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21 August 2015

From the Principal's Desk

Kia Ora

Many thanks to everyone involved in yesterday's open afternoon/night. Sixty two families visited on the night and the general feeling of the evening was one of friendship and familiarity. We greatly appreciate the support we have had from our local community and this sends an encouraging message to us all. Staff and students worked hard to make the evening happen and I appreciate the efforts of all the people who worked tirelessly behind the scenes. I always enjoy the energy of our guides and classroom helpers who show such pride in the school and who they become as a learner at Menzies College.

Enrolments are due to the school by 4 September and New Entrant's day is on 4 December. If families were unable to attend yesterday and would still like to visit, please contact the school and we can arrange a walk through during class time.

A big congratulations to our staff member Abigail Visser who gained second place last weekend in the national final of the Lion's Speechmaker's Competition in Tauranga. Her prepared speech was on the 'Art of Arguing' and the topic for the impromptu speech was 'Keeping Safe' where she spoke on what life was like when they lived in South Africa. Abigail will compete in Australia later in the year as part of her prize. It has been a good week for public speaking following on the success of Brock Stuart and Keegan Knapp in the Eastern Southland Primary School's speech competition.

PB4L

Congratulations to Ben Gauldie, Gabbie Shirley, Sophie Johnston, Kendal Wallace and Simon Wilkinson (Doc) for winning the achievement draw this week. Sophie and Kendal received theirs for 'Striving for Excellence' by working extra hard in Drama.

*Gerry Ward
Principal*

TEXT 'follow themenziesway' to 8987 for information updates

The story of Work Day - Change of date

We would like to highlight an error on the Work Day Card and previous correspondence regarding Work Day 2015. The date was incorrect and the following date of **Monday 31 August** is the scheduled day for our students to raise funds for the school. We apologise for any inconvenience this may have caused.

The idea of workday is not for parents/caregivers to be giving a donation but for students to show initiative and find work in the community and earn the money. With consultation from the students we would then spend the money on items not normally covered in school budgets. Money raised in previous years has helped to purchase new computers, monitors and other hardware for the school computer room. A commercial size barbeque for Whanau groups within the school to use, drinking fountains and seating around the school. We hope to use the money this year to help develop seating around the school canteen area.

If you have any further questions please feel free to contact the school.

Important Dates

August	24	HPV Vaccination
	24-31	School examinations - Year 11-13
	26	Incubator Visit No. 3
	27	Board of Trustees meeting
	28	EXCELL Dance Group
	31-4 September	Tournament week
31	Workday - Teacher Only Day (note change of date)	
September	13	Ski trip to Coronet Peak
	16	Sports/Committee Photos etc
	18	Senior reports posted
	24-25	School Production
	24	Board of Trustees meeting
	25	Last day of term 3
October	12	First day of term 4
	26	Labour Day Observance (school closed)

NZQA Fees and Financial Assistance for 2015

Today was the last day for payment of these fees. If any students have not paid, please contact Judy in the office immediately.

Special Needs Department



Hannah Schipper and James Golden have been attending the Community Art classes in Invercargill each fortnight for two years. Both have had artwork exhibited and Hannah has sold one painting. The students also work on art projects with their art teacher Miss Bianca Burgess-Heald. James has one self portrait on display in the school office foyer at present. Both students have developed their skills with colour and design in the last two years with the



intensive art programme they have enjoyed, both here at Menzies and in the Community art class.

*Mrs Toni Halliday
Special Needs Co-ordinator*

Host Family Required

From the beginning of 2016 we have the company of a Year 12 male Japanese exchange student for three terms. We are seeking interest from potential host families for the duration of his stay. All expenses are covered including a hosting allowance. Hosting an exchange student can be a truly rewarding experience. It allows a family to experience a foreign culture first hand, be exposed to a new language and pass on some of our own culture. They might even become a friend for life! This student is part of a project where his school are sending their entire Year 12 cohort to New Zealand for 12 months to experience another culture.

For further information please contact the school.

Careers Department

The Menzies College Careers Department would like to promote the following event

Find better ways to connect with your teenagers by 'pushing the right buttons'

Learn how to:

- talk to people in a way that makes them want to listen
- relate to others by seeing things through their eyes

One of New Zealand's most popular speakers, (3x Public Speaker of the Year Recipient) Allison Mooney, will be in Invercargill on Wednesday, 23 September at the Ascot Park Hotel from 7pm-8pm to entertain and educate parents with her presentation 'Pressing the Right Buttons'.



The Careers and Transition Education Association (CATE), welcomes Allison and her fun, fast-paced presentation to the province. She is guaranteed to have participants engaged, challenged and abuzz with new methods to improve the way they relate to the young people in their lives. Allison is a humorous, highly passionate and energetic speaker. Funded by the Careers and Transition Education Association (CATE) and the ILT, this free presentation is one not to be missed. For more information visit www.allisonmooney.co.nz or contact the school.



Incubator trip

The final Incubator trip for the year is Wednesday 26 August. Students with exams that day will have their exams on Monday 24 August. There is a \$10 cost for the travel and students are asked to pay at the office.

*Mrs Barbara Williams & Stuart Clark
Transition/Careers Department*

Community Notice

The Wyndham District Community Pool Inc AGM will be held on Wednesday 2 September in the Menzies College staffroom starting at 7.30 pm. Please come along and have your input in to this great facility. Apologies to Carlyn on (03) 2064373 or email wyndhampool@gmail.com

MENZIES COLLEGE - CANTEEN PRICE LIST 2015

Sandwich	2.50
BLT - Bacon/Lettuce/Tomato sandwich (half)	2.50
Spaghetti Toastie	2.00
Cheese Toastie/Mousetrap	2.00
Dads Pies	4.00
American Hot Dog	3.00
Apricot/Chicken Wrap	4.50
Cordon Bleu	3.00
Pork Riblet Wrap (Hot)	4.00
Bacon & Egg Wrap (Hot)	4.00
Chicken Burger - with/without free salad	4.00
Burgers - Lamb, Beef, B & E, Hawaiian Chicken & Bacon	4.50
Chicken Rolls	2.00
Cheese Roll	1.00
Garlic Bread	1.50
Hash Brown	1.00
Wedges	2.50
Sour cream/relish/chilli sauce (each)	0.50
Doritos/Corn Chips	2.00
Waffles	1.00
Cookie Time	2.00
Drinks / Icecreams	
Water - Pump	3.50
Slurrpas	1.50
Milkshake	3.50
Milkshake with Icecream	4.50
Calci strong milkshake - Carton	2.00
Mill Orchard - 400ml	3.00
Coke Zero	3.50
E2	4.00
A range of ice creams/ice blocks available from \$1.20 - \$3.50	
Iced Tea	3.00
Chocolate Brownie	2.50



DAILY SPECIALS

Tomato Pasta Bake	\$3.50
Bolognese Bake	\$4.50
Cottage Pie	\$4.50
Butter Chicken	\$4.50
Macaroni Cheese	\$3.50
Chicken Fettucine	\$4.50
Enchilladas/Taccos	\$3.50
Nachos - (Mince/Corn Chips/Cheese)	\$4.50



EFT-POS is available at the canteen

Senior Exam Timetable: Term Three 2015

	Monday 24th August 2015	Tuesday 25th August 2015	Wednesday 26th August 2015	Thursday 27th August 2015	Monday 31st August 2015
8.55 - 11.55am	L3 Geography 3hrs Hall (6) L2 Geography 3 hrs Hall (10) L1 Geography 3 hrs Hall (13)	L2 Accounting 3 hrs Hall (2) L1 Science 3 hrs (45) - some 1,1/2 L3 Chemistry 3 hrs Hall (1 - Baylee)	L3 History 3 hrs Hall (9) L2 History 3 hrs Hall (6) L1 History 3 hrs Hall (14)	L3 Stats 3 hrs Hall (12) L201 A Maths 3 hrs Hall (3) L201 B Maths 3 hrs Hall (9)	Exam catch ups
For those sitting a 3hr morning exam	Interval 11.55- 12.20 then to P4 class	Interval 11.55-12.20 then to P4 class	Interval 11.55-12.20 then to P4 class	Interval 11.55- 12.20 then to P4 class	
1.10 - 3.10pm	L2 Chemistry 2hrs Hall (22) L3 Chemistry 2 hrs Hall (8) L1 Graphics 2 hrs Grapchics Rm (15)	L1 English 2 hrs Hall (28) L2 English 2 hrs Hall (18) L3 English 2 hrs Hall (9)	L2 Physics 2 hrs Hall (8) L3 Physics 2 hrs Hall (4) L1 Foods 2 hrs Hall (14) L1/ L2/ L3 Art 2 hrs Art Room (18)	L1 Maths 1 hr Hall (29) L2 Bio 2 hrs Hall (13) L3 Bio 2 hrs Hall (7)	

ALL students will stay for the complete duration of their examination. NO ONE will be permitted to leave early. Please bring a book to read when you have completed your work. EXCEPT in the English exams
Pens, pencils, eraser, ruler, are to be in a clear plastic bag
No twink or correction tape is to be used

You are to be there 15min before the exam starts

Students finishing at 11.55am are to be quiet around the school while having their lunch. Then go to your P4 class at 12.20pm

Students starting exams at 1.10pm need to be at their exam by 12.55pm (please eat and toilet before this time)

Any students with exam clashes are to see Mrs Cade ASAP

If you are not in an exam you are to be in class

Sports Department

Moffett Cup - Netball

Friday 7 August was the day of the Moffett Cup 2015. Us excited kids arrived at school at 8.45am prepared for a long tiring day. Miss Hall arranged us into the parent vehicles. Rachael and Sophie went in Rowena Smith's car and Rhylee went in Karen Norman's car. We arrived at the Tokanui rugby grounds and netball courts and got ourselves into our netball teams - Menzies Red and Menzies Green. Us three girls were all in the Menzies Red team with Ahna Norman, Katelyn McEwan, Bethany Loveridge, Brianna Ferguson, Kendal Wallace, Sophie Johnston and Jessica Dennis.



First of all we warmed up and did stretches then had to rush to get ourselves on court to play against Menzies Green and won by two. Half an hour later we played Tokanui and won as well. After that we played Rimu and won 19-nil. About 20 minutes later we played Ascot coming out with yet another win. We made it through to the finals against Tokanui and won that game too! We were all super excited about the win and were looking forward to receiving our well-deserved trophy. We took some team photos and headed home back to Wyndham.

Overall, it was a great day and we all had such a fun time. All games were friendly and not all about winning. We were all pleased to be able to do Menzies College proud.

Sophie Kingdon, Rhylee McGregor & Rachael Kane

Rugby

We got to Menzies and loaded up the cars with people. We had Ethan Read in our car and off we headed to Tokauni for the Moffett Cup. It is a tournament for Netball and Rugby. When we arrived at Tokanui we went in to the changing rooms and got into our teams and put our tops on. In my team we had Coebie Symes, Ted Dodd, Nathan Rhind, Keegan Knapp, Zac Egerton, Sebastian Wood, Ezekiel Johnston-Brown, Bryn Gorman, Leevi Wilson and I. Sam from Gorge Road school played for us too.

At 10.30am we had our first game against Tokanui and won 15-0. It was lunch time for our team so Coebie, Sebastian and I went and watched some netball then had lunch. I had a club sandwich and a hotdog. After lunch we played Tokanui and beat them 20-10. We had to win our next game to be straight into the grand final. We were playing Menzies Green and we just came through in the last 20 seconds winning 20-15. This meant we were in the grand final and the next semi was Menzies Green versus Tokanui. They drew so they had to see how many tries each team had got for the day. Tokanui had the most so they had to play the mighty Menzies Red in the grand final. We won 25-0 with Coebie and Keegan getting the most tries. We were undefeated for the day. We had prize giving then went back to school, dropped Ethan off and went home.

Connor Poyntz-Roberts

Menzies College Rugby

End of season catch up

Thanks to all the coaches/managers and parents/caregivers who attended the end of season wind up last Wednesday 12 August. Congratulations to the following recipients of the 3-2-1 player of the day awards:

Vetco Year 7 & 8 'A' Grade

1st - Bryn Gorman & Rayden Todd 3rd - Coebie Symes

Tisbury Wools U14

1st - Ezekiel Johnston-Brown 2nd - William Ranstead 3rd - Kyle Gardyne

Titiroa Transport U16

1st - Michael Moncur 2nd - Steven Boyd 3rd - Jordan Medley

Preston Russell Law 1st XV

1st - Caleb Young 2nd - Tyrone Braven 3rd - Oliver Woodrow & Jamie Ranstead

Congratulations also to the huge number of players who gained nominations and selections in to representative teams. I will list these students once all the teams are selected. Well done, it is awesome that our small school has so many players selected for further honours.

Menzies Under 15 Tournament

It's not long now until this tournament. Good luck guys, enjoy yourselves and remember to attend training. This is a big tournament, and your coaches, managers and parents/caregivers have made a big commitment for you to travel to Nelson. Please repay this by committing to the team and show your coaches, managers and supporters the respect they deserve. Thanks to all the people who attended and supported the auction night on the 8th. The Under 15 committee has worked extremely hard to raise funds for this tournament and the support was very much appreciated.

End of season tidy up

Players must return all jackets or other loaned equipment/clothing. If there are any outstanding subs or other payments due please talk to your manager.

The next committee meeting will be on Wednesday 26 August in the school library at 7.30pm. All welcome.

Bob Wallis, Menzies Rugby

Skiing

The next (and final) ski trip will be on Sunday 13 September at Coronet Peak. The cost of this trip is \$110. Permission slips and information about ski trips in general, are available from the office or can be downloaded from the school website. The conditions for skiing this winter are very good – great for all abilities and ages. If anyone has any questions about these trips, please contact Brendon Wallace at school or email brendon.wallace@menzies.school.nz

Menzies College Netball

Menzies 'A' played a hard fought final against Knapdale A on Saturday, losing by 2. The girls did amazingly well against an older, more experienced team and should be very proud of themselves.

Menzies Green beat Blue Mountain Silver 26-5 to be placed third in 5th grade so a big congratulations to Lauren Walker, Shelly Yeoman and the girls. Thank you also to the supporters who came to cheer the teams on, your support was much appreciated.

On Sunday the 'A' Team participated in a tournament in Gore playing Fiordland College, St Peters and Blue Mountain. They won every game which was fantastic! With only 10 days to go until the South Island Secondary Schools tournament, this has been a great preparation.

The next netball general meeting is 15 September at 7pm in the school staffroom. We will be discussing next year's plans as well and prospective netball parents for 2016 are welcome to attend. Apologies to Sue Shaw on 0272924412.

Sue Shaw
Secretary

Menzies College Soccer

MLT Summer Socca 2015 is coming soon!

Summer Socca is coming back for 2015 with kids and adults leagues. Look out for the flyers with the details on how to register your teams. Last year we had a total of 18 teams taking part and we look forward to seeing you all again. This is part of the girls fundraising for the 2016 National Tournament to help with travel costs.

MLT Menzies win over Aurora College

In their last game before the Lotto Sportswear tournament in Invercargill, MLT Menzies faced a new team, Aurora College, in a friendly game at the ILT Southland Football Turf. In a game that was entertaining with MLT Menzies using it as an opportunity to try different combinations on the field before tournament and Aurora having the opportunity for a game together to work on their team formation before tournament. Both teams enjoyed the run and a lot of great play and skills were displayed during the game. MLT Menzies in the end, with more game time together, won the game with some good attacking play. Thanks to Aurora College for the game, we enjoyed the opportunity. Good luck for the tournament.

MLT Menzies 4 - 0 Aurora College

Scorers: Rhylee MCGregor 2, Harlee Symes 2

Soccer subs are now due

All students are asked to make sure their subs are paid as soon as possible please. Also, if you owe for any gear purchased (hoodies, etc) can you make sure these are paid as well, as these need to be finalised.

Draw - Wednesday 26 August

(Boys) Kelly Irwin First National Real Estate Menzies vs Verdon 4pm (at Verdon College)

Training

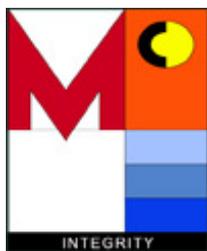
Training will take place on Tuesdays from 3.30pm to 5pm for girls and Thursday from 3.30pm to 5pm for boys. Girls can attend the boys' training if they cannot attend on Tuesday.

Check out our Facebook page 'MENZIES COLLEGE SOCCER' put it in to the search engine on internet and it will appear. If you need any more information please contact me here at Menzies College - Carl Lambert (03)2064979 or clambert@menzies.school.nz

Important up-coming dates

26 August (Girls) Training 3.30pm to 5pm
(Boys) Game Menzies 1st XI v Verdon, 4pm (at Verdon)
27 August (Boys) Training 3.30pm to 4.30pm
30 August (Girls) Team meet at Menzies at 12.30pm to travel into town

Carl Lambert
Organiser



Forms available from
Menzies College
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Entries Close

**3pm
Friday
25th September
2015
(Payment &
registration form)**

Playing dates:

**Term 4
October:
12th, 19th, 26th**

**November:
2nd, 9th, 16th, 23rd,
30th**

**December:
7th**

Menzies Summer Socca 2015



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about \$1.00
a week for
great social
fun!!!!**

Mixed Junior Teams: \$40.00
(5 a side: 5 members)

Mixed Adult Teams: \$100.00
(7 a side: 10 members)

- 9-13 years: 10-15 mins each way
- Kids can enrol and be placed in a team (\$8 per player).
- 14 years & up: 15-20 mins each half.

Funds raised by this event will go towards helping the Menzies College Girls 1st XI to travel to Tournament in 2016.

Entry forms are available from Menzies College Office or email below.

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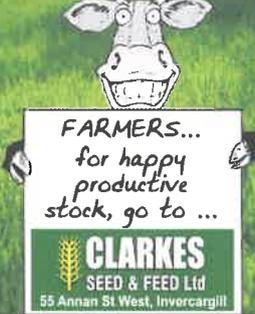
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