



GOLDIE

12 Waitapu Rd, Takaka
Phone: (03) 525 9914 Email: postie@gbh.school.nz
www.gbh.school.nz

GOLDEN BAY HIGH SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

FROM THE PRINCIPAL, LINDA TAME

EDITION 17 MARCH 2023



Tēnā koutou katoa

Swimming sports

We were fortunate that the weather held and it turned out to be an excellent day for the event. See the photos within! We are gathering feedback from whānau, students and staff about the changed format before deciding on the format for next year. We are aiming to provide a summary of the feedback and the proposed 2024 format in the next Goldie. Your feedback would be welcome, and is easiest emailed to me: principal@gbh.school.nz

The results were

1st

2nd

3rd

4th

School Exams and Term 3 Senior Reports' timeline

It is a very long way off but time will whizz by!

We are planning to move the school exams back 2.5 weeks to weeks 8 & 9 of Term 3. Students have provided feedback that they like having a weekend in the middle. The exams are usually held in about Week 6. The main reason for this change is that we want to be able to include more of the curriculum content that will be in the end of year NCEA exams. As well as providing invaluable practice to students, it also gives better access to derived grades in the event a student cannot attend the end of year exams. This timing is very common in other Secondary Schools.

The Term 3 Senior Reports will be sent to parents prior to the exams, with a teacher comment explaining next steps for exam or internal assessment preparation. After speaking to many whānau and students we feel this arrangement will help support our rangatahi better in their assessment preparation. During the Covid years, no comments were written in these Term 3 Senior Reports.

Whānau will have access to the School Exam results by the end of Term 3.

We would welcome any feedback you have about this proposed change prior to us locking it in for 2023.

Very near miss on pedestrian crossing

The Police have asked me to appeal again to whānau in cars to be more careful around the school.

It is simple:

Follow the road rules.

Don't stop to pick up or drop off students near the busy intersection.

Keep out of the Bus Bay at the start and end of school.

Keep alert as young people can be unpredictable.



If there are any photos or articles or ads you would like put in the Goldie, please email to goldie@gbh.school.nz



TERM ONE 2022 CALENDAR

21 March	Uniform Shop open
27 March	BoT meeting
29 March	Wednesday; school starts 9:45am
29 March	"The Plan" 7pm- see the ad within
31 March	Goldie
4 April	Yr 7/8 Immunisation
4 April	Uniform Shop open
6 April	Thursday, End of Term 1
	Break including Easter
24 April	Staff Only Day
25 April	ANZAC Day
26 April	Wednesday, Start of Term 2
26 April	Wednesday; school starts 9:45am
26 April	Uniform Shop open

It has been reported to me that on Monday morning, a driver stopped near the pedestrian crossing and dropped students off, then drove off without looking and nearly hit a pedestrian on the crossing.

Fortunately, I am informed that all that resulted was a massive fright for all involved and a fine. Phew!

In the last Goldie I grumbled about the behaviour of a small percentage of drivers. Since that Goldie there have been cars parked/stopped on the yellow lines whilst I have been on bus duty **four** times. Stopping even for a minute reduces visibility and changes the dynamics with other cars and the buses.

I really don't know what else I can do/say.

Bike helmets – worn properly – are a must

The Police have also asked me to remind students and whānau that bike helmets are compulsory. They warn they will start getting tough with offenders.

Ake ake kia kaha

Linda

Kia ora koutou!

Just a brief update from the Board - after two meetings this year, the 'new' board (elected Sept last year) is getting into the swing of the annual cycle of governance.

This time of the year it comprises approving the 2023 Charter, the Analysis of Variance and the Strategic Plan and Goals for 2023 as well as the budget. This is 'spiced up' with policy reviews (on a 3 year cycle) and taking 'deep dives' into student achievement.

Looking at the 'bigger picture' the board is continuing the work on strategy started by the previous board and supports management with the introduction of the values gifted to the school by Manawhenua ki Mohua.

While for many of us these are 'new' terms we have to come to grips with, they are actually rather ancient values based on/in Māori culture/tikanga (and equivalent values can be found in most other cultures).

And while 'ancient' these values have become even more important in this constantly changing 'scary' world dominated by social media and threatened by global warming, pandemic, natural disaster, war etc.

They are tools helping our rangatahi/youth to navigate through life and make their own decisions. We encourage you to talk to your kids about what they understand under whanaungatanga for example and how it can help us in our lives.

For students and staff learning is in full swing and so is the building project. For everyone now the building progress clearly visible with the walls going up beyond the building fence.

While it is progressing nicely it will continue to not only draw a lot of time and energy from the school's senior leadership team but also impact student and staff learning experiences, wellbeing and morale during 2023.

The BoT is supporting the leadership team in trying to minimize this impact and also negotiating the best possible outcome for GBHS when faced with rising building costs as the project progresses.

We are asking everyone for their understanding, cooperation and patience while students and staff are under this additional strain.

Ngā mihi mahana ki a koutou,

Susi Struck - presiding member Board of Trustees aka Board Chair



Photo on left, from left to right:
Gonzalo Vasquez del Rio,
Susi Struck,
Haydon Ward-Holmes,
Tarnae Palmer,
Brian Nesbit,
Linda Tame,
Dan Padial,
Jodi Jefferson,
Andrew Lamason

UNDER 18 PARENTAL CONSENT REQUIRED negotiate careful choices talk alcohol/drug avoid regret

**Keeping teens safe around alcohol and vaping.
What's your plan?**

Supported by
Golden Bay High School Home & School Association

The Plan
Providing parents and caregivers with the tools
and resources to delay teenage drinking and vaping

When: 7pm, Wednesday, 29 March 2023
Where: Golden Bay High School Gym

RSVP: 22 March 2023
email: homeandschool@gbh.school.nz
text: 0274 912194 or scan the QR code

 **SCAN ME**

Celebrating Success at Golden Bay High School

With the final date for NCEA results being March 1st, we would like to acknowledge our high achievers for 2022. Below are the list of our students who gained Merit and Excellence Certificate Endorsements meaning they gained 50 plus credits at Merit or Excellence. Well done to them all !!

NCEA Level 1 Certificate Endorsements

Merit

Finley Allen
Jarrah Bensemam
Lily Butler
Tarn Cahusac De Caux
Clara Davies
Elizabeth Egan
Arjuna Gall
Bayleigh Green
Charlee Hambrook

Jack Holland
Julius Jones
Lewis Langford
Kyla Lusty
Maiana Mason-Williams
Gus McLean
Hazel Molloy
Rohan Tennant
Tim Van der Meer

Excellence

Kalea Bowden
Amalie Harris-Macready
Malaika Hollis
Isobelle Johnson
Lief Osborne
Zoe Riddett

NCEA Level 2 Certificate Endorsements

Merit

Rosie Brown
Simone Gibbs
Jack Haldane
Elisa Hubner
Hinewai Lewis
Rhys Nesbit
Kate Nesbit
Will Tomlinson

Excellence

Carlos Howard
Phoebe Mulry Climpson
Molly O'Connor
Logan Watt

NCEA Level 3 2022

Merit

Juan Castex Arratia
Maata Howard
Kaia Marsh
Sara Rothwell
Pippa Struck
Grace Wessels-O'Neill

Excellence

Imogen Harris
Nina Mitchison
Stella Molloy

Te Whare Kai open every Thursday and Friday



Te whare kai Menu



<p><u>Wraps</u></p> <p>Bacon & Egg \$6.00 Sweet Chilli Chicken \$6.00 Falafel \$6.00</p> <p><u>Burgers</u></p> <p>Bacon & Egg \$6.00 BLT Burger \$6.00 Chicken & Sweet Chilli \$6.00 Bacon & Egg Muffin \$6.00</p> <p><u>Bread Sticks</u></p> <p>Garlic Bread \$3.00 Basil Pesto \$3.00 Chilli Cheese \$3.00 Garlic & Herb \$3.00</p> <p><u>Pizzas</u></p> <p>Vege \$5.50 Hawaiian \$5.50 Meat Lovers \$5.50 Chicken & Plum \$5.50</p>	<p><u>Paninis</u></p> <p>Basil Pesto, Spinach & Cheese \$6.00 Chicken & Cranberry \$6.00 Chicken & Plum \$6.00 Sweet Chilli Chicken \$6.00</p> <p><u>Other Savoury Options</u></p> <p>Savoury Muffins \$3.50 Stuffed Sausages \$4.50 Tortilla \$3.50 Lasagne Topper \$3.50 Cheese Pinwheel \$3.00</p> <p><u>Sweets</u></p> <p>Banana Cake \$3.50 Vegan Chocolate Cake \$3.50</p> <p><u>Drinks</u></p> <p>Juicies \$3.00 Sparkling Mineral Water \$3.50</p>
----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------	----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------

Te Whare Kai open every Thursday and Friday



SAIL ON A LEGENDARY ROUND THE WORLD MAXI YACHT

Steinlager 2

LION NEW ZEALAND

HINEMOANA

Our female-specific youth development programme is delivered over 5 days of sailing and kayaking.

Two nights sailing on the internationally renowned maxi yachts, Lion NZ or Steinlager2. Everybody on board has the opportunity to learn to sail the boats, help with the preparation of meals and sleep aboard.

Two nights are spent on the water with Auckland Sea Kayaks, where students learn how to kayak and camp in a safe, fun and supportive environment.

For further information check out www.nzsailingtrust.com/hine-moana

Tikapa Moana - Adventurous Journey

Tikapa Moana youth explorer is a 5 days of sailing and kayaking.

Two nights sailing on the internationally renowned maxi yachts, Lion NZ or Steinlager2. Everybody on board has the opportunity to learn to sail the boats, help with the preparation of meals and sleep aboard.

Two nights are spent on the water with Auckland Sea Kayaks, where students learn how to kayak and camp in a safe, fun and supportive environment.

For further information check out www.nzsailingtrust.com/sail-kayak

DUKE OF EDINBURGH (OPTIONAL)

The programme is structured in a way that allows the participants to participate and complete components of the Duke of Edinburgh Hillary Award (DOE). The programme components meet the requirements for the Adventurous Journey and as such, any participants who are interested in using this programme for DOE can do so.

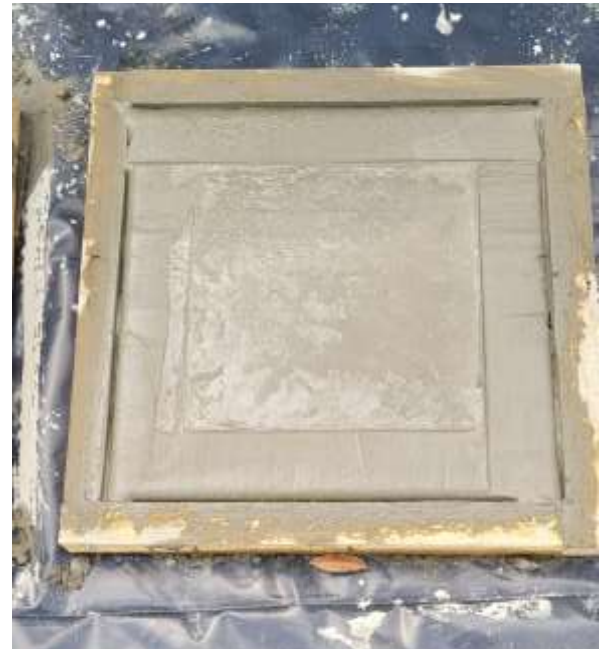


Building progress



2022 SCHOOL MAGAZINE NOW AVAILABLE \$10

Please pay cash, and pick up, from the office.



Golden Bay High School Health Nurse

Confidential Free Service
Every Monday 8.30 – 11.30 at Te Whare Manaaki
Drop in or text Caroline 027 203 1213

- ▶ Vaccination questions
- ▶ Alcohol and drug support
- ▶ Contraception
- ▶ Skin issues, acne and mole checks
- ▶ Puberty and period questions
- ▶ Helping to stop smoking and vaping
- ▶ Muscle sprains and pains
- ▶ Whānau and relationship concerns
- ▶ GP and health referrals
- ▶ STI checks
- ▶ Sexuality and gender questions
- ▶ Diet and weight management

Plus much more including support with GP visits and prescriptions!!



School Library Association of New Zealand Aotearoa
Te Puna Whare Mātauranga a Kura

The Books Back Better fundraising initiative is being launched today to help the recovery of school libraries affected by Cyclone Gabrielle.

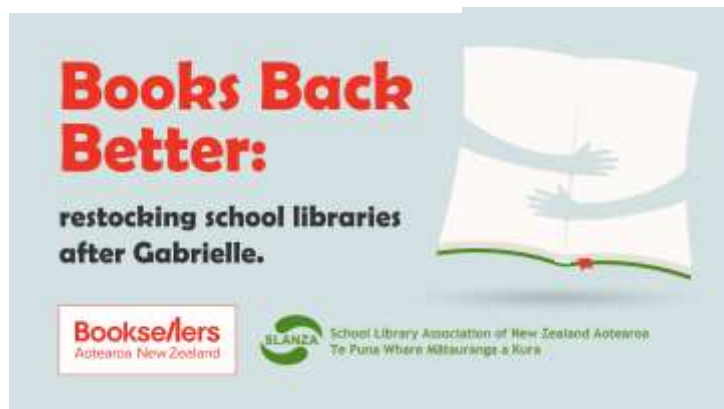
A group of local Hawkes Bay authors, school librarians and booksellers, led by Mary-anne Scott, have teamed up with SLANZA (School Library Association of New Zealand Aotearoa) and Booksellers Aotearoa NZ to create the Books Back Better project.

Books Back Better is a project to collect monetary donations from our wider communities around the motu to buy Booksellers Tokens and distribute these to kura/schools, Kindergartens and Kohanga Reo, affected by the recent cyclone Gabrielle in Aotearoa New Zealand.

Mary-anne Scott, Hawkes Bay author, is leading the Books Back Better group. "A well - stocked library should be the beating heart of any learning environment for our tamariki. Books Back Better aims to restock flooded school libraries after Gabrielle. Monies raised will provide book tokens so the affected libraries can be filled with books best suited for their readers."

"Our SLANZA National Executive had been discussing ideas about how we best to support school libraries around the motu that had been impacted by Cyclone Gabrielle when Mary-anne phoned me with a desire to support affected school libraries so it was a no-brainer that we do all we could to get behind a locally driven project" says Sasha Eastwood, school librarian at Manchester Street School and current President of SLANZA. "The tokens will give schools agency to purchase their own books with their community needs in mind. We hope these books will give comfort to akonga/students as school communities work through recovering from the devastating damage of recent events."

Booksellers Aotearoa were also approached by Mary-anne and were keen to be involved. "The



devastation of Cyclone Gabrielle has had impacts throughout New Zealand's book-loving community, including several of our members." says Dan Slevin, Booksellers Aotearoa CEO. "By channeling these generous donations through discounted Booksellers Tokens, our association can make a contribution to those schools, kohanga and kindies that have to rebuild their collections, and also support our members operating in affected communities in Northland, Auckland, Bay of Plenty, Tairāwhiti and Hawkes Bay."

People can donate via the SLANZA website. Donations will be used to purchase Booksellers Tokens which will be distributed to kura/schools, kindergartens or Kōhanga Reo in Aotearoa New Zealand affected by Cyclone Gabrielle and who fit the project criteria via an application process. These tokens will enable the affected kura/schools to purchase new books from local booksellers to replace those damaged. Booksellers Aotearoa are supplying the tokens at a 20 percent discount off face value.

Join us today by donating to Books Back Better via www.SLANZA.org.nz

Ngā mihi nui,

Sasha Eastwood

President | School Library Association of New Zealand Aotearoa

Rangi's Repairs

"Fix Anything But Relationships"

- Audio and T.V
- Appliances
- Cable and Plugs
- Clockwork
- Coffee Machines
- Knife and Tool Sharpening
- Plastic Welding
- Rechargeable Batteries
- Toy Repair
- Sewing Machines
- Small Engineering
- Glue and Screw
- Test 'n Tag
- Stainless Welding
- Vacuum and Pump Repairs

Mon, Tues, Thurs & Friday
10am-5pm
rangisrepairs@gmail.com

Thanks to Rangi's Repairs
for sharpening the first batch
of Home Economics knives,
and doing it free of charge, and
with a smile.



COGS
Community Organisation Grant Scheme (COGS)

Opens 5 April 2023
Closes 3 May 2023

For further information:
Contact: Luke Kuru Community Advisor 027 223 4907
Contact: Blair Carpenter Community Advisor 027 638 6246
Contact: Eva Lawrence Community Advisor 027 215 7437
Email: luke.kuru@communitypartners.govt.nz

Website: <https://www.communitypartners.govt.nz/communities/what-is-a-community-organisation/>

New Zealand Government

Te Taiti Takekōwhiri
Internal Affairs



Simone Gibbs has just found out she gained a Creative Excellence Award for a Special Effects Makeup course she took part in at Yoobee College last year.



Simone learnt how to create a variety of SFX (special effects) Burns and Trauma (cuts, wounds, and bruises) and finished the course by creating an SFX character for a fun photoshoot.



Yoobee College is based in Christchurch and runs School Holiday Programmes designed for secondary school students.

The lost property room is getting full!
Please remind students to come and collect their lost items.
There are lots of togs and towels from Swimming Sports.
Thank you



5.50%
per annum

This special offer is current from 1st March 2013 but is subject to change and could be withdrawn at any time without notice. Payment of £100 per new business opened will be made in the January that is based on when the business which the Points are deposited into has opened. Payment of £100 will be made to the business owner in the January that the business is opened. Payment of £100 will be made to the business owner in the January that the business is opened. Payment of £100 will be made to the business owner in the January that the business is opened.

NBS
Banking for life







tasman *to talk to people*
 Department of Internal Affairs | Tel: 03 6224 6666





2023 Championship Swimmers

Championship winners were calculated from their best 5 individual events. Relay results did not count. There were nine Individual events.

Records:

Liam Egan: 33BR Final - 23.34s (1st place).

Previous 23.38s

Senior Boys Champion: Lief Osborne

First 66m breaststroke, 33m butterfly;
Second 33m backstroke; Third 100m individual medley,
33m Breaststroke, 66m backstroke;
Fourth 100m freestyle; Seventh 66m freestyle.

Senior Girls Champion: Stella Scotland

First 66m freestyle, 100m freestyle, 100m individual medley, 33m Breaststroke, 33m butterfly, 66m backstroke;
Second 33m freestyle; Third 33m backstroke.

Intermediate Boys Champion: Liam Egan

First 66m freestyle, 100m freestyle, 100m individual medley, 33m Breaststroke, 33m butterfly, 33m freestyle, 66m backstroke, 66m breaststroke.

Intermediate Girls Champion: Chloe Hames

First 100m freestyle, 100m individual medley, 33m backstroke, 66m backstroke;
Second 33m freestyle; Third 33m Breaststroke;
Fourth 66m breaststroke.

Junior Boys Champion: Jasper Dimmock Van Son

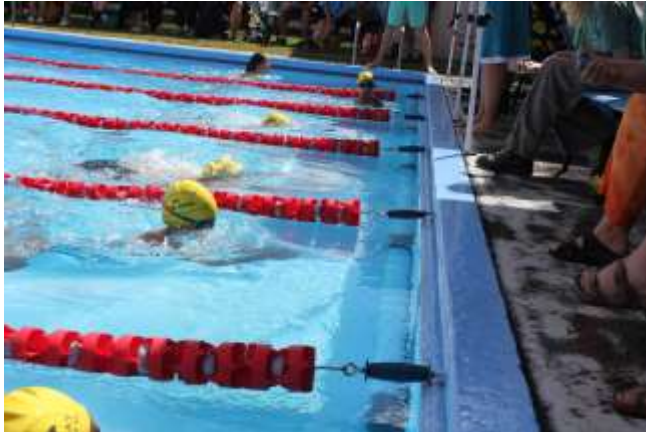
First 100m individual medley, 33m backstroke, 33m breaststroke, 33m butterfly, 66m backstroke, 66m breaststroke;
Second 66m freestyle, 33m freestyle.

Junior Girls Champion: Zara Hames

First 66m breaststroke, 100m freestyle, 100m individual medley, 33m backstroke, 33m butterfly, 33m freestyle, 66m backstroke;
Second 66m freestyle; Fourth 33m breaststroke







Gateway and Outdoor Ed First Aid Course



The YOUTH HABITAT Monthly schedule MARCH 2023						
Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
12	13 Mums + Dads drop in group 10.30am-12.30pm	14 Drop in nurse Philosophy group 3.20pm-5.20pm	15 Saverio morning Run 12pm Book club O & B Youth Club	16 Bike Basics with Robbie 3.20pm-5.50pm O & B Youth Club	17	18 Climbing Day 10am-3pm
19 Cafeteria/ Drop in 2.30pm-5.30pm	20 Mums + Dads drop in group 10.30am-12.30pm	21 Drop in nurse	22 Fun medical story Wednesday 2.30-4.00pm O & B Youth Club	23 O & B Youth Club	24 Movie night 5pm-8pm	25
26	27	28 Drop in nurse	29 Book club 5.30pm-8pm O & B Youth Club	30 Puncture repair course with Robbie 3.20pm-5.20pm O & B Youth Club	31 Kala club 3.30pm-5pm	



Sunday orienteering at Canaan.

Come on up to Canaan this Sunday for a day out in the hills. Registration opens at 10am. Starts from 10:30-12noon (so you can start any time in between).

Choose a white or yellow course for kids to run around by themselves or go for a family adventure on an orange course.

Courses to suit all ages and abilities. Come early if you want to do 2 courses (e.g. yellow then orange).

BYO water and suitable clothing for the hills. Bring cash for a sausage, drink or cake afterwards.

Fleur and Neil Murray are running it for Nelson Orienteering Club.

You don't have to be a member to compete.

Walking in a family/friends group is totally legit.

All GBHS students are NOC members for 2023 (thanks GBHS Adventure Racing group).

Members \$5, non-members \$10. This is the closest orienteering gets to the Bay.

Sign up link [Nelson Orienteering club](#)

Not quite sure?... flick Fleur a text 0275256117, or find her on messenger.



Rainbow Rogaine

A large group of students, parents and staff took up the opportunity to support Motueka High School's Adventure racing team by completing the Rainbow Rogaine on Sunday. A shout out to Steph, Kane, Ryan and Maren who all experienced their first rogaine. Ka pai everyone.

UNIFORM SHOP

The uniform shop will be open for Term One 2023 on

March 21st, April 4th

& April 26 (Wednesday Term two, after ANZAC day)

Fortnightly on Tuesday this term from 1-2pm (lunch break). Please check with the school office for directions to the Uniform Shop this term.

You will need either cash, or phone internet banking and to show us the transaction before you can take the uniform.



Uniform Acc: 03 1354 0575666-01 and use student's name as reference

Any uniform returns must still have tags on the clothing, and not have been worn, thank you.

Any enquiries to Lou Soper 0272259969
chardonnay.nz@gmail.com