

Wallacetown School

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School Newsletter

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We provide children with the skills for learning,
the skills for living, & the confidence to have a go!

Dear Parents

Wednesday 26 July 2017

Welcome back to term 3. This term we welcome Katy Rowe into Room 2 as our Reading Recovery Release Teacher. She will be teaching in Room 2 from 9am to 11.30am each morning. Aaron Parker takes over responsibility for Room 2 and Reading Recovery.

We have another exciting term ahead of us:

- We are having Volleyball on Tuesday mornings from week 2 for six weeks.
- We have our yearly visit from Harrod and the Life Education Caravan on the 14th and 15th August.
- We have Polyfest on the 22nd August. Our Winter activity day is on 1st September.
- On the last Friday of the term 29th September we have our Pet Day

Some of the senior boys asked if they could bring old clothes to school to change in when they are playing games on the wet ground during lunch time. We said we would try it out and see if they can be responsible enough to play the games and get back into class ready for learning again when the bell goes.

If you need to contact the staff their emails are:

Mrs Pannet: sharon@wallacetown.school.nz

Miss McIndoe: phil@wallacetown.school.nz

Mr Parker: aaron@wallacetown.school.nz

Ms Rowe katy@wallacetown.school.nz

Nicola in
the School office is nicola@wallacetown.school.nz



A big welcome to Bailey Shepherd who started school this week in room 2

You can always text me on 027 716 9291. A lot of people use the cell phone to notify the school about absences in the morning or pass on other information. Its also a good way to get a answer to a quick question. The school's web site has a lot of information about the school such as the stationery lists and school enrolment forms. It also has some policies and procedures. If there is anything else you would like to know please let us know. Sometimes we just assume everyone one knows something when they don't. There is no such thing as a silly question, ask away.....

Regards Neville

Subway Lunch Order Wed 3 Aug 2017

Please have orders into the office letterbox by
9am on Wed 3 August

Envelopes are included with this newsletter and
more are available from the office

Sports News

Welcome back everyone!

Hope you've all had a well rested break! We have lots going on this term and registrations have now been sent home for children keen to play mini-ball. The competition is for students Year 3 up. Please see me if you're keen but have not yet received a newsletter.

Rippa Rugby starts this Thursday and we will have trainings Thursday lunch time with both the girls and boys teams. It's great to see we could manage to create two teams from within our school for this competition, and it's not often sports are offered for free to schools, so well done to all the children who took up this opportunity!

Special mention to Jessica Evans who will be playing for Makarewa in the Southland Schools Netball Tournament next week. It's a MASSIVE competition with a range of schools participating including; Queenstown Primary School, Arrowtown Primary, Tokanui, Remarkables, Northern Southland, Shotover Primary, Takitimu, Dipton, Edendale, Gore and local invercargill schools. Go hard Jess!

Rippa Rugby Draw : Thursday July 27th - Venue: ILT Stadium Southland
4pm Boys Wallacetown Demons v's St Patricks Orange
4.30pm Girls Wallacetown Blues v's Myross Bush Winiatas

Please be there 10 minutes before your game to warm up.

Thanks everyone, have a great Term 3!

Phil McIndoe

Community Notices

Open Day at Southland Girls High School - Thursday, 3 August 2017. School – 3.30 pm to 7.00pm. Hostel – 2.00pm – 4.00pm. All welcome. Closing date for enrolments Fri 1 Sept 2017.

Open Day at Southland Boys High School - Thursday, 3 August 2017. School – 4pm to 7.00pm. Hostel – 2.00pm – 7.00pm. All welcome. School Tours available 7-25 August. Tel 211 3003 to arrange.

Open Day at James Hargest College: - Sun 30 July 2017. Junior campus from 12.30 – 2.30 pm. Tours of the School are available between Mon 31 July and Fri 11 Aug at 9.00am at the Junior Campus and 10am at the Senior Campus. Parent Information Evening Tues 1 Aug 17 @ 7.30pm in the Junior Campus Library.

Out of School Music: Is your child interested in music. We are running our final Music Awareness class for the year. This is a 6 week course for 5-6 year olds covering rhythm, beat, high/low sounds, soft/loud sounds. A fun way to learn the basics of music. Cost \$30. Saturday 11.30-12.30, beginning 19 August. Classes held at Southland Girls High School. Contact: Deborah tel: (03) 216-5137 (leave a message), email: admin@osmc.co.nz Or facebook:out of school music classes.

Fundraising for Sandii Marten. Sandii's family and friends are running a fundraiser "Cheese Rolls for Sandii": 1doz \$6, 4doz \$20, Money due by Aug 18, Ready for collection Aug 21st, Any enquiries please contact Stacey 021 298 9333

