



BEACONSFIELD SCHOOL

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Kia ora everyone,

Wow the weather changed in a hurry this week with the bite of cold kicking in, that along with the snow on the hills made it feel like winter had arrived already.

In 2022 I was awarded a Sabbatical, this means I will be away for all of Term 2. I will spend this time investigating several schools and observing how they operate to see how we can do things smarter and better. Mr John Fisher will be the relieving Principal at school while I am away. John has had much experience as a Principal in both a permanent and a relieving sabbatical capacity. The current Principal email address will stay the same.

Lit Quiz was held on Tuesday with many questions over a very wide range of books. Alana and the team have been working really hard and I have found, when I dropped in on a couple of sessions, that their knowledge of books is huge.

Once again the Character Book dress up day this week was a great success. The kids and you do such an amazing job with their costumes. A big thank you to you all for everything you do to make this day so successful.

We have the wetland 'Lake of Spode' in our area and we are developing a programme involving the kids and the community around making it a really special place in our area. Our journey has just begun and we will keep you regularly informed of our progress.

Have a great week.

Hamish

Calendar:

April 6	Last day Term 1
24 April	TOD
25 April	ANZAC Day
26 April	First Day Term 2
9 May	Moa Valley Trip
10 May	Moa Valley trip
15 May	TOD School Closed
18-22 May	Life Ed at school
23 May	X Country at Craigmore
31 May	Song Festival
5 June	King's Birthday
13 June	Primary Schools X Country @ Waihi
22 June	Jump Jam



Thank you for supporting our Mufti Day last week. We have raised \$117 to purchase Jump Jam resources for our school!!



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Initiative

Creativity

Perseverance

Excellence

Respect

Congratulations to Miller, Bailey, Madison, Archie, Parker & Noah for demonstrating the school values of Excellence, Respect, Initiative & Perseverance



Congratulations to Seamus, Florence, Hugo, Lila & Lucy (back row) and Olivia, Isla, Isabella, Fergus and Jed (front row) for displaying the school values of Perseverance and Excellence.



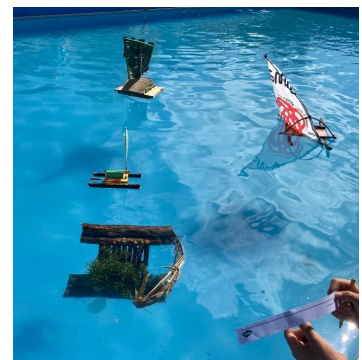
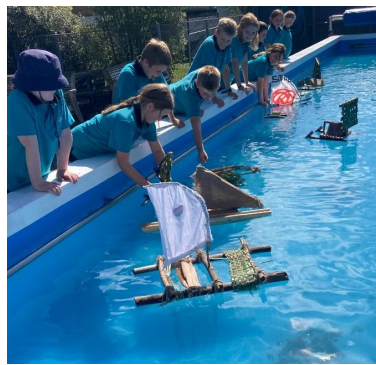
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FUN TIMES AT SCHOOL!

Book Week Character Dress Up Day, Waka Building, Literacy Quiz...





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We are excited to bring you the super fun production 'Madagascar' in September this year.

We will be auditioning next week for parts.

You can find the music here...
<https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLSSxW66xnax00dFky6hz4wAcNSVfnwCvW>

Beaconsfield School

September is the time to...

Move it, Move it!



Space is available on the school van.
\$50 per 10 ride ticket.
To make a purchase and book a seat please contact the office on 686-4819.

Spud Supreme - Wednesdays

- Pies, filled roll or wrap, spud, stuffed sausage or cheerios

Subway - Fridays

- Six inch combo (apple & cookie) \$6
- Foot long combo \$10
- Drop orders to office by 9am



SPUD'S SUPREME



<https://spudssupreme.nz/order/schools/>



Who do I contact for more information?

Please contact your child's teacher, the principal, counsellor, or any teaching staff, to check if this is the right support for your child.

www.education.govt.nz/counselling-in-schools

To Kōwhiriwhiri
Te Kōwhiriwhiri
New Zealand Government

Awahi Mai
Awahi Atua

Helping our tamariki to thrive

counselling support in schools

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School Counsellor now available - please fill out referral form below if you would like to book an appointment for your Tamariki.



School Based Counselling Service

Skylight Referral Form

For Whānau, Teachers, SWIS workers, RTLB – please discuss with the Principal
Please email the completed form to clinicalcoordinator@skylight.org.nz

Date:	
Referrer name and relationship to the child:	
Child's name and gender:	Male: <input type="checkbox"/> Female: <input type="checkbox"/> Diverse: <input type="checkbox"/>
School/Kura:	
National Student Number (NSN) <small>This will be used for statistical purposes only. Your school receptionist can provide you with the NSN or the clinical coordinator will call you for your permission to ask the school on your behalf.</small>	
Teacher: Classroom:	Year: Teacher's email:
Child's date of birth:	
Ethnicity <i>if you wish to share this</i>	
Parents/Caregiver:	
Phone contact	
Email	
Are you happy for the counsellor to leave a voice message?	YES/NO
Are you happy for the counsellor to send you a message via txt?	YES/NO

NB: Where parents are living separately, Skylight's policy states that it is in the child/children's best interest both / parents are aware of the counselling. Deciding or communicating this, is not Skylight's responsibility.

Does the tamariki/rangatahi receive support from other services within the school/community?

e.g: Teacher Aide Support, Social Worker in Schools

If yes, please list:

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Reason for referral:

What are your concerns for this child? How are these concerns affecting the child's daily life? What supports do you think would be helpful?

Signed: Date:



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COMMUNITY NOTICES

**APRIL SCHOOL HOLIDAY PROGRAMME
IN THE JUNGLE**

Timaru Children's Library
Tuesdays and Thursdays
10:30 - 11.30am and 2:30 - 3:30pm
To book, call 03 687 7202 or
email anita.dawson@timdc.govt.nz

Geraldine Library
Wednesdays and Fridays
10:30 - 11:30am
To book, call 03 693 9336 or
email libger@timdc.govt.nz

Temuka Library
Wednesdays and Fridays
10:30 - 11:30am
Call 03 687 7591
for more information

TIMARU DISTRICT LIBRARIES
Explore | Encourage | Engage | Enrich

SPEECH & DRAMA CLASSES - TIMARU

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Song Festival - Hui Waiata
Celebrating NZ Music Month in South Canterbury Primary Schools
with individual school choirs and mass items.
Pleasant Point Primary School Hall

Wednesday May 31st
Schools rehearsal 10am
Evening Concert 6:30 pm

For more details email:
jannette@mrsasmusicschool.co.nz

Release the Music
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Release the Music in you! ✨

Music Lessons

Piano, Vocals, Guitar, Bass, Drums, Ukulele, and Theory! 😊

Group or individual lessons are taught by experienced musicians in our studios and at various schools

CONTACT US
Jannette Aldridge
027 686 4877
jannette@mrsasmusicschool.co.nz



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CODECAMP

Kids Coding | Games
Robotics | Apps

After-School & Holiday Programmes
www.codecamp.co.nz

TIMARU
GUINEA PIG SHOW

PURE BREEDS AND PET SHOW
10AM-3PM

Monday April 10th 2023

EASTER RAFFLES/ GUINEA PIG ADOPTION/ FREE CARE INFO
St Mary's Anglican Church Hall, Timaru.
BEGINNERS PET SHOW COME ALONG ON THE DAY BY 11AM TO ENTER
\$5 ENTRY FEE
Easter fancy dress class

We're Hiring!

www.sKids.co.nz
Before & After School Care
Holiday Programmes

JUDGE - ANDY LAWRIE - AUCKLAND

PUBLIC GOLD COIN ENTRY

MORE INFO - FACE BOOK - OTAGO CAVY CLUB
otagocavyclub@gmail.com
Ph 0210552117

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Do you **LOVE** working with kids?

If YES, please send your CV and Cover Letter to waimataitai@skids.co.nz or call Kim on 027 601 1247



Start your child playing an acoustic instrument

Enrol them now for the Timaru School of Music

Limited places available for violin, recorder, guitar or ukulele.

Fill out the initial application: <https://timaruschoolofmusic.com/>

Government funded tuition for primary-school-aged students.

\$40 administration fee applies. Instrument hire available.



NEXT CHAPTER PARENTING
TIPS AND STRATEGIES FOR PARENTS ON THE GO
OR THOSE WHO JUST PLAIN NEED HELP!

PARENTS!

Looking for some ideas
In your parenting?

PRESCHOOLERS

SCHOOL AGE

TEENAGERS

CHECK THIS OUT!

www.nextchapterparenting.co.nz

(Courses also offered either
individually or group)
WINZ SUBSIDISED WHERE APPLICABLE
Contact: brigid@nextchapterparenting.co.nz



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Holiday Programme

11 – 14 April and 17 – 21 April

MSD-Approved. Work & Income
OSCAR Subsidy available!



Prices
 Half Day AM (8am – 1pm): \$30
 School Day (8am – 3pm): \$42
 Full Day (8am – 6pm): \$50
 Half Day PM (1pm – 6pm): \$30
 Trip Day: \$55


skids Waimataitai School Hall

25 Trafalgar Street
Timaru

Book now at skids.co.nz/waimataitai

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Week 1

Monday 10th	Tuesday 11th	Wednesday 12th	Thursday 13th	Friday 14th
EASTER MONDAY	EASTER FUN	T-SHIRT DESIGNING	TRIP DAY: GREEN SPACE	CALLIGRAPHY ART
PUBLIC HOLIDAY CLOSED.	Easter extended.... We will carry on the fun you have had over Easter with more fun activities today.	Make your best design and we will put it onto a T-shirt. Lots of different ways to create your designs.	Are you good at exploring? If so come along and explore with us today, and see what we will find.	It's not all about letters, there is lots of different ways to create with calligraphy.
				

Week 2

Monday 17th	Tuesday 18th	Wednesday 19th	Thursday 20th	Friday 21st
PLAYING PIRATES	ON-SITE TRIP DAY: VISITING ARTIST	SAMOA DAY	SHRINKING CREATIONS	PRESENTS FOR PETS
Come and sail the seven seas with us for the days. Be the best pirates that you can be. Arrrrr!	Biscuit club is BACK! Our artist is the best decorator and wants to share her skills with you all today. YUMMY!	We have a new staff member who wants to share her culture, so come along and meet her and have fun.	It's like magic!! Make something go from big to small with a little heat. Wow how does that happen come and see.	Wether it's a pet cat, a parrot or your favourite soft toy. Today you will make a special gift for them.
				

Manager:
027 601 1247
(12pm – 3pm)

Onsite:
021 289 9229

Email:
waimataitai@skids.co.nz