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Friday 22nd September 2023: Term 3 Week 10

Kia ora, Hello everyone.

Last newsletter for the term, it certainly came round very quickly..... Not a great deal of information to pass on. We would like to wish all families a safe and happy third term holiday break!

The tamariki are ready for a break to recharge and have some time at home. There is a scavenger hunt page included with this newsletter. While doing it with your tamariki, feel free to take pictures and tag active southland if you post them to a social media account or email them to win prizes.



Miss Evans' last day today, it is terrific that we will still get to see her in her new role from time to time. Saskia Van Den Beld will take over in Kakariki and I'm sure the new fit will work fantastically.

Ki o rahi Competition has been postponed till the 24th of November at Tokanui.

Gymnastics Festival

Well done to all 3 teams and the participants who did themselves proud. A lot of work was put in and it was great to see the tamariki rewarded for their effort. Ka rawe! Awesome...

Upcoming Events	
Sat 23 rd Sept - Sun 8 th Oct	School Holidays
Monday 9 th October	First Day of Term 4
Tuesday 17 th October	Book Bus
Friday 20 th October	Life Education
Monday 23 rd October	Labour Day – No school, No Buses
Tuesday 24 th October	Life Education
Thursday 26 th October	Set up Community centre.
Friday 27 th October	Pet Day
Wednesday 8 th November	John Parsons Workshop (TBC)
Friday 10 th October	Science Roadshow
Tuesday 14 th November	Book Bus
Tuesday 5 th December	Production / End of year celebration

Electoral Commission are urgently seeking staff to work at the Gorge Road School to help deliver the 2023 General Election on Saturday 14 October 2023. There's a range of roles available to suit your skills or learn something new as full training is provided!

Apply now: <https://work.elections.nz>

We're looking for leaders who know their community to help deliver the 2023 General Election.

ELECTORAL COMMISSION
TE KAITIAKI TAKE KŌWHIRI

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Lunch Food List NEW PRICING: please check below.

Pie (mince & cheese or mince)	\$1.50	Popcorn lightly salted 12g	\$1.00
Pizza (Ham/Cheese, Hawaiian)	\$2.50	Choc chip Cookie	\$2.00
Moosies (Blue Lagoon, Straw or Chocolate)	\$1.00		
Juicies (wildberry, lemonade or tropical)	\$1.00		
IF in Stock: <u>NEW PRICING</u>: Sausage rolls (2 pack)	\$3.00		



**Altrusa International Invercargill
Pink Ribbon Breakfast
- Everyone Welcome**

Date: Saturday 23 September 2023

Time: 10.30 A.M.

**Venue: Southland Women's Club
194 Esk Street**

Ticket Price: \$25

Raffles on the day

To purchase a ticket contact
Jenny 0273921402

The poster for Wyndham Athletic Club features a white silhouette of a runner in mid-stride against a blue background. The text is arranged around the runner. At the top, it says "WYNDHAM ATHLETIC CLUB". Below the runner, it says "Is back for 2023-2024 Season Tuesday 10th October 2023 Menzies College Grounds 5.30-7.00 pm". There are several call-to-action boxes: "New Members Welcome", "Come along on the First night and have a go.", "No obligation to join", "Find us on Facebook Wyndham Athletic Club", and "Free Club t-shirt For new members".

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Humans in the Catlins

THE ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT



Community Gallery, Owaka Museum

2–29th September 2023

Official opening 2pm Sat 2 Sep. All welcome.

Open 8:30–5pm each day. Free admission.



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WE OFFER:

- In School, After School and Holiday Programmes
- Personalized experiences for schools, groups and ECE's - ALL ages
- Birthday Experiences

PROGRAMMES:

- WILD WONDERERS 7-12 year olds
- CURIOUS BY NATURE 1-4 year olds
- GROUNDED IN NATURE 5-13 year olds

Careth and Katie Oliver at: CarethandKatie@trueinnature.com
www.trueinnature.com



First week of the holidays, a trip to Owaka might be a good way to fill in a day. Maybe Niagara Falls café or Fortrose café on the way back?

Lignite Pitt is back open for Sunday Lunches and a coffee.

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