

School Newsletter No. 22
31 August 2018

Reminders

Term 3 2018

Monday	3 Sept	SO Speech Competition
Friday	7 Sept	Assembly
Wednesday	12 Sept	Tech Yr 7/8
Monday	17 Sept	School Photos
Wednesday	19 Sept	PTA Meeting
Friday	21 Sept	Assembly
Monday	24 Sept	Tony Tourell Golf Tournament
Tuesday	25 Sept	BOT Meeting, 7.30pm at school
Wednesday	26 Sept	Tech Yr 7/8
Friday	28 Sept	Last Day Term 3

Term 4 2018

Monday	15 Oct	First day Term 4
Monday	22 Oct	Labour Day (Public Holiday, No School)
Wednesday	24 Oct	Tech Yr 7/8
Thursday	25 Oct	Student Led Conferences
Friday	2 Nov	Pet Day

***"Let your smile change the world but
don't let the world change your smile."***
From the Principal's Desk

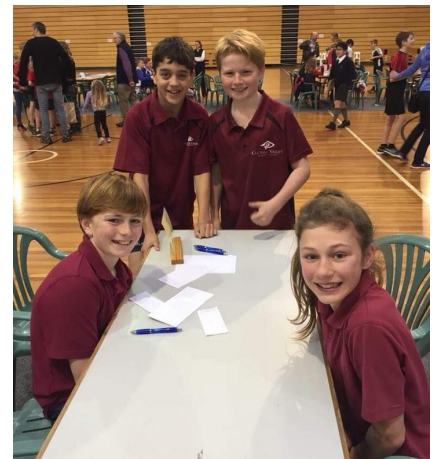
Dear Parents and Caregivers
Kia ora koutou e te whanau.

On Monday we held the school Speech Competition. Well done to all of the students who competed. It is definitely not easy to stand up in front of an audience and deliver a speech. A special thank you to Cindy May and Alison Stirling for judging this competition. I know your job was a pretty tough one. Good luck to Jess, Georgia, Jake and Sam who have been selected to compete in the South Otago Rotary Competition next Monday.

During the year we have had a focus on improving writing. On Monday we had Jude Parkes, a facilitator from an organisation called Vision Education working with staff. She will be returning next Thursday and Friday to help co-plan and co-teach with staff as they take writing lessons with students in the classroom. Working together is a great way to help support teachers.

On Thursday we had four teams competing in the Otago O'Mathalon in Dunedin. This is a challenging competition which gives students the opportunity to work together to use their maths skills to solve a range of mathematical problems.

Congratulations to T-Jae, Flynn, Preston, Jess, Addi, Chantal, Bella, Greer, Josh, Max and Toby who have been selected to run in the Otago Cross Country on Friday 14 September. Well done!



Thank you to everyone who supported Daffodil Day today. Many families are affected by cancer and giving to this worthy cause is a little something we can do.

To all the Dad's in the community, have a great Father's' Day on Sunday. Here's hoping for a warm start to Spring!

Ngā mihi nui
Kindest regards
Val Ward

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The next meeting will be held on Tuesday 25 September, 7.30pm at school. All visitors welcome!

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School accounts have been sent out. Due to the timing of the accounts there may be some cross over between payments received and what is on the actual account. If you are unsure about anything please contact the office.

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Payment via internet banking is our preferred payment option as it allows everyone to have a paper trail. If you are paying using internet banking can you please reference what you are paying for or send an email to the office with this information.

I have a sum of money at the office that has been found. It was not in an envelope and nobody has claimed it. If anybody thinks it might belong to them please contact the office.



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Thank you everyone who donated money for the mufti day today. We raised \$162.50 for the Cancer Society.

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Riley & Alfie would like to thank everybody who donated towards their hay and baleage drive. This was completed as part of their school CAPS challenge. They raised \$4,000.00 to donate to the Clutha Valley Swimming Pool Committee. Well done boys.

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SPEECH COMPETITION RESULTS

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BUS DRIVER CONTACTS



Please find below the contact information for the bus drivers:

Awamangu Bus	Neville Waters	0274183958
Wharetoa Bus	Deb Kinder	4159166 / 0274139385
Popotunoa Bus	Albert Fatialofa	02108570437
Rongahere Bus	Adele Byers	4159150 / 0274716516
Puketi Bus	Warner Reid	4159150 / 0274374669

Each teacher is responsible for a bus run. If you have any concerns regarding the buses please contact the appropriate teacher:

Awamangu	Reegan Tourell
Puketi	Rachel O'Connell
Popotunoa	Val Ward
Rongahere	Sharee Ramsay
Wharetoa	Jody Louw

Please contact the school if your child is not travelling on the bus in the afternoon or is on another bus. If we have not been informed of alternative travel arrangements your child will be sent home on their usual bus. Some buses are close to full so you need to check with the DRIVER to make sure there is room for your child to travel.

School Blogs

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Our blog address is: <http://gardenclubcvps.blogspot.co.nz>

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Term 3: 23 July - Friday 28 September

Term 4: 15 October - Friday 14 December



Community Notices

The school takes no responsibility for the accuracy and/or validity of the following notices. Donation to accompany newsletter advertisement.



Mainly Music is held each Wednesday, 10.30am at the Clutha Valley Community Church.

This is a fun, interactive and educational 30 minute music programme for preschool children accompanied by a parent or caregiver. This music session is followed by a morning tea, for children and adults and a play time with our toys. We are also a funded playgroup so you can stay with us until 11.45am if you want to. It is a wonderful opportunity to meet with others in our community. This mainly music programme is run by volunteers from the Clutha Valley Community Church.

A small cost of \$2.00 per session/family is required.

Further enquiries to Pam Hunter 034859567 or Sue Harrex 4183975.

FOR SALE:

Greenfield Clover Honey for sale. \$20 for 1kg and \$12 for 500gms. Available at Greenfield Tavern.



WANTED:

Scrap metal. We will clean up your yard. Phone Allan; 4159011 or Graham; 4159047. Heritage Hub Charity.



Learners Drivers Licence Classes (Theory) (With Literacy Aotearoa)

Start date: Thursday 4th October, 2018 and runs for 10 weeks

(last class date is Thursday 6th December 2018).

Time: 6.00pm – 8.00pm

Venue: To be confirmed

Register your interest at: cluthadss@outlook.com

or Text Chris Shaw 027 458 5847

Places are limited so please register early.



