Macandrew Bay School

Simply the best for our children.

12 March 2021

Kia ora koutou Parents and Caregivers

Things that happened this week:
Parent Teacher Meetings- Tuesday afternoon and evening
Bikewise Cycle Day for Year 6 class- (Tuesday)
Dunedin Schools Triathlon at Port Chalmers in the morning (Wednesday but only if we are back in Level 1)
Have a Go Sailing Day for 14 Yr4-6 students (Thursday)
Parent Assembly on Friday afternoon (only if we are in Level 1)

Coming up next week:
Otago Museum Trips for all classes to find out about Pacific Explorers. Thank you to the parents who are coming on the trips with us to help with supervision.

PARENT TEACHER MEETINGS : TUESDAY 9 MARCH

It was great to have a good chance to talk about your children with you this week at the Parent Teacher meetings. The teachers all said how valuable it was for them to be able to sit down with parents and talk through how the children are going at school and at home. Thank you for making time to come. Beth Wells will be providing a different evening option next week for Kowhai parents who need an evening slot.

CYCLE SKILLS PROGRAMME FOR Y6 CLASS - TUESDAY 9 MARCH

The Year 6 pupils had a great day on Tuesday doing a whole day cycle skills programme with the Bikewise team.

The day was organised by Bikeschool. They provide a programme of instruction which included cycle and mountain bike coaching, instruction and advice to schools, groups and students. This exciting programme is aimed at delivering best practice cycle skills training. Riding a bike is a life skill, just like swimming.

WEETBIX KIDS TRY-ATHLON CANCELLED BUT SOME DIY EVENTS HELD

It was neat to hear that some families had made plans to hold their own Tryathlon. I am sure the children would have loved doing that and it would have been lots of fun. Here is an example of this which Leana Campbell shared with me.

> Some of the Dad's organised for the Weetbix Tryathlon to still going ahead on Sunday for this bunch of awesome kids! They swam at the school pool, ran up to our letterbox and jumped on their bikes and rode up and down the gravel part of Greenacres Street a few times. Cool eh! I thought I'd share with you!
> Thanks Leana

DUNEDIN PRIMARY SCHOOLS TRIATHLON- WED 10 MARCH

Despite the weather being a bit iffy the Dunedin Schools Triathlon was able to go ahead over in Port Chalmers on Wednesday. Thank you to Mr D and all the parents who transported the students, their gear and the bikes etc to make this possible.
It was great to see lots of children doing it for the first time and enjoying the experience.
Mr D said that a great attitude was evident from all the children which is super to hear about.
We are still waiting for the results to come through but are expecting that at least one team will have qualified to compete in the Otago Triathlon Champs, hopefully coming up later this term.

HAVE A GO SAILING DAY- THURSDAY 11 MARCH

We had a good day out on the water with 15 of our students on Thursday this week with the Yachting NZ instructors- Simon and Christina. We appreciated the help from Chris Fenwick throughout the day. Mr Mitchell and I enjoyed seeing the children learning how to sail. It was great to hear from the instructors that Macandrew Bay students were the best listeners they have worked with this year, particularly on land. It was a little harder to listen on the water, particularly if they were feeling a bit nervous.

Some children found moments very challenging but they actually all did really well and now know much more now about how to rig a boat and sail a small sailboat out on our lovely harbour. Thank you too to the local Yacht club who willingly lent their rescue boats so we could support the children really well out on the water.

PARENT ASSEMBLY DATES- 12 March and 16 April

We hold two assemblies a term on a Friday afternoon and invite all parents and whanau to come along and see what the children have to share from their recent weeks learning at school. The assemblies are held here at School in our Library/Hub space that we call Tutahi (a place where we stand together)

The Assemblies start at 2.20pm. One class introduces all the items and runs the assembly. Three classes have a more in depth sharing and the other three classes perform a song or two together. These roles are swapped around over the course of the year.

The dates for the Assemblies this term are today Friday 12th March and later on, Friday 16th April on the last day of term. Toroa class (Yr6) will lead the March assembly today and Korimako class (Yr5/4) will lead the April assembly. All parents and whanau are welcome.

Parent Assemblies can only happen when we are in Level 1 so we can comply with the rules around gatherings with less than 100 people and maintaining a metre distance between adults on the school site.

SICKNESS

We appreciate the caution that our parents are showing in keeping their children away from school when they are unwell with colds and coughs. I know this puts pressure on families but the advice is clear in this pandemic climate that we all need to stay away from work and school if unwell.

OTAGO MUSEUM TRIPS- PACIFIC EXPLORERS, 15-18 MARCH

We would love to know if parents are able to join us for our upcoming Otago Museum Trips in March. I know parents need notice to allow them to juggle things around to come with us so here are the days and times that each class will be going and we will include a tear off slip at the back of the newsletter. Each class will be travelling by bus to the Otago Museum. We are going in to find out more about Pacific Explorers and how and when Maori navigated their way across the Pacific to settle in New Zealand.

The classes visiting in the morning will leave school by bus at 9.30am, ready for their session at the Museum from 10am-11.30am. They will then catch the bus back to school and be back by 12pm.

The classes going in the afternoon will leave school on the bus at 12.30pm after an early lunch, ready for their session at the Museum from 1pm-2.30pm. They will then catch the bus back to school and be back about 3pm.

If you are going on the trip with your child's class you are welcome to travel on the bus with the class or meet us there. Just let us know which option works best for you by returning the tear off slip at the back of the newsletter or by emailing Irene in the office and your child's teacher to let them know you are planning to come with the class. Thank you so much for your help with our trips. They are very special learning days for our tamariki and we couldn't do them without your help.

Monday 15 March
Morning Y6 Toroa- Christine Ward (10am-11.30am at the Museum)
Afternoon Y2 Rata- Nic Brown (1pm-2.30pm at the Museum)

Tuesday 16 March
Morning NE/Y1/2 Kakano and Kowhai-Beth Wells and Kate Pritchard
(10am-11.30am at the museum)
Wednesday 17 March
Morning Yr4 Karearea- Andrew Mitchell (10am-11.30am at the Museum)

Afternoon Y4/5 Korimako- Matt Direen (1pm-2.30pm at the Museum)

Thursday 18 March
Morning Y3 Tui- Jess McAuley (10am-11.30am at the Museum)

WATER SAFETY RESEARCH DATES COMING UP THIS TERM

In the first week of term we had about 32 or so children take part in the Water Safety Research at the Macandrew Bay Beach, working in conjunction with the Otago University Phys-Ed School Lecturers, staff, and students. We had a great time and it was great to see the children practising their swimming and water safety skills in the harbour, as an alternative to our school pool.

We have two final lots of testing to do, firstly on Wed the 24th March, 12pm – 2pm – with the 5,6,7 and 8 year olds, divided into two groups and each having an hour at the beach. On the 25th March it will be the turn of the 9 and 10 year old children from 1-3pm. The children need to bring their togs, towel, wetsuit and a warm layer to put on to stop them getting cold between activities.

The final testing will take place on the 7th and 8th of April, straight after Easter break, with the younger children again on the first day (11.30-2pm on the 7th) and the older children on the 8th (12pm-2.30pm)

YEAR 6 SCHOOL CAMP- (29 March-1st April)

We are holding our Year 6 Camp in Term 1 in the week just before Easter. This we hope will give us the chance to benefit throughout the rest of the year from the bonding and closeness that comes out of the school camp experience.

Christine Ward has been organizing the camp at Pukerau near Gore, which we have used in the past two years and find fantastic. The Yr 6 children had a great camp there last year. We have a good group of parents coming to camp so thank you for that as we will have heaps of help to run the activities and help with supervision etc.

We are grateful that the Bendigo Valley Sports and Charity Foundation have given us a grant of $4,500 to reduce the camp costs for families. They have been very helpful in this way in the last 3 years, bringing camp costs down considerably and it is great that we have been successful again. We can now calculate the cost of camp for students and adults accompanying us. The cost per pupil has now been reduced to $145 per child which is a sizeable reduction on the actual costs and can be paid anytime at the office or online, just write in the reference line what you are paying for. Parents going pay $90 for the whole 4 days, 3 nights, $60 for 2 nights etc.

Please let Bernadette know if you are worried about camp costs and we will see what we can do to help out with that as we have some options available to us to apply to for help and funding support is readily and easily available. We would also be happy if parents wanted to set up an automatic payment and pay for camp with small regular payments over a longer time period, rather than in one go to help make it more manageable.

LARNACH CASTLE FREE TRIP- WED 14 APRIL

It is 150 years this year since building began on Larnach's Castle and to mark this 150th year anniversary the Barker family have very generously invited the three Peninsula Schools to bring their schools for a free visit of the castle and a morning tea or afternoon tea in the ballroom with scones, jam and cream and cordial provided. This is to acknowledge the involvement of the local Peninsula communities with the running of the castle over all these years and to celebrate this anniversary with the locals.

We have booked Macandrew Bay School in for Wednesday the 14th of April, which is in the last week of term. We will divide the school into three groups of approx. 50 children and they will be divided again into smaller groups and taken on a tour of the Castle, and then taken for scones and jam for morning tea/ afternoon tea in the ballroom. We may stay and eat our lunch on the lawn before heading back to school. We will take one lot of 50 children at 9am, another group at 10am and the final group will leave school at 11am. They have told us to allow approx. 2 and a half hours at the castle so with picnic lunch on the grass if the weather is fine that might be nearly 3 hours for the trip.

As a staff we have wondered whether there would be enough interest from our parent community to join this free trip to a wonderful local heritage site that we could take parental and staff cars up to the Castle to transport the children. We can have a bus as a back-up plan if this works out to be unfeasible. We will still need parent help to help with supervision anyway. Younger children would need to bring their booster seat to school to go in a car, particularly Yrs 1-3 children. If you prefer your child in a booster seat at any age if they are a smaller build then send them along with a booster seat too.

We will send home in this newsletter a response sheet to send back to the school office telling us if you want to come along on the trip, which time slot suits you best if you have limited options, and if you are happy to provide transport for children, including your own.
If we see we don't have enough people available then we will default to ordering buses.

In all my years of teaching in the three local schools we have never been able to take our students to Larnach's Castle before so this is a really cool opportunity and we really appreciate this generous offer from the Barker family.

BOT VACANCY

Mike Brummmitt resigned from the BOT at the end of last year when his last child left the school so instead of having 4 parent members we are now down to only 3 parent representatives on the Board of Trustees. We really appreciate the role Mike played on the BOT over more than 5 years, taking on the role of supporting the school with personnel matters and appointments. At our recent BOT meeting we decided to fill this casual vacancy by selection.

Macandrew Bay School Board
Casual Vacancy for a parent representative

A casual vacancy has occurred on the school board for parent representative.

The board has decided to fill the vacancy by selection.

If 10% or more of eligible voters on the school roll ask the board, within 28 days of this notice being published, to hold a by-election to fill the vacancy, then a by-election will be held.

A request for a by-election should be sent to:

Jason Walker , BOT Chair
Macandrew Bay School Board of Trustees
488 Portobello Rd.
Macandrew Bay
Dunedin 9014

by: Friday the 9th of April 2021

Thanks everyone
Macandrew Bay School BOT

HOME AND SCHOOL PLANS FOR THE YEAR

We would like to welcome Fiona Jack to her new role as Co- President of the Home and School.
We had a really good meeting last week and have made some plans for the year.

In Term 2 we will have a school disco, towards the end of the term. In Term 3 we hope to have a quiz night and then plan to go ahead with the Art auction in Term 4 in November. This is our major fundraiser for the year and is always an really fun and exciting night.
We will also see if we can book in for a Mitre 10 BBQ one weekend.

BOOK BUS AT SCHOOL ON WEDNESDAY AFTERNOONS

Over recent years we have been lucky to have the Library Book Bus come to our school carpark and park up for 30 minutes (2pm-2,30pm), giving the children an opportunity to access the DCC library stock from school. Children need to bring their Dn Public Library card to school and be responsible for their own card and books. They can request books and the bus will bring them out as soon as they can. Fewer children are using this service currently and we have been told it is a use it or lose it type of situation so would love to see more keen readers making this part of their weekly routine. If you think your child would manage this and enjoy the opportunity to get extra books then please send their library card to school. It could be kept by the teacher if you wished and accessed each Wednesday or they may just have a safe pocket in their school bag where the library card is stored all the time.

Visit the Macandrew Bay School Book bus
2 – 2.30 pm every Wednesday

Free holds for children.

Click and collect if you place holds online.

Join the Library for free.

Ask us about our cool audiobook apps and ebook apps including dyslexic fonts.

Your own librarian to help you find what you need.

Bookbus! Yay!

HEADLICE

We have had parents notifying the school that headlice is in some classes.
Please check your child and if they are infected please ensure that they are treated before returning to school. If you child has headlice and they haven't been treated they should not be swimming.

SUNHATS AND SUN SAFETY

Please ensure you send your child to school with a suitable bucket or wide brimmed sunhat to wear outside as sunhats are compulsory at school in Terms 1 and 4 here at school. It is great if children have sunblock applied before they leave home too and maybe have some in their bags to reapply at lunchtime or after swimming. Thank you for this. We really want to keep our children safe in the sun and teach them good sun safety practices.

SWIMMING

Classes swim 3 or 4 times a week and we should get at least 6-7 weeks of swimming in during February and March before the pool is closed for the season at Otago Anniversary Weekend. Please send your child along prepared to swim with their togs and a towel etc each day. If there is any problem about this please have a chat to your child's teacher.

If you got a school pool key over the summer you can keep on using the pool in weekends and out of school hours until the pool closes towards the end of March after Anniversary weekend.

TERM ONE PUBLIC HOLIDAYS

We have an 11-week term that goes up until Friday the 16th April. The school was closed on Monday for Waitangi Day, and will also be closed on Monday 22 March for Otago Anniversary Day.

Easter will fall within the first term this year, with Good Friday on the 2nd April and Easter Monday and Tuesday, 5th and 6th April also being included in the Easter holiday long weekend.

SCHOOL TERM DATES FOR 2021

Terms in 2021:
Term 1: Tuesday 2 Feb - Friday 16 April (11 weeks)
Term 2: Monday 3 May - Friday 9 July (10 weeks)
Term 3: Monday 26 July – Friday 1 Oct (10 weeks)
Term 4: Monday 18 October – Wednesday 15 Dec (9 weeks)
TOD on Tuesday the 14th Dec or Monday 13th Dec

We will have 3 Teacher only days throughout the year as this was brought in during the 2019 employment contract negotiations. More details later in the year but one will be in the last week of school to allow us to plan for 2022.

Our first Teacher Only day will be next term on Monday May the 10th.
The staff will be busy working with Liz Kane on Structured Literacy and teaching phonological and phonemic awareness to help our students with reading and writing.

CONTACT DETAILS

If you have changed any of your contact details such as emergency phone numbers and work numbers could you please fill out the form below and return to the Office. Often parents may change their cellphone numbers or email addresses and forget to let the School know but it is great to have accurate information in case we need to contact you quickly.

CONTACT WITH THE SCHOOL

The School Office hours are as follows: **Monday-Friday 8.30-3.30pm** and it would be appreciated if messages are usually phoned during these hours.

A reminder that the school has a Call Minder Service and calls are automatically put through if the line is engaged or no one is available. Please leave a message and we will get back to you as soon as possible. If you are leaving an urgent message about after school arrangements it is always wise to ring back though and try to speak to an actual person to be sure your message has been received.

I am available most times if parents need to talk to me about anything. I always try to be readily available but at times this isn't always possible. Parents can always make an appointment if needed.

LIBRARY BOOK DONATION

We have been very lucky to receive a considerable donation from Mr Michael Stedman who resides at Summerset at Bishopscourt in Balmacewen. Mr Stedman's gift has enabled Gill to buy beautiful items that our budget wouldn't normally stretch to. Pictured below are some of these with more to come. Currently we have bought items that support our Voyages and Space Curriculum. We would like to extend our grateful thanks to Michael for this gift. Gill Fisher - Librarian

ENTERTAINMENT BOOKS 2021-2022

We are again selling the Entertainment Books and this year we are raising funds for Library Resources for all the children to enjoy in the Library.

Support **Macandrew Bay** by grabbing an Entertainment APP.
2 for 1 offers, special rates and up to 50% off dining, takeaways, shopping, & activities throughout Southland, Southland, Central Otago, Otago & Oamaru.
Until the 15th April receive a **bonus $10** or **$20 Countdown or JB HiFi voucher** with your purchase.
Valid for 12 months from activation. Downloadable on up to 4 devices.
You can buy online here: https://nz.entdigital.net/orderbooks/260e090

ELECTRONIC NEWSLETTERS

If you are new to the School or want to reduce your paper coming home from school and would like to receive your newsletter each Friday electronically please email Irene and she will add you to the list. (admin@macandrewbay.school.nz)
This seems to work well and saves us doing unwanted hard copies on the photocopier for people who prefer to read them electronically. We also keep newsletters on the School Website so you can go in there and have a look if you lose your copy or email.

VOLUNTARY SCHOOL DONATIONS

Each year we ask for a Voluntary School Donation each term and this money is used to buy reading books, maths equipment, musical instruments, sports equipment, library books, and general classroom resources. It also helps provide Teacher Aide Support for the children in the classes. Being a Decile 10 School means our operational funds are not all that generous and we are unable to opt into the Ministry of Education scheme for Decile 1-7 schools that has started up this year. Although this is voluntary it does make a big difference to our school operations and finances if people do opt to pay it and it means that the children get a better deal in the classroom and the school has some hope of breaking even financially each year.

Our suggested School Donations this year will be the same amount as last year - $25.00 per term or $100.00 per child for the whole year. You are more than welcome to pay these per term or for the whole year – whichever suits you. Some parents have set up regular small direct debit contributions and that is fine also. It is worth parents knowing that the receipt you receive for any donations made to school can be used for an income tax credit from Inland Revenue.
You can pay school donations by internet banking but it is great if you also email and let us know you have done that and then Irene can keep track of all these payments. The bank account details are Macandrew Bay School 02 0900 0000233 00. You can also pay with eftpos at the school office and in many ways this is the easiest option for us.
You need to state clearly your child's name and what the money is for in the reference information e.g school donation, activity donation, sports fees, stationary etc.
Alternatively you can pay with cash at the school office.

VOLUNTARY ACTIVITY DONATION

The suggested Activity Donation again is $10.00 per child per term, or you may wish to pay $40.00 for the whole year in one go. This money is used to help cover the costs of the children travelling to the Museum, Toitu, Art Gallery, Sports Events and it also pays for visits to school by different musical and drama performing groups etc, though Art Auction funds also help with these activities too. Payment can be made with eftpos at the school office or by internet banking to the school account.

POOL TESTING REMINDER

If you are on the roster to test it is really important that you carry out your test or else organize someone else to do your test. This helps ensure our water quality and means we have nice clean water in our pool. We have put up a copy of the Feb/ March roster in the pool for people to check when they are on.

NOTICES FOR NEWSLETTER

Just a reminder that any notices for the newsletter must be in on Thursday afternoon please. It makes the compiling of the newsletter so much easier if they are in to the Office by then, either by email to Bernadette or Irene, or by dropping a notice into school.

MAGIC KIDS AFTER SCHOOL CARE OPTION

We have Magic Kids providing after school care based at the Macandrew Bay School Library five days a week from 3pm up till 6pm if needed. To book your child in, even for the odd day ring Magic Kids at 453 3266 or visit their website. www.magickidsclub.co.nz.
Cellphone 0224665261

DATES TO REMEMBER IN TERM ONE

15-18 March	Otago Museum Trips- Pacific Explorers programme
22 March	Otago Anniversary Day (School closed)
24 & 25 March	Water safety Research days for children involved
29 March- 1st April	School Camp for Yr6 pupils at Camp Columba in Pukerau
2 April-6 April	Easter break (school closed)
7th & 8 April	Final Water Safety Research testing for children involved.

14 April	Larnach's Castle trip for the whole school in 3 groups
16 April	Bayfield High School's production of Fame for older classes.
16 April	Parent Assembly on last day of term- led by Korimako class
16 April	End of Term 1 on Friday 16th of April
3 May	Term 2 begins

Bernadette Newlands
PRINCIPAL

Sports Notices

FUTSAL TERM 1

The Futsal teams and draw will be out on Monday and can be found on the playground window of Mr Mitchell's class Karearea (the one next to the library).

RIPPA DRAW – Monday

Rippa Draw can be found on the playground window of Mr Direen's class Korimako.

TOUCH DRAW

Touch Draw can be found on the playground window of Mr Direen's class Korimako

NOTICES

DEALING WITH STRESS IN THE FAMILY

Flyer attached at the end of the newsletter

COFFEE FOR KINDNESS ORDERS

We are super excited to be back for 2021!!

If your are keen to get your freshly roasted bag of
Common Ground Coffee every week, send me messages on our Facebook Page and I'll let you know how…
Flyer attached at the back of the newsletter.

JOB OPPORTUNITY

Are you looking for work locally on the Peninsula? Are you a good conversationalist, and an empathetic and well organised person with a mature outlook? Varied duties. Companion/carer experience an asset but not essential. Part time position, regular hours with some flexibility helpful. Job description available on request.
For further details please **TEXT** 0274 478876

ALMOST AN ISLAND EXHIBITION COMING UP

March 25 - April 5th -
Macandrew Bay Hall, 10 - 4 daily

See attached poster

Would love to see you there, bring family and friends - and be a big part of our exhibition again!

Peninsula Art Group

YOGA CLASSES

We have a qualified experienced teacher who is keen to make it happen – we just need Yoga class participants !

Details are as follows :

What : Sunday morning Yoga classes for all levels of ability at Chisholm Links Golf Clubhouse (16 Tahuna Road).

Resources supplied : Yoga Mats, light airy space, relaxing music, water cooler for hydrating, qualified experienced teacher .

When : Every Sunday starting at 10.30am (Class is 50 mins)

Cost : $10 per session (Eftpos available) just turn up – no booking required.

It would be great if we get our Yoga Classes could be promoted to the local Mac Bay families in your newsletter – any assistance would be really appreciated.

Regards

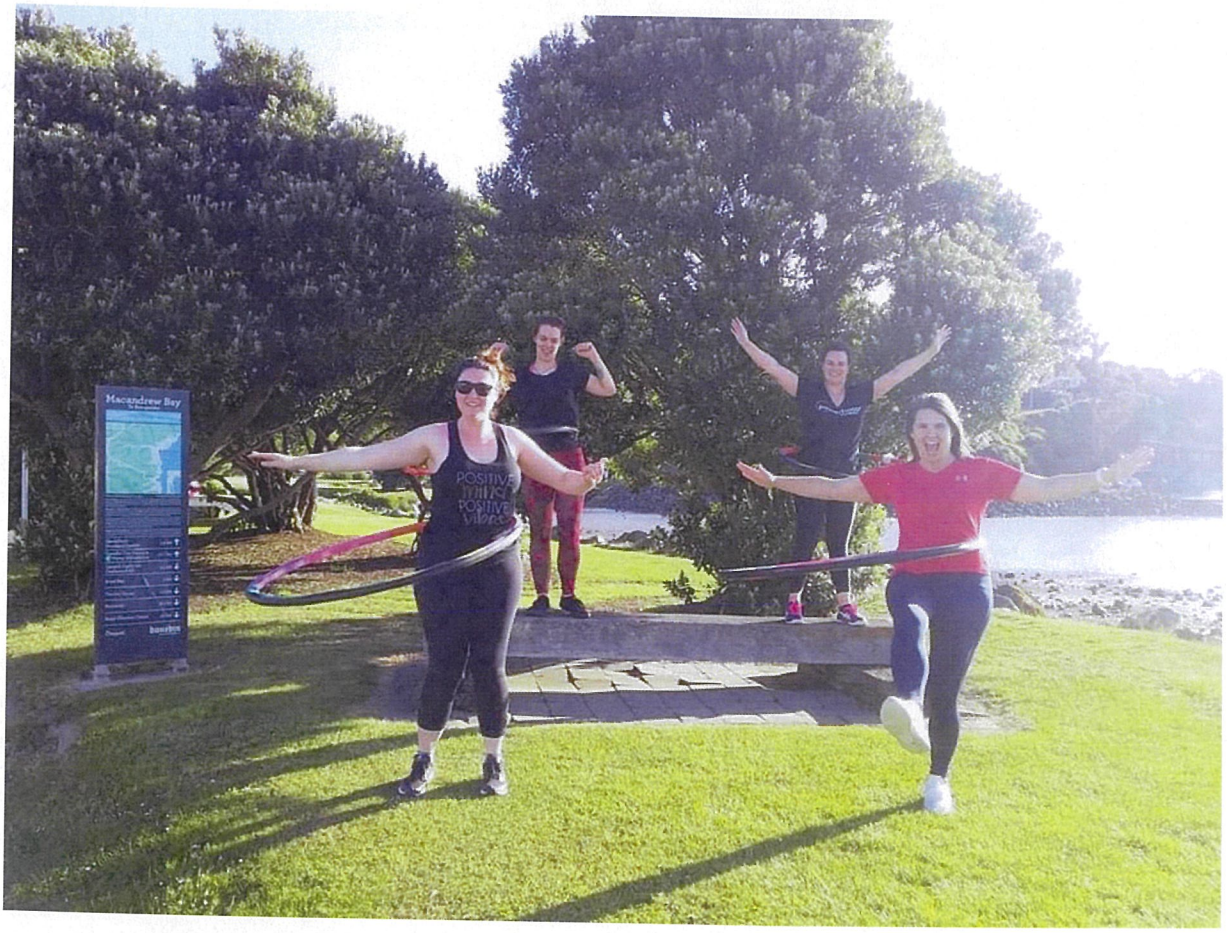
Wilson James
Club Manager Chisholm Links Golf Club
Phone: 027 209 7228 or 03 455 0715
www.chisholmlinks.co.nz

Chisholm Links
Dunedin New Zealand

POWERHOOP CLASSES

Powerhoop classes are held Mondays at the Macandrew Bay Hall at 6.30pm. If you like music, movement and hooping why not come along for a complimentary first time class and see what we do! Focus is on core strength and co-ordination and best of all it's fun!

Suitable for ages 16 and above- no experience necessary and all abilities are catered for. Please email powerhoop@gmail.com for a booking or call/text Lee on 0274667377 to book a sport



ELECTRONIC NEWSLETTERS ONLY

Your Name: _____

Childs Name: _____

Room: _____

Email address: _____

CONTACT DETAILS (if you have moved or changed phone numbers or email)

Name _____

Our contact details are now: _____

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Signed _____

VOLUNTARY SCHOOL DONATIONS

$25.00 per term per child or $100 for the 4 terms per child
This money is really important in helping us fund learning resources for the children, reading books, library books, Maths equipment, Sports equipment, Music equipment and also helps us fund teacher aide support in the classrooms.

Name of child/children _____ Rm _____

_____ Rm _____

Amount enclosed _____

Signed _____

Bank acc: Macandrew Bay School Acc number: 02 0900 0000233 00

VOLUNTARY SCHOOL ACTIVITY DONATION – This helps pay for school trips, school buses, drama and music performances and education outside the classroom.

$10.00 per term per child or $40.00 for the 4 terms per child

Name of child/children _____ Rm _____

_____ Rm _____

Amount enclosed _____

Signed _____

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OTAGO MUSEUM TRIPS: 15-18th MARCH

My name is .....

I would like to come on the class trip with my child on.....(date)

My child's name is ..... And they are in .....class

Circle which option fits best:

I will come with the class on the bus to and from the trip

I will take my own transport and meet the class at the Museum.

Thank you parents for your help!

LARNACH'S CASTLE TRIP ON WED 14TH OF APRIL
Circle or tick those that apply

I am able to come on the trip to Larnach's Castle on Wednesday 14 April .....

I am flexible which group I join as long as I am with my child's group. Yes No

I can come on the 9am-12.15pm trip with the first group. Yes No

I can come on the 10am-1.15pm trip with the second group. Yes No

I can come on the 11am – 2.15pm trip with the last group. Yes No

I can transport .....children in my car in seatbelts.

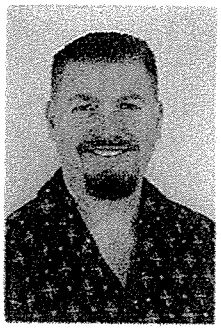
My car is warranted and registered and I have a current driving licence Yes. No

Signed.....

My name is ..... And my child or children's names are.....

Aaron Ironside

A.I. Counselling & Coaching



Aaron has over 3000 hours of counselling experience, drawing on his Masters Degree in Psychology and his training with Living Wisdom and Strength to Strength. He has delivered over 1000 live presentations drawing on his 25 years as a broadcaster and stand-up comic. If his name sounds familiar it may be from his time on the Morning Pirates breakfast show on Auckland's Radio Hauraki. Aaron loves low and slow BBQ, and enjoys the Warriors most seasons.

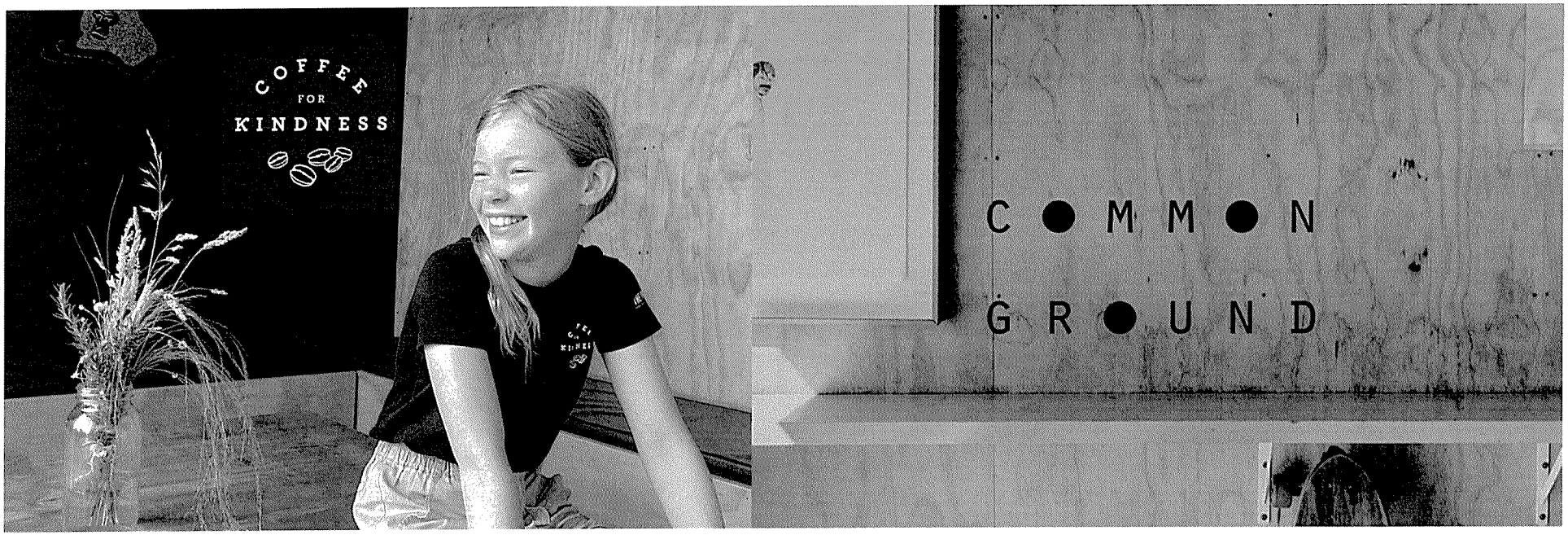
Session 3 *Free*

In association with Kahui Ako Ōtepoti ki te Raki

Keep Calm and Carry On at Home *for whānau*

7pm – 8pm, Opoho School, 96 Signal Hill Road, Dunedin

Every family responded differently to the new normal of life in Covid times. Lockdown has created precious memories for some, but for others the strain took them to breaking point. Aaron draws on research from the fields of Psychology and Counselling to explain how the body's autonomic responses hijack our brain and our child's. Learn the skills and strategies you need to understand meet your child's core needs for emotional safety, connection and love. Little changes can bring BIG results.



COFFEE FOR KINDNESS

100% OF PROCEEDS ARE DONATED

70% to a charity the year 6 children choose - 30% goes directly to the school.....

Coffee orders are delivered to the school each Thursday...so you have freshly roasted coffee for the weekend!!!

- What can you order??? House, Grunty or Decaf freshly roasted by Common Ground Espresso
- Sizes and prices We have 2 different sized bags - 200gm @ $8.00 or 250gm @ $10.00

Your coffee will be delivered just how you like it - ground for plunger, espresso, stovetop, filter or good old fashioned whole beans.

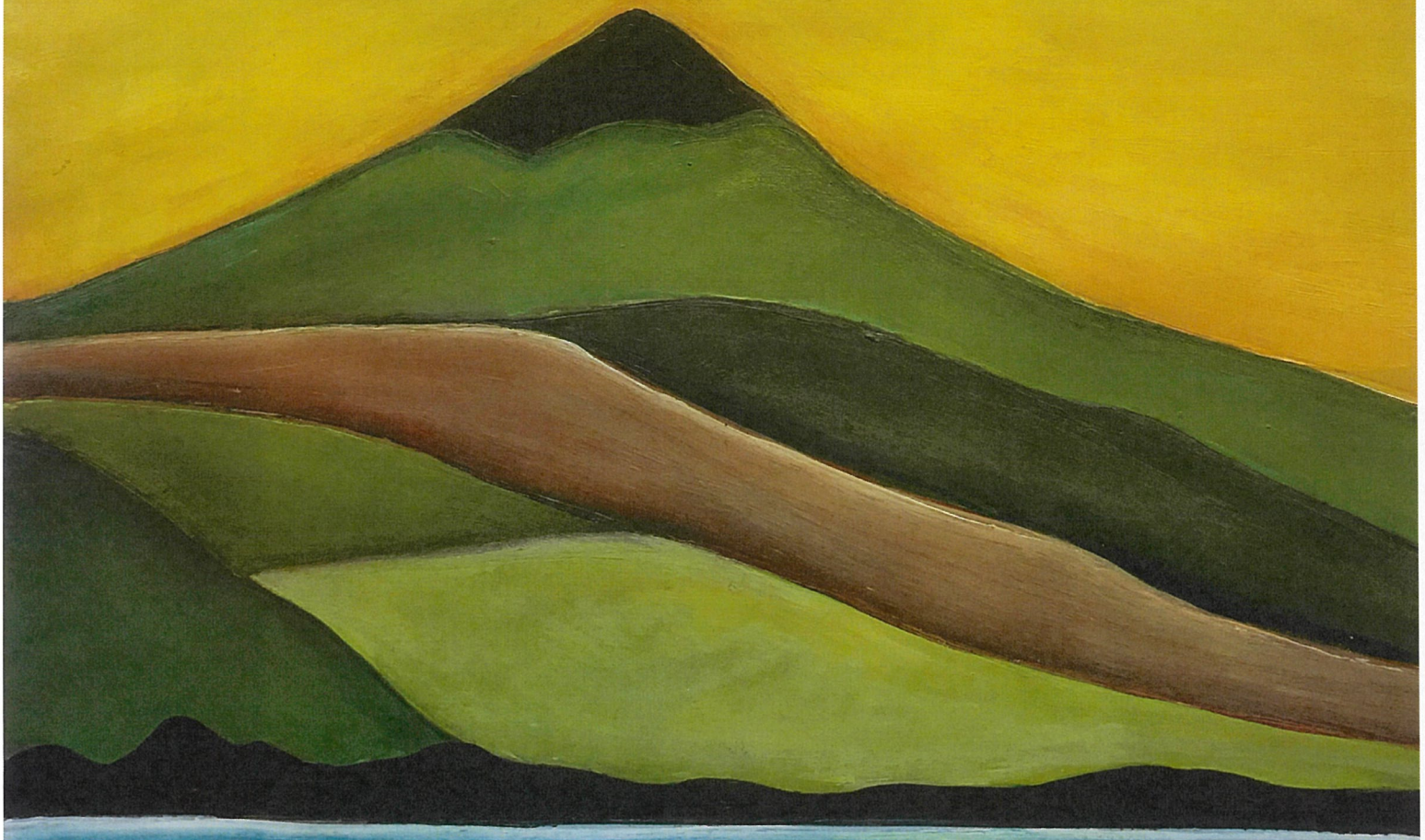
To order your bag of freshly roasted Coffee or to find out more head over and like our FB page Coffee For Kindness and send me a message.

2021 ART EXHIBITION

THUR 25 MAR - MON 5 APRIL

10AM - 4PM DAILY

MACANDREW BAY HALL



ALMOST AN ISLAND

Could you open your heart and home for one more?

Become a Caregiver

Anglican Family Care is looking for people to provide short-term and respite care for children and young people, as part of our support for families.
Quality training and support are provided.

For more information:
please contact our Caregiver Liaison Social Worker on 03 477 0801
or Enquiries@FamilyCare.org.nz

AnglicanFamilyCare.org.nz
0800 FAM CARE or 03 477 0801
Facebook/AnglicanFamilyCare

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Anglican Family Care proudly supports Foster Care Awareness Week (7-14 March)

Can you help support us?

Caregivers are ordinary people doing extraordinary things; supporting families under stress by providing respite for their children and young people.

We are seeking to expand our Dunedin caregiver team and provide opportunities for families to recharge their batteries and look after themselves – *"It is easier to run on a full tank of gas than an empty one."*

We have been offering respite care for over 25 years. Usually, this involves a child or young person being placed with a caregiver for a regular period of time, often one or two weekends a month.

Contact us in confidence today

Our own children have very much enjoyed the opportunity to meet and play with these kids too and we know that their caregivers have received a very much deserved day or two off from the pressure that they have been under."
Doug (caregiver)

Celebrating 50 years delivering social services throughout Otago

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CUBS
8 - 11 Years
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14 - 18 Years
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CHALLENGES

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Sunday 14th March 11am to 2pm at your local Scout Hall

DISCOVERY
LEARNING
KEAS 5 - 8 YEARS

ADVENTURE
OUTDOORS
11 - 14 Years
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JOIN THE ADVENTURE TODAY!

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Hey Kids!

Come join the fun on...

Otago AnniverSary Day

...whenever you take it!

Whats on?

OTAGOmuseum
- Discovery
- Butterflies

22nd March

INFLATABLE WORLD

6th April

Where? Our Musselburgh Programme

Offer

Parents, book before 15 March...

...and recieve $15 credit on your account!

"CONTACT US TODAY: SPACES ARE LIMITED"

magic kids club

Come Join the FUN!

Text your name & number to 0224665227

Enchanted Easter Egg Hunt

Come Join In The Fun!

Sunday
March, 28th

Mosgiel Memorial Gardens
(Entry To Side Of Mosgiel Library)
2PM - 4PM

$2 Entry Per Child

Food, Snacks & Coffee For Sale
Fairies, Face Painting & The Easter Bunny
Enchanted Fairy Show 3pm - 3:30pm

Feel Free to Bring a Picnic Basket & Dress in Costume
Spot Prizes For Best Kids Costumes

All Proceeds In Support of

HeartKids
Otago

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REGISTRATIONS ARE NOW OPEN FOR HEREWEKA JUNIOR FOOTBALL CLUB!!!!

Teams for children aged 4-13
Register Online @ www.Herewekajfc.com
For any queries please email
herewekajuniorfootballclub@gmail.com
Sign your child up today and start

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REGISTRATIONS CLOSE 12th OF MARCH 2021.

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kahurangi: blue

E hiahia ana au ki tērā kākahu *kahurangi*.
I want that *blue* dress.
- this is an example of an active sentence

Other words for blue include *kikorangi* and *purū*.