



Glenorchy
School



TERM 1 2024

Kid's Lit Quiz

14 March

BOT Meeting Date

19 March

Wakatipu Zone Athletics

19 March

Otago Anniversary

25 March

(No School)

Good Friday

29 March

(No School)

Easter Monday & Easter Tuesday

1 April & 2 April

(No school)

School Camp Bannockburn

3-5 April

School News

Term 1 Issue 4

12 March 2024

Welcome

Welcome to Kea who joined the Junior Room this week.

School Visit

We enjoyed hosting Makikihi School from South Canterbury last week while they were in Central Otago on School Camp. Makikihi School is similar in size to Glenorchy School and it was great to give our students the opportunity to connect with students from another small school.

Small Schools Upgrade

The team completing the Small Schools Upgrade work have been on site this week and are working their way through the school to upgrade the lighting, electrical plugs and acoustics. The work at this stage is expected to be completed by the end of the week. Please be aware of the extra hazards on the school site this week.

Small Schools Athletic Sports

It was a great day at Kawarau School on Wednesday 6 March for the Small Schools Athletic Sports. Congratulations to the following students who have qualified for the Wakatipu Zone Athletic Sports which are to be held at the Event Centre, Frankton on Tuesday 19 March.

Pippa - Year 8 Girls - Hurdles, Sprints, 800m

Hineamaru - Year 8 Girls - Hurdles, Sprints, Relay, 800m

Dylan - Year 7 Girls - Hurdles, Sprints, Relay

Lucas - Year 6 Boys - Hurdles, Sprints, Relay

Chace - Year 6 Boys - Hurdles, shot put

Max - Year 6 Boys - Hurdles, Sprints, Relay, 800m

Bella - Year 6 Girls - Hurdles

Alex - Year 5 Boys - Discus

Cohen - Year 5 Boys - Sprints, Relay

A separate email will be sent out later today to organise transport to next week's event.

Kids Lit Quiz

Good luck to the two teams competing in the Kids Lit Quiz at Remarkables School on Thursday 14 March.

Year 7 / Year 8 team - Dylan, Hineamaru, Isabella and Pippa

Year 5 / Year 6 team - MacKenzie, Alex, Bella, Lucas

School camp

Details of the Year 5 - Year 8 School Camp to Bannockburn will be sent out shortly.

End of Term 1
12 April

2024 TERM
DATES

Term 1
30 Jan—12 April

Term 2
29 April—5 July

Term 3
22 July—27 Sept

Term 4
14 Oct—13 Dec

Student of the Week

	Junior Room	Senior Room
Week 5	Jack - Showing kindness and responsibility in the classroom by reading a book to a friend.	MacKenzie - Showing kindness and responsibility by assisting a student who needed help with an injury.
Week 6	Elijah -Demonstrating kindness and respect to classmates and the teacher by holding doors and helping friends out in need.	Lucas - working really well in his Maths group, showing responsibility and leadership by helping others.

Paula, Kelly, Sophie, Michelle & Gorette

Children's Herbal clinic

Glenorchy Herbs and Healing is offering a free herbal clinic for Glenorchy children.

Consultation by koha,

Herbal remedies are at cost.

Date: Sat 23rd March 2024

9 am -12 midday

Place: Room next to Nurse's room, Glenorchy library

Just show up if you don't mind waiting or contact Fiona for an appointment

fionamfmcqueen@gmail.com or text to 021938610





SUSTAINABLE GLENORCHY HARVEST FESTIVAL 2024

- Date: Sunday 17 March
- Time: 11-330pm
- Place: Village Green and Glenorchy Hall
- Cost: free!

Timeline:

- 10am - 1230pm: drop off items to share
- 11am - Event open to public.
- 11 - 230pm: Live music
- 11 - 230pm: Workshops
- 1130am - 2pm: Face painting
- 11 - 3pm: Tables showing community initiatives
- 1230 - 2pm: Food and drink
- From 130pm: Viewing of harvest art work in the Hall
- From 230pm: Games
- 330pm or before you leave: Collection of harvest items for personal consumption (bring your bags)

Sustainable Glenorchy would like to present a unique opportunity for the entire Glenorchy community to share excess harvest produce and goods, to recycle items that will be useful to others, and to find out about local initiatives in making Glenorchy a place where the air, water and soil are kept clean for future generations through sharing what we have and reducing waste by recycling, in an enjoyable and entertaining environment.

We ask that you bring your excess fruit, nuts, vegetables early in the day so that the Glenorchy School children can create an art work for all to enjoy.

Alternatively, bring some baked or prepared snack food item to share for lunch. Tea, coffee, water and freshly-squeezed fruit juice will be provided. **Please bring a cup and small plate for your personal use.**

If you have books, DVDs, glassware, clothing or any small item that you no longer want but could be useful to others, bring it along. If it is taken up by another person, you've just added to the health of the planet! If not, we ask that you are responsible for its disposal at the end of the day.

If unable, to contribute, just come anyway! Enjoy catching up with your friends, listening to live music, learning about what sustainable projects are happening in the community, having your face painted, eating, drinking and relaxing, taking part in or watching the games, and going home at day's end with someone else's excess produce.

There will be no cost, although in some areas you may see a donation box to cover basic costs of materials used in that activity.

Come one and all! Your presence will make it a really great event where we can enjoy the company and generosity of others while doing our part towards building a sustainable Glenorchy.

Community initiatives:

Come and find out about

- How Sustainable Glenorchy Inc can help you
- The reusable nappy loan service
- Mrs Woolly's and the Headwaters' sustainable practices
- Waste-conscious pottery-making
- Composting
- Repair cafes
- Pacific Blue Lavender Water
- The plant nursery, and more

Music

Live music by finger-pickin' Findley Bowie and local musicians Contra Banned, performing popular music across the decades.

Face painting by Dine the Fox

Recycling

(Again, you are kindly requested to be responsible for disposing of any of your donated items not taken up by others by the time you leave.)

- Books
- DVDs
- Clothing
- Glassware, plant pots etc

Games

Join in and earn your medal for

- Egg and spoon
- Egg tossing
- Three-legged race
- Wheelbarrow race
- Sack race
- Tug of war

Workshops/demonstrations (in the supper room)

1105 - 1135am

How to pickle your home-grown produce, presented by Fabiola Tombo

1140am - 1210pm

Learning about wastewater options, presented by our resident expert, Dr Paul (Tussock) Chapman

1215 - 1245pm

How to prepare herbal tea, presented by practising herbalist Dr Fiona McQueen

1250 - 120pm

Co-creative gardening: how to look after land and soil for optimum holistic benefits, presented by Caro Rennebeck, Holistic Gardening and Intuitive Healing

1.25 - 1.55pm

How to make sourdough, presented by our local sourdough expert, Bruce Anderson

2 - 230pm

How to make sauerkraut, presented by our genius in all preparation of home-grown food, Segoo Anderson

Enabling Good Lives 101 Invercargill



Forums for Disabled People, Whānau, Service Providers and Workforce

Enabling Good Lives 101 Forums are coming to your community. Come along to learn and share with those who live and breathe EGL!

It's about strengthening **your voice** to enhance **your control** over decisions about **your life!**

For more information, call/text Natt on **0220650912** or email **natalie.mclean@mylifemyvoice.org.nz**

March 11

10:00am - 1:00pm
5:30pm - 8:30pm

March 12

10:00am - 1:00pm
3:30pm - 6:30pm

Club Southland Inc

115 Leet St
Invercargill 9810

Register Now — mylifemyvoice.org.nz/egl

Schools Alpine Competition

Trans-Tasman Schools Winter Festival 2024

The Remarkables Park, Queenstown, New Zealand
23rd to 27th September 2024



Schools Alpine Competition

- The Schools Alpine Competition aims to provide young ski and snowboard enthusiasts with a platform to showcase their skills, foster sportsmanship and promote the sport of skiing and snowboarding.
- This event serves as a gathering of talented skiers and snowboarders aged from 8 to 13 years of age and provides an exhilarating, supportive atmosphere while at the same time fostering healthy competition.



Schools Alpine Competition

This event is held over four days and commences with a welcome function the day prior to racing beginning at the Queenstown Memorial Hall where event information is relayed, sponsors are promoted, and event packs distributed.

It is then followed by four days on the slopes where all participants showcase their skills.



Schools Alpine Competition

- This will be the second year the event is being held and it is expected to be attended by 300 to 400 participants from schools across the North and South Islands of New Zealand along with selected schools from Australia.



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1 Key Event Details



- Sunday 22nd September –
 - Welcome Function and pack collection at Queenstown Memorial Hall.
- Monday 23rd – Friday 27th September 2024 –
 - Competition for North/South and Invited Australian Schools at The Remarkables Park, Queenstown, NZ.
 - Boys & Girls from Year 3 – 8 are welcome.
 - Both Individual Competitors and School Teams can enter.
 - Helmets are compulsory. Race suits are welcome.
 - Every child must travel with their own parent/s or guardian
 - Flights and accommodation need to be organised by individuals/families.



2 Event Programme*

Category	Monday 23 rd September	Tuesday 24 th September	Wednesday 25 th September	Thursday 26 th September	Friday 27 th September
SKI	Giant Slalom/ Dual Slalom (Seeding Times)	Ski Cross	Giant Slalom/ Dual Slalom	Slopestyle	Weather Day
BOARD	Giant Slalom/ Dual Slalom (Seeding Times)	Boarder Cross	Giant Slalom/ Dual Slalom	Slopestyle	Weather Day



* All events will be subject to weather conditions and safety requirements

3 Categories

Primary Ski: Year 3 to 6

Intermediate Ski: Year 7 & 8

Ski	Board
Day 1 - Dual Slalom / Giant Slalom <i>All Students Must Compete in this event. (Seeding Times)</i>	Day 1 - Dual Slalom / Giant Slalom <i>All Students Must Compete in this event. (Seeding Times)</i>
Day 2 - Slopestyle	Day 2 - Slopestyle
Day 3 - Dual Slalom	Day 3 - Dual Slalom
Day 4 - Slopestyle	Day 4 - Slopestyle
Day 5 – Weather Contingency Day	Day 5 – Weather Contingency Day
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cost: \$150 NZD inc GST per event. • School teams Max of 5 Min of 3 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cost: \$150 NZD inc GST per event. • School teams Max of 5 Min of 3



4 Registration

- Registration for teams and individual competitors will be available on the SAC website www.alpinecomp.nz
- Registration and Payment will open **in April 2024** and all entries and payments must be received by **Wednesday 31th July 2024.**



5 SAC Competition Lift Pass Deal

	Spring Pass *	Full season Pass *
Adult 5 day	\$500 For SAC Parents.	\$575
Adult 6 Day	\$570	\$690
Adult spring season pass	\$625	Super EB \$1045
Child Spring Season pass	\$280 For SAC Competitors.	Super EB \$359



* Full season is a season pass from the opening to the closing of the mountain
Spring pass (dates to be confirmed but will cover the dates of this event)

SAC24 is proud to partner with *Ski Travel Specialists* to offer you the opportunity to create your own bespoke Ski Package experience:

TRAVEL INSURANCE

FLIGHTS

TRANSFERS

ACCOMMODATION

SKI/BOARD EQUIPMENT

TRANSPORT - Rental Car, bus, Mini Van

ACTIVITIES



Contact:

Abi or Carolline
Ski Travel Specialists

sales@skitravel.co.nz

www.skitravel.co.nz
+64 (9) 307 1350

Ski Lodge, 3/461 Mt Eden Road,
Mount Eden, Auckland, 1024

Your heading to the the Adventure Capital of the World - Queenstown

With its towering mountains and lakeside location, Queenstown is a hub of adventure, bursting with adrenaline and fun. Why not extend your stay or enjoy some of these activities whilst you are there:

- Ski passes for other *Queestown ski resorts*
- Experience the *TSS Earnslaw on Lake Wakatipu* for fabulous lunch or dinner journeys to Walter Peak Homestead
- *Oxbow* - Adrenaline action in jet boats
- *Zipline* - Take to the forest canopy with great ziplining experiences
- *Scenic Helicopter Flights* - you might have skied down the mountain but the best view comes from the top
- *Jetboating* - with multiple lakes and rivers, jump on a jetboat for a great high speed journey
- *Onsen Hot Pools* - a magical experience with a view like no other - soak away those aches and pains
- Famous for its great wines, you cannot leave Queenstown without visiting some of the iconic *Central Otago vineyards*
- *Golf* - world renowned golf courses for all skill levels



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6 Athlete Code of Conduct

- Every parent and athlete must be made aware of this by their School/Team Manager and agree to comply, prior to competing.
- A copy of our code can be found on the SAC website www.alpinecomp.nz



7 The future of this event

We're excited to be the first ever Trans-Tasman Schools Ski and Snowboarding event held in New Zealand.

We are confident this event will grow enabling the students to showcase their skills on the slopes of Queenstown.

We look forward to you joining us.



8 Contact Details

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