



**Glenorchy
School**



Term 2 2022

Junior Ice Skating

Every Friday
27 June—8 July
1:30—2:15pm

Senior Room iFly

29 June— Be at
school by 8:45am
for 9am
Departure.

Glo Show

6 July

Term 2 Ends

8 July

Term 3 Start

25 July

Ski Camp

27, 28, 29 July

School News

Term 2 Issue 5

28 June 2022

As this is our last newsletter for the term we would like to begin by thanking Miss Kellett for her contribution to Glenorchy School over the past three and a half years. We wish her all the best as she embarks on her OE and begins a new teaching position in the United Kingdom.

Kelly Newland will be taking over from Miss Kellett as the Senior Room teacher at the beginning of Term 3.

Thank you for attending our Matariki breakfast yesterday morning. It was great to have so many attend. The students have enjoyed learning about Matariki in the lead up to this event and it was a special way to celebrate their learning. Thank you to Miss Edlin for making the fried bread over the weekend. It was delicious!

We still have a number of events happening over the remaining days of the term which are going to keep us busy right through to the last day. Tomorrow the Senior Room is attending the Whakamana iFly Empowerment Programme in Queenstown which they are all looking forward to.

The Junior Room students have two more ice skating sessions left (this Friday and next Friday) before the programme finishes at the end of term. Thank you to all the parents who have transported children down to the rink each week. We couldn't do it without you.

We are fortunate to be having a second visit from Daren Reriri on Friday 1 July who is coming back to Glenorchy School to continue teaching the children about Matariki.

We are getting excited about the Matariki Glo Show Performance in Queenstown on Wednesday 6 July. We would appreciate parents providing transport to this event. An email requesting parent support will be sent out this week.

Congratulations to Sienna and Finlay who competed in the Wakatipu Zone Swimming Sports on Tuesday 21 June. Sienna gained 5th placing in the Year 6 Girls Breaststroke event and Finlay was placed 6th in the Year 8 Boys Butterfly event. Both have qualified for the Central Otago Swimming Sports on Thursday 7 July.

It has been a challenging term with many student and staff absences due to illness and isolating requirements. We hope everyone has the chance to relax and recharge their energies over the winter break, and we look forward to welcoming everyone back on Monday 25 July.

Student of the Week

	Junior Room	Senior Room
Week 7	Hunter R - For his work ethic this week! He has been focused and working hard!	Connie - For always being responsible when working independently and completing her work within the time allocated.

Paula, Nicole, Roshell and Gorettie

**WELCOME
TO WINTER**
7-10 JULY 2022



Queenstown Preschool & Nursery's Great Family Treasure Hunt

Sunday 10 July, 10:30-12noon



**Gather the whole clan for a morning
searching for treasure. Prizes for tamariki.**

Only \$20 per family.

www.queenstownnz.co.nz/welcometowinter



20th August 2022 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 our NEW VENUE

Southern Field Days Site, Waimumu



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



**Queenstown
Preschool
& Nursery's
Great Family
Treasure Hunt
10 July**



Success in school

for children
who learn differently



AUCKLAND
DOWN SYNDROME ASSOCIATION

**Providing detailed information, practical guidance, and strategies
for educating students with Down syndrome and other special learning needs.**

Who is it for?

SENCO's, teachers, teacher aides, specialist staff, and parent educators, and anyone involved in educating of students with Down syndrome and other special learning needs.

Topics covered include:

Inclusion, Learning Profile of students with Down syndrome, Behaviour, Friendships, Numeracy, Literacy, using Visual Aids to Access the Curriculum, and Collaboration for Success - IEP's.

In addition you will hear from 3 adults with Down syndrome who talk about their school experiences.

Date and time:

8 & 9 August 2022, from 8.45am - 2.30pm, via ZOOM.

Cost:

\$300 (incl GST) per person for professionals, \$100 each for family who are members of ADSA or NZDSA.

For presenter profiles, course agenda, and REGISTRATION please see our website:

asda.org.nz/how-we-help/courses/



"Just fantastic.
Thank you so much.
This has been the most
engaging, enjoyable,
comprehensive 2 day
workshop I've attended
in a long time. Very
excited to apply my
learning in practice."

Musical Theatre and performance coaching workshop

with
Alexia Brinsley and David Irvine

Saturday July 30th 10-1pm 10- 14 year olds

Saturday July 30th 2-5pm 15 - 18 year olds

\$100 per student



Alexia Brinsley

Based in Melbourne studied Musical Theatre at Danceworld studios in Melbourne Australia.

Since graduating Alexia has worked extensively across the music theatre and entertainment industry.

Previous musical theatre credits include High Fidelity (pursued by bear), Pr!ck (pearl entertainment) Saturday night fever (Stageart), He Said She Said (lion heart dance company) and Gilligans Island (Humdrum Comedy) with TV appearances on ABC's "It's a Date" and "The Gruen Transfer" and Charlie Pickering's "The Weekly".

Alexia performs and choreographs for the corporate entertainment trio "The cover girls AU" performing around Australia and internationally as guest entertainers on cruise ships. Alexia is also a company member of "Impromptunes"

and has performed "The completely improvised musical" in multiple comedy festivals around Australia.

Alexia most recently toured Australia in the lead role of Channing Tatum's "Magic Mike Live".

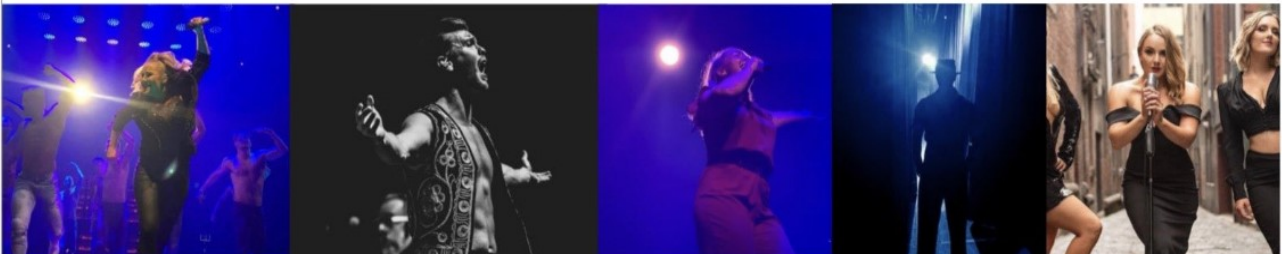
Alexia is thrilled to be back in her hometown and excited to meet and mentor the next generation of performers!



David Irvine

Based in London, is an Australian Music Theatre Performer with a Bachelors Degree in Arts Music Theatre from the University of Ballarat.

David boasts an array of credits including Kenickie in Grease (Royal Caribbean), Chris in Miss Saigon (Footlight Productions), Frederick Barrett in Titanic the Musical (StageArt) to name a few. Upon graduating, David's professional career began by joining the award winning Brainstorm Productions Company touring Australia with the innovative shows Buddies 2 as Charlie and Cyberia as Tim/Alex. David has performed in the International China tour of Four Seasons In One Night as well as touring alongside Bobby Fox In his Australian tour Four Seasons In One Night and has been a Resident Guest Entertainer for Princess Cruises. David is excited to be in in New Zealand after a contract on Royal Caribbean's Spectrum of Seas performing in the iconic Silk Road as Marco Polo.



What to expect: During an intensive three hours, Students will learn original Broadway choreography, delve into ensemble vocals, improvisation and acting work. Students will also receive individualised constructive feedback on their performances within the course. Participants will leave with industry tested tips and tricks to get through auditions, to help overcome nerves and to learn material.

David and Alexia are both professionals in their fields, experienced teachers, and excited to work together to inspire, develop and hone the skills that are needed for auditions / pursuing a career in the Performing arts. Places are strictly limited.

Please send all enrolment enquiries to alexia.brinsley@gmail.com to secure your spot.