office and in Ruma Ako.

For more information about the charity check out the website

<http://www.breadtagsforwheelchairs.co.za> or the NZ Facebook page Bread Tags for Wheelchairs NZ .



# Ski/Skate Day

(Years 3 – 8)

## Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> August (Week 3)

No Postponement Date



Our ski/skate day is to be held during Week 3, on Thursday the 8<sup>th</sup> August. Both skiing and skating will be held at Lake Tekapo, with the skiing at Roundhill and the skating at Alpine Springs Ice Skating Rink.

Please read the following information carefully and then fill in all the sections on the forms.

### OPTIONS

\* Ice Skating for **Years 3 – 8**

\* Skiing for **Years 5 – 8**

(Note - Year 4 students will be able to go on the skiing trip **only** if they are accompanied **by a parent who intends supervising them throughout the day**. Older siblings do not qualify)

**We require definite bookings including PAYMENT before Friday 26th July (Week 1 Term 3)**, as payments will need to be made to both venues before we go. In previous years people have changed their minds within 24 hours of us going and this has disrupted travel arrangements and caused us last minute problems therefore no late bookings will be considered, the closing date will be Friday 26th July. If a medical certificate is supplied a refund will be made for the ski hire and lesson etc. No refund will be given for the bus.

Note – all prices are special prices for school groups. Costs include transport, equipment hire, lessons, lift pass (skiing) and entry (ice skating).

Please ensure that your child has the following clothing to ensure that they are warm throughout the day.

**Skating (bus leaves at 9am, returns approx. 3pm)**

**Skiing (bus leaves at 7am, returns approx. 6-6.30pm)**

#### **BIKE HELMET – this is essential**

Jacket  
Warm Jersey/Sweatshirt/Polar fleece  
Warm trousers (no jeans)  
Warm Hat/Beanie  
Gloves  
Drink Bottle  
Plenty of food to last the day



#### **SUNSCREEN –this is essential**

**SUNGLASSES/GOGGLES - these are essential**  
Warm Waterproof Jacket  
Waterproof trousers  
Warm Jersey /Sweatshirt/Polar fleece  
Warm Hat/Beanie  
Waterproof Gloves  
Plenty of food to last the day  
Drink bottle



***It is expected that parents skiing will assist any students who need help with boots, skis, guidance, etc...***

***If parents wish to attend but are not willing to help, they will need to organise their own transport and lift pass / ski hire at the normal rate.***

**Please complete the return slip and return to the school office WITH PAYMENT.**

If you have any questions please see Mrs White in Room 15

**Spare copies of the Ski/Skate Return Slip are available from the school office**

**SKIING – ROUNDHILL SKI FIELD Thursday 8th August**

**All sections of this table must be filled in.**

Child – Skiing or snowboarding – Transport, lift pass, lesson, hire \$ 80.00

Adult - Skiing or snowboarding – Transport, lift pass, lesson and hire \$125.00

Adult - Skiing or snowboarding – Transport, lift pass, and hire (**no lesson**) \$100.00

Name	Room No	Year level	Shoe Size	Level (see below) (Please circle)	Skiing or Snowboarding (Please circle)	Please enter cost
				1 2 3 4 5	Skiing Snowboarding	\$
				1 2 3 4 5	Skiing Snowboarding	\$
				1 2 3 4 5	Skiing Snowboarding	\$
					<b>Total</b>	\$
<p align="center"><b>If paying by Internet Banking please fill in date paid .... / .... / ...</b>                      This booking will not be processed until payment is received</p>						

Level 1= never skied, Level 2= can stop but not turn, Level 3= can snow plough, Level 4= parallel turns, Level 5= short carving turns

*Please note that all these prices are special prices for school groups. No discounts will be given for own transport or gear.*

**Please pay before FRIDAY 26th JULY – No late bookings**



**PARENT HELP SKIING**

I am willing to assist as Parent Help Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

I will be travelling  on the bus or  taking my own car (please tick). If taking your own vehicle, please advise if your child/ren will also be travelling by car.

I would be willing to be a safety vehicle if required  Yes  No (This may entail returning to Timaru early in the case of an emergency)

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**ICE SKATING – ALPINE SPRINGS TEKAPO Thursday 8th August**

Child Skating – Transport, entry, hire \$35.00

Adult Skating – Transport, entry, hire \$45.00

Name	Room Number	Year level	Shoe size	Please enter cost
			<b>Total</b>	\$
<p align="center"><b>If paying by Internet Banking please fill in date paid .... / .... / ...</b>                      This booking will not be processed until payment is received</p>				

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# COMMUNITY NOTICES



**M · A · S · H**  
MY AFTER SCHOOL HEADQUARTERS



**HOLIDAY PROGRAMMES**



- Afternoon tea provided
- Structured, fun activities, supervised free play & great trips.



- OSCAR subsidy available (programme may be free!)
- Short day and full day holiday programme sessions


**FOR LOCATIONS, SESSION TIMES, FEES OR FURTHER INFO GO TO**



**MASHKIDS.CO.NZ**



**Timaru District Libraries  
July School Holiday Programme**



**... And cool things that move!**

**Geraldine Library**

Wednesday 10 and 17 July: 10:30 am  
Friday 12 and 19 July: 10:30 am

Remember to book!  
Email [libger@timdc.govt.nz](mailto:libger@timdc.govt.nz)  
or call 03 693 9336

**Timaru Children's Library**

Tuesday 9 and 16 July: 10:30 am and 2:30 pm  
Thursday 11 and 18 July: 10:30 am and 2:30 pm


Remember to book!  
Email [anita.dawson@timdc.govt.nz](mailto:anita.dawson@timdc.govt.nz)  
drop into the Children's Library,  
or call 03 687 7498

**Temuka Library**

Wednesday 10 and 17 July: 10:30 am  
Friday 12 and 19 July: 10:30 am

Any enquiries, drop into the Library  
or call 03 687 7591

**TIMARU DISTRICT LIBRARIES**  
Explore | Encourage | Engage | Enrich





**15-19 July 2019**  
The Southern Trust Events Centre,  
Morgan's Road, Timaru

The July Holiday break is only weeks away!  
Are you working & need childcare or after some fun activities to stop the boredom???

Sign up your child today to experience a huge range sports & heaps of awesome activities!!!

Active Kids is a fun, safe and affordable holiday option that combines a large variety of sports, fundamental skills & offsite visits for children aged 5-13 years.

Full day (8.30-5) and half day (8.30-12) options available from as little as \$15 per session.

**REGISTER TODAY**



Full details and to register on line go to  
[www.sportcanterbury.org.nz](http://www.sportcanterbury.org.nz)

or contact Sport Canterbury: phone 03 686 0751  
Limited Spaces available.

**REGISTRATIONS CLOSE MONDAY 8<sup>th</sup> July 2019**

### HOLIDAY POP UP ACTIVITIES WITH THE YMCA

The YMCA is excited to announce a new adventure @ Caroline Bay in the July Holidays.

On the 9<sup>th</sup> 10<sup>th</sup> 11<sup>th</sup> and 18<sup>th</sup> of July we will be running FREE activities such as Bubble football and ki-o-rahi for 11 to 17 year olds from 10am -2pm on the area just next to the Giant slide. (you'll see the YMCA Marquee).

It is a no sign up, just turn up and give it a go for FREE event with no obligations. So If you have a young person who is looking for something to do during the holidays send them our way because we "don't do bored."

(For weather cancelations please keep an eye on our Facebook page <https://www.facebook.com/YMCASouthandMidCanterbury/>)

### Tots to Teens Magazine

Our school's link to the exciting new JULY/AUGUST ISSUE digital magazine is available here <http://issue1906c.totstoteens.co.nz/>

What's in the latest issue of Tots to Teens Magazine

In this issue, we ask the question "Is my child entitled or do they understand their rights?" We also look at education issues for parents – why our children should all learn to code, and how predicting endings and outcomes of stories is an important life skill for children to learn. Help your kids engage both the left and right brain with our 5 simple brain games. We have a lovely story on using horses for children's therapy for physical and mental well-being. We also look into grommets, one of the most common surgical procedures, and give parents a better understanding of what's involved. To help with the consequences of reduced sunlight and close-quartered activity of sick children, we have three delicious lemon recipes, and five ways to supplement your family's diet to get through winter unscathed. We have plenty of amazing prizes to win, holiday ideas to help entertain the children, and a kids' fun page to enjoy.

We now have a fantastic new smartphone- and computer-friendly digital version of Tots to Teens for parents to view!



**Mrs A's Music School - Students of all ages sing or play their way to something special**

- ♫ Students are taught by experienced musicians in our studios at 22 College Rd Timaru.
- ♫ Individual or Group Lessons: Singing; Piano; Guitar; Bass; Drums; Recorder; Ukulele, and Theory and Violin.
- ♫ Enrol next week to secure your lesson time for Term 3.

**Contact: Jannette Aldridge 027 686 4877 [Jannette@MrsAsMusicschool.co.nz](mailto:Jannette@MrsAsMusicschool.co.nz)**

AIDAN THEATRE  
28 Lutter Street, Timaru  
presents

**A FUN AND ENTERTAINING FAMILY SHOW**

July School Holidays - Cushion Theatre  
16th-19th July

# Fairytale ENDGAME!

Taken from their stories by an evil fairy wanting to destroy everyone's happy ever after. These misplaced fairytale characters must find away to vanquish their enemies and restore order. We need your help to cheer the goodies and boo the baddies these July holidays.

**DATES**  
Tuesday 16th 2pm  
Wednesday 17th 11am and 2pm  
Thursday 18th 11am and 2pm  
Friday 19th 11am, 2pm

**Cushion Theatre Tickets**  
4yrs and Under \$5, Children \$10, Adults \$15  
Book at: Newmans Music Works, Stafford Street  
Door sales

**Alpine ENERGY 2019**

## Model Railway Expo

Saturday 13th July  
10am - 5pm  
Sunday 14th July  
10am - 4pm

**Family \$15  
Adult \$8  
Child \$3**

Roncalli College Gym  
Craigie Avenue, Timaru

hospice Proceeds to Hospice South Canterbury

### Squash Holiday Programme

Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> July 11am – 12pm, \$2 per session  
Brunswick St, Timaru -  
Contact: Andrina Stoddart  
[sidomidlands@hotmail.com](mailto:sidomidlands@hotmail.com)  
Cell: 027 376 6881

**Register TODAY**  
to secure your placement

2019 **Parenting Programmes**

**The Incredible Years**

Family Works will deliver the Incredible Years Programme in Timaru dependent on sufficient enrolments.  
20 parents committed to attending is essential to ensure delivery of this incredible programme!

**For parents of:**  
children 3 – 8 years:

Tuesdays: 6 August to 19 November  
9:30 am to 12:30 pm

Thursday (Nights): 8 August to 21 November  
6:30 pm to 9:30 pm

Childcare provided for the Tuesday programme

This 14 week programme will focus on practical step-by-step suggestions and support to help in handling the every day situations parents face.  
Sessions are held once a week for 3 hours (excluding school holidays)

To enrol or for further information call Liz  
**NOW** at Family Works  
**03 688 5029 / 0274 688200**  
email: [liz.munro@pssc.co.nz](mailto:liz.munro@pssc.co.nz)

**VENUE:** Family Works, 26 North Street, Timaru  
[www.pssc.org.nz/family-works](http://www.pssc.org.nz/family-works)

**Free** FW\_21za

### Dental Care during the School Holidays

The Community Dental Service will be providing dental care for children enrolled with our service during the upcoming school holidays. The clinics will offer treatment and relief of pain sessions by appointment only. To make an appointment please contact our Call Centre which operates between the hours of 8am and 5pm, Monday to Friday throughout the year.

The clinics will offer appointments between 8.45am and 3.00pm for school-age and preschool children requiring treatment. If your child has dental pain as a result of an accident please contact your dentist in the first instance.

To book an appointment at one of our clinics please: **call 0800 846 983 Or email**

[commdental@cdhb.health.nz](mailto:commdental@cdhb.health.nz)

# skids Holiday Programme

Safe Kids In Daily Supervision  
Waimataitai

Full Day	08:00 a.m.-06:00 p.m.	\$50.00
Half Day (AM)	08:00 a.m.-01:00 p.m.	\$30.00
Half Day (PM)	01:00 p.m.-06:00 p.m.	\$30.00
Short Day	08:00 a.m.-03:00 p.m.	\$35.00
Trip Day	08:00 a.m.-06:00 p.m.	\$55.00

**8th July .Cardboard.**

Mon 08 Jul

**Cardboard Challenge**

Come along and see what we can make with a cardboard box we love this day here at skids .

**9th July .Games.**

Tue 09 Jul

Who will have cream on their face pie face anyone I love this game .

**10th July. Food.**

Wed 10 Jul

Tasty treats but first we have to make them ..this day is going to be so yummy .

**11th July. Trip Day.**

Thu 11 Jul

Learn about our maori culture and we will be flax weaving also this day at Te Ana Rock centre ..Lunch at the bay and playtime also.

**12th July. Hippie .**

Fri 12 Jul

Groovy baby ,and yes you may dress up \*.See you there or be square .\*

**15th July. Paper.**

Mon 15 Jul

This day does take a while you have to be patience any spare newspaper at your house bring it along we can use it .

**16th July .Tools.**

Tue 16 Jul

**Take A Part**

Old appliances and a screw driver this is so much fun the children love love love .

**17th July .Sports.**

Wed 17 Jul

Bring your running shoes and drink bottles .

**18th July .Trip Day**

Thu 18 Jul

Staff pick for the holidays and it is going to be Flip out .....

**19th July .Talent.**

Fri 19 Jul

Last day of the holidays show us your talent ..Lets put on a show ...

For more information, call +64-212899229 Or +64-212899229  
or email [waimataitai@skids.co.nz](mailto:waimataitai@skids.co.nz)

Register now at [www.skids.co.nz](http://www.skids.co.nz) click on **Parent Login**

MSD-Approved  
Work & Income NZ OSCAR Subsidy available!