

Tokomairiro High School Newsletter & Community Noticeboard

Wednesday 29th July 2020



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THS Service Awards Presentation

We would like to acknowledge and congratulate students who have shown great commitment to our school sports and other activities within the school. The students who were recognised in assembly on Monday 27th July, received a Bronze badge for two years of service, a Silver badge for four years of service, and a Gold badge for six years of service. It was important to have these students on stage, celebrating as a school the effort and commitment that they have put into furthering themselves through participating in these activities and in representing the school.

Netball

Bronze—Aimee Ferrari, Kaylee-May Philips, Gemma Brady, Lucy Carruthers, Sarah Edwards, Izzy Kelcher, Analise Scanlan, Jor'jah de Seymour.

Silver - Shannon de Seymour, Aimee Edwards, Kate Brady.

Rugby

Bronze-Jahgeil de Seymour, Phoenix Dobson, Josh Lister, Murphy Lister, Wyatt Mallon, Jacob Murray, Samuel Norman, Leo Wood.

Silver-JD McLeod, Jimmy Flannery, Ben Lister, Nic Clark.

Hockey

Bronze-Brooke Anthony, Caleb Geary, Josh Lister, Wyatt Mallon, Danielle Mathieson, Jacob Muarray, Samuel Norman, Alex Cox-Herring, Ryan Maaka, Heather West.

Silver-Holly Griffin, Kate Brady, Nova Carey-Mount, Nic Clark, Nathan Davie, Angie May. Touch

Bronze—Murphy Lister, Wyatt Mallon, Jacob Murray, Samuel Norman Silver-Nic Clark, JD McLeod

TeenAg

Bronze—Emily Scanlan, Lachie McDonald, Isaac Herbert.

Later this year, we will also recognise those who gained different badges for 2020 at a Sports Prizegiving night. The date for this is still to be confirmed.





Milton Kindergarten's Popular New Mud Kitchen



Milton kindergarten is a non for profit organisation and is part of the South Otago Kindergartens Association. We have 100% qualified teachers, providing learning through play for lifelong learning.

During the last term, we brainstormed as a team to think of what we could add into our outdoor environment that fits our tamariki current passions and interests. We had noticed that there was a lot of baking and experimenting happening in the sandpit and we wanted to provide another element into our environ-

ment that supports this play. The tamariki worked hard to dig out an area in the trees to create our verv own mud kitchen. Evervone worked collaboratively, sharing the spades so that there was turn taking happening to dig out our area. There was also a lot of communication happening as the tamariki were able to share their thoughts and ideas around what they wanted the mud kitchen to look like and also what we could add to it. We started out with just some benches and utensils to get the exploring going. Now we have been donated a sink so that we can really get into the fun sensory play that we all love. There has been a lot of mud cakes being made out of the kitchen. The tamariki have been having so much fun and it is definitely the new hot spot of our outdoor environment!

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Tokomairiro High School Newsletter...

SCHOOL MISSION: Working together to inspire excellence in education, in character and in life.

Tena koutou katoa,

Week two of term three and the students have settled back in to school for this extremely important term.

It is a time for our senior students to really focus on achieving their goals this year and working towards their endorsements. For our junior students, consolidating their learning so far and setting goals to strive to achieve to their very best over the second half year.

Sports Service Awards

These were presented in assembly this week. Bronze awards go to those students who have completed two years' service to a sport, silver for four years' service and gold for six years' service. It was great to see the number of students who gained awards and also to see how many awards some of the young people gained. Congratulations to you all.

School Holiday Competition

Congratulations to Murphy Lister and Micaela Laing for their excellent literary pieces. Murphy wrote a short story and Micaela a poem. Congratulations to these students who will be awarded \$10 canteen vouchers. Their entries will be printed in a supplement publication we are planning.

Parent Student Teacher Meetings

Thank you to all those parents who organised interview times with their child and teachers. We really value the opportunity to spend this time with the students and parents. If you missed this opportunity please feel free to contact any of our teachers by email (addresses on the website).

New Teacher

Tiny's

Milton

Butchery

We are thrilled that Paul Tupai has joined our staff here at Tokomairiro High School. Paul has just returned from a teaching stint in Dubai. He brings a wide experience in the sporting field and we know he will add to our enthusiastic sports team. Paul will be teaching junior literacy and English. As well, he will support Mr Sinclair in our large senior Physical Education class and will also work with small groups of students in a range of areas. We welcome Paul to our team.

Year 6 Students and Parents

It is getting to that time of year when you are no doubt thinking about school for 2021. We are very happy to show any prospective students and parents around our school at any time and answer any questions you may have. If you would like to come for a tour, please contact the school office (03-4178620) to organise a time that suits you.

Cultural Competition

Practices for the annual cultural competition will began this week with the competition being held on the afternoon of Friday 14th August - parents and whanau are welcome to come along. This is a great chance for our young people to stand up and lead their houses as we celebrate our cultural heritage in New Zealand.

Remember, our doors are always open. Please come and talk to us if you have any concerns.

Regards Glenis Sim Principal



Dates to Remember...

Wednesday 29 July - Parent Student Teacher Meetings Tuesday 18 August - Year 7/8 Netball Tournament Sunday 23 – Tuesday 25 August - Senior Ski Camp Wednesday 26 August - Sports and Cultural Photos

Hard Materials Technology Class

Year 11, 12 and 13 students have been working on various projects in Hard Material Tech class. This involves a range of tools and equipment, including the new laser cutter.





<u>Right:</u> Jimmy Flannery (Year 11), with the wooden clock face he has made using the laser cutter.



Left: Mathew Stephen and Zane Cochrane (both Year 12), using the Linisher to smooth off Zane's metal.





Technology Free Tuesdays There are to be no phones, chromebooks or devices at morning interval or lunchtimes in the library.

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Milton Community Pool, Service Centre and Library **Project.**

As you may know the Clutha District Council has budgeted a total of \$3,365,000 to a new combined swimming pool, library and Council service centre complex.

To make this happen, we as a community would like to fundraise a further \$2,500,000 towards the new pools, common areas and recreational spaces that we hope to have within the building and grounds. A Trust and committee have been formed by local volunteers committed to making this facility a wonderful asset to Milton now and for the future.

The complex will be located at the site of the existing library/ service centre on Union Street and at this stage the committee is collating a wish-list from the community as to what could be included in the facility. The committee, Council and design team will then do their very best with the funds available to include as many features as possible. Now is time to put forward your ideas for the facility.

Included in the Genesis this week is a guestionnaire to fill out and hand in to the Tokomairiro Community Hub or the Library by 15 August. You can also drop us a message via the Milton Community Pool Facebook page or email miltonpoolcommittee@outlook.com. There is also an opportunity to express any ideas for fundraising on the flier. We would love interested members of the community to actively participate in fundraising activities. The committee have already secured a \$40,000 grant from Lottery Communities toward a Feasibility Study so that our localcommunity is fully aware of all of our opportunities and challenges and technical information ahead of the project. We aim to keep our locals fully informed throughout the process. Please take the opportunity to have your say.

News From the Trenches

Don't panic, don't panic!!!! as my old mate RSA Corporal Jones used to say. Paddy and I are back on deck. Paddy has returned looking fluffed up and full of importance as he caught up with his cousins at Trafalgar Square. As he had the vaccine for bird flu, a couple of years ago, that makes him immune from Covid and as such, doesn't need to isolate.



Enough talking as space is limited. The Land Raffle is now up and ready for sale, \$2 per square, so get in quick. Let Paddy or RSA know if there are certain prizes that should be

included, as we are looking to add some exciting ones this year.

We still need some volunteers to drive the Coach on Friday nights as Handle Club is booming with huge crowds every week, partaking in pool and darts world championship quality play.

The Tipping Competition is rapidly drawing to a conclusion and we are looking at having the prize giving on Saturday 22nd August, so come along for a great night...

It would appear the Sons of Arthritis Motor Cycle gang has a new member with a well known RSA member preparing a brand new chopper, so watch out for this to be launched. Private Pike

Bible Reading for Today

LORD my God, I called to you for help, and you healed me. Psalm 30:22

Junior Diploma Update

Diploma Update from Week One: At both the Junior and Senior level, mentoring aims to build positive relationships with learners to ensure that they reach their full potential at school and continue to review and reflect on that ever-changing process through your guidance and support. We achieve this by grading student's effort in class and reflecting on what they can do to improve. This week the focus was celebrating our top Year 7 achievers from the last week. These students all had a perfect week.

The top Year 7's for week one were Priyahaini Baskar , Chase Booth, Jacob Booth, Sophie Clark, Daiha Coulter-Lawlor, Ella-Grace O'Mainin-Low, Jackson Savage, Caitlyn Scott and George Stark.

Below is a photo of some of those students outside their music class with ukeleles at the ready:



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Hockey Report

Toko Girls 1st XI

2-4 loss to Columba 2nd XI

Columba 2nd XI won the division last year, and are this year's current leaders of the competition. The girls played them earlier in the season and lost 3-1, so the aim for this week's game was to close that gap. The game started off well, with a shot at goal within the first minute! But, unfortunately, it was well defended by Columba. Half-time score was 3-1 to Columba. Toko upped their intensity in the second half and played a great defensive game, restricting Columba to just one more goal, and then scored another one themselves. Mia Flannery scored both goals, and was player of the day for always looking for attacking opportunities, consistent goal scoring, and communication.

Toko Boys 1st XI

0-0 draw against OBHS Second XI

The senior boys kick started the term with a very good performance against Otago Boys Second XI. We started the game with great energy and created some great chances, breaking through the middle with Jake and Millar linking up well. We got to half time with the score at 0-0 we managed to create some good chances and applied good pressure to the opposition. We continued to fight hard in the second half, our passing was very good and we managed to create more chances, but sadly, we couldn't put the ball in the goal. Finished with a 0-0 draw, but overall was a very good game of hockey.





Toko Rugby Club

Milton Night'n'Day Junior Rugby Awards

UNDER 7 BLUE -TOD/ Coaches Choice - Jaxon POD - Jonty Scott; Coaches Choice - Ben Woodhead UNDER 7 GOLD -POD - Annaleese Reynolds, Coaches Choice - Taya Robinson UNDER 7 WHITE -POD - Baxter Hayes, Coaches Choice - Lincoln Marshall and Henry Ingram. UNDER 9 GOLD -POD - Jakarta Birch;

Thompson UNDER 9 BLUE -POD - Cooper Bradley; TOD/Coaches Choice -Cooper Divers UNDER 11 - BYE UNDER 13 -POD - Brendon Greer TOD/ Coaches Choice -Riley Milburn



Netball Report

Toko Gold's valiant efforts on court saw them take a win over SOHS Red at the weekend. It was a real team performance, with intercepts and loose balls being pick up at both ends of the court. Micaela Laing, Gemma Brady and Mckenzie Wyber all received player of the day awards for their consistently high performance throughout the game. It was great to see the team's efforts and skills that they are



developing at practice being reflected in their game.

A special thank you to Megan Kelcher who works tirelessly as the team's manager.

Indoor bowls

Quite a few new faces this week which made for a verv interesting night. Alastair Allison and Jimmy Phillip come out the winners with three wins. They beat David Gorton, Lynne Copland and Steve Rice 10-6, Dennis Hayes, Melva Heads and Raymond Perry 8-3 and Russell Copland, Paul Emery and Greta Jenkins 9-4.

Runner up was Dennis Hayes team with two wins while the other four teams had one win each. On a countback of scores, third place was David Gorton with 20, fourth was Russell Copland, with 13. fifth place with 12 was Ray Low, Eunice Benington and Rachel Fegan and allowing the others to come before them were Alex Benington, Moira Hastie and Chantelle Fegan.

Don't forget we'd love to see you, Wednesday nights at 7.30.



Golf

14 July 2020 - LGU and Putting

0-26.2

Greta Smales	99-25.74
Raewyn Devlin	89-10.79 C/B
Wendy Agnew	95-16.79 C/B
Gail Coote	105-26.79 C/B
Lyn Rogan	104-25.79
26.3 - 40.3	
Cath Scott	103-32.71 C/B
Lynne Lister	104-33.71
Pam Keddell	118-43.75
Margaret Cain	108-28.80

E Kennard Trophy - Best Putting on LGU Day C Scott 28 Anna Burnett Brooch - Best Nett on LGU Day C Scott 71

Jo Hitchon Button - Best Nett Over Month R Devlin Nett 78 May Murdoch Tee - Best S/Ford Over Month R Devlin 30 9 Holers LGU

9 Holer
58-16.42
19

0-26.3

21 July 2020 - Stableford (20 played, two 9 Holers)

26.4 - 40.4

Lisa Rutherford Jenny Good Raewyn Devlin Ruta Reid Wendy Agnew Lyn Rogan Gail Coote	34 33 32 31 C/B 31 29 C/B 29	J McDonald H Vollweller M Cain P Keddell C Scott	40 32 29 28 25
Gall Coote	29		

N Cubbitt 14, 9 Holes L Glassford

Bridge

Handicap Pairs 2nd Week 23.07.20

R Devlin & V Stanley 63.89% A Broome & M Cain 54.17% T Peterson & A Phillips 56.94% P Mallon & T Morland 41.67% 55.56% K Powell & J Scott H Gardner & L Clark 40.28%

J Turnbull & L Rutherford 37.50%



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Waihola - Clarendon Women's Institute Report

The monthly meeting of the Waihola/ Clarendon Women's Institute was held in the Bowling Club rooms on July 20th at 10:30am.

Following the Aspirations, President Jeanne Barclay welcomed members and three visitors. Mid-Otago President Alma Blaikie congratulated and presented Judy Menzies with her Good Service badge. Entries for the Eisteddfod were started, then the Remits for Conference were read and commented on.

Roll Call - '*My Most Satisfying Project in Lockdown*' produced a most interesting array of jobs achieved, plus if you didn't have to do something –so be it, no one would be visiting anyway.

At the conclusion of the meeting the committee produced a post covid-19 celebration luncheon. An enjoyable get together after these unusual past three months with the coronavirus outbreak.

Genesis Office Hours

Monday 8:30am - 3:30pm Tuesday 8:30am - 3:30pm Wednesday closed Thursday closed Friday closed

If the office is unattended, articles, advertising or payments can be taken to the school office or left in the box in the door, or please ring and leave a message at 417 4483. Genesis is delivered free to your letterbox from Tuesday 4pm to Thursday 6pm

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Week One

Tuesday Roast Chicken and Roast Vegies with Gravy *Wednesday* Macaroni Cheese with Bacon *Thursday* Silverside with Whipped Potato and Seasonal Vegetables

Week Two

Tuesday Roast Pork with a Delicious Cheesy Potato & Fennel Bake *Wednesday* Curried Sausages with Baby Peas and Buttery Mashed Potato *Thursday* Beef Casserole on a Creamy Winter Mash with Seasonal Greens

Cut out and keep on the fridge!

Genesis Articles

We are very grateful for articles received about news that is happening in the community. If you would like help to write up an article, please ring 417 4483 and leave a message.



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Meet the Candidates

This is set for 7pm at the Balclutha Town and Country Club on the 13th August.

A crucial general election is coming up on Saturday, 19th September, to elect a Government, a local member to Parliament and to vote on two referendums.

As a result of changes to electoral boundaries the Milton area is now in the Taieri electorate. This, along with the retirement of our existing member of parliament means it is important to be informed about the five candidates standing in our electorate as we lead up to election day.

To assist our community to be informed, the Rotary Clubs of Milton and Balclutha have organized a Meet the Candidates meeting in Balclutha on August 13th.

Milton Rotary President Stephen Woodhead believes it is a great opportunity to see all the candidates together and hear their views on various topics.

As well as our normal votes for the Party and Candidate we wish to support, we also have the opportunity to vote on two referendums; one on Cannabis Legalisation and Control and the other on End of Life Choice. These are important



decisions for our country. Come along on the 13th and hear the candidates views.

We welcome your questions to be put to the candidates, but ask that they are sent or emailed prior to the meeting.

Public Notices ...

Friendship Group Meeting 6th August 11:30am At Kelly's Kitchen Please phone Jenny 417 7210 Before 4th August

Milton Coronation Hall Society Inc.

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING to be held at the

Milton Coronation Hall, in the Melville Room on Wednesday 5th August 2020 at 7pm



Public Notices ..



Do you have a project in mind?

Clutha District Creative

Communities is to hold two funding rounds for the 2020/21 year. The next round closes on 1 September 2020. 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.

Please contact our Corporate Services Administrator Karen Piercy with any questions on 03 419 0261.

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

Berwick Boundary Possum Control 2020

This is a notification that possum control in the TBfree Berwick Boundary Block (Upper Waipori River) will be starting from the 26th July. An information sheet, map and information about toxins that may be in use in the area is available by contacting Guil Figgins on 021 231 9712 or by email guil@cwac.co.nz. Any users of the area should adhere to any instruction on any warning signs they may encounter.

Risks can be eliminated by following these simple rules:

- DO NOT touch bait
- WATCH CHILDREN at all times
- DO NOT EAT animals from this area

Remember, poison baits or carcasses are DEADLY to DOGS

Year 9 and 10 Hort Class

Year 9 and 10 students have been flat out getting the Horticulture Dept ready for spring. We have been wood chipping the pathways, mulching the gardens, pricking out seedlings and herbs. We are desperately waiting for spring!



Jacob watering in the shade house.





Connor growing coriander.

Situation Vacant ...

Seth sorting the potting mix.

Quineszther Tatupu pricking

out seedlings.

Situation Vacant ...

MILTON MINITY

Milton Community Health Trust **Casual District Nurse**

HEALTH MCHT provides Community Nursing services in Milton and the surrounding District.

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- Have excellent written and spoken English language skills - Be computer literate
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