



## School News

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### TERM 3 2023

**Start 17 July to  
22 September**

### BOT Meeting Date

**14 August**

**19 September**

### Cross Country Paradise

**18 August**

### BOT—Parent Consultation Meeting

**22 August**

### Wakatipu Zone Cross Country

**29 August**

### Battle of the Basin

**7 September**

### School Play

**19 September**

Thank you for attending the Senior Room Parent Interviews on Thursday. If you were unable to attend last week, please make a time to meet with Kelly to go over your child's learning goals for the remainder of the year. These interviews are a good opportunity to touch base with the classroom teacher and to discuss your child's learning. Mrs Green and Helen will meet with Junior Room parents on a more informal basis once they are underway with their programme.

On Wednesday 26 July, Glenorchy School hosted a group of teachers from America who were using their summer break to visit some New Zealand schools to learn more about our education system. The group were really impressed with our kura and the way our classrooms operate. They commented on the settled, friendly children who were engaged in their learning and the wonderful physical environment the children have.

The next event on the school calendar is the Glenorchy School Cross Country. It is scheduled for Friday 18 August. We will be leaving school at 11:30am to go out to Paradise. As in previous years, we will hold a sausage sizzle after the Cross Country. This year, Charles and Lee-Ann from the Whakatipu Youth Trust will organise some games to follow. Please reply directly to the Cross Country email that is being sent out later this week so that we can ensure everyone has transport out to Paradise.

We are looking forward to meeting with as many of our school community as possible on Tuesday 22 August at 6:00pm in the Junior Room as part of the consultation process for our new strategic plan. We can accommodate your children if you need to bring them along.

We would like to take this opportunity to thank Miss Edlin for her service to Glenorchy School over the past two and a half years. We wish Roshell all the best in her new position and look forward to having her back in the school from time to time in the future.

### **Student of the Week**

	<b>Junior Room</b>	<b>Senior Room</b>
Week 2	<b>Tim</b> - For amazing progress in writing.	<b>Tom</b> - For the great leadership skills he's shown through the PALS programme.
Week 3	<b>Isla</b> - For using her sounds to attempt multi-syllable words in her writing.	<b>Alex</b> - for all the effort he has been putting into his writing.

**Paula, Kelly, Roshell and Gorettie**

**12th August 2023**  
**12pm till 3pm**



**Taking People of all ages with Special Needs**

**Or Life long Medical Conditions**

**For a ride in a Big Rig, Classic Car or Hot Rod**

**Starting and Finishing at Southern Field Days Site, Waimumu**

Coffee and Food  
Provided FREE on the day,  
Thanks to Bravebeans Coffee, Bogan Bakehouse  
& Rapid Relief Team NZ



Raffles available to purchase on the day



**Anyone wanting to Volunteer**  
**their Time, Truck or Car to help out on the day**  
**please contact Dianne 027 7732700 or Ian on 0204 335500**  
**Check out our Facebook Page : Southland Hug a Rig Day**

