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Dear Parents/Caregivers

Kia ora koutou

Welcome back to Term 3, with a special welcome to our new families. Our thoughts are with those who were affected by the flooding. Thanks to our wonderful caretaker Ross, who spent his weekend cleaning up the mess left by the flooding around the school. A big thank you also to the Mosgiel Fire Brigade who hosed down the carpark this morning, clearing the silt and debris. Hopefully, apart from the weather, everyone had an enjoyable break and the winter illnesses of last term have been left behind.



WELCOME

We welcome Cameron McGrath and Ruby Keen into Room 9 and Noah Thompson into Room 11. We wish them happy times at East Taieri.

GRANDPARENTS' DAY

Grandparents' Day was a great way to end the term, with so many grandparents spending



the morning with children, enjoying our fabulous cultural assembly, then sharing a barbeque lunch with their grandchildren.





★ VALUES STARS ★

- Chelsea Cross – for caring for a child at last term’s ‘Be Prepared Day.’

MATHS EVENING

On Wednesday 23 August we will be having our maths evening for parents and children. The evening goes from 5:30-6:30 and begins in the Owhiro Centre where we will present an explanation of how the maths evening will operate. Each team will have stations run by ‘expert’ children. These experts will help to explain what strategies your children are using or learning in class, as well as the knowledge required at each stage. This night will be very informative and we encourage all parents to come along with their children.

OTAGO ART SOCIETY YOUTH ART AWARDS

Children are invited to enter the Otago Art Society’s Youth Art Awards 2017. See later in the newsletter for more information.

DISCOVERY TIME

This is the final term for Discover Time. Children will lead and plan activity sessions but it is a great opportunity to come and work alongside your child as a leader and provide them with support. We would also love grandparents and parents to come and take small groups as well.

If you are available to come along, **even once**, and take a small group for an activity it would be hugely appreciated. Examples of activities you might like to take are cooking, art, craft, woodwork, sports skills, board game sessions, photography.....anything you like! There can be remuneration of costs of materials if necessary.

Please fill in the form below return it to your child’s teacher or contact Sarah O’Neill - sarah@east-taieri.school.nz

Thank you for your support!

Regards

Discovery Time Team

Name:

Contact phone number:

E-mail address:

Date (11:20-12:30)	I am available to come (Please tick)	Activity I will take and maximum number of children.
Friday 28 July		
Friday 4 August		
Friday 11 August		
Friday 8 September		
Friday 15 September		
Friday 22 September		

2nd HAND UNIFORM SHOP

Uniform shop will be open this Friday morning 8.30 am – 8.50am in the teacher aide room next to Room 4.

FOCUS VALUE ~ FAIR PLAY AND SELF-CONTROL

DESCRIPTIVE WRITING FROM CHARLOTTE VA'AFUSUAGA – ROOM 1


As the foaming seawater smell wafts up my nose a wave of clear water sprays on to my sunburned face. SUDDENLY.....a thunderous bark fills my head. I swiftly turn my head to find my smelly dog Nuie looking up at me hopefully. I sigh heavily and pick up the saliva covered stick with my bare hand. I heave the stick over my head and it sails into the air. Nuie races after the stick and leaves nothing but a cloud of crumbling sand behind her. I dart around to find the sun beaming down onto my body. I hear the crashing waves lap over each other. The sand crunches between my toes as I hear Nuie panting loudly. I immediately turn around to see my dog prancing around happily in the frothy water. I step forward into the water and the crumbly sand floats away.



TERM THREE EVENTS	
July	
27	Year 6 7-a-side tournament - Taieri College
August	
2	Golf – Whole School
4	NED Show (Positive Behaviour) 11.45am-12.30pm – Whole School
7	Kids & K9 sessions – Dog Safety
8	Kids & K9 sessions – Dog Safety
11	Year 6 Market Day
15	TSSA Cross Country
16	Ukulele Jam
23	Maths Evening
25	Year 5/6 - Edgar Centre Sports session
30	Public Speaking Competition
September	
1	Fathers' Day Lunch
Term 3	24 July – 29 September
Term 4	16 October – 18 December

STARS ON STAGE TEE SHIRT ORDER

\$20 - each



KIDS 4 6 8 10 12 14

Please circle size required.
 Name.....
 Class.....

*Due by Friday 11th August
 Please return form and pay at office.*

DESKS FOR SALE



For sale desks - surplus to requirements, in good condition, some nearly new. \$10 per desk.
 Contact Annette in the office to place your order.

ED SHEERAN CONCERT

Thursday 29th March 2018

Saturday 31st March 2018

Sunday 1st April 2018

The school has been given a fundraising opportunity for this event next year.

Armour Guard provide the security for Forsyth Barr and are putting together a list of Community groups/Schools etc, to provide volunteers to help them on the 3 nights Ed Sheeran will be here. At this stage I am just collecting names and date/dates you could help.

PLEASE NOTE - this is not a confirmed commitment but rather just an estimate of how many people we could provide.

Please message me with name, phone number and dates available and I will add you to the database.

Tracy McGee - 4895388

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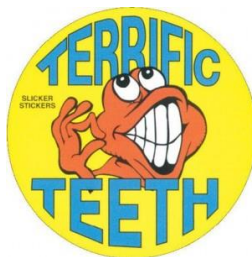
Why reward children with tooth decay?

Snacking often on sugary foods and drinks can lead to tooth decay.

Don't be part of the problem – be part of the solution to better oral health.

Choose an age-appropriate alternative reward such as:

- Toothbrush
- Magnets
- Stickers
- Bookmarks
- Certificates
- Colouring pages/activity sheets
- Temporary tattoos
- Pencils, erasers, mini note pads
- Ink stamps
- Coloured chalk
- Balloons
- A plant or seeds and a pot for growing them in



Or best of all – **reward them with your time** - play a game or do an activity together.

You can now [enrol](#) your child/ren or adolescents online for their free dental care!

Find us on  [Talkteeth – Southern](#)

SUBWAY ORDERS – WEDNESDAY ONLY

We will start this online order next week.



SCHOOL LUNCH PROGRAMME



Dear Parent,

We're excited to announce the following updates to our Subway® Days:

ONLINE ORDERING

An easier way to order the Subway® School Lunch Programme is now available.

Our school will be moving across to new online ordering for our Subway® Days from [insert date].

To place an online order, simply visit www.subway.co.nz/schools and follow the instructions below to place your order by **9am** each Subway® Day.

STEP BY STEP GUIDE FOR ONLINE ORDERING



1.
Visit www.subway.co.nz/schools and select SUBWAY® School Lunch Programme.



2.
Either create an account or login by following the prompts.



3.
Select your school and complete the 'student name' and 'class' fields. You can then choose to start a New Order or choose a favourite order from the list.



4.
Follow steps 1 to 3 to build your sub and add any drinks or sides – remember to select the Ingredients you want on the sub.



5.
Confirm your order and pay via Credit Card.

Credit card payment
only is accepted

Note: If you are placing multiple orders for multiple children, you will need to finalise payment for the first order before starting the process over again to place any subsequent orders.

www.subway.co.nz/schools

INFORMATION

FOR PARENTS

MULTI-SPORT

PROGRAMME

Programmes run weekly on one day a week for one hour.

This term we will focus on the following sports:

- ✓ Dodgeball
- ✓ Football
- ✓ Rippa Rugby
- ✓ Handball
- ✓ Netball
- ✓ Basketball

This weekly programme gives children skills and confidence in a fun and enjoyable environment. It also encourages their enthusiasm for sport and the life skills that such involvement brings – giving them confidence to join sports clubs and teams in the future.

For year 0 – 4 students.

PRICES 8 WEEKS FOR \$80

Green Island Primary - Tues 3:10pm - 4:10pm

Outram School – Tues 3:10pm - 4:10pm

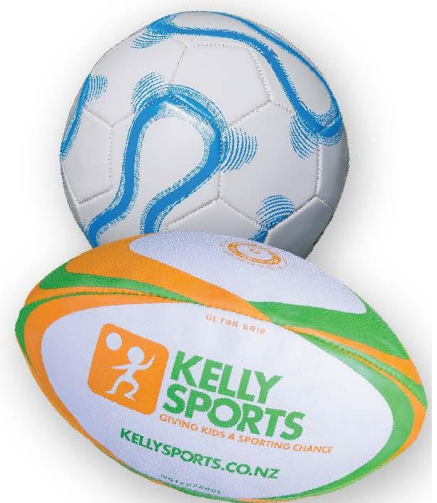
Kaikorai Primary School - Tues 3:10pm - 4:10pm

Fairfield School – Wed 3:10pm - 4:10pm

East Taieri School - Wed 3:10pm - 4:10pm

Port Chalmers School - Wed 3:10pm - 4:10pm

Elmgrove School - Thur 3:10pm - 4:10pm



BOOK EARLY & SAVE

Use the voucher code 'earlybird' before 26th July to save!

Website: kellysports.co.nz/dunedin

Contact: Kelly Hamill

Email: dunedin@kellysports.co.nz

Phone: 027 695 8004

Facebook: #KellySportsDunedin

 **KELLY SPORTS**
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KELLYSPORTS.CO.NZ

Exciting opportunity! Young artists' work displayed in a high profile art gallery:

Otago Art Society *Youth Art Awards 2017*

SPONSORED BY ALAN DOVE PHOTOGRAPHY

ABOUT THE EXHIBITION:

- There is no set theme.
- Works may be 2- or 3-dimensional.
- Please note: only one entry per artist.
- Entries are welcome from individuals or school groups.

RECEIVING OF ENTRIES:

Please bring your artwork to Otago Art Society,
1st Floor, Dunedin Railway Station, on either
Friday 8th September from 3.00 to 6.00pm, or
Saturday 9th September from 10am to 4.00pm.

To be exhibited at the
Otago Art Society galleries
1st floor, Dunedin Railway Station

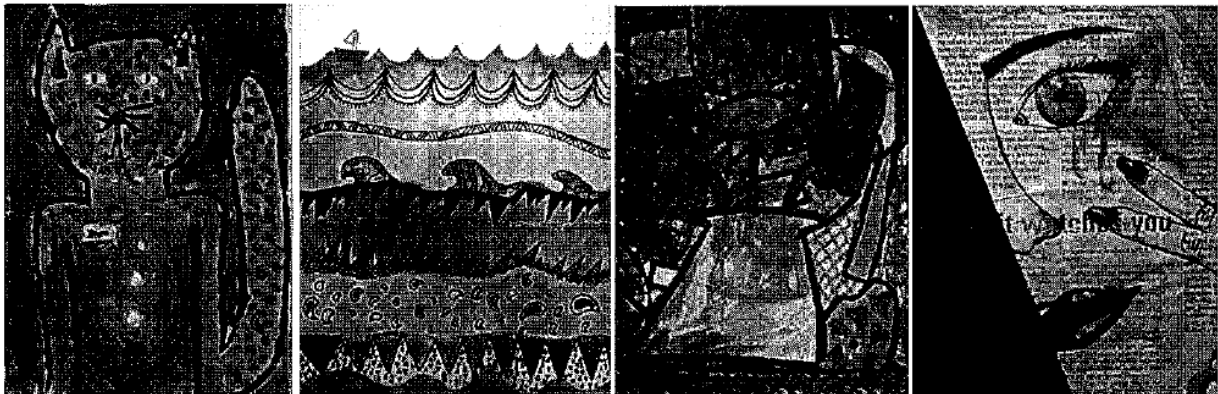
16th September
to 1st October

Four AGE GROUP sections:

- 5 to 7 years old
- 8 to 10 years old
- 11 to 13 years old
- 14 and 15 years old

PRIZES:

- 4 prizes awarded in each section.
- There will be a prize for Best School.
- All artists will receive a Certificate of Participation when work is collected after exhibition.



*Opening Night Fun: Friday 15th September at 5.30pm.
Food Frolic in the Foyer, followed by awarding of prizes.*

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