

## WAIMATE HIGH SCHOOL 2010

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12 March 2010

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### The Principal's word

Kia ora koutou

In assembly on Monday we presented the athletics trophies for 2010. Congratulations to all students who performed so well.

Our Year 9 students participated in their two day Aquatics Programme at the Timaru Pool and Caroline Bay, this week. The comprehensive programme included essential water safety, life saving and survival, beach safety and first aide. The fantastic weather and water conditions meant that students participated fully. A real highlight was the good surf conditions which were ideal for learning kayak skills at the beach.

Two Lincoln University presenters took our Year 12 students through an interesting programme on leadership skills that involved the students participating in various team activities. As well, students identified their own leadership style.



### A report from Kristy Thomas follows:

On Tuesday afternoon and Wednesday morning all Year 12 students participated in a leadership course run by Lincoln University.

Our Instructors, Anna and Laura taught us about our personality types and how to get on with people with different personalities. We also talked about how to deal with younger students. We also played initiative and teamwork games which included a blindfolded obstacle course and a game where we had to carry 3 people on our backs to get from one side of a "swamp" to another. These games helped build teamwork and initiative between each other and ourselves. Everyone really enjoyed the course and we would recommend it to all of the future Year 12 students.



Our teachers will be attending a paid union meeting on the afternoon of 24 March. Therefore there will be no scheduled classes after 12.05 which is the end of period 3. We ask that if it is possible, families make arrangements for their children to go home for the afternoon. Buses will be running at the usual time. If families are unable to make appropriate arrangements the students will be supervised here at school.

We would appreciate if parents could phone the school to inform us if their child will be here for the afternoon so that we can ensure we have adequate cover in place.

Janette Packman  
Principal

### **NZSO Family Concert**

A group of players from the New Zealand Symphony Orchestra will perform popular classics like the 1812 Overture and some modern day tunes that the whole audience will know. This fits in very well with the Year 8 Music module "Instruments", but everyone in the family will enjoy it.

Wednesday 17 March Oamaru Opera House  
5.30pm and 7.00pm

Adult \$10, Children \$5, \$15 1 adult & 2 children

Book at Oamaru Opera House, TicketDirect,  
Thames St, 03 433 0770

[www.ticketdirect.co.nz](http://www.ticketdirect.co.nz)

### **The Hilarious Hypnotist Dave Upfold**

The PTA Fundraiser is next week so we hope that you will be getting your tickets this week. 19 & 20 March 7.30pm @ High School Hall. Remember they are \$20.00pp and available from the High School Office or Waimate Knitwear Factory Shop. This show is PG rated.

We will have a video available from the night if you decide to become a star on the night. This will need to be paid for on the night @ \$10.00.

A canteen will be running both before and at intermission of the show. Tea and coffee will be available at this time.

Grab your tickets now....

**Free lunchtime show taster** on next Friday  
Dave has agreed to give us a free taster of what we can expect at his shows. This will happen on Friday 19th March in the school hall at 1.30pm. All welcome.

This is a Waimate High School PTA Fundraiser.

### **South Island Secondary Schools Triathlon**

Weather conditions were perfect for a triathlon this year held at Oamaru Harbour on Sunday, 7 March. A calm harbour and little wind made swimming and cycling conditions great, with a hot run on return with a tail wind. Many schools as far as Culverden to Invercargill took part in this annual event.

Three individuals took part in the event this year. Kris Furer, yet again, went to tackle the Individual triathlon event, with Hayden Russell challenging

him in the same event. Dylan Mead also doing the Individual triathlon event, but classed in the Intermediate section.

Hayden Russell did well in his event, considering no training in the water! Catching many of his competitors on the bike and run brought him up to 4<sup>th</sup> place in the Senior Boys section. Kris Furer was 3 minutes behind, with a sprint finish to get 5<sup>th</sup> place. Dylan reached 8<sup>th</sup> place in his section, with a strong run in the final leg.

**Times:** Seniors (300m swim, 20km cycle, 5km run)

Hayden Russell 1:25:52

Kris Furer 1:28:43

Intermediates & Juniors (300m swim, 13km cycle, 2.5km run) Dylan Mead 59:33



**Kris, Hayden, Miss Atkinson and Dylan**

### **Aoraki Athletics Results**

Ruby Cochrane u/15 1st Discus, 3rd Shot Put

Sarah Gibbins u/16 3rd Shot Put

Stacey Burnett u/19 4th Javelin

Jayden Butcher u/15 4th High Jump

Simon Davis u/19 5th High Jump

Malcolm Elderton u/14 4th Shot Put

Karl McFadden u/16 4th 100m, 5th 200m

Scott Willoughby u/16 4th 200m, 4th 400m

Victoria Wilson u/15 5th 400m

Tony Wood u/19 5th 100m

Ruby Cochrane and Sarah Gibbons have been selected to compete at the South Island Champs on the 20th March in Dunedin.

**Waimate Miniball AGM** will be on the Monday 29<sup>th</sup> March 2010 at 7pm in the Waimate Main school Library.

## Athletics Trophies 2010

### Girls

#### Under 12

**Champion** Dominique Koia-Lowe  
**Runner up** Sophie Smith

#### Under 13

**Champion** Bianca Small  
**Runner up** Bridget Colvill

#### Under 14

**Champion** Gemma Botica & Samantha Workman  
**Runner up** Kelsey Chamberlain

#### Under 15

**Champion** Ruby Cochrane  
**Runner up and**  
**Gwenneth McLeod Jumping Cup**  
Annaliese Wilson

#### Under 16

**Champion** Meg Cornick  
**Runner up** Sarah Gibbins

#### Under 19

**Madeline Tavendale Cup (Girls' Long Jump)**  
Michaela Goodman

#### Ruth Foster cup (60m, 100, 200m)

Ella Patterson

#### Charlene Mackay Cup (200m & 400m)

Ella Patterson

**Champion and Yvonne Brown – Throwing Cup**  
Sara Landon-Lane  
**Runner up and R. A. Petherwick Cup**  
(Track Events) Elise Blundell

### Boys

#### Under 12

**Champion** Luke Workman  
**Runner up** Jarrod Humphreys

#### Under 13

**Champion** Dan Patterson  
**Runner up** Nathan Jenkins

#### Under 14

**Champion** Dylan White  
**Runner up** Dion Batchelor

#### Under 15

**A G Johnson Cup (Field Events)**  
Jayden Butcher

**Champion** Jason Garland  
**Runner up and W T Foote Cup (Boys' 400m)**  
Sam Walton

#### Under 16

**Champion** Scott Willoughby  
**Runner Up** Karl McFadden

#### Under 19

**F. Morrison Cup (Boys' 200m)**  
Josh Wilson

**Veitch Brothers' Cup (Boys 100m)**  
Tony Wood

**Runner up and White Brothers Cup (Boys' 400m) and G J Shackleton Cup (Boys' Jumping)**  
Adam McKenzie

**Champion and Holmes Miller Trophy (Boys' 1500m) and J. L Menzies Cup (Boys' 800m)**  
Hayden Russell

### Relays

**Junior Relays** Pitcaithly

**Senior Relay** Chisholm

### Ball Expo 2010

**Sunday 21 March 11 am – 3 pm** at the Roncalli College gym, Craigie Avenue, Timaru.

A total one stop event to showcase the Ball season. Something for everyone, even the guys.

\$5 per person entry fee. Go into the draw to win lucky ticket prizes if you purchase your ticket before the day. Any queries to Bridget Duff 027 484 5924 .

A fundraiser for Roncalli College / Mountainview High School combined hockey trip to Brisbane in July 2010. As part of this fundraiser we are having a second hand ball gown/cocktail dress sale if you have a gown or dress that you would like to sell contact Fiona on 03 614 7152 for more information.

### Upholstery Classes 2010

Reg Bartlett - Tutor

March 13-14, July 3-4-5, Nov 27-28

Ring Reg on 021 455 390 or 03 689 8699

**NOTE** All tracksuits and uniforms to be returned to school uniform room on Monday.

### Calendar

**Mon-Thurs 15-18 Mar** Year 8 Camp 1

**Fri-Sat 19-20 Mar** PTA Fundraiser

**Sat 20 Mar** SISS Athletics