

THE FAIRLIE ACCESSIBLE



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21 SEPTEMBER 2022

Mackenzie College wins Spirit of Adventure Trophy Voyage 848A

On September 4th, ten Year 10 students woke up at 4 am to travel from Mackenzie College to the Princes Wharf in Auckland for the Spirit of Adventure 5-day Trophy Voyage.

The Spirit of Adventure is a non-profit organization that helps NZ youth reach their full potential at sea. This was a Trophy Voyage, which meant we had to compete in various exciting challenges such as raft racing, toe jam pictiography, quizzes, beach relays, which team could put up the sails the fastest and many more. We competed against three other North Island schools: Raglan Area School, Aquinas College and Mt. Maunganui College to win the trophy. The food was exceptional (compliments to the cook!). We also met some awesome people who shared their culture and stories with us.

I can be withdrawn at times due to my shyness, but the people in the ship welcomed each one of us with open arms. It's safe to say that every student definitely stepped out of their comfort zone, whether this may be interacting with other students, climbing up the mast or jumping off a ship at 6:30 in the morning in freezing cold waters. We pushed ourselves out there and gave it our best, otherwise we wouldn't have made the relationships we now cherish. Not only did we learn how to tie knots and how to sail, we also learnt how to use our own personal skills and combine them together to form an unbeatable group. This developed our chemistry as a team and strengthened our relationship as we did not leave someone out because they weren't 'suitable' for the job, instead we joined forces and used their skills to our advantage to complete it as one.



Year 10 Spirit of Adventure 2022:

Back: Riley, Slade, Ben Slade, Kelly Cassie, Evelyn Holden, William Gorospe, Lexie Biggs, Rebecca Boon, Marcus Wilson, Jack Cassie - Front: Eshaa and Eshee Pasaol



We came home late at night on September 9th, so happy that we had the opportunity to participate in this adventure and to bring home the trophy - Spirit of Adventure Voyage 848A. This was a real life experience which we will always remember. We made great friendships and made ourselves, our school and community proud of our achievements.

We would like to give our deepest thanks to the Fairlie Lions, Tekapo Lions, Fairlie Saturday Second Hand Markets, Biggs Family, Alpine Energy, the PTA, and our parents for their wholehearted support. To Mrs Adams for organising it and to Mrs Cassie for going with us. Thank you to everyone, especially to our Year 10 2022 SOA team, for making it more enjoyable and for the awesome memories we made. And if anyone needs an extra hand, we would all be glad to help! *Eshee Pasaol*

Spring is in the Air!



Our Hospitality

Mt Cook Lakeside Retreat is pleased to bring you an evening with Dr David Gerrard

We invite you and your friends to an evening of inspiration and delightful conversation with Dave to hear of his experiences in high performance sport, drug abuse by athletes, children in sport, observations from eleven Olympic Games and the importance of preparing for life after sport. Dr Dave Gerrard will be our guest speaker followed by a Q&A session chaired by Bevan Newlands (Chair Sports Twizel).

**Saturday 24 September 2022
@ 6.30 pm at Moraine Lodge**

Start the evening by delighting your taste buds with a welcome selection of amuse-bouche prepared by the Retreat chefs, simple whole foods defined by freshness and the natural seasons. We encourage you to come along to hear from Dave about controversies in contemporary sport, nutrition, supplements, injuries and the place of sport in society.

Tickets cost \$25 and are available to purchase from the Mt Cook Lakeside Retreat website at:
<https://www.mtcookretreat.nz/retreat-events/>

For more information, contact:
Luke and Kaye Paardekooper
Owners, Mt Cook Lakeside Retreat
luke@paardekooper.nz
0274 370 820



Supporting Gumboot Friday in Fairlie

Following on from the superb floral demonstration by Miss Albury at the recent Fairlie Lion's gathering, the idea has come forth to have a similar competition in support of Gumboot Friday on 4th November. Invited guests such as the new Mayor, Mackenzie District Councillors, local School Principals, other well-known people in the town and local retailers will be invited to create an 'arrangement of beauty' in a Red Band gumboot. These arrangements will go on display the few days leading up to Gumboot Friday and the community will be invited to vote on what they consider the best, by donating cash for the cause! Watch for further advertising of this event and with a little luck Miss Albury might come share her skills yet again!



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QUIZ NIGHT

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DOORS OPEN 6PM FOR 6:30PM START
RAFFLE AND SILENT AUCTION
\$20 PER PERSON / TEAMS OF 6

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All proceeds go towards I Am Hope Foundation

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MACKENZIE BALL 2022

Friday 28 October

“FUR AND TWEED”

Guest Speaker – Jason Gunn
rustic meal – bar/eftpos – live music
(Brad & Brett - the B Minors are back in a 4 piece band)

\$80 per ticket

available from Farmlands and Heartlands Fairlie Resource Centre

Mackenzie Community Centre Stadium, Fairlie – 6.30 pm

- don't arrive late, there's a lot going on! -
- fundraiser for Fairlie community health -

What's Happening?

Mackenzie Ball 2022

My name is Andrew Hurst, or Buster as a lot of people will know me as. Myself and a small committee have come together to hold the "Fur and Tweed Ball 2022" to start a community health fund. Three years ago, I had a serious accident. My health care, travel and wages were covered by ACC and we came to thinking of all the health problems which are not as well supported as an accident situation is. Our hope for this fund is to support people in financial hardship facing unexpected health costs.

The Fairlie Lions Club will hold the funds in their bank account on behalf of our committee. We will administer the funds which can be applied for through an application process. We have key people in the community and hope to mobilise quickly to get the help to where it is needed.

We are proud to be supported by the Fairlie Lions Club as one of our key sponsors. The Mackenzie Young Farmers Club have also got on board with sponsorship for our ball. The ball will consist of a rustic meal, entertainment by Jason Gunn and then dance the night away with Brad and Brett (The B Minors) playing in a 4-piece band.

We hope you can drag out your best 'fur and tweed' - come and let your hair down for a great cause. Don't be late to the event as there will be a lot going on - 6.30 pm! Tickets are \$80 each and available from Friday 23 September from Farmlands and Heartlands Fairlie Resource Centre. Bar facilities and eftpos will be available.

We are seeking table sponsorship from businesses of \$250 to help with running costs on the night. If you would like your business name on a table, please do not hesitate to ring or text me on 027 289 4580. Thank you for your support.



The Golden Girls are back!!!

Saturday Second Hand Markets
Saturday 24 September (fortnightly until Nov)
9.00 am-2.00 pm



Albury Inn

GRAEME'S SPECIAL
Satay Prawns
Fri-Sat open 4.00 pm
Sunday open 12 noon
Phone 685 5910





New Hours
9.00 am-5.00 pm daily
Closed Mondays



The iconic **Pink Ribbon Street Appeal** is back on Friday 28 & Saturday 29 October. You can get involved by volunteering two hours of your time to collect and help raise vital funds for breast cancer education, research and patient support. There are locations all around the country. Getting involved is a fantastic way to show your support for the 3,500 Kiwis diagnosed with breast cancer each year in NZ.



All you need to do is find a location that suits you, <https://pinkribbonvolunteer.org.nz/> register to collect, and show up on the day! There will be buckets, volunteer sashes, pink ribbons, and chocolate waiting for you, and we'll stay in touch in the lead-up to the appeal.

Meet the Candidates - Fairlie 22nd September 2022 You are invited!

All candidates in the Mackenzie District Local Body Elections standing for the Mayoralty, the Opuha Ward and Fairlie Community Board will be invited to come speak at this public meeting to be held in the Mackenzie Community Theatre at 7.30 pm on September 22nd.

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ESSENTIAL**



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27 Sept 2022**

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Club**

**Wednesday
28 Sept 2022**

9am - 12.30pm

TWIZEL

**Poppies
Cafe**

**Thursday
29 Sept 2022**

9am - 12.30pm

<https://www.scchamber.org.nz/events-training/training/health-and-wellbeing-timaru/>

<https://www.scchamber.org.nz/events-training/training/health-and-wellbeing-fairlie/>

<https://www.scchamber.org.nz/events-training/training/health-and-wellbeing-twizel/>

★ For more information please email Annette - Abeautrais@scdhub.health.nz
or ☎ phone **03 687 2192** ** STRICTLY LIMITED SEATS **



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Health and Wellbeing

From 11.59 pm on 12 September 2022, the COVID-19 Protection Framework (traffic lights) were removed

With cases reducing, a highly-vaccinated population, and comprehensive access to anti-viral medicines, New Zealand can safely move forward.

You will only need to wear a mask when visiting healthcare facilities like hospitals, GPs, and aged care residential facilities. Some places like workplaces or marae may ask people to wear a mask. You can find more information on masks here: <https://covid19.govt.nz/.../keep-up-healthy.../face-masks/>

- * You only need to self-isolate if you test positive for COVID-19. Leave support payments for COVID-19 cases will continue. You can find out what to do if you test positive here: <https://covid19.govt.nz/isolation.../if-you-have-covid-19/>
- * Household Contacts are recommended to take a RAT every day for five days. So long as you test negative, you will be able to go about daily life as normal. You're encouraged to wear a mask whenever you leave home, particularly if visiting vulnerable people, like elderly or immunocompromised people, using public transport, or when in a crowded indoor space
- * You will no longer need to be vaccinated to enter New Zealand. People arriving in New Zealand from overseas will continue to receive free RATs at the airport and will be encouraged to test on day 0/1 and 5/6. You can find more information for preparing to travel to New Zealand here: <https://covid19.govt.nz/.../preparing-to-travel-to-new-.../>
- * All remaining vaccine mandates will end. The last workforce with a Government vaccine mandate is health and disability workers. This will end on 11.59 pm, 26 September 2022. Some employers may still require workers to be vaccinated due to their responsibilities under health and safety legislation.
- * Anti-viral medicines will be available for free to any New Zealander 65+ who tests positive for COVID-19. For Māori and Pacific peoples, these medicines will be available for free to anyone aged 50+ who tests positive. In addition, anyone with three high-risk conditions is eligible for free anti-viral medicines. You can find more information here: <https://covid19.govt.nz/.../medicines-to-treat-covid-19/>
- * <https://covid19.govt.nz/next-phase-of-our-covid-19-response>

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Nurture Our Tamariki
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Topics include:

- How the brain grows and develops
- Why children need to feel loved
- Help children handle stress and feel safe
- How experiences shape healthy development.

Join us to talk about ... What does your child really need?

TIME & DATES 12.30-2.30pm QR 6-8pm Thursday 27 October 2022	VENUE Fairlie Primary School Korimako Classroom	COST Free
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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION
Events for the whole community. Nibbles will be provided.

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Nurture the seed so it will blossom*



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Lessons Learned Life

VACCINATION CLINIC ...
Wednesday Afternoons
Covid Vaccinations available each Wednesday afternoon at the Fairlie Medical Centre.
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Unite against COVID-19 **Fairlie Medical Centre**

Intrepid Adventurer - Grant Munro



On the 14th of August I stood on the start line of the latest round of the "Racing the Planet" series at the top of Finland. The start line was 150 kms above the Arctic Circle and most of the course was heading north. There were racers from 42 countries on the start line, all nervous about what lay ahead. The races all follow the same model - 6 stages over 7 days running over 250 kms off road and all competitors need to carry everything they need for the 7 seven days in their backpacks.

My backpack full with my food, spare clothes and sleeping bay weighted 5.7kgs at the start and got me the prize for the lightest pack in the field, which left me a little nervous about my calories per day calculations - but a small backpack is a great feeling.

We started running on the first day and within 1 km we were chest deep in swamps, then 2 hours later running over a ski field, so the contrasts were huge. The vast area has huge swamps, forest of spruce trees and rolling mountains. Very few people live up there but reindeer are everywhere!!

The spots where we slept for the night were old logger's camps and winter pens for the reindeer as the local Sami population farm them in a ranch style of farming.

The 24 hour daylight hours (it was the middle of summer) took some getting used to, as the sun rising at 1 am does upset some competitor's sleep patterns but after running most of the day I had no problems there!!

The people on these events are from all works of life but really positive and keen for a real adventure - which we all got!!!



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All the best Annie!

Annie Shearer (Fairlie Golf Club) with Daniel Poulter (Gleniti) and Sebastian McMillan (Ashburton) have been selected to represent the Aorangi Region at the New Zealand Eagles Under 17 National Tournament at Mangawhai Golf Club, North Auckland 10-12 October.



Winners!

Congratulations to the Fairlie Golf Club's Moyes Pennant team on winning the Aorangi competition on Sunday 18 September. The final was held at Pleasant Point with Fairlie vs Gleniti. Fairlie took out the win 15-2. Pictured above is the winning team (back l-r) Andrew Drummond, Geoff Horler, Rob Glover, Robert Trotter (front l-r) Hamish Lane and Mike Herrick. Others playing in the competition were Grant Gibson, Dan McCloy and Eric Laurenson.

The challenge really starts on the 5th day when you have to cover 80 kms, the body is starting to show the signs of a lack of food and is battered and bruised from the first 4 days of racing. The course is always off road with a mixture of hills and billy goat tracks, so I normally feel right at home.

There was one other Kiwi on the event this year, an ED doctor from Auckland with a great sense of humour and as it happened we were about the same speed so spent a lot of time together on course. The other competitors came from all corners of the world with some interesting life stories to keep us entertained around the fires at night. The temps were 15c during the day and down to -2c at night.

When we reached the finish line of the 136 starters, only 112 made the finish line and I managed to be number 32 home, and I was also 7 kg lighter than when I started!!

Fairlie Bowling Club

Opening Day

Sunday 25th September at 1.30 pm

Members a plate - Mufti

Come along and try the great game of bowls!

You will be made most welcome.

Contact number 027 224 0227



Mackenzie Ice Hockey 2022 Senior Results

This year, the Fairlie Falcons managed to take back the coveted Mackenzie Cup from 2 times champions, the Twizel Turbines. In a close game, against the Tekapo Tahrs, the Falcons scored the winning goal, breaking the 5 all tie to take home the Cup.

Historically, the Tekapo Tahrs were the team to beat, but in recent years with growing senior numbers and the introduction of a third team from Twizel, there's now strong competition within the seniors. Two teams from each town competed over the winter, with players from the third town drafted weekly into each team to build up numbers. The Mackenzie Cup is on display at the Silverstream Hotel, Kimbell.

Prize Giving Results

Top Forward: Oliver Linton

Top Defence: Walter Speck

Most Improved: Harriet Miller-Brown

Rookie of the Year: Shin Ikai

Greta Thunberg Trophy (Keeping Cool on the Ice):

Alison Blanchard

Top Goalie and MVP 2022: Jack "The Fridge" Ward

In photo Fairlie Falcons, supported by drafted players from the Twizel Turbines

Back Row: Shin and Katsu Ikai, Oliver Linton, Sandra Lambert,

Harriet Miller-Brown, Michael Donnelly, Leon Geddes, Callum France, Ben Wigley, Lachie Blair

Front Row: Sam Power, Jack Ward, Angus France

Absent: Steve Dunphy, Camryn Linton, Kengo Edmondson, Megz Mclvor

Congratulations Kieran!

After an outstanding year representing Mackenzie College in the Roncalli-Aoraki Combined 1st XV, Kieran Harris has scooped the two biggest prizes at the RAC prizegiving - Player of the Year and Players Player of the Year. A truly remarkable achievement. Pictured - Scott, Kieran and Trine Harris



Congratulations Molli!

Molli O'Neill (Mackenzie College) won the South Island Secondary Schools Giant Slalom Snowboarding title at the Cardrona Championships last weekend.



Congratulations Thomas!

Thomas Crawford (Mackenzie College) has recently represented NZ in the World Skate Oceania Championships team beating Australia in the 3000m Cadet Boys Relay and won the gold!

Congratulations Gracie!

Gracie Hellmrich (Mackenzie College) played for the Wakatipu Wild Woman's Ice Hockey team in the National Women's Ice Hockey League in Dunedin last weekend.





SCHOOLS CALENDAR

TERM 3

27 Sep	Rocky Shore Juniors	Fairlie Primary
27 Sept	Spirit Week	Mack College
28 Sep	Rocky Shore Seniors	Fairlie Primary
29 Sep	Learning Conferences	Fairlie Primary
29 Sep	Lipsync	Mack College
30 Sep	End of Term 3	Mack Schools



SUPPORTING THE JOURNEY - DISCOVERING THE POTENTIAL

Public Notice advertising details of pre-enrolment procedures and subsequent balloting procedures

Enrolment at Fairlie Primary School is governed by an enrolment scheme, details of which are available on the school website.

The board has determined that three places are likely to be available each term for out of zone students next year. The exact number of places will depend on the number of applications received from students who live within the school's home zone.

Next year there will be four enrolment periods. The first enrolment period runs from 1 February to 4 April 2023.

For students seeking enrolment within the first enrolment period, the deadline for receipt of applications for out-of-zone places is 4pm Wednesday 12 October 2022.

Parents of students who live within the home zone and intend enrolling their child at any time during the next year should notify the school by Wednesday 14 October to assist the school to plan appropriately for next year. Please email the school office: reception@fairlie.school.nz or call into the office.

Applications are to be made by completing the out-of-zone ballot application found online on our website at <https://www.fairlie.school.nz/enrolment-zone.html>.

If the number of out-of-zone applications exceeds the number of places available, students will be selected by ballot. If a ballot for out-of-zone places is required, it will be held on Friday 14 October 2022. Parents will be informed of the outcome of the ballot within three school days of the ballot being held.

Details relating to the subsequent enrolment periods can be found on our website.

Ngā mihi,
Amanda O'Brien
Tumuaki/Principal

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Fairlie Primary School

Enrolment Scheme

Fairlie Primary School has a current capacity of 150 student spaces. The peak (October) roll in 2020 was 132, meaning that current capacity was 88% utilised. An enrolment scheme is the only legal mechanism available to schools to manage enrolment numbers. The purpose of an enrolment scheme is to:

- avoid overcrowding, or the likelihood of overcrowding, at the school
- ensure that the selection of applicants for enrolment at the school is carried out in a fair and transparent manner
- enable the Secretary for Education to make the best use of the existing network of state schools.

An enrolment scheme for Fairlie Primary School started in Term Two this year. On our website, in the Enrolment section, is a written description and a map of the Fairlie Primary School zone, as well as information around enrolling either an in zone or out of zone student. Currently out of zone pre-enrolment forms for Term One 2023 are open. If you have any questions, please contact the principal, Amanda O'Brien - principal@fairlie.school.nz.

Term Three

At Fairlie Primary we are concluding our Science work around the Living World strand with a trip to the Rocky Shore (Smithfield Beach) in Timaru. This will allow students to begin to group together animals and plants common to the Rocky Shore according to their differences and similarities in external characteristics.

We are also having our three way learning conferences and a school assembly to finish the term.

After School Child Care

M-F / 3.15-5.00

\$7.50 per session



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KIDS CLUB

Fairlie Kids Club offers after school child care for ages 5-11 years old. Each day hosts a variety of activities and fun for boys and girls. Spaces are limited.

Contact: Erin Thomson at 0210-847-8373

Education

Albury School

Outdoor Learning Area

Recently we have received an extension to our sandpit/playground/outside learning area. An amazing outdoor learning station consisting of a kitchen and a workbench. The kitchen is equipped with a sink, stovetop, oven, pots, pans, trays and utensils! The children have already been cooking and baking up a storm, using loose parts provided by nature and their imagination.

The workbench is proving very popular with our budding builders of all age levels. There is a lot of sawing, hammering, designing and constructing to be witnessed at break times and the creations they come up with are quite impressive! The children are thrilled to have those new outside learning opportunities and are making great use of it!

We would like to say a big THANK YOU to Mr and Mrs van der Heyden, who designed, built and donated this fantastic learning station to Albury School! How lucky are our Albury Kids!



TUI Learning

We would like to share some of our TUI students Learning- Posters:

Olivia (Year 6): 'I made my dolphin poster because in my book "A kind of spark" the main character Addie loves sharks but she wanted to know about dolphins because she didn't want to be different. So I made the poster and talked about different types of dolphins. I included orcas, which are the largest dolphins. I also included some of the normal dolphins you see and I included Hector's dolphins.'

Hayley (Year 6): 'I had to do a poster about my favourite word. I think the reason I chose to do 'unique' was because I was always the tallest or always the heaviest, but that day I wanted to be the same as everyone else. I realised that doesn't matter, all that matters is that you are one of a kind.'

St Joseph's School

School Ski Days

On Friday we had an awesome school ski day at Mt Dobson. After some fresh snow a few days before, the sun was shining as we made our way up the mountain. The students were able to build on their skills from the week before when they had been skiing at Roundhill. They made fantastic progress with the help of the instructors. It was wonderful to have so many families join us and support their children in learning outside the classroom. This was a great experience and we look forward to doing it all again next year!



"We went skiing at Roundhill. It was a very, very long drive. We listened to The Freak song. I went down and I quickly put my ski gear on. When we got our ski passes I raced off the first time up the poma. I raced Ollie. Then I skied down to the T-bar. I was the first one and I went down super quick, I didn't crash. Then I went up to my favourite ride which was the T2."

By Dougal









KIDS ACTIVITY WEEK

FUN ACTIVITIES KIDS CAN ENJOY DURING THE SECOND WEEK OF SCHOOL HOLIDAYS

10-14 OCT 2022 **9 AM - 3 PM** Admission Per Day **\$20**

Activities

- ✓ Fun at Fairlie Museum
- ✓ Tons of arts & crafts
- ✓ Scavenger hunts
- ✓ Skipton Animal Park
- ✓ C- Bay Park & Beach day

Fairlie Kids Club
St. Columba Hall, Gall St.
B.Y.O. Lunch and Water Bottle

Contact: Erin Thomson
0210-847-8373

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Fairlie Area Kindergarten

Father's Fish and Chips Evening

A happy outcome of the easing of restrictions has been the return of traditional events. Recently we held our special evening for our fathers to come and enjoy a fish and chip tea with their tamariki. This event for the four year olds has been part of our programme for many years and is one much anticipated and enjoyed by the tamariki.

The evening began with some favourite waiata and then Tom and Cleo said the blessing for the food. After that it was the serious business of fish and chips. What a lovely evening, filled with the lively chat and laughter and good kai! A play outside in the ever dimming light was a bonus for the tamariki. Thank you dads for supporting this event.




Mackenzie Toy Library

Open - Mon 9am-11am
(throughout school term)

Located - School Road, Fairlie

Enquiries to President Katie Rowland
mackenzietoylibrary@gmail.com
(Castle - Hiltje Boysen-Anderson 027 293 2629)






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Nurturing Inquisitive Young Minds

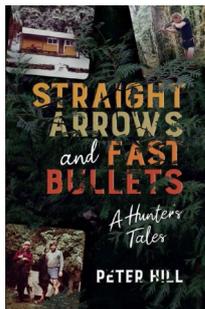
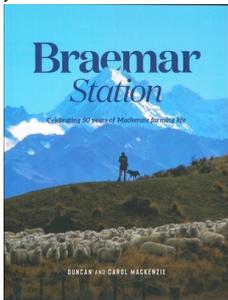
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ALL THE BROKEN PLACES

John Boyne

Published by Penguin

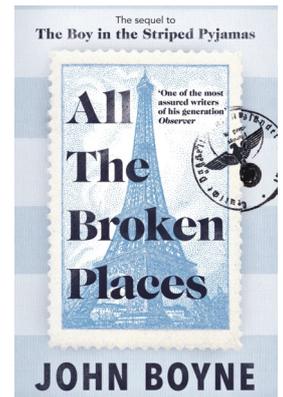
One of the reasons I like reading fiction is that it allows me to examine those parts of humanity that documentaries and non-fiction cannot reach.

Ninety-one year old Gretel, the protagonist in John Boyne's latest novel All The Broken Places, is the daughter of a Nazi commandant of one of the most notorious concentration camps during WWII. We explore what it means to be the daughter of a monster, and does this make you culpable? Through John Boyne's clever storytelling you can feel sympathy for Gretel, without diminishing the terrible things that were done during the Holocaust.

All the Broken Places is a sequel of sorts to John Boyne's 2006 book The Boy in the Striped Pyjamas, the story of nine year-old Bruno, Gretel's younger brother. His story is set during the war when Bruno meets Jewish Shmuel, the boy in the 'striped pyjamas' who lives behind the fence of the 'mysterious' camp of which his father is commandant. This book was written for (older) children and has been read by many high school students as an introduction to the Holocaust.

Unlike The Boy in the Striped Pyjamas, Gretel's story is written for adults. It is set in London in 2022 and we piece together Gretel's life as it moves between the present and the significant periods in her life in which she tries to reconcile the guilt, shame and grief she feels about her past. Gretel is a feisty old person and against her natural inclination to keep to herself, she connects with a young boy who moves into an apartment downstairs from Gretel's. Taking care of this vulnerable young person may be a way for Gretel to reconcile her guilt...

Despite the weighty themes of the book, it is not a dark and sad read. Gretel's feistiness in her old age will bring lightness to the story. This book is definitely in my 2022 Top10 of good reads.



Library Transport

Are you having difficulty getting to the library regularly? Is driving or transport an issue for you? Then we can help. We have use of the new community vehicle every Wednesday, to collect people from their homes, transport them to the library, and deliver them home again. There will be no cost for using this service, so just get in touch to let us know if you'd like to be added to the collection list and arrange a suitable time. We can even arrange a cup of tea and a biscuit while you're here. Spread the word to friends and neighbours, and get your place booked today. We look forward to seeing you.

Large Print

We are finding that a lot of our books use quite small print, which can be hard to read. We are attaching a red transparent film over the spine labels of adult fiction books that have larger print, to identify them more easily on the shelves. Keep a look out for these, and please suggest other books that these stickers could be added to also. We still have our separate Large Print section in the library too, which has some great titles, and is well-worth a look.

What does a books spine tell you?

As well as the book's title and author, the library staff add several additional stickers, to help you select the right book for you...

NZ sticker - indicates a New Zealand author

Genre sticker - indicates genre (action, romance, crime, historical, fantasy, humour etc)

Coloured spot with number - indicates a series (colour) and the place of that book in the series (number)

Enjoy the spring blossoms!

The Library Crew

Our Community

A Men's Shed or something similar for Fairlie?

I would like to thank the men and women who have responded positively to the article in the last Fairlie Accessible. It was great to see so much support in the community.

Due to the amount of interest, I have organised a meeting at the Mackenzie Community Centre on Wednesday 28th September at 6 pm. Trevor Scott, President of Menz Sheds NZ will come to us, as well as 2 or 3 others. This is open to all - any age or gender. Paul Gallagher 027 685 4809 or 03 685 4809



Mackenzie Community Education for Adults

Pictured is Pla Parichart with some of her keen Thai cooking students. Another course starts 8th October!



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Birthdays:

- 21 Sept Angela Marshall
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22 Sept Julie McDonald (Tekapo)
23 Sept Julie McDonald (Fairlie)
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Our services include:

- recruiting and referring volunteers to non-profit organisations
- supporting the volunteer programmes of non-profit organisation members and providing them with trainings, workshops and networking events.
- advocating for the volunteer sector
- recognizing volunteer work through our award programmes, National volunteer weeks and International volunteer day celebrations

Our vision is to support communities where voluntary work is understood, recognised, and valued.

What are the benefits of volunteering?

1. Volunteering connects you to others, make new friends and build contacts

One of the more well-known benefits of volunteering is the impact on the community. Volunteering allows you to connect to your community and make it a better place. It is also a great way to meet new people, especially if you are new to an area. It strengthens your ties to the community and broadens your support network.

2. Volunteering is good for your mind and body

Volunteering provides many benefits to both mental and physical health. It helps counteract the effects of stress, anger, anxiety, and also combats depression. Thus, volunteering can make you happy, help increase self-confidence, provide a sense of purpose, and help you to stay physically healthy.

3. Volunteering can advance your career and gain career experience

If you're considering a new career, volunteering can help you get experience in your area of interest and meet people in the field. Even if you're not planning on changing careers, volunteering gives you the opportunity to practice important skills used in the workplace, such as teamwork, communication, problem solving, project planning, task management, and organisation.

4. Volunteering brings fun and fulfilment to your life

Volunteering is a fun and easy way to explore your interests and passions. Doing volunteer work you find meaningful and interesting can be a relaxing, energizing escape from your day-to-day routine of work, school, or family commitments. Volunteering also provides you with renewed creativity, motivation, and vision that can carry over into your personal and professional life.

For more information about volunteering in Fairlie, contact Haidee at manager-sc@vmcsc.org.nz

Time to Declutter!

Tough to think about it but as we age we accumulate possessions that our family may not necessarily want!



The vase that you got for your 21st, the framed print you got on that tour of Vietnam, the copies of jokes and poems that you once enjoyed – may mean something to you but could well not be more than another thing in the bin when it comes to emptying your home as you move away or heavenly.

So the time is right to start that declutter and feel the therapeutic effects of lessening the items surrounding you.

A recommended way is to start slowly and with intent – sitting in front of tv, start on that spare bedroom drawer. Divide items into three piles, what you want and need to keep, what you can send to the secondhand market and what you need to throw out!

'Where to' with what you have to give away? You can call the Hospice, other Timaru secondhand fundraising groups or you can support the area with funds raised going back to the community through the Fairlie Saturday Secondhand Market. Where have funds gone lately? Supporting counselling for locals, supporting the young people who recently went on the Spirit of Adventure and to the proposed Mackenzie Memorial Wall in the Fairlie Cemetery. On the burner at the moment is funding the Jack Lovelock Track panels proposed for School Road and Nixons Road, telling the story of Lovelock and the path of this walking and cycling track named after him. To donate locally call Maureen 685 8466 or call Heartlands 685 8496.

Beginning this project can bring on tears and memories – some good, some bad, but possessions cannot go with you so best to start somewhere, to lessen the burden on your family in the future.



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Activities for Older Folk

For any of these events book at Heartlands!

September:

22nd Lake Tekapo for lunch and Petronella's - leaving at 11.30 am after Stronger for Longer. Hot pools if keen!

30th Afternoon tea in McLean's Park honouring Her Majesty the Queen - you must book in to come along. 2 pm BYO seat and good cheer!

October:

1st or 2nd Horsepower Rally 2022 in Timaru - is a fundraising event to raise funds for the storing and protection of vintage tractors at the South Canterbury Traction and Transport Museum facilities in Brosnan Road, Washdyke, Timaru. A great event for those with a bent in this direction. Minivan trip to it - you need to be able to walk around the exhibits.

6th A back road outing for the men folk! Plus afternoon tea! Depart at 1 pm

6th Movie and Shopping in Timaru Leaving after Erin's exercise classes

20th Movie at Mine - call Heartlands to find out where it is OR JOIN THE TEXT LIST!

27th Oamaru Outing with Sharyn leaving at 9 am Book at Heartlands



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J. Wagner



Daylight saving is just a few days away and it's always a good time to check your smoke alarm. Many of you will have the alarms with the 10 year battery - these are normally reliable however some of the earlier ones played up in really cold temperatures or needed a clean regularly. The newer ones are more reliable. One of our Fire Fighters was having trouble with a smoke alarm going off and a couple of times people walking past the house rang to say they could hear the alarm which was great. The third time a person rang to say they heard an alarm, the Fire Fighter said it is in the wheely bin. If you need help with your smoke alarm contact any Brigade member.

The Brigade has been working on the old Bedford Fire Appliance over the last couple of years. Like every one, COVID slowed this down. As money has allowed we have replaced the tyres and a lot of the cracked glass has been replaced. The brake cylinders are being re-conditioned and we would like to thank Barwoods for letting us use the workshop to store the truck while the brakes were away. This is a 10 year restoration project for the Brigade, we're probably a bit ahead of that, but as you all know, things always cost more than you plan for!

We would like to say thank you to Alan and Sue at Kotuku Saddlery & Canvas for the upholstery job they did on the Bedford before Colin's funeral, this was very much appreciated.

The Brigade has had one call out - this was an alarm activation. Our call outs for the year are about the same as this time last year.

The Brigade is flying our flag at half mast as a mark of respect at the passing of the Queen.

Take care and have a great week.

Wayne Dixon
Fairlie Brigade Fire Chief



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Theft from Vehicles

Prevention Advice



Thieves search vehicles for cash, bank cards, sunglasses, GPS, mobiles phones, laptops, wallets and purses, sports equipment, clothing and any other valuable property left in a vehicle.

Thieves use a range of techniques, but most offending is opportunistic. The following tips will help to minimise these opportunities and keep your vehicle safe:

- Always lock your vehicle and take keys with you when you leave.
- Close all windows and sunroofs.
- Park in well-lit areas when possible.
- Do not leave valuables in your car.
- If you have to leave valuables in your car, make sure they are out of sight.
- Do not leave documents with personal information behind especially passports.
- Do not leave keys to your home / business / boat in your vehicle.



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Recycle at your gate! Saturday 1st October 2022

New to the area and don't understand this concept? From 9 am on Saturday 1st October you, the residents of Fairlie (or by arrangement with a town dweller) can leave items that you don't want at your gate, for other to simply take!

You have to be prepared to be happy with whoever takes them and most importantly, we don't want the event ruined by people leaving rubbish at the gate. At 4 pm when the event is over for the day, it is your responsibility to remove the unwanted items from your gate and dispose of them yourself. So how does that sound?

For enquiries – ring Heartlands 685 8496

Further Afield

The Evening Sky in October 2022

Jupiter is the 'evening star', appearing in the northeast soon after sunset. It shines with a steady golden light. As the sky darkens **Saturn** appears north or northwest of the zenith. It has a cream colour, unlike any star.

Jupiter and Saturn are worth a look in any telescope. Even a small telescope shows Jupiter's disk. Larger telescopes will show the parallel bands in Jupiter's clouds. Jupiter's four big moons are lined up on either side of the planet, swapping places from night to night. Saturn appears as an oval in a low-powered telescope as the ring and planet merge. Larger telescopes show the ring and Saturn's biggest moon Titan four ring-diameters from the planet. Smaller moons are closer in. The Moon will be near Saturn on the 5th and near Jupiter on the 8th and 9th.

Orange **Antares** is midway down the western sky. It marks the heart of the Scorpion. The Scorpion's tail loops up the sky in the evening, making a back-to-front question mark with Antares being the dot. The curved tail is the 'fish-hook of Maui' in Maori star lore. Above and right of the Scorpion's tail is 'the teapot' made by the brightest stars of **Sagittarius**. It is upside down in our southern hemisphere view.

Canopus is low in the southeast at dusk often twinkling colourfully. It swings up into the eastern sky during the night. In the southwest are 'The Pointers', Beta and **Alpha Centauri**, making a vertical pair. They point down to **Crux** the Southern Cross. On the north skyline is **Vega**, setting in the early evening.

The **Milky Way** is brightest and broadest in Scorpius and Sagittarius. In a dark sky it can be traced down to the south. In the north it meets the skyline right of **Vega**. The Milky Way is our edgewise view of the galaxy, the pancake of billions of stars of which the Sun is just one. Clouds of dust and gas between the stars make gaps and slots in the Milky Way. The dust and gas has come from old stars that have thrown much of their material back into space as they faded or blew up. New stars eventually condense from this stuff. A scan along the Milky Way with binoculars shows many clusters of new stars and some glowing clouds of left-over gas. There are many in Scorpius and Sagittarius and below the Southern Cross.

The Large and Small Clouds of Magellan, **LMC** and **SMC**, look like two misty patches of light in the southeast sky above Canopus. They are easily seen by eye on a dark moonless night. They are galaxies like our Milky Way but much smaller.

On moonless evenings in a dark rural sky the **Zodiacal Light** is visible in the west. It looks like late twilight: a faint broad column of light reaching up toward Antares, fading out at the Milky Way. It is sunlight reflecting off meteoric dust in the plane of the solar system. The dust may have come from a big comet, centuries ago.

Orange **Mars** rises in the northeast around midnight. It is



Crime After Crime - what a fabulous evening! Pictured below is Michael Robotham, JP Pomare, Wilma (Petronella's Bookstore) and Val McDermid

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the brightest 'star' in that part of the sky and makes a triangle of orange stars with Betelgeuse and Aldebaran. The Moon is near Mars on the mornings of the 15th and 16th.

Star charts are available at <https://www.rasnz.org.nz/>.

Notes by Alan Gilmore, University of Canterbury's Mt John Observatory and the Aoraki Makenzie International Dark Sky Reserve.
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Tekapo Power Scheme – Spring Community Update

Kia ora,

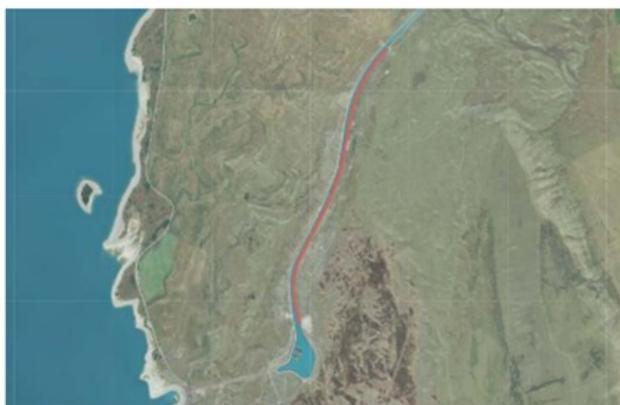
What a winter it has been across the country and the Tekapo Power Scheme is no exception! The scheme saw its wettest winter since 1925 with the monthly average in July 212% above the long-term monthly mean. In the week of 15 August alone, the level of Lake Tekapo rose 25%. Fingers crossed this means we have a settled summer.

Seasonal Changes – Spring

On the 31st of August Genesis commenced spill to manage the level of Lake Tekapo within our Environment Canterbury consent conditions. There is often a lot of confusion around when and why we spill, but after such long periods of inflows exceeding the consented outflows, spill was needed to bring the level back down below the summer Maximin Control Level of 709.7 meters above sea level. The strict flood management rules we operate to have been in place since 1990 and are based on a minimum discharge required out of Lake Tekapo.

Temporary Road Closure – Tekapo Canal

The last four kilometres of the Tekapo Canal Road (shown in red in the image below) will be closed to vehicle access for approximately a week during minor road maintenance work. Works are expected to commence from 19 September (weather dependent). Road closure barriers will be in place at the last canal bridge and just north of the head pond. Pedestrian and bicycle access will remain open during this time. If accessing the canal, please follow all safety signage.



Work Experience, Tours and Careers Expo

The team and I have been busy the last couple of months engaging with young people to open up the Power Scheme and to demonstrate some of the many careers within the energy industry.

Last week, I had the pleasure of attending the South Canterbury Pathways Employment Expo in Timaru. We met with over a hundred students to share our experience as they begin exploring their career options for the future.

In June, we had an awesome visit from the Year 11 Mackenzie College class to learn about the Scheme and how hydroelectricity works. There are so many processes in action and a great learning playground that we work and live in. We look forward to having regular visits from the local schools to continue opportunities for engagement and learning.



Mackenzie College Students learning how hydroelectricity works from Senior Operator Maintainer - Paul Bryant.

We will be holding our Annual Community Meeting in the next few months, keep an eye out for the details soon. We look forward to catching up in person!



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Tekapo Site Manager
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Lisa North - 685 8496
community.development@fairlienz.org

The Kirke Street Community Garden volunteers have sowed the seeds of happiness! Well, ok, we have sown some vegie seeds in preparation for the spring planting after Labour weekend and it was a gloriously sunny day with a great turn out of happy people to help.

The honeybees were also buzzing happily on the wicking beds in the garden which provides them with a safe stony place to sip a little water.

It is Bee Aware Month and as most people are reasonably knowledgeable about honeybees but know little about our native bees. We have 28 species of native bees that fall into three different families and don't live in hives or produce honey.

They live in nests in the ground and are non-aggressive and very rarely sting. Their foraging range is less than 100m so they need flowers close by to collect pollen to feed their larvae. Fortunately they are not affected by the Varroa mite, as honeybees are.

Females of the Leioproctus family (the largest family of the three) dig 20-30cm tunnels into the ground, into which they lay one egg. Lasioglossum bees are similar, although several females might share a nest hole. The Hylaeus family nests in plant material – beetle holes, or hollow straws in dead flax stems (Macdonald 2018).

Talking about bees ... keep an eye out for some community working bees at the community gardens as well as along the Opihi River, looking after areas that have been recently planted and picking up any rubbish.

Rubbish? It's Keep NZ Beautiful week! This year Keep New Zealand Beautiful celebrates 55 years of environmental community work. Heather Saunderson, Keep New Zealand Beautiful CEO says, "Clean Up Week encourages Kiwi families and groups to 'Do the Right Thing' and work together to clean up their patch of Aotearoa. Being clean and green is not only vital for our own health and that of our waterways, flora, fauna and whenua, but also for the protection of our much-valued tourism industry, our climate future and the wellbeing of generations to come."

Update on the Lake Tekapo Community Book Exchange and Mackenzie Library "Click and Collect" Service

Caroll and Craig at Lake Tekapo Holiday Homes, downstairs from Community Meeting Rooms (& Book Exchange) have kindly offered to hold a key, so pop in and see them and borrow their key to unlock the world of books, magazines and puzzles upstairs. Open each week from Thursday through to Monday from 2-5 pm, and often at other times too. Happy Reading!

Kirke Street Community Garden



Working Bee Fun Together!

Sat 1st Oct 10:00 – 12:00

Preparing beds for Spring

Having a laugh and sharing

something yummy with a cup of tea.



Any seedlings left over from the working bee will be made available to the community at our Seedling Swap and Giveaway on Sunday 30th October.

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Meeting people in our community ...

Meet Zoe, Doug and their children Ruby (10), Lulu (8) and Leo (5). They are living in Lake Tekapo as part of Lake Tekapo School's 'Winter Wonderland' Programme. This marvellous initiative (set up by The School Board of Trustees) has resulted in the school hosting families from around the country allowing them to experience a small, rural town and school. The families have come here to live for the Winter Term (10 weeks), enjoying the weekly skiing lessons that are part of the school curriculum.

Where were you born and where did you grow up?

Zoe I grew up on a remote sheep and beef farm in the King Country. I went to Waitaanga School, a very small rural school with 1 teacher. My husband, Doug was born in Fiji. He moved to NZ during his primary school years. After university, he went back to Fiji and worked there for 5 years. Auckland has been our home for a number of years.

How did you hear about the School's Winter Wonderland program?

Our good friend, Barbara lives in Lake Tekapo. She loves the lifestyle here, especially skiing in the winter and cycling in the Summer. I have very happy memories of my small rural Primary school and it is so special to be able to give our children that experience. Before arriving here, our daughter Lulu was just cruising at school but thanks to skiing and the challenge of learning and going up through the levels like graduating to the T Bar, then being good enough to ski with poles, Lulu has now transferred that goal-setting mindset to other activities including school work. The girls also love having 'a heat up' for lunch at school. That means taking something - toasted sandwich/leftover dinner to school for 'heating up'. It has to be named and wrapped in tin foil, ready for the school staff to heat up for lunch.

I'm sure a lot of people would love to have a family adventure like you are having. How did you make it happen?

I think the timing for us was perfect. Our children are all Primary School aged so they could attend the local school and I was between contracts with my work. I trained as a Pharmacist but most recently have been doing contract work as a Covid-19 Vaccinator (and Flu and Measles vaccinations as well). Doug hoped to live here too but unfortunately his work commitments have meant he has been in Auckland most of the time. He did however have 2 days skiing here which he loved.

Reflecting on your 'Winter Wonderland' experience - What will you take back to Auckland with you?

I am loving being a full time mum while here in Lake Tekapo. It has been a wonderful break for me and when I return to Auckland, I hope to be able to create more pockets of time to spend with my children, whether that means going for walks, playing games or just hanging out together.

CONT ...

Lake Tekapo

Julie McDonald

mackenziecommunitytekapo@gmail.com



It was a stunning day for the Race Tekapo Event on Saturday with over 1100 entries in its inaugural year. Competitors came from all over New Zealand and Australia to attend the running and walking event in Lake Tekapo, with distances from 50km through to 3km. The event was supposed to be in 2021, but due to covid restrictions it had to be postponed. The organisers really appreciated the help from members of our community who assisted leading up to and on the day of this event. Ben Taylor's winning time in the 50K event was 4 hours and 26 minutes.

50km event Winner - Ben Taylor (Christchurch) with his proud parents, Lake Tekapo residents Stan and Angie Taylor



We have all really enjoyed simplifying our lives here. The children have been doing Paint By Numbers and reading lots of books. We will also be planning more skiing holidays. I'm surprised and delighted that for a small community, there is so much to do here. There are lots of opportunities to connect with people. I've been to several community events including Plant-based pot luck dinners, Concerts and The Speech Competition. The Book and Puzzle Exchange here is awesome.



What do you love about living in Lake Tekapo?

The community is very well set-up - there are quite a variety of shops and services here. Everyone at the school has been really great. I've met such warm friendly people who have welcomed our family into the community.

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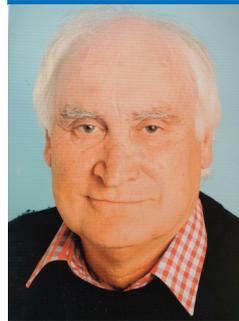
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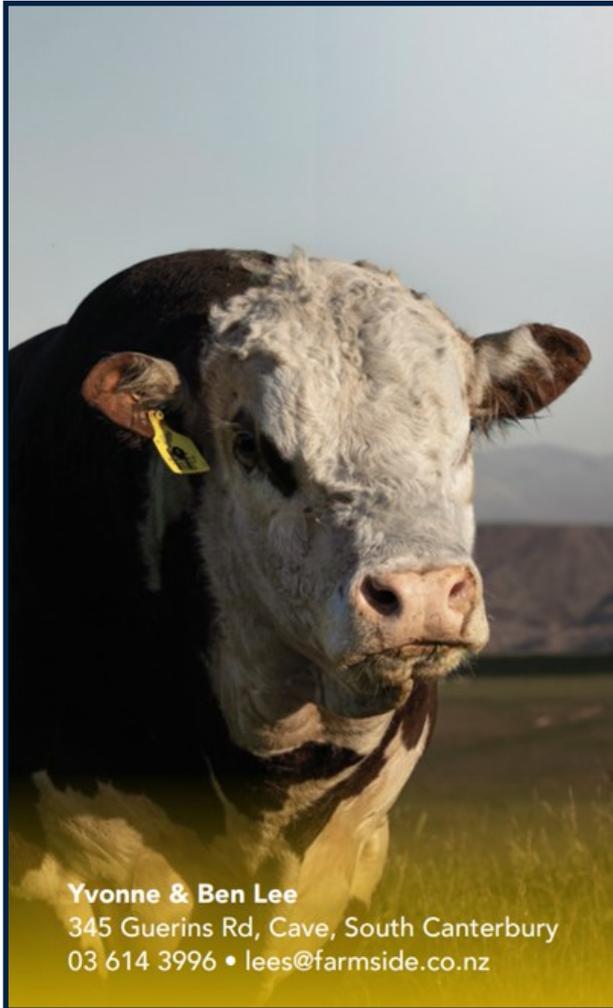
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Wednesday 5th October 2022
11am – 1pm. BBQ will be provided
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If attending, please RSVP to
Charlotte Senior, charlotte@agriintel.co.nz

We look forward to sharing our findings, and exploring:

- If this can be used as an innovative solution to inform landowners of the impact of farm management and biophysical factors on water quality.
- The dynamic of nitrates in shallow groundwater, the potential drivers on the frequency and magnitude of seasonal nitrate concentration spikes.
- If nitrate can be detected coming from the upper to the lower groundwater sites.
- The water quality monitoring occurring in the wider catchment

MACKENZIE COMMUNITY CHURCH

SERVICES

St Columba Church 10 am
2nd and 4th Sunday each month.
Tekapo 4 pm every Sunday
and as advertised on the door.

23rd October - Bishop Peter Carrell will be taking a service at St Stephens at 10 am and The Church of Good Shepherd Tekapo at 4 pm.

Contact Details
Stephen Adams – 03 685 8056
Sarah Wright – 027 271 3445

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All expressions of interest should be directed to
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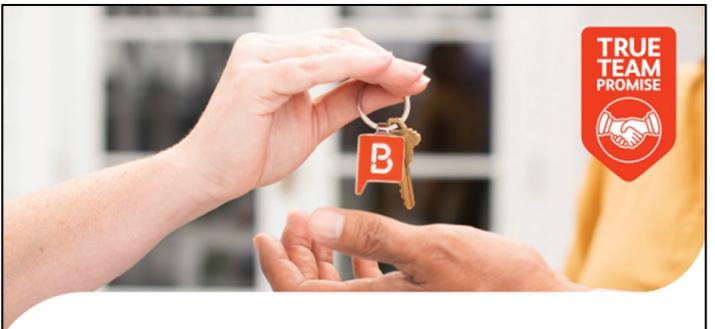
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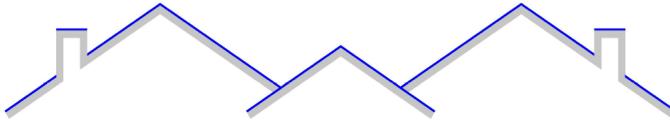
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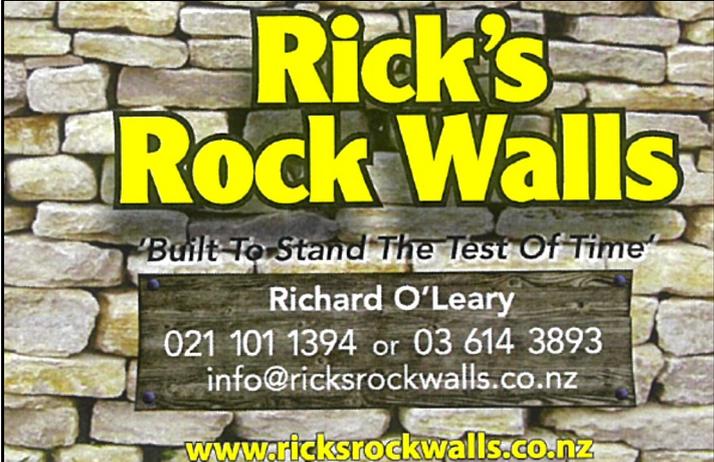
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- 22 Meet the Candidates Mack Community Theatre 7.30 pm
- 24 **Saturday Second Hand Market 9 am**
- 24 **Evening with Dr Gerrard at Moraine Lodge 6.30 pm**
- 24/25 **Mackenzie Buckle Series at Kimbell**
- 25 **Daylight Saving**
- 25 **Opening Day Fairlie Bowls 1.30 pm**
- 26th to 2nd October Mental Health Awareness Week
- 28 Free Communication Workshop Golf Club 9 am–12.30 pm
- 28 Men's Shed Meeting Mack Community Centre 6 pm
- 28 Trivia Night Silverstream Hotel Kimbell 7 pm
- 29 Basic First Aid & CPR St Columba Hall 5.30–7.30 pm
- 30 "Older Folk" Afternoon Tea in McLean's Park 2 pm

October

- 1 **Recycle at the Gate 9 am–4 pm**
- 1 **Community Garden Working Bee 10 am–12 noon**
- 1 **Quiz Night Reflections Café 6.30 pm start**
- 1/2 **Horsepower Rally in Timaru**
- 1 **Spring Garden Walk Fundraiser 10 am–4 pm**
- 1/2 **Mackenzie Buckle Series at Kimbell**
- 5 Wainono Farm Field Day 11 am–1 pm
- 5 On-farm Sale Bluestone Herefords Cave 1 pm
- 6 A back road outing for the men folk - depart 1 pm
- 6 "Older Folk" Movie and shopping in Timaru 11.30 am
- 8 **Saturday Second Hand Market 9 am**
- 8 **October (Not Just) Knitting in the Library 10.30 am**
- 10 Forum Meeting Mackenzie Community Centre 10 am
- 10/14 School Holiday Activity Week
- 12 Over 80's Afternoon Tea St John Hall 2 pm
- 12 Albury Afternoon Tea Albury Hall 1.30 pm
- 17 Fairlie Community Vehicle Trust AGM Heartlands 7 pm
- 20 "Older Folk" Movie at Mine 1.30 pm
- 22 **Saturday Second Hand Market 9 am**
- 27 Brainwave Fairlie Primary School
- 27 "Older Folk" Outing to Oamaru depart 9 am
- 28 Mackenzie Ball "Fur and Tweed"
Mackenzie Community Centre Stadium 6.30 pm
- 31 Trunk or Treat Family Event

November

- 4 Gumboot Friday
- 5 "I am Hope" Fundraiser at Eat
- 5 **Saturday Second Hand Market 9 am**
- 5/6 **Mackenzie Buckle Series at Kimbell**

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