

Tokomairiro High School Newsletter & Community Noticeboard

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Supporting Pink Shirt Day

Pink Shirt Day is about working together to stop bullying by celebrating diversity and promoting kindness and inclusiveness.

It's about creating a community where all people feel safe, valued and respected, regardless of gender identity, sexual orientation, age, ability, religion or cultural background.

On Friday 20 May 2022, we ask Aotearoa to Kōrero Mai, Kōrero Atu, Mauri Tū, Mauri Ora – Speak Up, Stand Together, Stop Bullying! Celebrated annually around the globe, Pink Shirt Day began in Canada in 2007 when

Celebrated annually around the globe, Pink Shirt Day began in Canada in 2007 when two students took a stand against homophobic bullying after a new student was harassed for wearing pink. We've been celebrating Pink Shirt Day in Aotearoa since 2009 and the campaign grows stronger and larger every year.

2009 and the campaign grows stronger and larger every year. Pink Shirt Day is funded by donations. By donating to Pink Shirt Day, you're supporting the Mental Health Foundation to reduce bullying; through raising awareness about bullying prevention, funding education workshops and supplying thousands of free resources that promote inclusive workplaces, schools and communities.

Mrs Kim McClure, Tokomairiro High School Guidance Counsellor, has approached Year 11 and 12 students, asking for their support in running fundraising activities this Friday. If you are interested in being a part of these activities, please see Mrs McClure.

Year 11 Assessment Speeches



Mental Health Foundation

Left: Hayley Clark and Right: Ezekiel Scurr present their speeches.



Some very nervous Year 11 students presented their speeches for assessment yesterday, as part of NCEA English (Level 1).

There was a range of topics, including:

- Why the gun buy back shouldn't have happened,
- How to solve a Rubics Cube,
- What can we do about Cyber Bullying?'
- Why should you be allowed to listen to music while you are studying?

The students have been researching and working on their speeches, and learning about how public speaking is a valuable life skill.

Results for assessment ranged from Achieved to Excellent.

Genesis Articles

We are very grateful for articles received about any news that is happening in the community. If you would like help to write up an article, please ring 417 4483 on Mondays or Tuesdays, or email genesis@tokohigh.school.nz



Tokomairiro Timberwolves Start With Super Win!

It was a great night at the Edgar Centre for the Tokomairiro Timberwolves. They started the season with a great win over the Brockville Bulls with

a score of 47-6. There was an awesome display of team work as the ball was moved around well.

All players had an outstanding game and showed great sportsmanship towards the opposing team.

The Timberwolves player of the day was Kalel Beer-Williams who had an great all-round game.

Let's go Timberwolves!

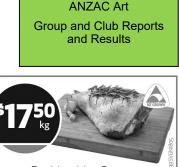
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FINAL SCORE



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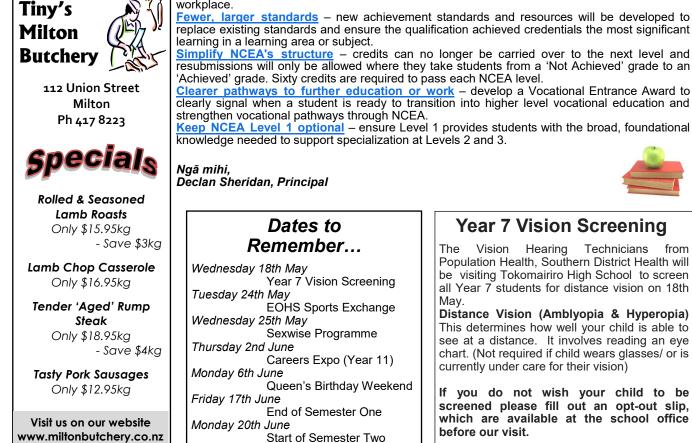
Friday 13th May was a teacher only day and the majority of staff attended some specific professional development with regard to the changes that are happening to the National Certificate of Educational Achievement (NCEA). There are seven big changes, listed below and we need to be familiar with these and adapt our planning and delivery of the curriculum as a result. Math's, science and music had subject specific professional development in Dunedin. The rest of the staff attended South Otago High School where we also met up with Catlins area school and in subject areas looked at the new standards and collaborated and shared ideas as to how we would teach these standards. It was a great opportunity for our new staff particularly to make contact with their colleagues and also for our experienced teachers to reestablish the professional working relations with other colleagues. Lots of questions were asked and many were answered. The Ministry has made provision for three more days for this training and we will make sure students and parents are aware of these dates. Currently our next date will fall between the following dates 15th and 26th August and the final two days for this year will fall between 21st November and 2nd December. We need to liaise with other schools and work around each other's calendars so I can't be more specific at this time.

We have been working on these changes for almost two years now and looking at the list below we are currently working through numbers 4 and 5 on this list. I am sure some of this might be confusing for parents and we hope to have an explanation evening for parents and students once these become part of our curriculum. The date for implementation had been pushed back as a result of Covid interruptions. Its important to note that some of our senior students have had their education and examinations interrupted twice so another big change for them was deemed unfair. So it is planned that these changes will largely come into effect in 2024 for level 1 students (Year 11, our current year 9 cohort) Level 2 in 2025 after and finally Level 3 in 2026, although there are pilots in certain subject and with limited schools in place at the moment. This does not currently affect us. Our current year 9's will have a very interesting and challenging time ahead of them and we are working hard to give them the skills they need to succeed.

Make NCEA more accessible – zero fees, fewer barriers for learners with disabilities and learning support needs.

Equal status for mātauranga Māori in NCEA – develop new ways to recognise mātauranga Māori, build teacher capability, and improve resourcing and support for Māori learners and te ao Māori pathways.

Strengthen literacy and numeracy requirements and assessments - ensure students with an NCEA have functional literacy and numeracy skills that will ready them to transition into tertiary education or the workplace.



Genesis

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Sports Round Up

FIXTURES



HOCKEY

17/5 Toko Tāne 1st XI vs. Taieri College Boys 1st XI | 5:05pm | OPT

20/5 Toko Tāne Yr 78 vs. Tahuna Karaka | 4.50pm | OPT 20/5 Toko Tāhine Y78 vs. Fairfield Knights | 4.50pm | LFT 23/5 Toko Wāhine 1st XI vs. St Hilda's Junior B | 5:30pm | Kings

24/5 Toko Tāne 1st XI vs. OBHS Jnr Blues | 5.30pm | Kings NETBALL

20/5 Toko Gold (Yr9) vs. not yet available

21/5 Toko Stars (Yr78) vs. Balclutha A | 11:00am | Clutha 2 21/5 Toko Snr A vs. Columba Doves | 11:40am | Edgar 13 BASKETBALL

23/5 THS Timberwolves Yr78 vs. not yet available

RESULTS

HOCKEY

10/5 Toko Tāne 1st XI vs. JMC 3rd XI | 1-1 DRAW 13/5 Toko Tāne Yr 78 vs. South Otago Girls | 10-2 LOSS 13/5 Toko Tāhine Y78 vs. Balmac Orange | 4-0 WIN 16/5 Toko Wāhine 1st XI vs. St Hildas 3rd XI | 9-0 LOSS 13/5 Toko Gold (Yr9) vs. South Otago Green | 4-0 WIN 14/5 Toko Stars (Yr78) vs. Country Saints Black | LOSS 14/5 Toko Snr A vs. OGHS Snr C | defaulted B<u>ASKETBALL</u>

16/5 THS Timberwolves Yr78 vs. Brockville | 47-6 WIN **RUGBY**

10/5 SOHS U15 (25) - Taieri U15 (17) 14/5 U14 (32) - ÒBHS (30) 14/5 U15 (29) - Wakatipu (12)

14/5 Second XV (22) - Wakatipu (5)

14/5 First XV (36) - OBHS #2 (26)

Year 7/8Tp ANZAC Art



FINDEX





Bible Reading for the Week

'Teach me to do your will, for you are my God; may your good Spirit lead me on level ground' Psalm 143:10

Year 9, 10 & 12 Tech

Some amazing work is coming out of the Wood Tech room. Students are showing an increasing level of skill in their work using a range of technology.



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Year 9

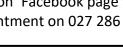
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Milton Country Club News

So April saw our annual Spud Dig which this year was taken out by Malcolm Adam who had both the most potatoes and the biggest spud as well. It was a great day out and a very entertaining evening followed. Our sports picks finals night will be held on Saturday 16th of July. This was such a well run event last year so we are all looking forward to it being a great success yet again, best to mark it in the calendar now.

If you are thinking about holding a function then give the club team a call to enquire about our lounge bar. This is a wonderful room for weddings, birthdays, conferences, and many funerals have also been held here. Contact us on 03-4178456 or e-mail <u>admin@miltonclub.co.nz</u>.

As we move into winter you may be looking for something to do on the cold evenings so come on down and join in with the snooker club Wednesday at 6.30. We have two full sized snooker tables and a pool table as well. Remember Friday nights, Raffles, Lucky Joker and membership draw, not to mention lots of socialising with a great group of people. Until next time,

See you at the club!



Toko Rugby Report

Last Thursday after a request from Valley, due to a bereavement, Toko travelled to play under lights at REC Clutha vs reigning champions Valley in a match that would be keenly followed by other teams.

Toko started off brightly with an early penalty, which Valley responded with two penalties of their own before Lucas Tuuaga crashed over for Toko's first try. Valley scored a try in the first half to make halftime 13-8 Valley. Toko looked to dominate through their forwards and rewarded with tries to both Kieran O'Sullivan and Brad Frost and held a slim 22-21 lead with 15 minutes to go. Unfortunately for Toko, Jared Edwards hit the go button and Valley opened up and didn't want to take Toko on up front. This proved successful and they scored four late tries to run out comfortable winners 47-22

For Toko, all forwards went well with Liam Kings showing unbelievable ticker, alongside Kieran O'Sullivan and Kaleb Hayes. The backs ran hard and tried all day. Some first up missed tackles proved costly in the long run.

Next up is a home game vs Clinton where Toko looks to get back to their winning ways, so look forward to having a big crowd to support

- The Judge

Toko Junior Rugby Club

Toko U7 White

POD: Julian Kohey Coaches Choice/Ripper: August Johnston **Toko U9 Blue** POD: Mason McLaren Coaches choice/TOD: Makaahea Tahana Toko U9 Gold POD: Aiden Capon Coaches Choice: Elijah Beer-Williams

Toko U11 Blue

POD: Jaxson Thompson Coaches Choice: Cash Scott Toko U11 Gold POD: Joshua Osborne Coaches Choice: Kaleb Davies <u>Toko U13</u> Skills Day Home games for this week are: U& Blue. U9 and U13.

RSANews From the Trenches



Another week has flown by with plenty going on down at the RSA. On Tuesday last week we held our AGM with Evan Jenkins carrying on as President, with the same Executive Committee

reconfirmed for another 12 months. The Club has had a very successful last financial year which put us in a strong position to move forward on a number of upcoming A bit disappointing that there weren't more proiects. members at the AGM, but clearly all members must be satisfied to maintain the status quo.

Not many weeks to go in our Super Sport Tipping Comp, will be intriguing to discover in a few weeks if Snow Cowie has maintained a healthy early season advantage. I imagine the pack will be attempting to chase him down - will he keep his nerve?? Only the scorers know the true state of play, so all will be revealed in a bit over a month. Keep an eye out for details on the prize giving date.

If you're not in to win that competition, the weekly membership draw is over \$250 to be won. There have been many tales of unlucky members not able to be there to claim their prize, so make sure you're there by 6pm Thursday to be eligible. Also going well are the weekly meat raffles, which had some technical difficulties at the end of last week, but all confusion was soon cleared up.

Keep warm as temperatures starting to dip - come down to RSA where everything down there is hot!!! - Private Pike

Euchre

4th May 2022 Winner: Pat (Owaka) Loser: Val (Balclutha) Raffle: R Jenkins



11th May 2022

Winner: S Gillies

Loser: Maureen (Owaka)

10 May 2022 - LGU & Putting

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Helen Vollweliler	101-27-74	33
Lisa Rutherford	95-20-75	34 c/b
Gail Coote	100-25-75	32
Suzie Bearman	93-16-77	32 c/b
Judy O'Connor	98-21-77	36

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Janice Pierce	109-38-71	34
Pam Keddell	109-32-77	35
Janice McDonald	111-33-78	30

Longest Putt No9 - Kay Drinnan Putting ·

Raewyn Devlin - 30 c/b. J McDonald and Kay Drinnan

Best Nett Over Field: Janice Pierce - 71

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We are holding a promotion over the month of May for all our Caltex Milton customers to enter. Simply purchase a minimum of \$40 fuel (petrol, diesel, auto gas, truckstop diesel), write your name on the back of the receipt, and go in the prize draw, which will take place on 30th May.

We will be giving away : 5 x \$200 MTA fuel vouchers 2 X \$100 StarCash cards

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Situations Vacant

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Tokomairiro Early Learning Centre Relievers Required

We are looking for relievers to join our teaching team who have experience in working with young children and can be flexible with hours.

Please apply to our manager Joanne Mead by Friday, May 20th. Applications can be sent to 94 Johnson Street Milton or emailed to telc@xtra.co.nz. A job description is available upon request by sending an email or calling 417 8180.



Position available!

We have an exciting opportunity to join our team!

Teacher Aide - 10 hours Permanent

We are seeking a teacher aide who is reliable, approachable, and enjoys working with children.

Part time, permanent hours of work will be: Monday to Friday - negotiable (term time only), 10 hours per week. Applications close Thursday 19th May 2022 at 12pm

> Full job description and application packs are available from the Milton Primary School office or via office@milton.school.nz

Public Notices

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Tokomairiro Early Learning Centre Annual General Meeting

Thursday , May 26th, 7pm at 94 Johnson Street Supper provided



Public Notices

Milton Bowling Club

AGM & Prizegiving Sunday 22nd May at 2pm BBQ Tea to follow



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Do you have a creative arts project in mind?

Clutha District Creative Communities Scheme is having an additional funding round!! This additional round closes on 10 June 2022.

The application guide can be found on the Funding Schemes page of our website: www.cluthadc.govt.nz To qualify, projects must:

- Take place within the Clutha District
- Be completed within 12 months of funding approval
- Not have started or finished before the funding is approved
- Must be able to provide receipts/quotes

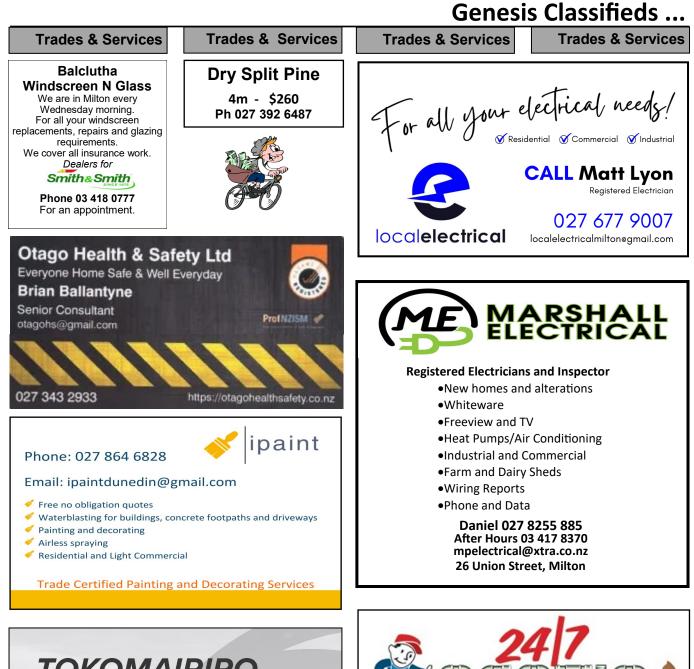
The application guide and a list of previously approved projects can be found on our website www.cluthadc.govt.nz **Please contact our Corporate Services Administrator**, **Lilly Paterson, with any questions on 03 419 0251.**

It's a great funding opportunity for individuals and for groups.









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