

Maniototo Area School

NEWSLETTER

4 September 2020



CLASS ACT 2020

Congratulations to Peter Cheesmur & Sam Flanagan on their Class Act Awards



Peter is Maniototo Area School's Academic Leader, Board of Trustees student representative and Serpentine house leader. His achievements include St John Grand Prior Award, attending leadership courses at Outward Bound, Borland Lodge and Spirit of Adventure. He received an overall Excellence endorsement in both NCEA Level 1 and Level 2. Peter's interests include Beekeeping which has been the basis for his Business Studies project which has just been entered in the Young Enterprise Foundation programme. His other passion is skiing and he hopes to become a member of a ski patrol team and ski tour guide in the future.

Sam is our Cultural leader and PRIDE values leader. His achievements include obtaining his St John Grand Prior Award and obtaining an overall Merit endorsement in both NCEA Level 1 and 2. Sam's passion is luge; he has represented NZ in natural luge (2017-2020) and competed in junior and world cups/championships in Italy and Austria. Sam spends a number of hours volunteering at the Naseby Ice Rink, Luge and Snow Park, and when he's not on the ice he enjoys playing music. Sam is planning on going to University next year.

CONSTRUCTION

As part of our Construction topic this term, Tawa, Whero, Kahurangi and the Year 7/8 classes went for a visit to a real building site. Mr Renton showed us two of his building sites on Launceston Place. We got to see the foundations of both buildings in different stages. Mr Renton taught us all about how he had to prepare the site and how they build the foundations and what all the different piping was for.

We are looking forward to seeing the different stages of Mr Renton's house's and then relating it back to our own building going on back at school.

The Year 7/8 class also had MAS ex-pupil Willie Miller come and talk to them about his career in the building industry.



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CURLING

This year MAS had 3 teams compete in South Island Secondary Schools Curling in Dunedin.

We won gold medals in both the Boys and Girls competitions with these teams going through all the pool play games unbeaten.

Our other boys team played very well and finished 4th overall.

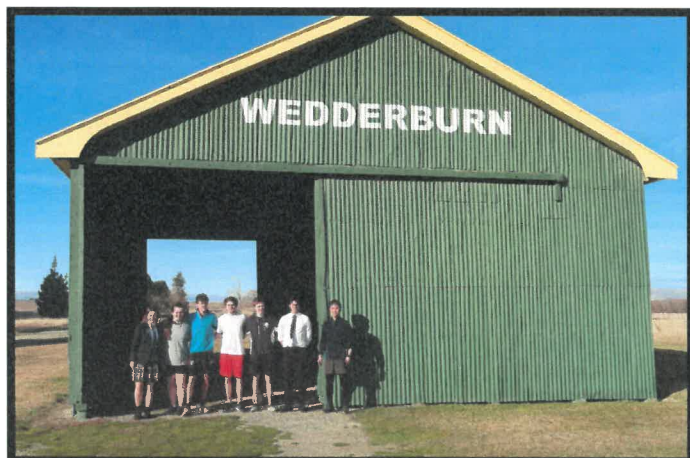
They are all looking forward to the National Competition that will be held in Naseby at the end of the term.

We also have several students taking part in the NZ Mixed Doubles tournament being held from 17th-20th September. Good luck!



Some of our senior students completed some of their practical PE assessment by taking part in a Duathlon along the Otago Central Rail Trail organised by Mr Nakamura. It is hoped this will become an annual event for our senior students.

DUATHLON



Thanks to Ms Meyer for being the support crew.

The participants really appreciated having some students from school cheering them on at transition points and as they passed through Ranfurly.

Awesome effort everyone!

MANIOTOTO CROSS COUNTRY RESULTS

Year 1

Girls: 1st Esme Hore (MAS), 2nd Sophie McAtamney (MAS), 3rd Juliette Dowling (St John's)

Boys: 1st Toby McFadyen-Beck (MAS), 2nd Bede Paterson (MAS), 3rd Oscar McAtamney (MAS)

Year 2

Girls: 1st Nikita Wilson (MAS), 2nd Thalia Hepi (MAS), 3rd Isla Jeffries (St John's)

Boys: 1st Xavier Love (St John's), 2nd Arthur Elworthy (St John's), 3rd Leo Finlayson (MAS)

Year 3

Girls: 1st Vanessa Kinney (MAS), 2nd Laura Paterson (MAS), 3rd Isla Drake (MAS)

Boys: 1st McKinley Francis (St John's), 2nd Jae McAuley (St John's), 3rd= Harry Dowling (St John's) & Tyrell Hore (MAS)

Year 4

Girls: 1st Marley Weir (St John's), 2nd Josie Herlihy (St John's), 3rd Lexi McFadyen-Beck (MAS)

Boys: 1st George Dowling (St John's), 2nd Logan Suddaby (St John's), 3rd Axel McAuley (St John's)



Year 5

Girls: 1st Shaylah Pink (MAS), 2nd= Marley Hore & Macy Finlayson (MAS), 3rd Indianna Hepi (MAS)

Boys: 1st= Eddie Weir (St John's) & Max Gregan (MAS), 2nd Sam Elworthy (St John's), 3rd Callum McSkimming (MAS)

Year 6

Girls: 1st Tessa Steele (St John's), 2nd Amelia Smith (MAS), 3rd Susie Smith (MAS)

Boys: 1st Thomas Helm (MAS), 2nd Ben Gibson (St John's), 3rd Nate Spooner (MAS)



Year 7

Girls: 1st Ruby Hore (MAS), 2nd Isabelle Helm (MAS), 3rd Sam Roxburgh (MAS)

Boys: 1st Ethan McSkimming (MAS), 2nd Toby Duncan (St John's), 3rd Ryan Crossan (St John's)



MANIOTOTO ATHLETICS CLUB

Meeting for all interested parents, coaches, helpers for upcoming Athletics season.
Friday 18th September - 3.15pm - MAS Learning Centre
Looking for Athletics programme to commence in Term 4.

GRAEME LAING SWIM SCHOOL

We wish to confirm that we are very fortunate to have Graeme (Billy) Laing - NZ Swim Coach Legend back to Ranfurly for another year.
Billy's lessons will again run from 27th-31st December.
Registrations will be taken in Term 4.

SNOW DAY

We had an expected snowfall this week and students had a ball out playing in the snow during their lunchbreak when they returned to school on Wednesday!



UPCOMING EVENTS

5-7 September	School Ski Trip (optional)
9 September	School photos
11 September	Otago Cross Country Champs (postponement date is 18th September)
17 September	Primary Assembly
25 September	End of Term 3
26-28 September	NZSS Curling Tournament (Naseby)
12 October	Term 4 commences

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ANNUAL CLASS PHOTOS

CLASS, INDIVIDUAL AND SIBLING PHOTOS



Jack 'n' Jill Portraits will be here on:

Maniototo Area School Ranfurly

Wednesday, 09 September, 2020

Starting sibling photos at 8am, then class and individual photos at 9am

If you do not attend on this day you are invited to join the group photo then have individuals taken. Please arrive at least 15 minutes before the scheduled group photo time.

ANNUAL PHOTO PACKAGES AND PRICES

Digital files \$20 each or the lot for \$50



Multi-Sheet 8x10" Portrait Class Photo Digital Images



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\$20



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