



Heddon Bush School



Term 3, 2017

Sep 11 — Week 7

Joy in Learning

Dates for Diaries:

Board Meeting

Thursday 21st September

Public Health Nurse Visits

Thursday 21 September

Mobile Library

Wednesday

20 September

18 October

Sport Day with Drummond

Friday 15th September

Drummond School

Last day for Term 3

Friday 29 September



TERM FOUR

First Day of Term 4

Monday 16th Oct

Pet Day—Term 4

Friday 20 October

Labour Day

Monday 23 Oct—No School

Technology Year 7&8

Tues 24-Friday 27 Oct

Central Southland College

Orientation Day for Year 8

Wednesday 8th November

Production/Prize giving

Thursday 14th Dec

A very big congratulations to Rosie Dykes who came first in the Central/Eastern area Speech final for year 7& 8 students last Tuesday at Winton School. Well done Rosie, we are very proud of you! All the very best for the Southland competition this Friday at Aurora College.

This Friday we are heading to Drummond for a Sports day, the students (year 4-8) will be competing in house groups with Drummond's house groups and the juniors year 1-3 will have some fun games. Students will need a packed lunch, water bottle and suitable shoes please, they can wear comfortable sports clothes (mufti).

You will see we have some key dates for term 4 in the dates for diaries, Pet Day will be held the first Friday of term 4, the 20th of October, students will receive information regarding crafts etc... prior to the holidays so these projects can be started.

Enjoy your week, Esther.



Congratulations Rosie!

School Lunches

A very big thank you to Sharon Drummond who makes our delicious school lunches for us for the Home & School.

They are very popular and enjoyed each Wednesday.

Money for these are due each Tuesday and students receive their lunch on

Wednesday.

These will stop at the end of the term so we have 3 more weeks to enjoy them 😊

LUNCH

Room 3 Trip to the Donut

Room 3 are heading to the Donut next Thursday (the 21st Sep).

We are going to attack the weeds growing around our young trees with a 'Stomping Day'.

Students will need to be prepared with a rain-jacket, gumboots and lots of energy!



Enviro Group

Hi Everyone,
Does anyone have a large old wooden door or something to cover our new

worm farm.

(Bath size)

Many thanks.

Pet Day—Friday 20 October

Chocolate Wheel: We ask if each child could please provide something for the Chocolate Wheel for Pet day.

Room 1: A bottle of some sort i.e. soft drink, dessert topping etc.

Room 2: A block of chocolate, packet of biscuits or baking (to be bought on the day)

Room 3: A bag of lollies

These items can be sent along to school from now please.



Helping your child develop key competencies

Your child is learning a range of skills and abilities (key competencies) to help them to do well in life. There are lots of things you can do to help your child develop and use these.

The world your child lives in is very different to what it was like when you were growing up and is continuing to change. It is no longer enough to just learn “facts”.

No-one knows exactly what life will be like for today’s children when they become adults, but we do know that they will need to develop a range of key competencies, so that they can adapt and function well in the world.

These key competencies are:

- Thinking
- Using language, symbols, and texts
- Managing self
- Relating to others
- Participating and contributing

These key competencies are an important part of your child's learning at school. They are included in the New Zealand Curriculum and are woven into all the teaching that takes place.

Key competencies are not just for school, but for life. Your child uses these key competencies in many different situations at home, at sport, at church, at cultural occasions, and eventually at work.

This information is from the following website

<https://parents.education.govt.nz/primary-school/learning-and-development-at-home/helping-your-child-develop-key-competencies/>

Here you can find more ways to support key competencies at home.



Have a Go Day-Athletics

For 5-14 year old Sunday 15 October, 2017 Surrey Park Track Events from 1.00pm

For more information contact Phil Hartley 027 241 5146 or phartley@pownet.co.nz

Athletics Southland website: www.athleticssouthland.co.nz You can also check us out on Facebook

Ice-World

What: A pop up 15 m x 25m ice skating rink within a marquee (sides removed during good weather)

When: 23 September—15 October, 2017, one week before school holidays and the two week of the school holidays.

The rink will run for 12 hours per day from 9.00am-9.00pm daily

Where: Gala Street Reserve, Invercargill

Cost: \$20 for adults, \$15 for children/students, \$10 for children 5 and under (includes skate hire)

Early bird specials available: <https://www.eventopia.co/Ice WorldNZ>

Tickets available: <http://iceworldnz.simplybookme/v2/>

Superstar Cricket Academy

6 weeks starting at 4pm, \$20 per player, registrations close Friday 20 October (Winton: 1 November)

Girls Smash Cricket

6 weeks starting at 4pm, Free, Friday 20 October (Winton: 1 November)

Year 5 & 6 Hardball Cricket

Saturday morning, 9am, 7 weeks, 28 October, \$60 per team, registrations close Friday 6 October

For more information please go to Southland Cricket website: www.southlandcricket.co.nz