

**Important Dates 2018****August****Tue 21** BOT Meeting**Tue 21** Retell Festival**Wed 22** PTA Meeting**Fri 24** Retell finals**Mon 27** Junior Kapa Haka at Polyfest**Tue 28** Pasifika and Senior Kapa Haka at Polyfest**Fri 31** High School Enrolments Close**Fri 31** Middle Disco**September****Wed 12** PTA Meeting**Fri 14** Senior Disco**Tue 18** Sing out rehearsal, 1pm Civic Theatre**Wed 19** Sing out dress rehearsal, 9am Civic Theatre**Wed 19** Sing out performance evening Civic Theatre**Tue 25** School photos**Fri 28** last day Term 3**October****Mon 15** first day Term 4**Mon 22** Labour Day**November****December****Mon 17** last day of Term 4

If you order soup on Friday
please send a cup with a lid
and a spoon



School Account Number
03 1742 0052461 00

For payment of School Account, Sports and Activity Fees. Remember to include name and activity in the reference

Assembly**Fri 17 August**

Syndicate

Senior/Middle 1.20pm

Junior 2.15pm

Fri 24 August

Full School 1.20pm

Absences

School Stream App—go to Forms then Absentee Form and complete absence and submit or **text** your absences on 0273 727 070—child's first and last name, class and also reason for absence. (eg. Jane Smith Rm 3 sick.)

From the Principal's Desk

Talofa, Kia Ora and welcome to this week's newsletter.

It has been 24 years since I have seen a week like this in education. As you read this, the strike will have happened. Although we know there is no other option, it is not something we do lightly or easily. We came into teaching to work with children and their families, not to send learners home. Currently, I don't see any change and predict that this won't be the end of the negotiations or future action.

In the next 8-10 years in Invercargill nearly 30% of today's Teachers and Principals will no longer be in the service. That is a picture that needs fast and urgent attention. Pay teachers as important professionals who provide an important service and we will retain and attract quality into our classrooms. Currently new graduates from tertiary can go almost anywhere else and get better conditions. Let's hope the Government sees the importance of the best educational opportunities for our New Zealand children.

Our campaign is called 'It's Time' and looking from the inside out, it certainly is.

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Peter Hopwood
Principal

PTA FUNDRAISER**COMMUNITY INFORMATION EVENING****Monday 20 August****7.00pm start****Donovan Primary Hall****\$5.00pp entry**

Ever wondered if you should make a Will

Come along and find out what it takes to have your say...

Learn about what you need to know to make an effective Will

Open to all parents,
grandparents & the wider school community

Register your interest on School Stream
or at the school office



MIDDLE DISCO
31 AUGUST
5.30 - 6.15
SCHOOL HALL
*\$2 entry or \$5 disco pack available
THEME: DRESS UP!!

DONOVAN PTA MEETING

This term:
Wednesday 22 August
Wednesday 12 September
6pm in School Staffroom

All Welcome



Jump Jam

Below are three links you can view, use and enjoy from the strictly live Jump Jam competition.

- ♦ The photos as published on our Facebook page link https://www.facebook.com/pg/jumpjamofficial/photos?tab=album&album_id=1826298987462527 = Facebook with the images.
- ♦ The highlight's reel <http://vimeo.com/283149606> = highlights reel
- ♦ Plus a link to our dropbox with all the photos from the night <https://www.dropbox.com/sh/npmmpc3xbfhdiatn/AABZLZMjdZz3kHyVZsTUe7lKa?dl=0> = dropbox folder of all photo and videos

Polyfest

This will be held at Stadium Southland Invercargill - gold coin entry.

The **Junior Kapa Haka group** will be performing on Monday 27 August at 1pm. The bus will leave school at 12.20pm and return at 1.40pm. Therefore the junior children will have an early lunch at school. We will need parent help to help change the children into their uniforms and for supervision. **If you are available to help, please contact Mrs Jamieson in Room 15 for more information.**

Also, **Pasifika** will be performing on Tuesday 28 August at 10.20am, the **Year 3 and 4 Kapa Haka group perform at 10.30am** and the **Year 5 and 6 Kapa Haka group will perform at 11.40am**. The buses will leave school for the stadium at 9.30am and return to school about 12.15pm. All children will have morning tea at school and lunch when they return to school. If you can help change the children into their uniforms, please let Mrs Ormond-Taane, Miss Foscender or Mrs Leadley know.

The Y3-4 group will change into their uniforms as soon as they arrive at school at the back of the hall. The Y5-6 will change into their uniforms at the stadium.



2018 Disco Roster

Term 2: Junior & Senior

Term 3: Middle & Senior

Term 4: Junior & Middle

Keep an eye on the newsletters for the dates

Donovan Primary Newsletter Is Now Electronic

As you will already know our newsletter is now electronic. Please do let us know if you need it emailed to you, if you haven't already done so. Happy reading.

Pasifika will be performing at Middle/Senior Syndicate assembly on Friday. Come along and see all our fantastic performers.

School Stream

If you are having trouble with viewing attachments on School Stream notices - please try the following process:

- ⇒ Menu (top left—3 bars)
- ⇒ Settings
- ⇒ Translate content
- ⇒ Stop translating

The system can translate from English to another language, but, problems arise if English is ticked and we are already sending messages in English (hence the need to stop translating).

New Students

We welcome our new student Yuri Vaidayanuwatti.

We hope you and your family enjoy your association with Donovan Primary.

Lost Property

Please keep checking our lost property, which will be on display outside the hall on Friday's. If your clothing is named, then it can be returned to the student.



We would like to acknowledge the generous support of the following people:

Dixon Transport
AE & DM Hutton Family Trust
Murihiku Haulage 2015

By nominating our school in the Southfuels scheme we have received a free 55 inch television for our new classroom.

Thank you to these people and Southfuels for your generosity.



Responsible Student Award - Term 3, Week 3

Congratulations to these children who have shown good Donovan Values. Their names were drawn out at assembly. Students choose between a stationery item or a chocolate bar. Chocolate seems to be the favourite.



BACK: Corban Crosswell and Sam Nelson

MIDDLE: Hayley Hamilton, Ava Barker and Heidi Mennell

FRONT: Millie Fryer and Liam Murphy

Absent: Ava Wilson

Donovan School

**Now delivering Wednesdays
Beginning 22nd August**

**WIN LUNCH. ON US
FOR THE REST OF
THE TERM !**

**Every order made on Wed 22nd Aug,
goes into the draw**

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P: 2189748 E: taystreet@franchise.pitapit.co.nz

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- 2 Add member/s including your child's name, school and classroom
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- 4 Select your lunch and place an order



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The School Council attended the Southland book launch for the book 'Call for the Ambulance' written by Chris Sanders. We were invited to attend, by St John Ambulance, as a recognition for the money the school raised for them on Yellow Day. The author, Chris Sanders, was at the launch and spent time teaching the children the song and actions. The autographed book is now in the school library and you can also find the song on Youtube - '111 Ambulance Song'.



TERM 3 DISCOS:

Middle Disco - 31 August

Senior Disco - 14 September

Note: Middle Disco
information on front page.

Colouring Competition

Attached is the Ricoh colouring competition. If you wish to participate either run off the picture or collect one from the office. Entries are to be dropped off or posted to 182 Spey Street, by 5pm, Thursday, 27 September (not the school office).

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20 August to 2 September 2018

cost* + 7.5%

on televisions • computers
• whiteware • mobile phones

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& PC Consumables. See below for terms & conditions.

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JOIN THE PARADE TO CELEBRATE SOUTHLAND SPORT

**ESK STREET,
4PM ON THURSDAY 16 AUGUST**

Get there early!!! The ticker-tape parade will move
from Dee Street, along Esk Street to the
Invercargill City Council building



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RICOH

COLOURING COMPETITION 2018

1st Prize (5-7 yrs)

Signed 2018 Stags Jersey, Rugby Ball & lunch in your class with the stags

1st Prize (8-11 yrs)

Signed 2018 Stags Jersey, Rugby Ball & tickets for you and your class to the Southland Stags V Bay of Plenty match on Sunday 7 October and prizes from Ricoh on the day.

ENTRY INFORMATION

Post or drop your entries into:

182 Spey Street, Invercargill

All entries must be in by 5pm Thursday 27 September

CONDITIONS

Entrants must be ages 5-11 yrs

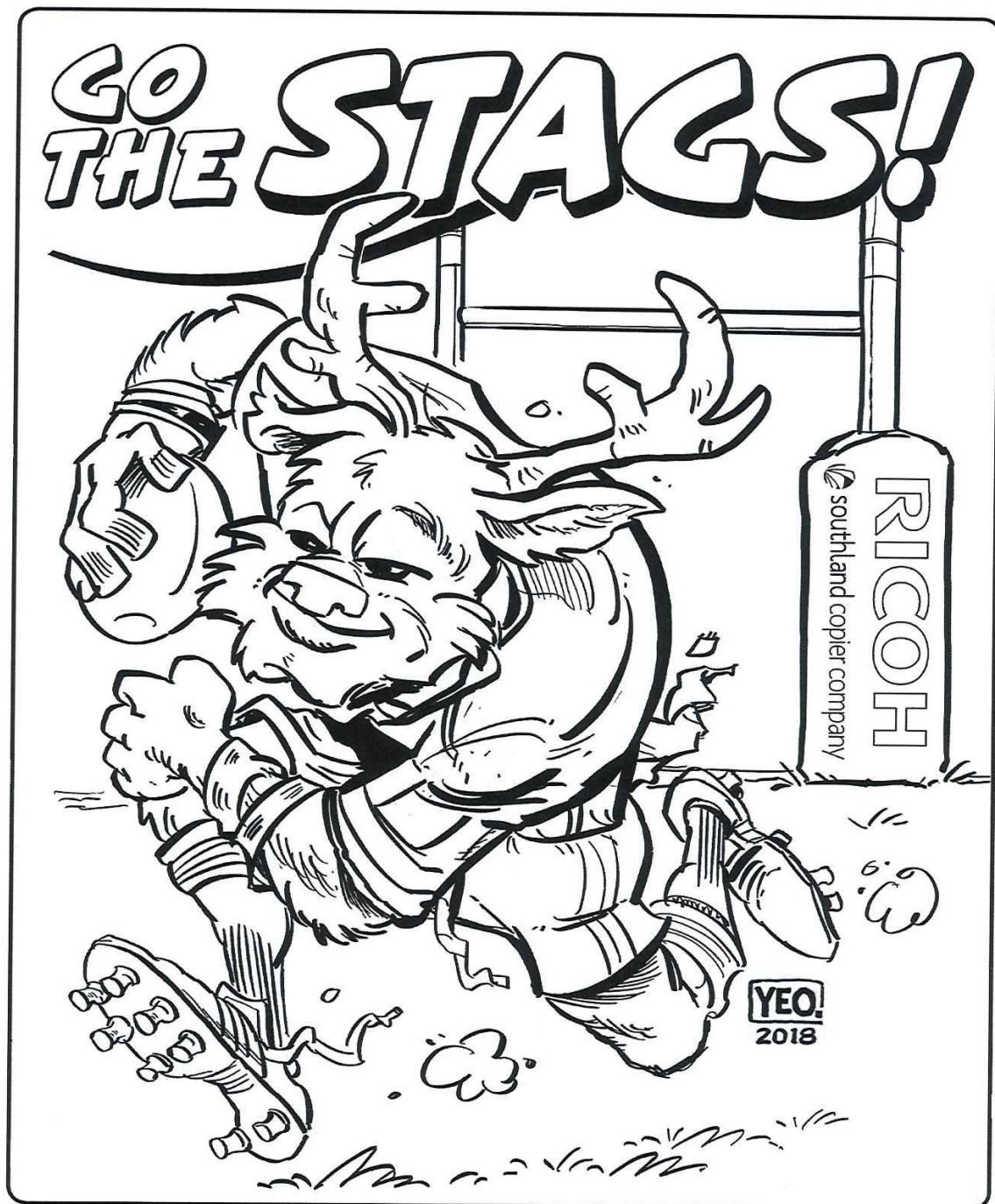
Some of the Stags will attend lunch but will not be providing lunch

Other Terms and Conditions will apply

Note all entries must be in by Thursday, 27 September. If you are unable to print this colouring competition and require a hard copy, please call into the office at school.

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RICOH COLOURING COMPETITION 2018



Name: _____ Age: _____

School: _____ Phone: _____

WIN SOME OF THE STAGS AT YOUR SCHOOL FOR LUNCH

Details over the page

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