



**MOUNT  
ASPIRING  
COLLEGE**  
Te Kāreti O Maunga Tititēa

# NEWSLETTER PANUI

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## Snow!

Kia Ora katoa

There was an air of excitement around the college following yesterday's falling snow. It is great to know that winter is here and that the ski fields will be in prime condition for the start of the season. Many students were hoping that the conditions would deteriorate enough to offer a chance for an early opportunity to have some fun in the snow.

Our bus controller, Simon Nyhof was put on the spot by the weather but the call was 'school as usual'.

If the college day is to be altered due to snow Simon liaises with Wanaka Primary and Holy Family before making a decision to delay the start time or to close the school. This information is then broadcast over a number of radio stations from 7:00am.

If we require an early evacuation, the radio stations are notified and our college voicemail message is updated with current information. We always evacuate bus students first then those with their own cars followed by the rest of the student body. It is important for us to ensure that all students are accounted for and we know how they will be travelling home. Please help us by keeping our phone lines free and working with our evacuation systems.

Our MAC Snow Champs are scheduled for Tuesday 20 July at Cardrona and entries close next Tuesday 29 June. The Champs are open to all Year 9-13 students and to Year 7-8 students who are part of a snow programme. We have also planned ski days for the Year 7-10 students in Term 3. Make the most of your two weeks' of skiing during the holidays. Remember to respect your learning programme by making good decisions and taking to the slopes in your own free time.

Clare Scurr will act as Year 7 Dean for the rest of this year as Johanna Vermeulen takes sick leave from this position. I wrote to all Year 7 parents last Friday informing them of this. Clare can be contacted on 4439901 or [scurr@mtaspiring.school.nz](mailto:scurr@mtaspiring.school.nz)

Once again I warmly invite you to share our Performing Arts Festival where music and drama students will showcase their talent (see pictures on this page). They are looking forward to finally performing to an audience after many weeks of rehearsal. Tickets are available from the college office and from the Lake Wanaka Centre on the night.

Don't forget - Mufti day is tomorrow. The theme is FIFA World Cup - \$1 in theme, \$2 in normal mufti.

Ka kite

**Wayne Bosley**



In the classroom. 'Action and Consequence'  
Thought-provoking. Saturday 26 June, 7.00 pm



The Reed family performs. 'Unaccountable Love'  
A romantic comedy. Sunday 27 and Monday 28 June, 7.00 pm



At the restaurant. 'Top Girls' by Caryl Churchill  
Provocative R16 drama. Tuesday 29 and Wednesday 30 June, 7.00 pm

### Queenstown Rovers Football Camp

Mount Aspiring College Fields, Wednesday 14 July, \$30, 9 am - 3 pm  
For more information call Jamie on 021 0634681 or email  
[bookings@footballcamps-queenstownrovers.com](mailto:bookings@footballcamps-queenstownrovers.com)

### MAC Netball Draw

MAC A Aspiring Electrical	v Aspiring B	25/06, 9.10 pm
MAC B	v Aspiring A	25/06, 9.10 pm
Black MAC Aspiring Engineers	v Edgewater Pioneer	24/06 9.30 pm
Year 10 A Infinity	v Silverthreads	24/06, 7.40 pm
Year 12 Aspiring Engineers	v Treble Cone Pioneer	25/06, 6.25 pm
Lakeland Flooring Green	v MAC Yellow	24/06, 4.00 pm
Wellman Electrical Red	v McGregors Pioneer	24/06, 4.55 pm
MAC Yellow	v MAC Green	24/06, 4.00 pm

### World Enviro Day MAC Team Green Quiz Results

<b>Whanau Results:</b>	<b>House Results:</b>
1) PAL (31 points)	1) PISA (117 points)
2) BTU (28 points)	2) BARKER (74 points)
3) PBD (26 points)	3) IRON (70 points)
	4) ROY (43 points)

Thanks again to Wanaka Chocolate!

### LOST PROPERTY

Please check the lost property bin before the end of this term.

Any un-named items which are not claimed by the end of term will be donated to Wastebusters.

### Mount Aspiring College Rugby Draw

U18 Upper Clutha	v OBHS Colts, 1.00 pm, Tahuna 2
U16 Upper Clutha	v OBHS Blue, 1.00 pm, Kensington Oval 3
U15 Upper Clutha	v KVC, 1.00 pm, Montecillo 2
U14 Upper Clutha	v Bye

### MAC UNIFORM FOR SALE

Fleece, 8 -10, Jersey, 87 cm  
Call 443 7194

## URSPACE NEWS

**OPEN DAYS INFORMATION** Parents and students attending university open days in the holidays please check out:

<http://www.lincoln.ac.nz/News--Events/Events/Open-day/> for LINCOLN

<http://www.canterbury.ac.nz/infodays/about2010.shtml> for CANTERBURY

**Local plumbing apprenticeship opportunity!** These are as rare as hens' teeth just now and it is being offered to a school leaver first... contact Charlotte on 443 9906 to get details ASAP. With school holidays coming up it is a good time to "try before you buy".

### Christchurch Polytechnic Institute of Technology CPIT Liaison Update - Information Sessions / Open Days

- Architectural Studies Information Session - 28 July, 6.30pm, Rakaia Centre, Madras Street
- Broadcasting Information Session - 14 July, 7.30pm and 27 July, 7.30pm, TV Block, Corner Madras Street and Southwark Street
- Engineering Information Session - 28 July, 7.00pm, Rakaia Centre, Madras Street
- Applied Science Information Session - 28 July, 6.30pm, Rakaia Centre, Madras Street

Campus Tours: 3 August / 7 Sept / 2 Nov, 10am or 1pm.

For more information s please call: 0800 24 24 76. Contact [liaison@cpit.ac.nz](mailto:liaison@cpit.ac.nz) to book you space on campus tours.

### Visitors to the College

Warren Lees will chat with students about life in the Canterbury University halls on Monday lunchtime in Room 21. Warren was the manager of Arana in Dunedin and now runs Unihall in Canterbury. He will be a great source of information for our Year 13 students.

There will also be an Army Visit during Period 6 on Wednesday. Students (Year 10 and above) must sign up for this with their dean or at URSAPCE.

### FANTASTIC RAFFLE!

Imagine owning a Brand New 2011 156 Volk! Snowboard ...

ARGENTINA SPANISH GROUP FUNDRAISER  
Watch this space!

### MUFTI DAY

Friday 25 June

FIFA World Cup Theme

\$1 if dressed in theme, \$2 if not.

### QUIZ NIGHT Monday 28 June, 6.30 pm

Wanaka Football Club

\$5 per team

For further details call Joshua on 027 849 7150

A FUNDRAISER FOR YOUNG ENTERPRISE GROUP 'BIMP'

### MACLIC Corner

**We want your feedback!**

Please fill in the very short survey on maclic blog and take a tour of the blog at the same time.

<http://maclic.wordpress.com>

### MAC CHAMPS ENTRY FORMS

**must be handed in to the college office by Tuesday 29 June**

### WANAKA BIATHLON CLUB Training Camp

**Snow Farm, 11-17 July**

For more information please pick up a brochure from the college office or contact the Training Camp Registrar Daphne Morhuis (443 8496) or email [wanakabiathlon@gmail.com](mailto:wanakabiathlon@gmail.com)

Nau Mai Haere Mai

Tuesday 29th June 7pm

The Plunket Rooms, Ardmore Street  
Call Jo McArthur on 443 1706 or Robyn Tamati on 4439550 with any queries

This is a community meeting open to all people interested in coming to find out what Matariki Tupu Hou is about, what it has been doing for the past 7 years and to have some input into what future direction it should take. A chance to share ideas, or just to catch up socially.

Matariki Tupu Hou:

Wanaka Charities Commission Rules Aim:

- To promote, educate, facilitate and support Tikanga Maori in the Upper Clutha Communities

~ To provide educational opportunities

through wananga, kapahaka, te reo,

powhiri, awahi kaiako, and things pertaining to Maori culture and history.

~ To nurture things Maori in the community, providing opportunities for all.

## Important Dates

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**NEW WORLD**

### Term 2 (19 April - 2 July)

**Week 10** 25 June Mufti Day - FIFA World Cup theme

**Week 11** 26-30 June Festival of Performing Arts  
2 July Last day of Term 2

**Holidays** 16 July Hostel Open Day for 2011

### Term 3 (19 July - 24 September)

**Week 1** 19 July First day of Term 2

20 July MAC Champs  
22/23 July Level 2 Tourism Field Trip  
24 July Rock Quest Regional Finals - *note change of date!*

**Week 2** 28 July Year 7-10 Parent Teacher Interviews  
29-31 July Level 3 Biology Field Trip

**Week 3** 2 August Board of Trustees Meeting, 6.00 pm, Board Room  
3 August Year 11-13 Parent Teacher Interviews  
5 August Australian Maths Competition

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### DATES 2010

**Term 4:** 11 October - 10 December

Queen's Birthday: Monday 7 June

Labour Day: Monday 25 October

### DEFENSIVE DRIVING COURSE

The next AA New Zealand Defensive Driving Course will be held on 26 / 28 July and 2 / 4 August from 6.30 - 8.30 pm. For further inquiries information please contact Kaye Rowell, Lakes Driver Training on 03 442 7073, or txt 027 623 3534 or email [krowell@xtra.co.nz](mailto:krowell@xtra.co.nz)