



7th August 2020

Hello everyone

This evening we have the very, VERY exciting 'Family Fun Night'. I am looking forward to catching up with you there. Remember 6:00pm in the school hall.

I have been continuing to work closely with the other Principals around the Basin and we are all concerned with the stress and strains on families. We are also concerned with the message that September will be possibly the toughest month for Queenstown.

PLEASE if you are struggling, contact me. Do not be embarrassed and with the strictest confidentiality I can assist in connecting you with people and organisations to help. You do not have to struggle alone.

Please continue to be kind, pray for and help the community around you.

Opt in ski programme 2020

Please be aware that the opportunity to enrol your child in this is closing quickly.

Please fill in and deliver the Outside Provider form to me for signing and approval.

Thank you for supporting the Blair Vining Mufti Day last Friday \$165.50 was raised.

The school has purchased 2 Brick's to support the 'Buy a Brick for Blair' to support the Southland Charity Hospital.

Wakatipu High School Year 8 Parents and Caregivers

Following the Open Evening last week for parents/caregivers of Year 8's who wish to tour our school while we are teaching and learning.

Tours are hosted by members of the Senior Leadership Team. *(Please note these tours are for parents/caregivers as they include information specifically for parents. We kindly note that we won't be covering topics such as course selection etc).*

They are 60 minutes duration, and start at 9.30 am on Wednesday 5 August, 12 August, 26 August, 9 September, 16 September.

Tours are limited to 10 people - to book please email the Principal's PA, Karla Dawson
kdawson@wakatipu.school.nz

A BIG thanks to the parents that have assisted with duty at lunchtimes. The teachers appreciate the support you have offered. If you are still available this term the extra hands would be valuable.

For all absentees PLEASE use Skool loop as the office is often unmanned.

Skool Loop This is an essential tool for keeping us in contact with you and also gives you the ability to email both staff and the office quickly in one go for absentee situations.

Please download this app, it is available for all smartphones.

Family Event

With the crazy year we have had it will be nice to get together for some fun and fellowship.

When: 7th August- Friday

Where: in the school hall 6.00 - 8.00pm. **This year there will not be food included so have dinner before or after the event!**

What: Room 4's family fun night. **Free entry- but bring some \$ for events**

Funds go towards Room 4's Camp Columba



Please ensure your child wears or brings a coat to school. Despite frost we will be going outside in the fresh air for breaks.

Term 3 Assembly time table

Week 1 No Assembly

Week 2 Room 4

Week 3 Room 3

Week 4 Room 2

Week 5 No assembly (swimming)

Week 6 No assembly (swimming)

Week 7 No assembly (swimming)

Week 8 No assembly (swimming)

Week 9 Room 1

Week 10 Last Day Assembly

Health and Safety

Parking

- There is no parking on yellow lines at any time.
- Please do not park where the buses pick up and drop off students.
- Do not park on the disability parks - they are designated parks for the Ritchies cars and or disability card holders to pick up students.
- No U Turns are permitted on Yewlett Cres.

You can use the Frankton Tavern car park to park and walk up to pick your children up.

Thanks for your cooperation with this very important health and safety issue.

Winter Weather Conditions

Now that winter has arrived please note if there is a change to the school day because of weather conditions you would be informed by school loop, and via email.

Hoodies:

The latest order has arrived. Payment is required before picking up a hoodie or sport shirt.

Ski Passes:

Season Ski passes are still available for students and I have also secured a deal for the Cardrona and Treble Cone fields for Kingsview students. The details are below.

Term Dates for 2020

Term 3 Monday 20 July – Friday 25 September

Term 4 Monday 12 October – Wednesday 16th December

Board of Trustees

The next Board meeting is 27 August 2020 6pm at the school. All welcome.

Uniform

Schooltex www.thewarehouse.co.nz/c/schools

Hoodies and sport shirts available from the school.

Buses

If your child usually catches a bus and is not going to travel **home** on the bus on certain days please email. jordana@kingsview.school.nz please email by lunchtime on the day of the change of travel.

Mrs O'Shea is the school bus controller.

Update of contact details If you have changed address, cell phone or any other details please let the office know. office@kingsview.school.nz

The School Day

Arrival at school	8.30am
Class begins	8.45am
Morning Interval	10.30am-10.50am
Lunch	12.30pm-1.15pm

Children leave the School **2.50pm**

Please sign in at reception if you arrive late, or need to pick your child up during the school day. Please remember, if your child is going to be absent or needs to leave early for an appointment, it is essential that you inform the classroom teacher. Prior notice is always appreciated. See the 'Attendance Matters' brochure in the foyer.

Devices at School

The use of phones and tablets and any other device at school is **not** permitted. If your child has a phone or device this must remain turned off in their bag or handed into the office for safe keeping. If you need to talk with your child please contact the office. If your child is using a device on the bus or way home, please remember that you are responsible for what they search or how that device is used. Caution is advised as sometimes they are encouraged to use these occasions inappropriately.

Community Notices

Wakatipu Reforestation Trust

Wakatipu Reforestation Trust is running a colouring competition as part of Conservation week 2020.

The competition will run over the next two weeks leading up to Conservation Week 15th - 23rd August.

For further information visit <https://www.wrtqt.org.nz/competition>

Mind Plus**New Zealand Centre for Gifted Education**

Now taking referrals for the 2021 year

To find out more, please come along to the Wakatipu Entry Selection Information Session for Parents and Teachers on Wednesday 12th August at Kingsview School in the Mindplus classroom from 5.00pm - 6.00pm

Request a referral pack from admin@nzcge.co.nz

www.nzcge.co.nz

0800 769243

Public Health Nurse

Maria Frewen maria.frewen@southerndhb.govt.nz

0274648990

Wakatipu Health Shuttle

Available for health appointments to Invercargill.

0800103046

Bookings are required by 3pm the day prior to transport.

Sport Central

We are starting a Coaches Club up in Queenstown. Coaches Club is for coaches of any code and any level. So parents and teachers would be most welcome. Please see attached facebook link.

<https://www.facebook.com/events/887285235109380/>

The Art of Growing Leadership in Sport - Ben Herring 29 July 7.00- 8.30pm Wakatipu High School.

Register tiny Carruthers, Sport Central, tiny@sportotago.co.nz 0272124290

DANCEWORKS - Now taking enrolments for Term 3 2020!

Classes offered from 2 years + include Ballet, Jazz, Hiphop, Contemporary.

[Email Classes@Danceworksqueenstown.co.nz](mailto:EmailClasses@Danceworksqueenstown.co.nz) to book your space

Queenstown Hockey Club

Registrations are now open visit our FB page or email wakatipuhockeyclub@gmail.com

Gymnastics - Preschool Gymnastics Tuesday 11.30-12.30 Ages 2.5 - 5 years July 28 - September 22 2020

qtgymnastics@hotmail.co.nz

Registrations are now open for our Term 3 Futsal programme. Full details are at the following link:

[Term 3 Futsal Registration](#)

Registrations close on Monday 3rd August

Many thanks

QAFC Committee

www.queenstownfootball.com

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Thanks to our partners, couldn't have done it without you!



If you have any information you would like to share as part of your church community we are happy to include this in our newsletters.

Mike Stanley
Principal