NEWSLETTER

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Mon 8th– Fri 12th Yr 7&8 Camps

Tues 9th Country Athletics / PCT Challenge / Yr 12 Fox Peak

Thurs 11th Aoraki Bowls / Aoraki Volleyball

Fri 12th SCPS Triathlon / SISS MTB

Mon 15th Te Ara and Diploma Info evening

Wed 17th - Fri 19th 13 Bio Portobello

Wed 17th Aoraki Athletics / BOT meeting

Fri 19th Aoraki Swimming



Principal's Message

Tēnā koutou katoa

As a school, we have been putting a strong emphasis on acknowledging students when they exhibit the school values. This role has been made extremely easy when we see our students engaged in a wide range of activities over the last two weeks.

As part of the school community, if you see our students showing the school values at any time, please give them a shout out. Here's a quick recap of what our values look like:

Manaakitanga - treating others and yourself with kindness and respect.

Aspire - dreaming big, making it happen.

Grit - digging in because effort brings success.

Integrity - doing the right thing, no matter who is watching.

Creativity - innovate to create a better place.

Occasionally we may see students acting contrary to these values. If this happens, feel free to use the same sort of statements that staff utilise e.g. "That wasn't a great example of Grit, what could you have done differently?" We sincerely hope that our wider community comes to value and utilise our school values as much as we do.

Kia pai tō rā whakatā, have a good weekend!

Jason Reid Principal

"Providing a unique and rich learning environment for our students built on a foundation of excellence and care: the college of choice"





Swimming Sports 2021

Congratulations to all our students for their efforts and achievements at this week's Swimming Sports.

Year 7 & 8 Champions - Blake Jordan and Charlize McKenzie

Year 7 & 8 Runners Up - Sam Cassie and Courtney O'Neill

Year 9 & 10 Champions - Kaleb O'Neill and Hope Herrick

Year 9 & 10 Runners Up - Jack Cassie and Rebecca Boon

Year 11 - 13 Champions - Ben Jordan and Kaia McKenzie

Year 11 - 13 Runners Up - Kieran Harris and Molli O'Neill

Relays Year 7 & 8 - 1st: Kauri 2nd:Rimu 3rd: Totara

Relays Year 9 & 10 - 1st: Year 10 2nd: Ngaio 3rd: Akeake

Relays Year 11 - 13 - 1st: Year 12 2nd: Year 11 3rd: Year 13

House Relay

1st Godley 2nd Macaulay 3rd Dobson 4th Tasman

Records Broken:

Year 7 & 8 25m Butterfly - Blake Jordan 17.03 sec

Year 7 & 8 25m Backstroke - Blake Jordan 17.69 sec

Year 7 & 8 75m Backstroke - Blake Jordan 1.01.48 min

Year 9 & 10 25m Butterfly - Kaleb O'Neill 15.08 sec

Year 11 - 13 25m Butterfly - Kaia McKenzie 15.09 sec

Year 11 - 13 25m Breast - Kaia McKenzie 18.69 sec

Year 11 - 13 75 Breast - Kaia McKenzie 1.06.12 min

Year 11 - 13 75m Backstroke - Kaia McKenzie 1.00.27 min





Mackenzie Athletics 2021

Congratulations to all our students for their efforts and achievements in last week's Athletics sports.

U12.5 Girl Champion - Lilly Price Runner Up - Jessica Ryall

U12.5 Boy Champion - Porter Karton Runner Up - Toby Linklater

U14 Girl Champion - Evelyn Holden Runner Up - Briannah Hadfield-Broatch

U14 Boy Champion - Jack Cassie Runner Up - Riley Slade

U16 Girl Champion - Macy Gallagher Runner Up - Sophie Kerr

U16 Boy Champion - Rhiley Reid Runner Up - Tom Slade

U19 Girl Champion - Katrina Guiney Runner Up - Abbi Murdoch

U19 Boy Champion - George Kerr Runner Up - Declan Gardner







Effort Grades Weeks 3-4

Dobson	Cassie Anderson	Katey Anderson	Danielle Ball	Katie-Marie Clarke
	Cheyeann Coughlin	Thomas Crawford	Cameron Dobbs	Phostina Folau
	Emily Foote	Emma Guiney	Briannah Hadfield-	Kaitlyn Hawkes
	Gracie Hellmrich	Maggie Holtham	Broatch	Hamish Johnson
	Brisea Lagos	Damien Malcolm	Katsuko Ikai	Diamond Pasaol
	Eshaa Pasaol	Eshee Pasaol	Connor McLay	Zayden Slocombe
	Phoebe Wilson		Xarnie Reihana	
Godley	Grace Anderson	Lexie Biggs	Ben Boon	Josh Boon
	Rebecca Boon	Damian Clements	Ciaran Guiney	Katrina Guiney
	Ceara Harris	Rewan Hignett	Fletcher Hurst	Lachlan Hurst
	Jack Ineson	Olivia Ineson	Blake Jordan	Luke Jordan
	Toby Linklater	Abbigail Murdoch	Meg Murdoch	Courtney O'Neill
	Eden Prosser	Hamish Ryall	Jessica Ryall	Akeila Tong
	Carter Wakelin			
Macaulay	William Anderson	Elizabeth Bates	Hudson Berge	Hayden Divers
	Avish Dutt	Isamu Edmondson	Maya Edmondson	Declan Gardner
	Grace Habberfield-Short	Ayla Hendry	Hope Herrick	Millie Howat
	Chisa Kawasaki	Isabelle Lett	Ananiah Luciano	Grace McHaffie
	Ashlynn McOsker	Isabelle Miles	Te Mighty Mita	Courtney O'Leary
	Kaleb O'Neill	Molli O'Neill	Bella Parke	Dequila Pearks
	Ben Slade	Sam Wansbrough	Dezmon Whistler	
Tasman	Liam Brown	Ethan Fallen	Annabel Geary	Poppy Geary
	Alain Giquel	Jamela Gorospe	William Gorospe	Evelyn Holden
	Mac Holmwood	Lilley Johnson	Oscar Johnson	Oliver Jones
	George Kerr	Sophie Kerr	Charlize McKenzie	Kaia McKenzie
	Tarn Peake	Payton Raj	Cecilia Schaefer	Breanna Scott
	Isaac Scott	Mackenzie-May Wood-		

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Rescheduled Teacher interviews will now be held on Thursday 18th March from 4.00 - 6.30pm. Ten minute appointments are made on line and these will open from Monday 8th March.

To book your interviews, go to **www.schoolinterviews.co.nz/code** in your browser, and enter the event code **(ycwx8)**.

Then follow these three simple steps:



First enter your name, your student's name, and your email address so that a copy of your interview times can be emailed to you. If you need to book for more than one student, change the "Book for x students" setting, and enter the other student's name.



On the next page, pick the student's form class.



Then you'll see a timetable showing when your chosen teachers are available. Simply click on the times that suit you.

When you have finished, your interview timetable will be emailed to you. You can return to the site and enter the event code (ycwx8) again to change or cancel your interviews.

If you don't have internet access or have any problems, please call the school office (phone 6858 603).

If you have any other questions please contact me.

Denise Dooley





Student Planner

The manufacturer of your children's planners produces some items for parents to consider as they help their child make good use of their planner. Here is an item that relates to what's in the planners over the coming fortnight:

Many students need our support and guidance to raise their self-awareness on how they can adopt healthier lifestyles. They make not think so, but the reality is that there is an increasing proportion of them who are not exercising their bodies or minds enough, eating a diet high in processed and takeaway foods, contracting diabetes at an early age, becoming obese and looking on the darker side of life. These are real and unwelcome outcomes for our future generations should we not act decisively now.

Every week there is an opportunity for students to increase their self-awareness of their mental and physical health by completing the "Big Four Check In" activity in their planners/journals. They self-assess on how they exercised, eat healthy, thought positively and slept well. Proactive things that they can do include, have fun exercising for an hour daily with family and friends or on their own, and doing non-electronic brain exercises such as crosswords and scrabble which work well.

To think positively, encourage them to look for the good things which fill them with optimism. As a family, turn off your devices at 9.00pm nightly. Provide students with healthy, fresh and unprocessed foods. Is important for you to role model sleeping well, exercising, eating healthy, turning off devices and thinking positively.

Maths Tutoring

Is your child struggling with maths?

Help is available here in Fairlie.

Please phone Christine 0210654041 or 6858280.





Mackenzie Junior Netball 2021

Mackenzie Junior Netball club welcomes registrations for new and existing players for the 2021 season for children in **Years 5-8**.

Year 5-8 will play on a Saturday morning in Timaru starting Saturday 8 May (Term 2) with practise in Fairlie during the week.

We are always looking for people to get involved with coaching and management of the teams and encourage and support those who are interested to attend Netball South Canterbury training courses where they will receive all the required resources.

For Year 8-10 players who would like to umpire in 2021 there is a training session on Sunday 2 May 9am-12pm in STEC. Contact Ang if you would like more information about this.

To register new players follow this link https://www.sporty.co.nz/viewform/152635 and join our Facebook page Mackenzie Junior Netball. Existing players from 2020 will receive a re-registration email.

Our AGM will be on Wednesday 31 March, 7pm at Eat Fairlie and we would love some new committee members with several of the committee moving on. Please contact Ang Habraken, Club President 021435448 or Sarah O'Leary 027 6854959







Product Design Trip to Dunedin

The Product design students went on a fact finding mission to Dunedin last week, spending two days and a very noisy night in the big smoke.

It started with Amy being so tired she couldn't get off the floor.



Miss Clark and Mr Hignett took one for the team and volunteered to accompany the students on their mission. We visited a variety of businesses and entrepreneurs gaining a fascinating insight into the world of product design and business.

As usual our students were amazing and showed the world what an incredible bunch of people we are at Mackenzie College.

The first visit was to Fischer & Pykel which, believe or not, is above a shopping mall in central Dunedin. It felt like we had disappeared into a secret world that nobody knows about. It was very interesting to see how they design, develop and test new products.

We visited The School of Design at Otago Polytechnic and had a tour of their facilities. The head of product design gave an inspirational talk to our students regarding design and business and showed some of the inventions he has been responsible for such as making prosthetic limbs for children in conflict zones and giving them away free. He is now providing them for NZ children born without limbs, as they are not covered under ACC.



We spoke to a range of young business people who were able to give some excellent advice to our students. As a number of our Product Design students are also doing the young enterprise this year, this was particularly valuable.





From a digital and engineering aspect we visited Tracmap who work in the agricultural industry with GPS controlled spray systems. Lots of very good discussions with the development guys from our farming students and Brock got to fly their flight simulator. Another fascinating visit was at United engineering which had a range of multi million dollar machines working with incredible precision on products all over the world from racing cars to medical science. It was great to hear the personal story of their young foreman, who is the youngest person in the company but has been promoted to workshop manager.



Although some of us had a pig of a day, but I guess you cant keep everyone happy.



All in all it was an amazing trip with so much information it makes my head hurt. As the Head of Department I want to thank Miss Clark who did all the planning and organising for this trip. You are amazing. Thanks to the students for once again showing NZ how awesome Mackenzie College students are.

Happy Days Mr Hignett



Jordan - hanging around...





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GRIT NIWHA



INTEGRITY



CREATIVITY AUAHA

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