

13th November 2020

Hello everyone.

It is with sadness that I need to inform you that Mrs Bowman will finish at Xmas. She has been the glue that has held us together on many occasions and we will truly miss her. We wish her every blessing.

On Wednesday we were again privileged to be given free Bungy jumps and zipline rides by the very generous A J Hackett company. This was a very exciting experience for not only the students chosen but also for Rooms 3 and 4 that watched and consumed sausages, cakes and ice blocks.

Next week we are taking part in road safety and bike week. Please bring along your bike if you are a student in Rooms 2,3 or 4. They will be kept inside the hall. Room 1 will be doing a road safety programme and these students do not require bikes.

**PLEASE** remember that students should be wearing the correct uniform to school. Grey plain trackpants or shorts and the correct hoodie. If your child has misplaced their hoodie they need to check the lost property box.

Loan hoodies are available so please see me if you need one.

As with previous years class lists for next year will be handed out at the Celebration of Learning. A lot of time and thought is given to the make up of classes and involves taking ALL factors into account. Friendships and social factors are included along with year level, academic ability and overall class sizes. We are working hard to get this right going forward.

I can however tell you the teaching staff for next year.

Room 1 (year 1 students) - Mrs O'Shea

Room 2 (year 2,3 and possibly some 4) - Miss McKie

Room 3 (year 4,5 and possibly some 6) Mrs Cox

Room 4 (year 6,7 and 8) - Mrs Stevens

We are excited to welcome Mrs Kiesha Cox onto the staff for next year. She is an experienced teacher who previously taught in South Africa and more recently at Arrowtown School. For the last few months she has been leading the children's ministry for the Presbyterian Church in the Wakatipu Basin.

#### Bungy photos:









### **Upcoming important dates: Term 4**

Nov 16th, 18th, 20th - Bike week

Nov 24th - PE day at event centre

Nov 25th St John first aid - **gold coin donation**

Dec 2nd - PE day at event centre

Dec 8th - PE day at event centre

Dec 11th - **Fun Run and Family BBQ**

December 16th - Celebration of learning. **Last day of school.**

### **Assembly term 4:**

Week 5, 13th Nov - Room 4 leading

Week 6 - no assembly

Week 7, 27th Nov - Room 3 leading

Week 8, 4th Dec - Room 1 leading

Week 9, no assembly - Fun Run

Week 10, Wed 16th Dec - Celebration of learning

### **Fun Run**

We're holding the *School Fun Run* again as a major fundraising event this year! The event will be held on **Friday, 11<sup>th</sup> December**. We are really hoping to raise **\$5,000** which will help pay for **School camp and Outdoor Education Activities such as the whole school ski day**.

Keep your eyes peeled for the sponsorship forms which have been sent home with your child. Once you have the form, you should sign up for a Student Profile Page at [schoolfunrun.co.nz](http://schoolfunrun.co.nz). You'll be able to access online fundraising and can win a \$20,000 Ultimate Family Experience!

Students who raise \$10 or more will receive a reward, and the more money you raise the better the reward, and the more you help the school!

We're looking for all students to participate and we're organising a great day for our community, so we'd love everyone to come down to support the kids.

If you have any questions about the Fun Run please contact Mrs Stanley or the School Fun Run Office on **1800 FUN RUN**.

Thanks for supporting the school and we hope to see you at the event!

### **Board of Trustees**

The next Board meeting is 3rd of December 2020, 6pm at the school. All welcome.

Kingsview School Board of Trustees Parent representatives are; Shaun Vining Chair, Alix East, Simone Bray, JP Arrowsmith, John Gaudion. Proprietor Representative Warren Peat NZCPT. Staff Rep., Jordana O'Shea.

If you are interested about becoming a Board member or want to learn more about the Governance of the school please contact any of the above.

### **2021 School Term Dates**

- **TERM 1**

School will start on Wednesday 3 February, finishing on Friday, 16 April.

- **TERM 2**

Starting Monday 3 May, finishing on Friday, 9 July

- **TERM 3**

Starting Monday 26 July, finishing on Friday, 1 October

- **TERM 4**

Starting Monday 18 October till Thursday, 16 December

***PLEASE NOTE SCHOOL WILL BE CLOSED ON THE FOLLOWING DAYS:***

**Public Holidays 2021**

- Monday, 8 February - Waitangi Day
- Monday, 22 March - Otago Anniversary Day
- Friday, 2 April - Good Friday
- Monday, 5 April - Easter Monday
- Tuesday, 6 April - Easter Tuesday (a school holiday)
- Monday, 7 June - Queen's Birthday
- Monday, 25 October - Labour Day

**A BIG thanks to the parents that have assisted with duty at lunchtimes. The teachers appreciate the support you have offered. If you are still available this term the extra hands would be valuable.**

**We will be going outside in the fresh air for breaks during the day at morning break and lunch time please ensure your child has a jacket.**

**For all absentees PLEASE use Skool loop as the office is often unmanned.**

**Skool Loop** This is an essential tool for keeping us in contact with you and also gives you the ability to email both staff and the office quickly in one go for absentee situations.

Please download this app, it is available for all smartphones.

**Health and Safety - Please Slow Down on Yewlett Crescent!**



## Parking

- There is no parking on yellow lines at any time.
- Please do not park where the buses pick up and drop off students.
- Do not park on the disability parks - they are designated parks for the Ritchies cars and or disability card holders to pick up students.
- No U Turns are permitted on Yewlett Cres.

You can use the Frankton Tavern car park to park and walk up to pick your children up.

Thanks for your cooperation with this very important health and safety issue.

## Hoodies/ Sport shirts:

Payment is required before picking up a hoodie or sport shirt. (Sport shirts are back in stock).

## Term Dates for 2020

Term 4 Monday 12 October – Wednesday 16th December

## Uniform

**Schooltex** [www.thewarehouse.co.nz/c/schools](http://www.thewarehouse.co.nz/c/schools)

Hoodies and sport shirts available from the school.

## Buses

If your child usually catches a bus and is not going to travel **home** on the bus on certain days please email. [jordana@kingsview.school.nz](mailto:jordana@kingsview.school.nz) please email by lunchtime on the day of the change of travel.

Mrs O'Shea is the school bus controller.

**Update of contact details** If you have changed address, cell phone or any other details please let the office know. [office@kingsview.school.nz](mailto:office@kingsview.school.nz)

## The School Day

Arrival at school	8.30am
<b>Class begins</b>	<b>8.45am</b>
Morning Interval	10.30am-10.50am
Lunch	12.30pm-1.15pm

## Children leave the School 2.50pm

Please sign in at reception if you arrive late, or need to pick your child up during the school day. Please remember, if your child is going to be absent or needs to leave early for an appointment, it is essential that you inform the classroom teacher. Prior notice is always appreciated. See the 'Attendance Matters' brochure in the foyer.

## Devices at School

The use of phones and tablets and any other device at school is **not** permitted. If your child has a phone or device this must remain turned off in their bag or handed into the office for safe keeping. If you need to talk with your child please contact the office. If your child is using a device on the bus or way home, please remember that you are responsible for what they search or how that device is used. Caution is advised as sometimes they are encouraged to use these occasions inappropriately.

## Community Notices

I am a Queenstown local running a charity campaign to get kiwi books delivered to kids in need this Christmas.

Basically we are asking people to donate a new book, (preferably by a kiwi author or illustrator) which will then be given to the kids whose families are using the services of the Happiness House in Queenstown this Christmas.

It's a great, grass-roots cause, started in Auckland last year, but going nationwide in 2020. You can read about it here:

<https://www.newsroom.co.nz/the-woman-who-gave-away-1600-books-for-xmas>

Ngā mihi nui,

Nikki Wilson

0276689959

A box will be in your school foyer for donations.

### **Under the Sea**

Wakatipu Conservatoire of Classical Ballet: Sunday 15 November 11am and 5pm @ Queenstown Memorial Centre. Tickets available on Eventfinda

### **Oranga Tamariki- Ministry for Children Free Seminar**

19 November 202 9am - 3pm, Heritage Queenstown 91 Fernhill Road, Queenstown

How to sign up- you will need to register online to attend this free seminar.

[https://www.tfaforms.com/401541?fa\\_7628=tfa\\_7632](https://www.tfaforms.com/401541?fa_7628=tfa_7632)

[queenstowniceskatingclub@gmail.com](mailto:queenstowniceskatingclub@gmail.com)

<https://www.sporty.co.nz/qisc>

Term 4 summer skate programme.

### **Queenstown Gymnastics**

[qtgymnastics@hotmail.co.nz](mailto:qtgymnastics@hotmail.co.nz)

Flyers: <https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/12IMF266jfsO7TfMVFYwySQ29ij9J8tod?usp=sharing>

Emily Roth

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0272241710

### **Turn up the Music**

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

### **Inspire Term 4 sessions**

[kirsty@inspire-nz.org](mailto:kirsty@inspire-nz.org)

### **QLDC**

Options for a future Arthurs Point Crossing - have your say at [letstalk.qldc.govt.nz](http://letstalk.qldc.govt.nz)

### **Public Health Nurse**

Maria Frewen [maria.frewen@southerndhb.govt.nz](mailto:maria.frewen@southerndhb.govt.nz)

0274648990

### **The Art of Being Men**

Workshop 14-15 November phone 0273975673 or email [hello@taoby.nz](mailto:hello@taoby.nz) for further details.

### **Wakatipu Health Shuttle**

Available for health appointments to Invercargill.

0800103046

Bookings are required by 3pm the day prior to transport.

DANCEWORKS - Now taking enrolments

Classes offered from 2 years + include Ballet, Jazz, Hiphop, Contemporary.

Email [Classes@Danceworksqueenstown.co.nz](mailto:Classes@Danceworksqueenstown.co.nz) to book your space

### **Le Club Francais**

French classes for children. For further information contact: [nathalie@lcfclubs.co.nz](mailto:nathalie@lcfclubs.co.nz)

### **Girl Guiding NZ**

#### **Volunteers Wanted**

Join us and use fun and adventure to build girls' confidence and life skills. Flexible options to fit your lifestyle.

[andrea.mclean@girlguidingnz.org.nz](mailto:andrea.mclean@girlguidingnz.org.nz) 0800222292

### **Phil Hartshorn's Dunedin School of Music**

Guitar, Drums and Bass Tuition Phone 0210750927 Including quality online in person teaching.

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[www.dunedinguitar.nz/](http://www.dunedinguitar.nz/)

### **Music Lessons with Anna-Maree Morris**

Piano, guitar, theory, musicianship and performance. Queenstown, Cromwell and Alexandra

Beginners to advanced. Half hour lessons \$25.00 [annamareemusic@yahoo.co.nz](mailto:annamareemusic@yahoo.co.nz), 0212044687

**Cheerleading** classes every Monday afternoon in Frankton. Suitable for all abilities. Children will learn elements of Dance, gymnastics, stunts/lifts and team work. Email [emilyrutherford328@gmail.com](mailto:emilyrutherford328@gmail.com) or 0276971409

**Remarkables Market** - 3 October 2020 - 2 April 2021 Remarkables Park every Saturday 9-2pm

### **Frankton Library**

**Diwali Storytime** is happening in Frankton on Friday, November 13<sup>th</sup> – 10:30 to 11:30am paired with a craft to get stuck in to after the stories.

The second is a storytime with special guest Laura Shallcrass who lives locally and who wrote the book 'Hare & Ruru: A Quiet Moment'. This one is happening in Frankton on Friday, November 27<sup>th</sup> from 10:30 to 11:30am. It's a really beautiful little kids story that aims to teach kids about anxiety and mindfulness. There will be a wee activity/craft with this one as well.

Both events are free to attend of course and no sign-ups required (except in the case of large groups).

Both events are also happening at Queenstown and Wanaka branches if those locations suit you better.

[Frankton.library@qldc.govt.nz](mailto:Frankton.library@qldc.govt.nz) or call 03 441 3680.

### **Otago Regional Council would like to hear what you want for the future of your waterways?**

What do you value most about your local lake, river, groundwater, stream or wetland? Is it being able to go fishing or swimming? Or do you rely on freshwater for your crops or farm animals? Maybe you want to see native animals and plants living in the water? What's your vision for your waterways? Please tell us here

[www.orc.govt.nz/OurWaterOurVision](http://www.orc.govt.nz/OurWaterOurVision)

### **Care Matters Workshop - Free**

Thursday 26 November 9.30am-2.30pm - current, relevant, practical information for family, whanau and carers of children and adults with disabilities.

Venue to be confirmed on registration: [samsno@actrix.co.nz](mailto:samsno@actrix.co.nz)

[www.carematters.org.nz](http://www.carematters.org.nz)

## **Autism Support Group**

**Come out and get to know other parents, caregivers and professionals in a non-threatening environment**

- Share Experiences
- Discuss Ideas
- Learn what resources are available

Time: 12pm to 1pm

Tuesday November 17<sup>th</sup>

Queenstown Events Centre, 33 Joe O'Connell Drive, Frankton. For more information or if you would like specific resources please contact

Wendy Jenkins – Autism Outreach Coordinator

**QLDC**

Central Lakes Jobs Fair, which may be of interest to both school leavers and parents/carers.

Facebook link here - <https://www.facebook.com/events/980766495666732/>

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If you have any information you would like to share as part of your church community we are happy to include this in our newsletters.

**Mike Stanley**

**Principal**