



Central Southland College

CSC Dux 2017



Nadeen Alshadli was awarded Dux 2017 at the Central Southland College Senior Prizegiving held on Tuesday, 7th November 2017. Her parents are Dr Adeeb Alshadli and Mrs Karawan Obeedo of Winton. Nadeen was awarded:

1st in Biology, Excellence – Alliance Group Prize; 1st in Physics; 1st in Chemistry, Excellence; 1st in History, Excellence – Stewart Cup and Menzies Marshall Law Prize; 1st in Mathematics with Statistics, Excellence – Winton Masonic Lodge Prize; Vet South Award for Excellence in Science; T A McLean Cup for Excellence in Mathematics and Science

Nadeen was also the winner of the Founders Prize for Outstanding Effort at Year 13; The Summers Cup and Winton Rotary Club Medal for Dux 2017.

Nadeen is to study Health Sciences at university next year with a view to entering the medical field.

We are all very proud of Nadeen's achievements at CSC and wish her all the very best for the future!

Newsletter

1st December 2017

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From the Principal

Nga mihi nui ki a koutou katoa

Our annual Senior Prizegiving was held on Tuesday evening the 7th November, a celebration of the outstanding achievements of so many of our students. It was a fantastic evening and our congratulations go to all those students who received awards.

Congratulations to Nadeen Alshadli (pictured on the cover) awarded our school Dux award for 2017 and also to Jaira Petallana for achieving Proxime Accessit 2017, an outstanding achievement for each of those students.



Students have just returned from our Year 10 Camp to Borland, forging a new path for Central Southland College, taking the whole year group and introducing new curriculum concepts to truly incorporate an education out of the classroom experience. Likewise, our Year 9 students embraced an activity week and cycled through a range of challenges developing new skills, building on knowledge and enjoying a rewarding few days. Thank you to all those staff involved in organisation, planning and the work on the ground. Also to our Year 9 and 10 students for willingly engaging in the programme and ensuring its success.

Year 9 students have the adventure days to look forward to next week and our Year 10's head off to attend courses of their choice at SIT. All of these are valuable experiences for our students.

At the end of this year we farewell Diane Andrews (right) who has been a stalwart of the CSC teaching staff for a number of years. Diane was also a first day pupil when Winton District High School became Central Southland College. We wish her all the very best for a well deserved retirement.



We also farewell Kylie McLean (pictured left) who has been a longstanding member of the support staff. Kylie worked in the photocopy room and has seen many changes in her time at CSC. We wish her all the very best for the future.



We also say goodbye and thank you to Michelle Templeton, Anna McDowall and Helen Baird who have been teaching part-time this year. Many thanks to you all for stepping in during the year. Kara Boys will also be away on maternity leave for Terms 1 and 2, 2018 returning at the beginning of Term 3.

As this is the final newsletter of the year, I wish all our families a wonderful Christmas break. Thank you for your support, whether that be through sport or cultural involvement, attendance at events or simply encouraging your child in their schooling pursuits. We appreciate and value your continued support.

Ka kite ano
Grant Dick
Principal



JUNI OR PRIZEGIVING
Monday 4th December 7pm

All welcome

We ask that students bring a plate for a
shared supper please

STUDENT NEWS

Readers Cup

On the 8th November five of our junior students represented our school at the inaugural Readers Cup competition. This is promoted by the School Library Association of New Zealand with prizes sponsored by Invercargill Paper Plus.

The students had to read six specific books and then were tested on details from these. There were seven Southland secondary schools involved so we were very proud of gaining first place and taking the cup back to CSC.

Congratulations to our winning team: Riley Parekura-Livermore, Ella Crowe, Holly Ingram, Suri Kidd and Emily Thomson.



Primary ITO Trade Academy



Another busy year for the Primary ITO Trade Academy has come to an end. We have seen a few students come and go over the year, with three leaving after gaining employment on local farms.

The Year 11 students have enjoyed many field trips to various primary industries including Craig Pine, Invercargill Weather Station and the Robotic Milking farm just to name a few. They also had a joint day trip with the Year 12's to Telford Rural Polytechnic. These students have decided on what type of farm they want to gain work experience on next year and we are already trying to find farmers to accommodate them. Please contact me for further details if you think you would like to have a Year 12 student gaining work experience on your farm one day a week in 2018.



Our Year 12 students completed a First Aid and Health & Safety course earlier in the year and have gained valuable experience at their farm work placements throughout the year. A huge thankyou to the farmers that supported these students in gaining valuable practical skills.

Next year we will welcome nine new students into the programme and look forward to helping them start their primary industry journey.

*Lynley Wood
Head of Agriculture*

Congratulations to Dylan Forde



Dylan (pictured left) has been awarded the Lincoln University Elite Sports Scholarship awarded to students excelling in a specific elite sporting code. Dylan's being middle distance running.

It covers tuition fees for the course of his study provided he keeps up his athletics results and also means he becomes part of the Lincoln University Sports Scholar Team. This allows him access to physios, trainers, nutritionists.

We are very proud of Dylan's achievements and wish him all the very best!

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FAREWELL TO YEAR 13 CLASS OF 2017



We sent off our tremendous bunch of Year 13 students in 70's style. We wish them the very best for their future studies and careers. Onwards and upwards!



Tom Day, Year 13 surprised the staff with a Christmas themed morning tea on Tuesday.

Tom baked Christmas tarts, hung individually wrapped chocolate almonds on his tree and gave the staff a lovely thank you card.

Great job, Tom!



One of the Year 9 activities last week was the Mystery Food Box Challenge. This involved us participating in a Masterchef type challenge where we had 45 minutes to create a dish to present to the judges. we made potato top pies, nachos, patties, omelettes, fried rice and lots of pizzas.

Year 9

Mystery Food Box Challenge



STUDENT NEWS

Year 9 Activity Week



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Year 9 & 10 Drama Performance



The Year 10 Drama class along with some of the Year 9 Drama class performed *A Christmas Carol* for all of the junior students last Tuesday.

On a limited timeframe, the classes had put together an entertaining and festive show for us.

Thanks to the classes and Mrs Richardson for her support and enthusiasm.



Southland Secondary Schools Sports Awards



Left to right: Cameron Shaw, Quinn Robins, Jamie McIntyre, Jacob Hammond and Moa Fernqvist pictured with their certificates

The Southland Secondary Schools Sports Awards were held recently at the Ascot Park Hotel in Invercargill.

Congratulations to Jacob Hammond (Trapshooting) and Cameron Shaw (Tae Kwon Do) who were finalists in their respective sporting codes. Jacob and Cameron were also awarded the honour of future champions.

Jamie McIntyre (Volleyball), Quinn Robins (Rockclimbing) and Moa Fernqvist (Rockclimbing) were also awarded future champion honours.

CSC SPORTS REPORT



CSC Sharpshooter!

Jamie Hudson, Yr 10, recently featured on the front page of the Southland Times for her success in rifle shooting. Jamie attended the NZ Alpine Long Range Rifle Shooting Championships in early November.

Despite being by far the youngest competitor, Jamie claimed her first national title. Competitors had to shoot at targets ranging from 13cm to 60cm from distances of up to 1km away. Jamie said she “enjoyed the looks on the other contestants faces as she was the youngest contestant to win”. She was awarded with a spotting scope as her first place prize.

NZ Secondary School Athletics

Good luck to our athletics team competing in Hastings this weekend. All the athletes have been training well in the lead up to this event. For the boys (right) it will be the last time they compete for CSC. They have done us proud for 5 years and we wish them all the best for this last school event and their respective futures.

The competitors are :

Dylan Forde: 800m

Tyler Hamilton: 400m

Adam Norman: 100m High Jump and Triple Jump

Fergus Keown: 100m, 200m

Ella Wilson: Discus, Javelin and Long Jump

Sadie Wech: 3000m and 2000m Steeple

Chase.



Southland Boardriders

Summer Series (SS) to be held in Jan, Feb and March. SS will now be held on a Saturday allowing Sunday as the poor weather day.

SS #1 Jan: 13th Jan, (back up day 14th)

SS #2 Feb: 10th (back up day 11th)

SS #3 March: 10th (Back Up day 11th)

Scholastics: Primary and Secondary Schools 24th Feb (back up day 25th)

Colac Bay Classic: 24th March (back up day 25th)

Wallace Longest Wave Comp: Easter Weekend - Day with the best surf

Annual membership \$15 per person or only \$40 per family

For Southland Board Riders membership subscription details please email:

Southlandboardriders@gmail.com

SPORTS COACHES REQUIRED

Expressions of interest are invited for passionate and knowledgeable people interested in coaching sports teams at Central Southland College in 2018.

Specifically:

Volleyball: Snr and Jnr

Cricket: Yr 9/10 Boys

Netball: Snr and Jnr

Basketball: Snr and Jnr

Hockey: Boys and Girls

1st XV Rugby: backs coach

Please contact Andrea Beggs, Sports Co-ordinator for more information.

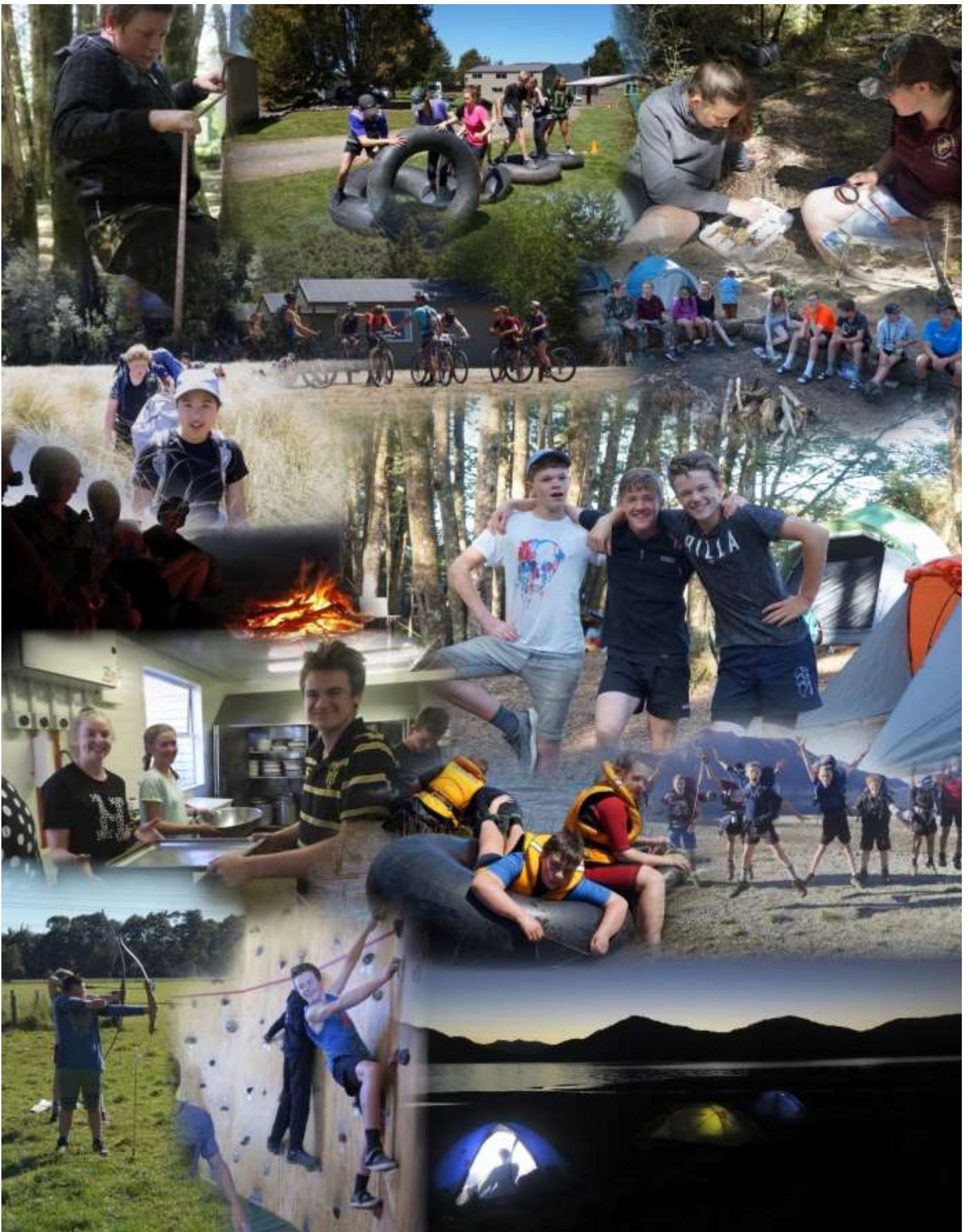
andreab@csc.school.nz



Sam Hart, Year 10 Squash Achiever

Sam has had a busy and successful year with Squash. He has won a number of tournaments throughout the year, recently winning the Makarewa Champs C division. He has also been selected for the Squash Southland Development Squad. Sam has been offered some training with Nick Mita and will be working hard over the summer doing fitness training.

YEAR 10 CAMP



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The Year 10 students attended camp at Borland Lodge last week. We were fortunate to have four days of brilliant weather and lots of enthusiastic students and staff.

Students were able to choose from a huge variety of activities to partake in. These included: tramps, rockclimbing, art, mountain biking, archery, ecology, survival skills, orienteering, search and rescue, bush food, lazer tag, caving, kayaking, rafting, ABL games and fishing.

“I really liked having a different group for each activity so I got to know more of my peers better and spend time with friends outside of school” - Caitlin van Miltenburg

“I liked chilling by the campfire” - Max Cowie

“My favourite thing was the tramp” - Mia Standish

“I learned how to work with other people” - Krisley Manalo

“I liked caving because it was out of my comfort zone” - Maggie Carrick

“Mountain biking was the most challenging” - Te Hura Wilson



BYOD at CSC

From the beginning of 2018, it will be a requirement for all CSC students to bring a device for learning to school. These devices will be used regularly across all subject areas and at all levels of the College.

We recognise that the world is changing around us and that digital skills are becoming increasingly important in most areas of society. As a future-focused school, CSC aspires to equip our students with exceptional Digital Literacy Skills and for the ever changing world beyond school. The Ministry of Education recently announced changes to the Digital Technologies Curriculum that are available in 2018 and expected to be implemented in all NZ schools by Jan 2020.

We appreciate that there can be significant expense involved in the purchasing of a laptop for learning and encourage you to source a device that is capable of covering all your child's particular needs at school for a number of years. As a general guide, a WindowsOS or MacOS laptop with at least 4gb of Ram and an i3 or equivalent processor will suffice. An expensive device, touch screen, large capacity storage device and graphics card are unnecessary for general school use.

A Chromebook will be suitable for most general class work at CSC however be aware that although they look like a regular laptop, a Chromebook is unable to run the majority of specialist subject software packages like Photoshop or Autocad, nor can they run many popular games like Minecraft or League of Legends etc. so may not be the device to suit all of your needs for home and school.

Students taking specialist subjects such as Art, Digital Technologies, Technology etc may need a laptop with higher specifications than in the general core subjects. Please check with your teachers as some specific software may also be required. Often school can source software for free or at a reduced educational rate eg. Microsoft Office is completely free for all students in NZ schools.

Secure storage for student devices is available at the library during the school day (intervals/lunchtimes also)

If you have further questions please contact:

Mr Gray - ICT/AV (alisterg@csc.school.nz)

Mr Davis - Deputy Principal (camerond@csc.school.nz)

Mrs Bryan - Data/Network Manager (emmab@csc.school.nz)



School Accounts

The final invoices for students accounts have been sent out and should have been cleared by today. Those of you who have automatic payments in place need to ensure that your payments will clear your account.

NOTE: The School Ripples Magazine is paid for by the school donations and will only be given out to those who have paid this.

CSC App

Download this app for better communication to and from school including important information about coming events and cancellation of sports events etc.

To download go to:

<http://centralsouthlandcollege.apps.school.nz/share/>



TEN DAY YOUTH DEVELOPMENT VOYAGE SAILING SCHEDULE APRIL 2018 – MARCH 2019

VOYAGE DETAILS		PARTICIPANT JOINING		PORT OUT	SHIP RETURN		PORT IN
756	10-Day	Sun 25 Mar	1630	Auckland	Wed 4 Apr	0700	Auckland
757	10-Day	Thur 12 Apr	1630	Auckland	Sun 22 Apr	0700	Auckland
758	10-Day	Sun 22 Apr	0800	Auckland	Tues 1 May	0700	Auckland
759	10-Day	Tues 1 May	1630	Auckland	Fri 11 May	0700	Auckland
760	10-Day	Tue 22 May	1630	Auckland	Fri 1 Jun	0700	Auckland
761	10-Day	Sun 10 June	1630	Auckland	Wed 20 June	0700	Auckland
762	10-Day	Wed 20 June	1630	Auckland	Sat 30 June	0700	Auckland
763	10-Day	Fri 6 July	1630	Auckland	Mon 16 July	0700	Auckland
764	10-Day	Mon 16 July	0800	Auckland	Wed 25 July	0700	Auckland
765	10-Day	Thur 20 Sept	1630	Auckland	Sun 30 Sept	0700	Auckland
766	10-Day	Sun 30 Sept	0800	Auckland	Tues 9 Oct	0700	Auckland
767	10-Day	Tues 9 Oct	0800	Auckland	Thur 18 Oct	0700	Auckland
768	10-Day	Tues 27 Nov	1630	Wellington	Thur 6 Dec	0700	Wellington
769	10-Day	Thur 6 Dec	0800	Wellington	Sat 15 Dec	0700	Nelson
770	10-Day	Sat 15 Dec	0800	Nelson	Mon 24 Dec	0700	Nelson
771	10-Day	Thur 27 Dec	1630	Nelson	Sun 6 Jan	0700	Lyttleton
772	10-Day	Sun 6 Jan	1630	Lyttleton	Wed 16 Jan	0700	Bluff
773	10-Day	Wed 16 Jan	1630	Bluff	Sat 26 Jan	0700	Bluff
774	10-Day	Thur 26 Jan	1630	Bluff	Tues 5 Feb	0700	Dunedin
775	10-Day	Sat 16 Feb	1630	Nelson	Tues 26 Feb	0700	New Plymouth
776	10-Day	Tues 26 Feb	1630	New Plymouth	Fri 8 Mar	0700	Opuā
777	10-Day	Sat 9 Mar	1630	Opuā	Tues 19 Mar	0700	Auckland
778	10-Day	Tues 19 Mar	0800	Auckland	Fri 29 Mar	0700	Auckland

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SUPPORTERS



THE 2017 CSC STAFF
WISH YOU ALL A VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS
AND HAPPY HOLIDAYS!



4th row: Ms B McFarlane, Mrs L Sullivan, Mrs J Shaw, Mrs E Bryan, Miss A Morris, Mrs J Kynan-Wilde, Mrs L Woodd, Mrs P Rope, Ms E Crayford

3rd row: Mrs R Lowe, Ms K Macfie, Mrs G Carter, Miss K Murch, Mrs J Cowie, Mr M Tree, Miss H Luxton, Ms J Excell, Mr A Jagoutz, Miss A Harrison, Mrs K Hammond, Mrs K Boys, Mrs L Hourston, Mrs J Broomfield

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Front row: Mrs H Brown, Mr T Pryde, Mr K Maher, Mr C Jones, Mrs K Wilkinson Mrs M Buchanan, Mr C Davis (D/Principal), Mr G Dick (Principal), Mr P Turnbull (A/Principal), Mr T Meechang, Mrs A Keown, Mrs D Andrews, Mrs J Wood, Mrs A Johnstone

Absent: Mrs A Beggs, Mr A Gray, Mr G Hamilton, Mr M Jones, Ms K McLean, Mrs T McIllick, Miss K Rodgers, Mr N Sinclair,



CSC DIARY DATES



December

4th Junior Prizegiving 7.00 p.m.
7th Last day for students to attend
8th Teacher Only Day
Term 4 ends

2018 Start Up Dates

January

22nd Office re-opens
29th Senior Course Confirmation Day
30th Teacher Only Day
31st Year 9 & Year 13 Peer Support Leaders

February

1st ALL students attend