



DATES

2018

Term 1 Starts

7th February

14th February

Meet/Greet/Eat

Swimming Lessons

7th February -
27th February

BOT Meeting

22nd February

30th March

Good Friday

(No School)

2nd April

Easter Monday

(No School)

10th April

Student Led

Conferences

Term 1 Ends

13th April

School News

Welcome back. We start 2018 with a new principal Mrs Paula Miller. Paula comes to us from Alexandra, she is keen to meet you all and hopes that you will come in and introduce yourselves over the first few days.

We will have a Greet/Eat and Meet the new Principal day as well as a general catch up with the teachers on Wednesday, 14th February at 2:30 p.m. This is a good time to ask Helen and Andrew any questions or expectations you may have concerning your child/children. Please bring a plate to share for afternoon tea.

The School booklet will go home on this day containing the Cyber Safety/Emergency Evacuation Plans and the School Tree line, Media Consent and Local Destination Permission Form.

Fabulous fundraising effort at the race day and thanks to everyone who was involved-many hands make light work.

Swimming Programme starts today, Wednesday 7th February. An email was sent out earlier in the week containing information regarding this.

Special thankyou to Mike Kingan, Chris deRuyter and all the parents and friends that helped out with the cleaning/gardening/painting and renovating of the school house.

Nicky Anderson and Kirsten for cleaning up the technology room, Niki Gladding and helpers for taking care of our chickens during the school holidays.

Sun Hats/Sunscreen The school's Sun-safe Policy is that all children should wear a sun hat outside for Term 1 and Term 4. If your child does not have a hat on, she/he will stay in the shade or on the decking at breaks. School provides sunscreen in each classroom for your children to use.

School Lunches

We will not be ordering lunches on Fridays until further notice. Please make sure your child/children bring a packed lunch from home.

Paula, Helen, Andrew, Jenny and Gorette

Queenstown Park Station Open day for recreational bike riding



Open Day Sunday 18 February 2018

The community and visitors are again invited to a free open day for a recreational mountain bike ride through Queenstown Park Station by the owners of the Station, the Porter families.

This free recreational open day will take riders on a scenic journey from Boyd Road into the Station, below The Remarkables Mountain range alongside the **New Route & Beach Options**

- A: 'Station Loop' – Start at Boyd Rd, ride to midway picnic beach and return to Boyd Rd (18km)
- B: 'Station to Chard Farm' – Start at Boyd Rd, ride to midway picnic beach and exit at Chard Farm (13.5km)

- [Pre-registration](#) is requested
- Riders can start any time between 9:30am – 11:00am at Boyd Rd, off SH6, south of the Kawarau Bridge
- Riders to finish by 4pm, exiting by returning to Boyd Road or continuing on to Chard Farm
- While this is not a Queenstown Trails Trust trail, they do such wonderful work in the Queenstown area that there will be an opportunity to make an optional charitable donation on the day to Queenstown Trails Trust (gold coin or other)

Riders are welcome to bring a picnic or food is available to purchase at the midway beach from [Life's a Grind Coffee](#), [Popsicle Tricycle](#), [Pita Pit](#), [Hikari Sushi](#) and [Bacon Buttie](#). Water top-up station, toilets, first-aid, mechanical assistance and clear signage provided.

- Parking is available at Boyd Road
- Pick-up is available at the Chard Farm end for exit to the east

Registration prior to 3pm Friday 16 February is requested.

Enquiries call 03 442 3084.

Special thanks to our neighbouring landowners Mike & Bridget Mee at Boyd Road, Rob & Gerdi Hay at Chard Farm, who greatly assist with access and parking, and to all volunteers.

[Register Now](#)

YEAR 7 & 8 UP ONLY!

WAKATIPU YOUTH TRUST



8 Feb - 12 Apr

Join our non competitive Social League. Meet new people, make new friends and have fun trying new sports each week

\$15 per person for 10 weeks

Teams of 6-10

YOUTH SPORT 10 SERIES

Friendly Games start February 8th 2018 - Sign up with your friends now!
Individual and Team Registrations accepted. Registrations close 30 January 2018

THURSDAYS

10
WEEKS

3:30pm-5:30pm



SIGN UP AT WAKATIPUYOUTHTRUST.CO.NZ/SIGN-UP
alice@wakatipuyouthtrust.co.nz | 03 442 8115 | 022 0596306

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All boys and girls in Year 8 are able to have the HPV (Human Papillomavirus) vaccine at school to protect them against future infection from nine types of HPV that lead to cervical, anal, genital, mouth and throat cancers, as well as genital warts. The HPV vaccine is the final immunisation given as part of New Zealand's free childhood immunisation programme.

All year 8 students will be given a consent form to take home which includes detailed information about the immunisation. Please complete the consent form, either consenting or declining to the school based immunisation programme, and return the form to school before Friday February 16th.

For more information: www.health.govt.nz/hpv
contact the HPV Immunisation Team at WellSouth (03)214 6436, 0800 800 249 or hpv@wellsouth.org.nz



FREE GIRLS ONLY COMPETITION FOR YEARS 4-8

SBS BANK

GIRLS SMASH!



No experience necessary!

Wednesday | 4-5pm | Queenstown Events Centre |

Starts 14th Feb - March 14th | Term 1 |

To register please email; emma@coaching-solutions.co.nz