

**Upcoming Events****Week 6**

Tonight WGT Finals Evening, 6:30pm  
Fri 23 Nov Disco

**Week 7**

Mon 26 Nov Junior Swimming starts  
Book Fair starts  
Thurs 29 Nov Media Mash Awards Evening  
Fri 30 Nov Book Fair Dress Up Day  
Community Assembly, 2pm

**Week 8**

Wed 5 Dec Tough Kids (Yrs 6-8)  
Fri 7 Dec Inter-house Teams Challenge

**RERE's message**

RERE is looking forward to coming to the Disco this Friday.



'He aha tēnā?'  
What is that?

**President's Piece**

Dear Parents / Caregivers and Students,

We are both looking forward to hosting tonight's Winton's Got Talent Finals Evening. Those coming along sure are in for a treat. It is a gold coin donation and our PTA will be selling refreshments.

We are all looking forward to this Friday's Discos. We hope you have all sorted your costumes.

Junior Swimming starts on Monday. We hope all the juniors enjoy their sessions out at Limehills Pool.

The Scholastic Book Fair starts on Monday in our School Library. Make sure you come along after school to have a look at the great selection of books they have to offer.

Finally, good luck to the two Winton School golf teams competing in the Southland Primary Schools Tournament in Drummond tomorrow.

Hunter McGregor - President  
Talia Hall - Vice President

**Winton's Got Talent**

Well done to all the children who entered WGT 2018 and congratulations to those who are taking part in the Finals Evening tonight. The show starts at 6:30pm, is a gold coin donation for those watching (performers free) and the PTA will be selling refreshments.

**Book Fair and Dress Up Day**

Book Fair next week Monday 26 - Friday 30 November from 2.50 - 3.30pm in the school library. Come along, purchase books for your family, purchase some Christmas presents or donate a book to our school library. The theme for this year's Book Week is **Animals**. On Friday 30 November we will have a dress up day. So get out those animal onesies, make a mask, or come as your favourite crocodile hunter, animal trainer, vet, or animal book character. There will be prizes awarded for each syndicate at the community assembly.

**Service for Phillippa Gill**

We are holding a short service for Phillippa Gill next Friday 30 November, straight after our Community Assembly for those who want to attend. We will be placing a seat that has been built by our Builders Group in memory of Phillippa outside Room 3.

**Technology Fees**

**All Year 7 & 8 Technology Fees are now due to be paid. \$120 for the Year or \$30 if you have been paying each term.**

**Week 5, Term 4 RERE Awards**

Room 1/2 Hollie Deuchrass, Monty Dolan & Harry Brunell  
Room 3 Holly Mitchell & Kaydin-Jade White  
Room 4 Lucas Campbell & Jackson Cowie  
Room 5 Jake Harland & Ava Millar  
Room 6 Sasha Begg & Robbie Batt  
Room 7 Ella Henry & Curtis Cooney  
Room 8 Ruby Woodgate & Miley Coveney  
Room 9 Te Amohanga Mackie & Devon Thompson  
Room 10 Logan Campbell & Anais Hall  
Room 11 Oliver White & Jack Keith

**Junior and Senior**

This Friday 23 November in our Hall  
Theme:

'The First Letter of Your Name'

Year 0-3, 5:30-7:00pm

Year 4-8, 7:30-9:00pm

Gold coin donation.

Chips, chocolates, drinks and glow toys available.

**Week 5, Term 4 Principal Pin Ups**

Room 1/2 Conrad Saunders	Room 8 Emma Cubitt
Room 3 Ella Everett	Room 9 Anne Enot
Room 4 Ollie Hubber	Room 10 Mason Maguire
Room 5 Jonty Cubitt	Room 11 Seamus Mackintosh
Room 6 Brodie McIlwrick	Room 12 Beth Anderson
Room 7 Keira Jenkins	Room 13 Olesia Kaka

**Some End of Year Dates**

Fri 7 Dec Inter-House Teams Challenge  
Tues 11 Dec Reports home / Prizegiving Assembly, CSC  
Wed 12 Dec Water Fight  
Thurs 13 Dec Year 8 BBQ  
Fri 14 Dec Last Half Day

The first day back in 2019 will be **Wednesday 30 January**.

**What's Happening in Room 12**

Kia Ora Kotou from Room 12! We have had a busy and exciting start to the term. We loved our time in the pool - we learnt important survival skills that could save our lives one day! Last week was our last Technology week for the year, we had a great time learning to make boxes, boats and scones! Over the last term we have been busy making some ICT masterpieces such as Commercials, eBooks and Music Videos. We were very excited to hear that six of our entries have made it as Media Mash Finalists. We can't wait for the finals evening next Thursday! Fingers crossed!



# SPORTS NEWS

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

**Swimming** - Junior swimming commences 26 November. Please ensure all uniform and swimming items are clearly named. **Please note that swimming costs \$10 per child. Could swimming fees for ALL students please be paid to the school office in a named, sealed envelope as soon as possible.**

**Touch** - Friday afternoons at Moores Estate, Winton. Draw has been posted on school noticeboards and can also be found on the Touch Southland website page under Central Primary tab. Please note NO BARE FEET - TRAINING SHOES MUST BE WORN.

## PTA NEWS

### PTA v Staff v BOT Golf Challenge

Where: Winton Golf Course

When: Friday 30 November

Time: Tee off 6.30pm sharp

Cost: \$15 per person (includes food)

Format: 6 holes with alternate shots

Fun evening open to all Winton School parents & staff. Entry forms and further information available from the school office. **All entries with payment must be returned by Friday 23 November** (numbers required for catering purposes).

## COMMUNITY NEWS

### Ambassadors Thank You

Thank you to all the parents that helped deliver Meals on Wheels in Term 3 and last week, we really appreciate you giving up your time - Simone Sinclair, Sophie Price, Jo McMaster, Mel Brunell, Robin Irwin, Brenda Mee, Barbara Courne and Adam Grove. Our Ambassadors have loved engaging with the community and have got immense satisfaction helping others. Our next rostered week is from 11-15 February 2019 between 11:45am-12:30pm. If you would like to help deliver meals, please just let the office know a particular day that suits you.

### Year 9 Student Uniform Assistance

The JR McKenzie Youth Education Fund has a proud tradition of supporting families in need of financial assistance when purchasing school uniforms. 2018/19 applications are now open from suitable applicants. Criteria is the same as previous years, specifically Year 9 students where the school only accepts entrants at Year 9 or Year 7 students provided the school only accepts entrants at the Year 7 level. Contact Louise Faithful at Winton Community Support for an application form. Phone 03 236 9934.

### The Great NZ Santa Run

When: Wednesday 5 December

Where: Queens Park, Invercargill (Gala Street entrance)

Time: 6:30pm

If you love dressing up and supporting a good cause, gather some friends and sign up for some festive fun. Register now for special early-bird rates. Fun-run is a 2-3 km easy walk or run, designed for any level and any age. Families, corporate groups or individuals are all welcome, even bring your pets along!

Register at <http://lacticturkey.netinsites.co.nz/greatnzsantarun/enter/>

### CSC Secondhand Uniform Sale

Year 8 Students and Parents/Caregivers please note that CSC Home and School Secondhand Uniform Sale will be held on Monday 10 December from 3:30pm to 5:30pm in the music room. Please go to the school office and it will be signposted from there. Cash only please. Enquires to Deborah 0276304343 or 2369770

### Southland District Council Holiday Programme

Registrations are now open for 2019 holiday programme.

When in Winton: Monday 7, Tuesday 8 & Wednesday 9 January

Who For: Children aged 5-12 years of age

Time: 10am - 3pm

Cost: \$8 per day per child

Limited spaces so bookings are essential. For more information and bookings visit [www.sdcholidayprogramme.co.nz](http://www.sdcholidayprogramme.co.nz)

