

Glenorchy School



TERM 2 ISSUE 4

12TH JUNE 2018

DATES 2018

BOT Meeting Dates

27th June

Juniors Ice Skating Lessons

(Every Friday) 1st June to 6th July

Matariki Arrowtown

15th June

Term 2 Ends

6th July



School News

Last Tuesday we hosted "Lab in a Box" at Glenorchy School as part of our Science programme.



The Senior Room session was called "Minibeasts", which saw our students looking for insects out in the playground, recording details about where their minibeast was found, then studying them under microscopes.

The Junior room students focused on aspects of physical changes and participated in a variety of experiments to practice their prediction and observation skills. We definitely have some budding scientists here!

A big thank you to the presenters, Nathalie and Claire from Otago Museum for bringing this very worthwhile programme to Glenorchy School.



The Junior Room Ice-skating programme is going well and the children are thoroughly enjoying their time on the ice. It is a pleasure to watch their skating skills developing and their 'can do' attitude coming out as they persevere at staying balanced and mastering the task at hand.

The arrangements for the Senior Room Ski Camp are well underway. Consent forms are being sent home with Senior Room students today. We would like these back by Friday 29 June please.

Friday 15 June is the Maori New Year celebration of Matariki. Arrowtown School have kindly invited the Junior Room to participate in their Matariki celebrations on Friday morning. As we are already going into Queenstown for ice skating in the afternoon, we are taking the opportunity to be involved. We are in the process of tweaking and finalising the transport arrangements and a separate notice outlining the details will go home to Junior Room parents tomorrow.

Thank you to the PTFA for organising Movie Night this weekend (doors open 6:30pm). Please spread the word and encourage others to come along. We look forward to seeing you all there.

Paula, Helen, Andrew, Jenny & Gorettie



FREE DENTAL CARE: - Children in New Zealand are entitled to free basic oral health care services until 17 years of age. If you would like your child to receive this free service, please contact the Wakatipu Community Oral Health Service

19A Douglas Street, Frankton, Telephone 03 4509370. If you are a non New Zealand resident there is a criteria to be met in order to receive free care, please ask the dental staff before enrolling.

Linda Harrison and Janet Beale Registered Dental Therapists.



WAKATIPU HIGH SCHOOL ENROLMENT AND OPEN EVENING TUESDAY 19 JUNE, 4.30-7.30pm

The evening will provide the opportunity for incoming and prospective students and parents/caregivers to:

Hear the Principal, Mr Steve Hall, speak about WHS, at 4:45pm and 5:45pm.

Have a guided tour of the school (tours run continuously from 4:30pm until 7:00pm).

Submit Enrolment Forms (and receive assistance with this).

NB: Enrolment information will be provided on the night, and is also available at :-

www.wakatipu.school.nz/enrolment, or by emailing office@wakatipu.school.nz









