



Year 12 Visual Art Design

Pictured above is a poster design by Michaela Rogan based on a dance company which she is promoting. This is just one example of her work towards the external art boards.

The Holidays are upon us!

Well, here we are at the end of Term Two already. It has been a terrific term with a huge number of highlights that MAC students and staff can be proud of. Last week I mentioned the incredible musical talent that exists at MAC after attending MACStock. This week I want to acknowledge the tremendous effort that has been put in by all students and particularly the house leaders in preparing for the Haka and Waiata competition last Friday. It was a fantastic event - it's something that adds to the special character of MAC and school spirit is very evident with house points up for grabs, so well done to all involved.

With Term Two coming to a close our seniors are more than half way through the calendar year. This means there is really only next term left to ensure that you are accumulating credits via internal standards as typically Term Four is very short and is used to prepare for external exams. What I am trying to say is, take time to enjoy this next holiday as the business end of the year is fast approaching.

As you move into Term Three think about how SOAR is applicable to you and your academic progress, reflect on your progress so far in 2015 and always be prepared for learning as it doesn't just happen within the four walls of the classroom.

Finally from me, I would like to thank the students and staff for making my role as Acting Principal a wonderful experience. I am continually amazed by your commitment to success and your passion for learning.

Dean Sheppard



Senior students braved the elements yesterday morning to take part in the annual polar plunge.



MISSING UNIFORM

A couple of named uniform items have recently been reported as missing. Please could all parents check the labels in their child's uniform to make sure that a wrong item has not inadvertently been taken home. Thank you!

Specific items reported as missing are as follows:

- MAC jacket labelled Jodeh inside
- Pair of named black high-top Converse shoes.

If either of the above items are found please return them to the office.

PAVEMENT DROP-OFF ZONE

A reminder that the official MAC drop-off zone for ALL STUDENTS is the footpath outside the school.

Staff car parking areas and the entrance to the International Language Centre and Outdoor Pursuits shed have already been identified as high-risk hazard areas. We respectfully ask you not to drive into the school grounds when dropping off students with outdoor gear.

Please be assured that this request is in the interests of student safety and we would appreciate your assistance in making our school a safer place by abiding by this rule.

LEAVING THE COLLEGE?

If you are leaving the college at the end of this week please make sure that you have returned your library books, settled your account, and completed and handed in your leavers form to the college office.

Invitation to advertise in the 2015 MAC MAGAZINE

If you would like the opportunity to support the college by placing an advertisement in the magazine which is issued to all families at the end of the year please contact Mandy on 443 0499 or email shersonm@mtaspiring.school.nz

CAREERS CORNER

University Open Days

- * Canterbury: Thursday 9 July: www.canterbury.ac.nz/openday
- * Lincoln: Wednesday 15 July: www.lincoln.ac.nz/openday
- * Victoria and Massey (Wellington): Friday 28 August
- * Auckland: Saturday 29 August
- * AUT: Contact to arrange visit

STAR Holiday Courses

The polytechnics in Queenstown, Dunedin, Christchurch and Invercargill run special interest courses or career tasters in the holidays. These are open and FREE for Years 11-13. Some examples of courses running in July are Agriculture, Hairdressing, Beauty Basics, Adventure Tourism and Graphic Design. See Charlotte at URSpace if you are interested.



MACLIC Corner

Come to the library this week to borrow books for the holidays. It's so good to snuggle up with a good book and never be bored!

If you prefer screens, then go to <http://maclib.wheelers.co> and see what's on offer:

170 books, including most popular series like Gone, Geek Girl or Phoenix files... Once you're registered and you have downloaded the app corresponding to your device you can borrow 2 ebooks for 3 weeks for FREE!

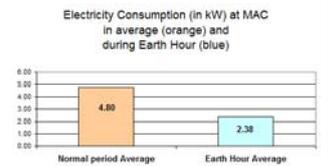


Florence Micoud,
Kaitiakiupukapuka, Librarian

EARTH HOUR

The next MAC Earth Hour will be on Friday 3 July, period 6. Please turn off all unnecessary lights and electric appliances.

This is part of our attempt to conserve energy and cut down the schools power use. We are monitoring kW consumption. On average, during normal class time, we use 4.8 kW. But during the last Earth Hour, (Friday 29 May), the electricity consumption fell to 2.38 KW. We've calculated it is a \$20.00 saving.



GREEN SUPERCAMP is the WORLD'S leading academic and personal development camp, described as "life-changing, inspirational, exhilarating". This week I am booking flights to Melbourne for the October holiday camp which is for 10-13 year olds. For more information, or to register please email Danielle: info@lmsevents.co.nz or call [0274595106](tel:0274595106).

Important Dates

Term 2 (20 April - 3 July 2015)

Week 11 Friday 3 July Online reports available

Term 3 (20 July - 25 September 2015)

Week 1 Wednesday 22 July MAC Champs

Week 2 Tuesday 28 July Board of Trustees Meeting, 6.00 pm, Boardroom
Wednesday 29 July Parent / Teacher Interviews
Wednesday 29 July ILC Meadow Hut Trip
Thursday 30 July Australian Maths Competition

Week 3 Monday 3 August Level 1 Outdoor Pursuits Ski Tour
Tuesday 4 August Parent / Teacher Interviews
Wednesday 5 August Mufti Day

Week 4 10-14 August Ski Week (Years 7 - 10)
12-14 August Level 3 Franz Joseph Trip

Week 5 17-21 August 8SD Camp Berwick
17-20 August Level 2 Snow Caving Trips
18 August Option Evening
21 August MAC Cross Country
21-22 August Level 2 Drama Performance

Week 6 24-28 August 8AH Camp Berwick
24-25 August Year 7/8 Kavanagh Sporting Exchange
Tuesday 25 August Board of Trustees Meeting, 6.00 pm, Boardroom
Thursday 27 August MAC's Got Talent
Friday 28 August Final day to hand in Option Choices

TERM DATES 2015

Term 3: 20 July - 25 September
Term 4: 12 October - 14 December
Labour Day: 26 October

Before you...



THINK!

T = Is it True?
H = Is it Helpful?
I = Is it Inspiring?
N = Is it Necessary?
K = Is it Kind?



NETBALL DRAW (* = outside)

MAC A	v Arrowtown	02/07	8.15 pm
MAC B	v Lake Bar	03/07	5.30 pm
MAC C	v Pioneer C	03/07	9.10 pm
MAC 9A	v Cheketts	02/07	5.30 pm
MAC Wellman	v MAC Gold	03/07	4.35 pm
Senior Social	v Cromwell B	02/07	9.10 pm
Year 12 Social	v MAC Infinity	02/07	4.35 pm *
MAC 10A	v Cromwell A2	03/07	8.15 pm
MAC Yr 8 Reps	v MAC Aspiring Engineers	02/07	4.35 pm

RUGBY NEWS:-

Rugby Results

Williams Hotel MAC 1st XV beat Taieri College, 26 - 7

Mount Aspiring College versus Taieri College

The Williams Hotel MAC 1st XV dominated a feisty Taieri College in all facets of play to record a bonus point 26-7 win last Saturday. Playing at home in perfect conditions, the MAC team held the Taieri team scoreless in a powerful first half. Quality tries to Liam McFall, John Steven and Olly Jarvie gave the MAC team a handy 19-0 half time lead.

A fired up Taieri side made the MAC team work hard in the second half with the highlight being a long range try to the fleet footed Matt Molloy. A consolation try to Taieri was a just reward for the visitors. Stand out players for MAC were Sam Richards and Toby Lee in the forwards and Liam McFall and the Cinema Paradiso Player of the Day, Matt Molloy, in the backs.

With the confidence from a quality performance, the team look forward to their next game against Otago Boys High School.

Rugby Draw

Williams Hotel MAC 1st XV v Otago Boys, Dunedin, 1.00 pm

ACTION PACKED FUN FOR THE SCHOOL HOLIDAYS!

Ever wondered about playing hockey?

Why not come and give it a go?

We are running courses for all ages and abilities in Wanaka on Wednesday 16 and Thursday 17 July, with Friday 17 July as a backup wet weather day. These sessions will suit everyone from complete novices to seasoned players. There are six sessions to choose from at **just \$15 a course**.

The sessions will be run by experienced MAC players who are raising funds for their First XI tournament in August. To register, contact : Kirsty: 027 2005 111, kirstybarr1@gmail.com, 443 8609.

Interschool Sporting Tournament

On Sunday and Monday MAC hosted the inaugural MAC vs. Mt Hutt College interschool tournament.

Over the two days of competition six games were played, five of which were won by MAC:

Basketball: 47-49
A Netball: 47-15
10A Netball: 24-28
1st XV Rugby: 60-12
Hockey: 7-0
Soccer: 6-1

MAC was victorious in every sport apart from basketball where Mt Hutt were rewarded with the first win of the interschool. Judging by the feedback, teamwork and sportsmanship were outstanding in all codes.

A big thank you to the families who took billets, the referees and umpires, the coaches, supporters and anyone else who helped to make the interschool such a success. Also a massive thank you to Hamish Crossbie who coordinated the entire event and made it happen.



GOOD LUCK

Congratulations to Aly Gibson, Caitlin Gibson, Mackenzie Ayres and Laura MacCulloch who have been selected into the Central Lakes U17 Cluster team. The girls will join their six team mates from the surrounding district to compete in the Netball South U17 Tournament over the holidays. Teams from South Canterbury to Southland will be competing at this tournament, so competition will be hard and fast. Good luck to the girls and their team!



MAC SPORTS website: sports.mtaspiring.school.nz

Your one-stop-spot for:~

- ♦ Letters and forms home
- ♦ Event information
- ♦ Sports results

PAYMENT FOR TRIPS / EVENTS

Please make sure you have not only handed your forms in on time for trips and events, but also PAID in full by the due date. A reminder that ALL school trips need to be paid in full BEFORE the event. NO PAYMENT could result in **NO GO**.

Important Sporting Dates

4 July	SISS Cycling Champs, Christchurch
4 July	SISS Clay Target Shooting, Timaru
22 July	MAC Ski / Snowboard champs
25 July	National Climbing Series 3, Auckland
28 July	Felsted High School (UK) v MAC 'A' Netball team, MAC
31 July	St Phillips College (Australia) netball and football v Year 10 MAC
3 August	Otago SS Ski / Snowboard Champs, Cardrona
10-14 August	MAC Snow Week (Years 7-10), Wanaka
15 August	Merino Muster, Snow Farm
21 August	MAC Cross Country Champs (Lismore Park)
24-25 August	Kavanagh College Sporting Exchange (Years 7/8)
25 August	COPSA Cross Country Champs
29 August	Wanaka Intercollegiate Trapshooting Champs, Wanaka
30 August - 4 September	Winter Tournament Week Netball, Timaru; U15 Rugby, Nelson; Hockey, Greymouth; Football (Girls), Invercargill; Football (Boys), Christchurch
4 September	Otago PS Cross Country Champs, Dunedin

For more information, to register your interest, or to list an event, please contact Jacky at the Sports Hub, or email: sports@mtaspiring.school.nz

MAC SPORTS HUB Facebook page

Check out the latest photos and news.
Like us!

Sports Teams and Clubs

The activities section of the MAC student report should include any sports teams and / or clubs students are involved in.

If any of the sports you are involved in are not listed, please contact Jacky with your name, the name of the team or club and any other relevant details:
sports@mtaspiring.school.nz

Why crawl when you can fly?

Wanaka Swim Club offers swim squads for fitness, development and competitive swimmers. There are a few spaces left in each group for Term 3. If you would like to join in please email the coach, Fiona Fairbairn at swimwithfi@gmail.com

LAST CHANCE
to come and check out the
LOST PROPERTY

bin before the end of term.
Any un-named items not claimed by
the end of term will be donated to the
Op Shop and Wastebusters.

**WANTED: -
OLD MOBILE PHONES**

Thanks to those people who have
already donated their old mobile
phone to the Starship Mobile Phone
Appeal. This organisation will recycle
your phone to raise valuable funds
for the Starship National Air
Ambulance.

Drop your old cell phone off at the
college office and we will forward it to
Starship on your behalf.

**KEEP CALM AND EAT
CHEESE ROLLS!!**



YUMMY CHEESE ROLLS!!

**\$7.50 a dozen.
\$20 for 3 dozen.**

Orders by Thursday 30 July

**Mac 1st XI Hockey
Fundraiser**

**Call/Text Janis on 0272 021
288 to make an order.**

**Orders will be delivered at
the beginning of August.**

Scholarship Tutorials

Monday lunchtime	SI/BU Room 36	Physics / Chemistry
Wednesday lunchtime	BA Room 22	English - from next term
Friday lunchtime	WS Room 23	Media Studies - fortnightly

Other Tutorials

Wednesday lunchtime	AS Room 29	All levels Economics
Thursday lunchtime	SI/BU Room 36	L2/L3 Physics

Maths Department Tutorials

Come along with any questions you have about maths or stats - have some prepared questions for the tutors to help you with. Students can attend any tutorial where they see their year level. We recommend that you try to use the weeks without assessments where possible as the tutorials are always busiest during assessment times. Teachers will be in the specified rooms for the first 5-10 minutes of the tutorial. If there are no students they will cancel the tutorial.

Monday lunchtime	FI	Years 7 - 13	Room 9	Level 3 Stats
Tuesday lunchtime	AR	Years 8 - 12	Room 19	
Thursday lunchtime	WA	Years 11 - 13	Room 7	Level 3 Calc
Thursday after school	BI	Years 7 - 13	Room 8	

Central Otago Spelling Bee

Last Thursday MAC's top junior spellers attended this event which was held at Cromwell College.

The most challenging words, word origins and word teasers were used to sift out the 'word-worthy' from the 'word-weak.' MAC was very pleased to have Jaime Toepfer (the only Year 9 student) participate in the competition; with team members, Claudia Wilkinson and Ming Thor-Poet. These students gained the top MAC title of fourth place (out of 26 teams). Well done also to Emilie Barnett, Bella Fraser and Jessica Curtis who placed fifth in the competition.

The night was full of language exploration and each MAC team thoroughly enjoyed this event. Congratulations also to: Manu Barnard, Jake Nicholson and Alistair Garland; Hannah McNabb, Melanie Telford, Breagha Rennie; Niamh Schmack, Ngaio MacLeod and Phoebe Young for impressive results in this competition.

**REGIONAL FINALS OF SMOKEFREE ROCKQUEST,
Queenstown Memorial Hall, 7.00 pm, TONIGHT - Thursday 2 July**

GOOD LUCK TO the following bands who are competing tonight:

- NEAR ARMAGEDDON** Morgan Allen, Isaac Bell, Lucan Smith, Tyler Bailey
- JUNIOR SOUNDSYSTEM** Elliot Frost, Luca Harrington, Red Simpson, Oli Thomas
- DISCONNECTED** Jordyn McDonald, Sarah Millis, Emma Stalker, Bridget Donovan, Chan Jung
- ACOUSTIC MELODY** Ellen Cagney, Paige O'Brien
- ROSIE AND BILLIE** Rosie Spearing, Billie Scurr
- PARALLEL** Ellesse Andrews, Ella Maluschnig
- TWO** Connor Moore, John Steven
- EVIE** Evie Simonsohn

A reminder that you don't have to go to the concert to be part of the People's Choice voting procedure. To vote, you need to text the name of your favourite band (see above), omitting any spaces (for example *neararmageddon*) in the band name to 3933. There is one vote per cellphone.

**OFFICE OPENING
HOURS DURING THE
SCHOOL HOLIDAYS**

The college office will be closed on Wednesday 8 July due to staff training.

We will be open from 9.00 am until 4.00 pm on all other week days, but please phone first if you are visiting over the lunchtime period.

SCHOOL RECORDS

Please let us know if your family has recently had a change of contact details (phone / cell / address) or if your child has developed a medical condition of which we should be aware. Email: office@mtaspiring.school.nz, or call 443 0499.

BINGO NIGHT TONIGHT!

Come along to the Bowling Club on Tenby Street tonight for a great night out.
\$3.00 per bingo car, or two for \$5.00.
The awesome bingo caller Mr Marcus Bate will start the bingo balls turning at 7.00 pm.

CLOWNING AROUND

Talented Year 10 Drama students performed their original clowning show to a very receptive group of Holy Family students in Years 1-3 on Monday afternoon. This ended their drama course on a great high. The students first learnt some clowning techniques when they participated in a work shop as part of the Festival of Colour Schools programme. They have been a totally dedicated class and show great promise to be very successful senior students in the future. It has been a pleasure working with them for the first half of this year.



STICKS 'N' STONES ARE EXCITED TO HOST
NIGEL LATTA
PRESENTING THE
THE MODERN FAMILY SURVIVAL GUIDE
with a focus on digital technology, bullying and communication
THURSDAY 13 AUGUST 2015
CROMWELL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
STARTS 7.00pm
Refreshments available from 6.30pm
\$10 PER TICKET
Can be purchased from:
• Community House
• PaperPlus Alexandra and Cromwell
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www.sticksnstones.co.nz
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