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Week 4 Term 2 2024

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Dear Parents,

Another busy week here at Glenavy School with lots of amazing learning happening. BUT next week is going to be crazy in all the right ways. We have our Farm Safety Day happening on Wednesday as well as our amazing Steelers Rippa team competing in Timaru for the Subway Cup and on Friday we have our famous speech competition. So there are going to be very tired kids come Friday.

Goodbye

We also have to say a very sad goodbye to some of our wonderful Glenavy Families that will be leaving us at the end of this month. We are so lucky to have had the pleasure of not only getting to teach your amazing children but also having you as parents involved in our school family which makes this school the special place that it is. Although we are super sad to see you leave we want to wish you all the best on your new adventures and make sure you all come back and visit us



Farm Safety Day

This coming Wednesday we will be having our farm safety day here at Glenavy School. This is an amazing opportunity for all our students and whanau to get involved, have fun and most importantly learn about farm safety. We encourage as many whanau to be involved as possible as this will make the day.

Campbells Butchery will be running a BBQ with bacon butties and sausages with onions.

They have been amazing and are doing this at cost for us. So bacon butties will be \$2 and sausages will be \$1. We will also have the One Smart Coffee cart at school for parents to buy coffees. So bring some money along and support these companies.

There will be 15 modules and the students will be split into aged groups for the day and parents are encouraged to follow around with your child.

Speech Competition

I have had the pleasure of listening in and reading some of the outstanding speeches that have been produced around our school. There has been so much work put into these by our students and staff and I am very much looking forward to hearing more next Friday. Just a reminder that speech competition time can be a very stressful time for some of our tamariki (children). But the more you can help them at home by practising every night the more comfortable they will be to stand up and deliver their amazing speech.



Teachers Only Day

On the 4th of June our school will be closed for a Teacher Only Day. Glenavy School staff will be at Weston School alongside other North Otago Schools upskilling and doing some professional development that we can then bring back and put into practice in our classrooms. So there will be no members of staff on site.

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Sneeze Safe

This week we have had the wonderful Janet Quigley from Wave come in and to teach just how quickly germs can spread around if we don't wash our hands. She taught us how to catch our sneezes using a few easy to do techniques to contain as many germs as possible. This was very good timing with flu season just around the corner.







I hope you have a wonderful weekend.

Regards

Steve Ross

Upcoming Events - Term 2

Week 5 - Term 2

Monday 27th of May

• Subway Orders In

Wednesday 29th of May

 Rural Farming Day Glenavy School



Friday 31st of May

• Glenavy School Speech Competition 1pm-3pm



Week 6 - Term 2

Monday 3rd June

• No School - King's Birthday Holiday

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Tuesday 4th of June

• No School - Teacher Only Day

Wednesday 5th of June

- Wheelie Day
- PTA Meeting 2.15pm

Thursday 6th of June

• Home Technology Challenge Testing 1.30-3pm

Friday 7th of June

• National Young Leaders Day in Dunedin - Yr 8





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*** Glenavy School Value Awards ***

<u>Principal's Award</u> - <u>Nekiah Denley</u> - <u>Self Management</u> - For showing excellent adaptability to learn a new speech and be excited to take on the challenge.

<u>Kororā</u> - <u>Sophie Dickey</u> - <u>Self Management</u> - Fabulous sounding out when reading and writing your words!

<u>Pīwakawaka</u> - <u>Eva McCulloch</u> - <u>Self Management</u> - For writing an amazing story about fireworks, well done Eva!

<u>Ruru</u> - <u>Ella Adams</u> - <u>Respect</u> - You have had an amazing year! You impress me every week with all your hard work. You are a super star. Ka Pai Ella.

 \underline{Tui} - <u>Kiel Apostol</u> - <u>Respect</u> - You have really shown some great respect towards everyone in our class this week. You are a real role model to everyone.

<u>Kea</u> - <u>Aiden Gemmell</u> - <u>Self Management</u> - For trying really hard with all his set work. Well Done!

<u>Kārearea</u> - <u>Bayleigh Lewis</u> - <u>Self Management</u> - For adopting a growth mindset in maths and allowing herself to learn something new!!

<u>Mr Dowling</u> - <u>Classic Angiwan</u> - <u>Self Management</u> - Yesterday the year 7's stepped up and showed leadership running Pals, Classic showed that he was a great role model to our juniors. Ka Pia.

Hockey Results

This week Glenavy Boomerangs played Duntroon Green and lost 13-0. Our player of the day went to **Georgia Guy**

Glenavy Greensticks played Weston Lions and lost 3-1. Our player of the day went to $\pmb{\mathsf{Emily Hamilton}}$



And the Glenavy Bluesticks played Ardgowan Strikers and won 8-0 Our player of the day went to Mason Chalmers.



Pool Keys Reminder

Please return your pool keys to the School Office ASAP.





School Uniforms

Uniforms are now bought and ordered from NZ Uniforms

Go online and order these directly from the shop. They will be delivered to your house.

If you want to try one on for size we have one of each size at school in the office.









Facts you should know about Waste to Energy incineration

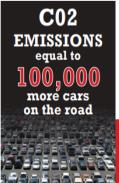
BURNING WASTE

- 24 HOURS A DAY
- **7 DAYS A WEEK**
- **365 DAYS AYEAR**

FOR 35 YEARS

365,000 TONNES WASTE PER YEAR

- 3.5 MILLION **TONNES OF TOXIC ASH OVER 35 YEARS**
- >1.5M TONNES OF **CLIMATE ALTERING** C02 OVER 35 YEARS



- · South Island Resource Recovery Ltd (SIRRL) have lodged a resource consent application to build a rubbish incinerator near Glenavy/Waimate to burn 365,000 tonnes of the South Island's waste each year, including toxic plastics.
- If consented, the incinerator will emit dangerous airborne pollutants, 24 hours a day, 365 days a year, for 35 years. These toxic emissions include smoke particulates (PM 10, PM 2.5) and ultra-fine particulates (PM 0.1). These can penetrate our lungs, move into our bloodstream, brain and organs causing stroke, Parkinsons, Alzheimers and cancers.
- The incinerator will create 100,000 tonnes per year of contaminated waste ash. The untreated 'bottom ash' will be sent to landfill. The company refuses to say where.
- The incinerator will be built on a floodplain. The company wants to store in excess of 45,000 tonnes of baled waste and bulk-store hazardous substances, including 100,000 litres of diesel fuel onsite.
- The company intends to collect waste from all over the South Island and truck it hundreds of kilometres away from the waste source to the incinerator, burn it, and then truck the residue ash to landfill. This will amount to a huge number of extra truck and trailer movements, 7 days a week on the dangerous SH1 route, choking town throughfares.
- Dioxins from the stack emissions accumulate in the soil, pollute our water and are absorbed by plants, animals, birds and insects. Foraging livestock take up the toxins, passing them onto humans through consumption of mik, eggs, meat; the harm to human health around waste incinerators is intergenerational.
- The proposed incinerator site is 2.5 kms from Glenavy School and township in line of prevailing NE winds. To the north is Oceania, a dairy factory and international exporter.
- Incinerators should never be built on rural land. Local GPs, Waimate Doctors have condemned this incinerator, calling it a 'Waste to Poisons Plant'.

you can help!

PLEASE SIGN THIS ONLINE PETITION AGAINST THE PROPOSAL https://www.change.org/p/opposing-a-proposed incinerator-by-south-island-resource-recovery-itd

Contact: whywastewaimate@gmail.co

fast facts

SCALE & LANDSCAPE stacks are 3x the height of Waimate silos

- a huge stack in any real estate picture
- decreases that property's value no NZ city would ever accept a WTE incinerator - so why should Waimate

SIRRL's WtE incinerator



WATER TAKE

- 2,500 m³ per day of
- equivalent to one olympic swimming

FIRE RISK

100,000 LITRES OF DIESEL FUEL ONSITE



 STORING 45,000 TONNES OF BALED WASTE that's enough to fill a warehouse the size of Timaru

Bunnings twice

WAIPIPI WINDFARM (SOUTH TARANAKI) 100% 3_{MW} renewable **ENERGY** \$325м

fossil fuel **ENERGY** \$350м No residues zero GHGs

100,000 t/pa toxic ash 438,000 t/pa **GHGs**

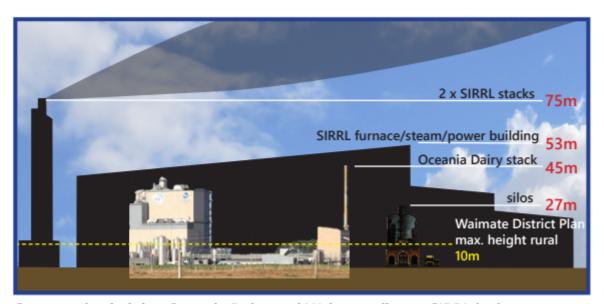
80%







Thank you



Comparative heights Oceania Dairy and Waimate silos to SIRRL incinerator





Sign our

PETITION

Why Waste Waimate Inc needs **YOU**

Do you oppose SIRRL's waste-to-energy incinerator in Morven-Glenavy?

365,000 tonnes per year of waste from Christchurch and Dunedin will be trucked to Waimate to burn. The chosen process will pollute the atmosphere, our Waimate air, waterways, land and agricultural products for generations. It poses real risk to human health.

The science is on our side: this incinerator is a dangerous, outdated technology and approach to managing waste.

Why do we need another petition?

Already signed one? Thank you! We already have well over 2000 signatures but we need much more community support. Please sign and share this petition/s to show Waimate District Council and Environment Canterbury you don't want Project Kea in our district and request them to submit against it in the Environment Court.

As my elected representatives I want you to oppose the planned incinerator plant proposed by South Island Resource Recovery Etd's Project Kea, in Waimate District.			
First name	Last name	Email -	
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How to return your petition form to Why Waste Walmete Inc.

Fill in as many lines as you can, cut out this page. Drop it off to either:

Waimate District Council Library - Event Centre, Paul St, Waimate Waimate Art Society/Gallery, cnr High St and Shearman St, Waimate Mandy Tangney's Shop, 129 Queen Street, Waimate

Or Scan or photograph it and email to whywastewaimate@gmail.com

Or complete an online petition:

https://community.greenpeace.org.nz/petitions/opppose-the-waste-to-energy-incinerator-in-the-waimate-district https://www.change.org/p/opposing-a-proposed-incinerator-by-south-island-resource-recovery-ltd





Are you coming?

29th May 2024 10am sharp.

Glenavy, Waiho Downs and Waituna Creek Schools invite you to join them at Glenavy School for their 'Think Safe Brain' farming day!



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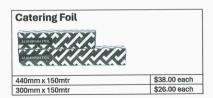


Come along and interact with practical learning modules including: St John, Tractors, Motorbikes, NZ Police - Firearms, Trucks, Fire and Emergency NZ and more.

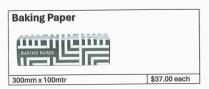
All families have been sponsored by St John to take home a set of Gurt and Pops books written by our local Author Harriet Bremner-Pinckney!

Glenavy Mobile Kindergarten

Fundraiser







To place an order please email: glenavy@waimatekindergarten.co.nz by Friday 24th May 2024.

Thank you for supporting our fundraiser.

A.G.M
"Keane Park"
Bridging Waitaki Group Trust

Being held Monday 10th June 1pm at Keane Park

Contact Chairperson Chris Paul 03 689 2273





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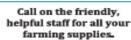


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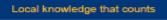
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