

GREEN ISLAND SCHOOL

Special Newsletter No 23

13th July 2011

BREAKFAST FOR ALL CHILDREN – TOMORROW 9.00am

All children need to bring a cereal bowl, mug and spoon.

Many thanks to Stuart Hammer and Harraways for donating the rolled oats and the FOTS (Friends of the School) for cooking.

FEATURE FILM – Casting/Auditions will be held in our school library on Thursday 28th July 2011. This is the second Thursday of the school holidays and the children will need to be here at 9.20am for a 9.30am start. 36 children have been accepted for casting/auditioning and they will need to bring their lunch and drink with them for the day. We expect to be finished at 2.00pm. Please ensure that your children are picked up by 2.15pm. We are really excited about this opportunity for our Green Island School children. Good luck to all involved, give it 100%.

CONGRATULATIONS – to our Year 8 Science Team, Beth Sim, Simon Zhao, Nika Wood and James Whelan, for gaining 3rd place in the Science Competition at Kaikorai Valley College yesterday. Well Done!!



Ronan Dynes, Autumn Samson-Loffley, Brayden Thomas, Hannah Chaplin, Bailey Bennet & James Nicol at the Edgar Centre last Friday for a Rugby League skills session and competition.

FISHY SUPERSTARS AT THE AQUARIUM

Saturday 16th - Sunday 31st July 2011

Open from 10am - 4.30pm daily

Meet our team of marine superstars - Ritchie McClaw, Brad Thornfish and Daniel Cod, to name but a few of the Aquarium's first fifteen! There's a Cadbury chocolate prize if you can find them all! Design your own super fish, and hear about the super powers of some very special marine creatures. Fun for all ages.

Find the Fishy Superstars - Spy out the marine athletes in the Aquarium and find out who is most powerful.

Sustainable Fishing - Catch the right fish and land yourself a chocolate one (courtesy of Cadbury!) ... yum!

Count the Chocolate Fish Competition - One fish, two fish, three fish, four fish, five fish, six fish, more! If you can guess the number of chocolate fish in the jar, you could win the lot!

Design a Superfish - What makes a fish a Superstar? Size? Speed? Strength? Super powers? Draw and describe your own Superfish.

All Blacks of the Sea - Never mind the All Blacks of the rugby field - what about the Blackfoot Paua, and the Black Cod? Animal encounters every hour with the "All Blacks of the Sea".

Fish Feeding - Help to build up the strength of our sporting sea creatures! Fish feeding every Wednesday and Saturday from 2-3pm.

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STAGE SPECTACULAR

In the style of GLEE

MUSICAL THEATRE SUMMER SCHOOL DUNEDIN, JANUARY 9 – 28 2012

Do you want to be a part of the cast and join in on all the fun? If so, then read on...

Do you dream of performing professionally or just love the thrill and the buzz of being onstage? If you do, then this Theatre Summer School is an absolute must to help get you started on that path!

This full-time three week experience will give you a taste of what it's like to be in a professional musical theatre production working towards the ultimate goal of a live performance!

Join us for **3 WEEKS** of non-stop Acting, Singing and Dancing classes, rehearsals and performances with respected industry theatre professionals and tutors.

Perform the music that every performer loves to perform and that audiences love to watch! Make new friends and be a part of something challenging, exciting and above all... **FUN!**

Produced by **CHRIS FENNESSY**, this **2012 STAGE SPECTACULAR!** featuring the music of **GLEE** follows on from the highly successful first Summer Theatre School production of **HIGH SCHOOL MUSICAL** in 2009.

Young performers, singers and dancers from throughout Otago aged 8—18 years can apply.

We are looking for performers with energy and commitment, who come prepared and are focused on delivering their talents!

For more information and to apply for a place in the Summer School please visit

www.stagespectacular.co.nz

SPACES ARE LIMITED, SO APPLY NOW!

OROKONUI ECOSANCTUARY SCHOOL HOLIDAY AND CHOCOLATE CARNIVAL PROGRAMME

WEEK-LONG ACTIVITIES

(bookings not required):

-FOREST TREASURE TRAIL – 9.30-4.30 Mon 18th - Fri 29th July

-CRAFTY CREATIONS – Get creative at Orokonui! 9.30-4.30 Mon 18th – Fri 29th July

WORKSHOPS (bookings recommended)

(10.30am and 1.30pm for 90mins each and include experience inside Ecosanctuary – cost \$6.90 per person)

SATURDAY 16TH, 10.30 Kaka Catch-up-

1.30 Future faces: Kakapo

SUNDAY 17TH, 10.30 Kiwi

1.30 Future faces: Tuatara

MONDAY 18TH, 10.30 Saddleback

1.30 Future faces : Hochstetter's Frog

TUESDAY 19TH, 10.30 Jeweled Gecko

1.30 Future faces: Takahe

WEDNESDAY 20TH, 10.30 South Island

Robin, 1.30 Future faces: Short tailed bat

THURSDAY 21ST, 10.30 Intriguing insects!

1.30 Future faces: Rare plants bugs love!

FRIDAY 22ND, 10.30 Pests, past, present,

future. 1.30 Future Faces: Buff Weka

-MONDAY 25TH

FROG FRENZY 11AM & 2PM

Limited spaces available, ask at Reception to book. \$6.90 per person.

-TUESDAY 26TH

PONDLIFE PERUSAL AT OROKONUI 11AM & 2PM

Limited spaces available, ask at Reception to book. \$6.90 per person.

-WEDNESDAY 27TH

STREAM OF DREAMS DISCOVERY

SESSION 10.30AM & 1.30PM

Duration 90 minutes. Limited spaces, ask at Reception to book. \$6.90 per person.

-THURSDAY 28TH

POND PARADE AND FROG FASHION

SHOW 10.30AM & 1.30PM

Prizes will be presented for the best dressed.

Duration 90 minutes, \$6.90 per person. Limited spaces, ask at Reception to book.

Steve Hayward

Principal