



Glenorchy  
School



### **TERM 3 2024**

**22 July to**  
**27 Sept**

#### **BOT Meeting** **Dates**

**20 August**  
**24 September**

### **TERM 4 2024**

**14 October to**  
**13 December**

## **School News**

### **Term 3 Issue 2**

### **13 August 2024**

What an amazing weekend it was to be a New Zealander! I'm sure like me if you've been following the Olympics, you would have felt an immense sense of pride in the achievements of Dame Lisa Carrington, Hamish Kerr, Lydia Ko, Ellesse Andrews, Maddison Wesche and Ally Wollaston over the weekend.

Our entire team of athletes has done us proud across the two weeks of competition, especially those for whom their Olympic campaign did not go as planned. The lessons we can all take away, of how to deal with the expectation of ourselves and others followed by the disappointment of not achieving our goal, is something we've all seen modeled so graciously by so many during these Olympics.

You can only admire the commitment of not only the athletes, but their entire families; and oh the delight we all feel when we hear the New Zealand anthem play.

Perhaps though, we won't mention the rugby any time soon.....

#### **Year 5-8 Small Schools Swimming Sports.**

Congratulations to everyone who participated in last week's Swimming Sports. A special thank you to the parents who helped out with transport to and from this event. We appreciate your support and help.

Information regarding the Zone Swimming Sports event on 20 August will be sent directly to families of any qualifying students.

#### **Staff Training Afternoons**

Just a reminder to families collecting students from school, children will be ready to be picked up at 12.30pm.

A huge thank you to everyone in supporting the staff and allowing these training afternoons to go ahead.

#### **School Absence**

If your child/ children are absent from school, please contact the school by phone or email Gorette at [office@glenorchy.school.nz](mailto:office@glenorchy.school.nz) prior to 9am so we know where your child/children are.

If they are away for multiple days unexpectedly (eg when children are sick, we need you to do this each day). Thank you.

#### **Health Consultation**

Thank you to those families who have returned their Health Consultation surveys to the box outside the office. If this is a job still on your 'to do' list, please can we have these back no later than the 16th August.

## **New Maths Curriculum for 2025**

The announcement from the Prime Minister last week about the release of a new math curriculum for the start of the 2025 year was a surprise to many. At this stage the details of how this might look for schools or what will be included in the new curriculum is yet to be shared.

What we know about the changes so far are:

1. The implementation of the refreshed math curriculum for years 0-8 is being moved forward by a year to be required in 2025.
2. There will be \$20Million of funding for Professional Learning and Development for teachers in structured math.
3. New resources aligned to the new curriculum including detailed teacher guides and student workbooks to support the teaching of the new curriculum will be provided to schools.
4. Increasing support will be provided for students who fall far behind the curriculum.
5. The Teaching Council has agreed the minimum requirement for entry into teaching training courses should be lifted to include 14 NCEA math credits at level 2.

We are keen to see and hear further details about this announcement over the coming few months and will keep you informed as this happens.

## **Student of the Week**

	<b>Junior</b>	<b>Senior</b>
Week	<b>Tom</b> -for showing kindness by helping out a classmate with their writing.	<b>Henry</b> - for the consistent effort he has been putting in, especially with his Olympics Topic work

**Tracy, Kelly, Sophie, Michelle and Gorette.**

# Glenorchy Ball



*Black Tie*

School PTFA Fundraiser

**SATURDAY 24th AUGUST 2024**  
**GLENORCHY HALL 7PM**



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**R18**  
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Tickets \$60  
Contact Hayley  
0272927811



Sustainable Glenorchy



# MARKET DAY

Native plants &  
seedlings

Sausage sizzle  
Vegan/vegetarian food

Face painting

Knitting & sewing

Herbal remedies

Arts & Crafts

Second hand items

Children's items

Wood arts

Local conservation group

**SUNDAY, 18 AUGUST - 11AM TILL 3PM**  
**VILLAGE GREEN/HALL**

Thanks for supporting our local community. Cash preferred please!



# WHAT'S ON



## Drama and Theatre Sports Afterschool Programme

Mondays | 3:30pm onwards

Ages 5-7 and 8-12

Term 3, Full Term - \$145

Gear up as we explore the wild and wonderful world of Improvisational Theatre. Use code **DRAMA** for 10% off the remaining weeks of Term 3.



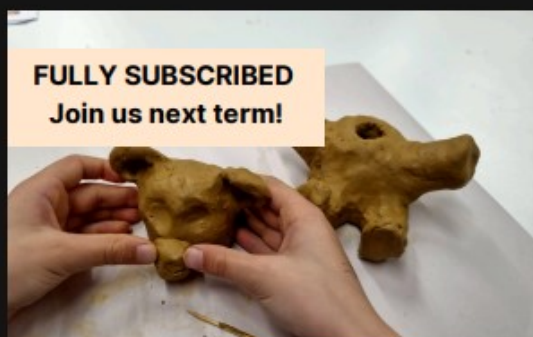
## Textile Threads Afterschool Programme

Tuesdays | 3:20pm onwards

Ages 5-7 and 8-12

Term 3, Full Term - \$160

Experience textile art, craft and design through hand embroidery, printingmaking and weaving. Use code **TEXTILES** for 10% off the remaining weeks of Term 3.



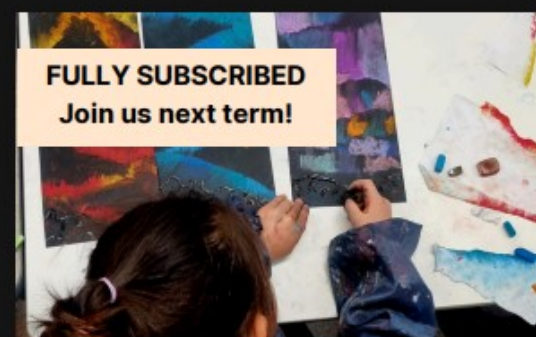
## Creative Clay - SOLD OUT - Afterschool Programme

Wednesdays | 3:30pm onwards

Ages 5-12

Term 3, Full Term - \$210

Discover the calming and creative aspects of working with clay.



## Mixed Media - SOLD OUT - Afterschool Programme

Thursdays | 3:30pm onwards



Ages 5-12

Term 3, Full Term - \$210

Take inspiration from a range of artists, art styles and your imagination crafting with mixed materials.

# TE ATAMIRA

Remarkables Park, Dart House, 12 Hawthorne Drive

  TeAtamiraWhakatipu | [teatamira.nz](http://teatamira.nz)

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our programmes



**BATTLE OF THE BASIN, Dual Slalom**  
12 September 2023  
EASY RIDER, Coronet Peak, Queenstown



## PROGRAM

**CATEGORY** Wakatipu Basin: (enrolled in fulltime school in Wakatipu Basin to be eligible)  
SKI: Year 3-4 M/F, Year 5-6 M/F, Year 7-8 M/F Competitive, and Non-Competitive  
SNOWBOARD: Year 3-4, Year 5-6, Year 7-8  
**Top school** based on results of all categories.  
**Overall:** All entered participants (year 8 and below) eligible for overall Ski (M/F) and Snowboard (M/F)

<b>BIBS</b>	Bibs collected in front of Guest Services from 08:00 to 09:30
<b>RACE HILL</b>	Easy Rider
<b>DISCIPLINE</b>	Dual Slalom
<b>RACE</b>	2 runs
<b>LIFT OPENING</b>	08:00 for racers access to Rocky Gully via Coronet Express or Meadows
<b>INSPECTION</b>	09:15 – 09:30 Course inspection
<b>FIRST RUN</b>	09:45 Run 1 start
<b>SECOND RUN</b>	To start immediately after first run
<b>PRIZE GIVING</b>	One hour after race on Base Building deck, approximately at 14:00

## RACE INFORMATION

<b>RESULTS</b>	2 runs, best time counts
<b>SSNZ REGISTRATION</b>	Open to SSNZ registered members.
<b>RACE REGISTRATION</b>	Please register SSNZ website. <b>Registration closes on 7 September at 18:00.</b> <a href="https://www.snowsports.co.nz/calendar-and-results/2023-events-calendar-and-registration/">https://www.snowsports.co.nz/calendar-and-results/2023-events-calendar-and-registration/</a>
<b>ENTRY FEES</b>	Entry \$35 per racer
<b>LIFT TICKETS</b>	50% discount for racers and coaches. 1 complimentary ticket available for coaches for every 6 athletes, additional coaches to pay half price. <a href="mailto:race@coronetpeak.co.nz">race@coronetpeak.co.nz</a>
<b>FURTHER INFORMATION</b>	Competitive: defined as those registered in a ski club for 2024, not including the QAST Development Programme. If a child falls, they are to ski out of the course. Other racers will be coming down the hill.
<b>WHAT'S APP</b>	Use QR Code to register. Please leave chat clear for logistics and updates from race officials.

## RACE ORGANISING COMMITTEE

<b>TECHNICAL DELEGATE</b>	TBD
<b>CHIEF OF RACE</b>	Brenner Yamada
<b>CHIEF OF TIMING</b>	Jessica Schalburg
<b>REFEREE</b>	TBD
<b>ROC CONTACT INFO</b>	Brenner Yamada, Coronet Peak Race and Events <a href="mailto:race@coronetpeak.co.nz">race@coronetpeak.co.nz</a> 027 252 0653

# Polyfest

CENTRAL LAKES

23 - 24 OCTOBER

QUEENSTOWN EVENTS CENTRE

## Community Showcase Evening

6PM WEDNESDAY 23RD OCTOBER

Are you a solo performer, a duo, whānau or part of a Community group?  
Do you love celebrating song, dance, music and tradition? There's a  
space for you! Get in Touch! Email [aroaha@miharo.org](mailto:aroaha@miharo.org) to register

## T-Shirt Design Competition

ENTRIES CLOSE FRIDAY 30TH AUGUST

Create a dynamic celebratory T-shirt for the team and volunteers to  
wear during our 5th Central Lakes Polyfest! The theme for this years  
design is "Legends of our lands - our people, our places, our stories".

## Polyfest Art Exhibition

ENTRIES CLOSE FRIDAY 20TH SEPTEMBER

Your Art will be on exhibition at Te Atamira Gallery between Thursday  
26th September and Thursday 24th October 2024. Our theme this year  
is "Legends of our lands - our people, our places, our stories".

FOR MORE INFO EMAIL [AROHA@MIHARO.ORG](mailto:AROHA@MIHARO.ORG)  
OR VISIT OUR WEBSITE [WWW.MIHARO.CO.NZ](http://WWW.MIHARO.CO.NZ)





# Pivotal Point

Te Hau Toka

SOUTHERN LAKES WELLBEING GROUP

[www.pivotalpoint.org.nz](http://www.pivotalpoint.org.nz)



# Parent Support Group

A safe space to share and connect, helping those with neurodivergent tamariki

First Tuesday of every month  
9:15am - 10:45am at Te Atamira  
Remarkables Park

## TE ATAMIRA

