

**Upcoming Events****Week 4**

Wed 21 Feb Board of Trustees Mtg  
 Fri 23 Feb Yr 7/8 Triathlon, CSC

**Week 5**

Fri 2 Mar Assembly, 2pm  
 Sun 4 Mar Winton Fun Run, CSC

**Week 6**

Tues 6 Mar Junior Athletics  
 Fri 9 Mar Senior Athletics

**Week 7**

Tues 13 Mar PTA AGM  
 Fri 16 Mar Assembly, 2pm

**Week 8**

Fri 23 March Central Athletics, CSC

**Te kupu o te wiki**

'Here-turi-koka'  
 August

**Dear Parents / Caregivers,**

Roll: 277

Thank you to all those who came along to our Meet the Teacher and Information Evening last Wednesday evening. We hope you found the evening informative by learning about classroom routines, school focus areas and how we can strengthen our home-school partnership for the benefit of our students.

Congratulations to the twelve students who join Hunter and Talia on the 2018 School Council. These students will be presented with their Council badges at next week's assembly. I look forward to working with this team over the course of the year in organising fun events and introducing new ideas.

Well done to our students for all the great practice leading up to our Junior and Senior Athletics with St Thomas School in Week 6.

On behalf of our Learning Community I would like to say a huge thank you to our wonderful PTA for continuing to fund various resources, projects and initiatives. They were instrumental in helping RERE find his way to Winton and more recently have contributed significantly to our field development and senior school resources. Well done to the team of parents who raised \$2500 by manning the BBQ in the Ravensdown Tent at last week's Field Days! We really appreciate your support.

Next Sunday 4 March is the Winton Fun Run. As in previous years, it would be fantastic to see as many of our students participating in their red PE tops, being physically active and supporting our local Community Pool.

**Steve Wadsworth, PRINCIPAL**

**School Charter 2018-2020**

A draft of our updated Charter will be available to view via the school website from tomorrow. The Charter outlines our Strategic goals, Annual plan and targets for 2018. We would appreciate any feedback before it is sent to the Ministry of Education at the end of next week.

**Staff PD Day**

On Thursday 7 June (Week 6, Term 2) all teaching staff will be attending a day of Professional Development in Dunedin. School will therefore be closed on this day. We thank you in advance for organising alternative arrangements for your child/ren on this day.

**Bakery Orders**

Reminder that all orders to be in a sealed envelope and clearly labelled with name, room number, order and the correct money. Please note no change is given by The Bakery.

**School Donations**

School donations are unchanged again this year; \$80 per student or \$200 for a family of 3 or more. Remember you may be able to get a rebate of up to one third of the voluntary school donations you have paid. Donations can be paid by direct credit / instalments into the school bank account 031750 0195550 00.

**Technology Fees**

Technology fees for Year 7/8 students are \$120 per year. These can be paid \$30 per term or in full by direct credit / instalments into the school bank account 031750 0195550 00.

**School Fees**

With many families having more than one child attend Technology classes this year and also have more than one school camp coming up, it may be advisable to drip feed payments into your school account. Instalment payments can be made at the office or by direct credit into the school bank account 031750 0195550 00.

**Term 1 Week 3 RERE Awards**

Room 1 Rose Maguire & Ashar Sinclair  
 Room 3 Kate Aitken & Kaydin-Jade White  
 Room 4 Jack Jukes & Jackson Cowie  
 Room 5 Zephrin Latchford & Poppy White  
 Room 6 Corran Mee & Ben Arthur  
 Room 7 Haylie Nicholls & Sam Cowie  
 Room 8 Hunter Thomson & Amelia Bethune  
 Room 9 Jaymee Cummings & Tristin Davis  
 Room 10 Kenny Hart & Memphis Munro  
 Room 11 Keely Hogg & Seb Lovett  
 Room 12 Dylan Lyall & Amelie White  
 Room 13 Ella Leith & Troy Keepin

**What's happening in Room 10**

We have had a fantastic start to the year in Room 10! The students have been working really hard on their WordLab strategies. We are currently learning about how physical activity can strengthen us. We were lucky enough to be a part of the 'Food for Thought' programme that taught our students about making good food choices and becoming 'Food Detectives'. We walked to Winton New World where we compared different products and talked about the nutrition guidelines and healthy eating. This was an awesome experience and the students thoroughly enjoyed it! They especially enjoyed the free lunchbox, magnetic food planner guide and the \$60 New World voucher. We plan to use this voucher for our movie/pyjama day when we win the tidiest cloakbay competition. Have a great week and make sure you support our coffee cup fundraiser, they are selling like hotcakes!



# SPORTS NEWS



**For all sporting inquiries, please contact Brenda Mee at [sport@winton.school.nz](mailto:sport@winton.school.nz)**

**Touch** - Reminder that \$14 fees must be handed into the school office as soon as possible please.

**Superstar/Girls Smash Cricket** - Starts today from 4.00-5.00pm and runs for 6 weeks at Moores Reserve, Winton

**Year 7/8 Triathlon** - Reminder that all Yr 7/8 students taking part in the triathlon this Friday must pay their \$5 entry fee to the office tomorrow.

# PTA NEWS

**PTA BBQ Sausages** - Sausages will be available on Friday. Remember to get your stamp between 8.30-9.00am in the library. Please use the playground library door, not through the office, thanks.

**Field Days** - Huge thank you to the volunteers who helped out in the Ravensdown tent at Field Days last week. We had busy but fun days and most importantly raised a lot of funds.

**Croissant Fundraiser** - \$20 for 25 x 100gm pre-proved croissants, frozen, factory seconds. We only have 60 bags to sell, first in gets them. Text or call Suzan Campbell 0277260907 to order. Delivery Thursday 8th March outside school on Eglinton Street from 2.30pm.

**PTA AGM** - To be held Tuesday 13th March 7.30pm, venue TBA. Please check the PTA FB page and look out for our newsletter next week.

# COMMUNITY NEWS

## Winton Wide Garage Sales

To be held on Sunday 25th February from 9.00am - 3.00pm. Maps available, for a gold coin donation, on the day from 9.00am on Great North Road, Winton (outside Winton School). Also on the day is a Car Boot Sale at Anzac Oval (register on the day for \$10).

## Out of School Music Classes

**When:** Every Tuesday, commencing 27th February

**Where:** Central Southland College, Winton

**Time:** 4.00 - 5.00pm

**Who For:** All primary school students

**What:** Fun environment to foster a love for music. Instruments offered include ukulele, guitar (3 levels), recorder, flute, clarinet, saxophone, violin, piano/keyboard, drums and singing. Some instruments can be hired for the year if not owned by students. Contact Tania Beck 027 210 1811 or email [taniabeck.oosm@gmail.com](mailto:taniabeck.oosm@gmail.com) for further information or enrolment.

## Winton Football Club

Have-a-go and club information day along with second hand boot sale to be held on Saturday 3rd March, 2pm at Moore's Reserve Winton. All interested juniors (4-16 years, girls and boys) welcome to attend or contact Wendy Boniface [wendyboniface@slingshot.co.nz](mailto:wendyboniface@slingshot.co.nz) or 027 427 0447. Senior player contacts are; Bronwyn Campbell for men 027 243 6979 or [grant.bron@velocitynet.co.nz](mailto:grant.bron@velocitynet.co.nz) and Martina Lips for women 021 037 5695 or [bartandmartina@gmail.com](mailto:bartandmartina@gmail.com)

## Netball Club Trials 2018

Trials held at Central Sports Centre, Winton. Premiers Tuesday 27th February and Thursday 1st March at 6pm. (Last years) Prem reserve and down to 3rd grade including adult social players, competitive and non competitive, Tuesday 27th February and 1st March at 6.30pm to 8.30pm. (Last years) 4th grade down to 6th grade, Tuesday 27th February and Thursday 1st March at 6pm to 7.30pm. Please note, all trialists must attend both trials. Years 4 and 5 (this year) Wednesday 28th February 3-4pm. Year 6 (this year) Thursday 1st March 4.45pm to 6pm. Enquires to Heidi Middleton (president) on 027 499 6653.

## Winton Fun Run

**When:** Sunday 4th March

**Where:** Central Southland College, Winton

**Time:** 10am

**What:** Walk, Run or Bike... 2.5, 6 or 12km Food & refreshments available (cash only), entertainment, spot prizes. Entry forms available from Winton New World, The Local, Winton Night 'n' Day and Sport Southland. Fundraiser for Central Southland Community Swimming Pool. All competitors can enjoy a free swim.



## Winton Children's Day

**When:** Sunday 4th March

**Where:** Central Southland Presbyterian Church, Winton

**Time:** 2.00 - 4.00pm

**What:** Fun filled afternoon for the whole family, with free activity stations, face painting, games, colouring competition and afternoon tea.



Room 9 - Food for Thought Programme



RERE at his first Assembly