



**Glenorchy  
School**

**TERM 2 2023**

**Teacher Only Day**

**19 June  
(No School)**

**Wakatipu Zone  
Swimming Sports**

**20 June**

**Juniors Ice  
Skating Start**

**Every Friday  
from 26 May—30  
June**

**Matariki**

**26 June at  
5:30pm**

**BOT Meeting  
Date**

**27 June**

**Term 2 Ends**

**30 June**

**Term 3 Start**

**17 July**

**School News  
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Last week our Senior Room students participated in the Small Schools Swimming Sports alongside St Joseph's, Kingsview and Te Kura Whakatipu o Kawarau Schools. It was great to see the students overcome their nervousness at competing and participate with such enthusiasm. Congratulations to the following students who have qualified for the Wakatipu Zone Swimming Sports. These are to be held on Tuesday 20 June in Queenstown.

Sienna - Year 7 Girls Freestyle (25m), Breaststroke (25m), Freestyle (50m)  
Hunter - Year 5 Boys Freestyle, Backstroke  
Chace - Year 5 Boys Freestyle  
Max - Year 5 Boys Backstroke

On Friday 9 June we had Rangers from the Takahē Recovery Project visit Glenorchy School. During their session with the children they discussed all of the things they are doing to help grow the Takahē population and the upcoming release of Takahē into the Greenstone Valley. The children worked in groups to complete activities such as egg handling, pest identification, telemetry/tracking and Takahē health checks.

It is with sadness we announce that Miss Edlin has resigned from her teaching position at Glenorchy School and will be leaving us on Friday 11 August 2023. Miss Edlin has won a position with the Life Education Trust who are setting up a new mobile classroom in the Central Otago area. It will be Miss Edlin who brings Harold the Giraffe to Glenorchy School from now on! We would like to congratulate Miss Edlin on her appointment and wish her all the best on the next stage of her teaching career. The process for appointing a new teacher to the Junior Room is underway and we will advise you of the outcome in due course.

We invite you to attend our Matariki celebration this year in the Tech Room on Monday 26 June beginning at 5:30pm. We will also be showcasing our Creative in School art project which the children have been working on with Jessie Cornell over the last two terms.

Please note that Glenorchy School will be closed on Monday 19 June for a Teacher Only Day.

**Student of the Week**

	<b>Junior Room</b>	<b>Senior Room</b>
Week 6	<b>Cohen</b> - For stepping up and working hard in all learning areas - especially in writing.	<b>Pippa</b> - For the considerable effort she has been putting into her writing and class work.
Week 7	<b>Charlie</b> - For writing an awesome mystery character description.	<b>Chace</b> - For the great effort he's putting into his reading.

**Paula, Kelly, Roshell and Gorette**