



CHOCOLATE FUNDRAISER



Thankyou so much to everyone who ordered Juicies from the College, so far we have raised \$450 and are over half-way to getting the funds to order the new EPro8 Electronics kit. We are continuing with our fundraising efforts by selling Whittakers chocolate! If you would like to buy some and help us with the last little bit, we are selling bars for \$2 each. Bars can be bought from students or from the Office.



The EPro8 Electronics Kit is an exciting resource which will supplement the existing EPro8 kit. This kit comes equipped with extremely robust electronics gear which will take our builds to the next level. The electronics equipment allows students to add motors, lights and movable parts to their builds. These kits are used in the second round of the competition so are important for students to get a good grasp on how they work before going in to compete.



\$2 bar





THANK YOU

Opihi College would like to thank and farewell technology teacher Mr Ian Mann. Mr Mann has been assisting in the Technology Department since May 2021, and has done an amazing job transforming the Technology Department during his time here. We will miss his valuable advice and expertise here at Opihi College. Many thanks for your help, and good luck with your next project Mr Mann!

Mr Mann with some of our senior technology students (Nic, Joey and Jordan) and the dog kennel they created using recycled materials.

SCIENCE ROADSHOW

Unfortunately the Science Roadshow for all Year 7 and 8 students, which was due to visit Opihi College during November, has now been cancelled. The organisers apologise for this. All payments made for this show have now been refunded to student accounts.



OPIHI COLLEGE LIBRARY BOOKS



Please
return all
Library

Books to the Opihi
College library,
or the office



FOR YOUR CALENDAR 2021

November	22	NCEA External Examinations begin
	24-26	Year 9 & 10 PE Tramping Trip to Mt Somers
	25	NZQA Teacher Only Day
	29	Aoraki Mt Cook field trip
	30	Board of Trustees Meeting 6.30pm
December	7-10	Year 7 camp
December	13	Awards Ceremony <i>Last Day of School</i>

AJ'S HOSPITALITY

The school canteen will close for the year on Friday 9th December 2021. Many thanks

SCHOOL ACCOUNTS

With the end of the school year fast approaching, settlement of all outstanding school accounts would be appreciated. Payment can be made at any time the school office is open, or on line. Please note: We do not have Eftpos facilities.

OPIHI COLLEGE CUPS & TROPHIES

We would appreciate return of all Opihi College cups and trophies to the school office as soon as possible.



OPIHI COLLEGE

P O Box 175 Temuka 7948, New Zealand

27th October 2020

OPIHI COLLEGE BOARD OF TRUSTEES

CASUAL VACANCY FOR AN ELECTED TRUSTEE

A casual vacancy has occurred on the board of trustees for an elected parent representative.

The Board has resolved under section 105 of the Education Act 1989 to fill the vacancy by selection.

If ten percent or more of eligible voters on the school roll ask the board, within 28 days of this notice being published, to hold a by-election to fill the vacancy, then a by-election will be held.

Any eligible voter who wishes to ask the board to hold a by-election should write to:

Chairperson
Board of Trustees
Opihi College
PO Box 175
Temuka 7948

By 24th November 2020



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AWARDS CEREMONY



Monday 13th December at 1pm

Due to the nature of our restrictions this year, we have had to make some changes as to how our Awards Ceremony is going to run this year. It is important that we still have an Awards Ceremony, as we strongly believe in celebrating the successes of our students, however under current restrictions we cannot have any parents present.

Awards Ceremony is now going to happen in our school hall on Monday 13th December at 1pm for our students and staff only. All students (Year 7-13) will be required to attend in full school uniform. If you are having trouble with school uniform, please contact your child's Dean before the event. We will live stream the Awards Ceremony through a closed group to ensure privacy of all students.

You will be emailed next week with the details of this group and how to join it. Our intention is to also record the event and post it on the closed group following the Awards Ceremony.

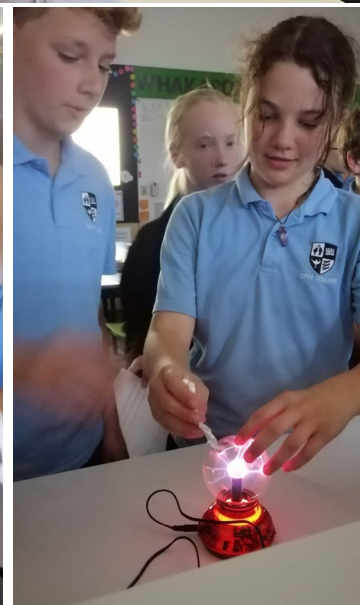
We will keep you updated if anything else changes.



Thank You so much to our Year 13 students for shouting the teachers morning tea!

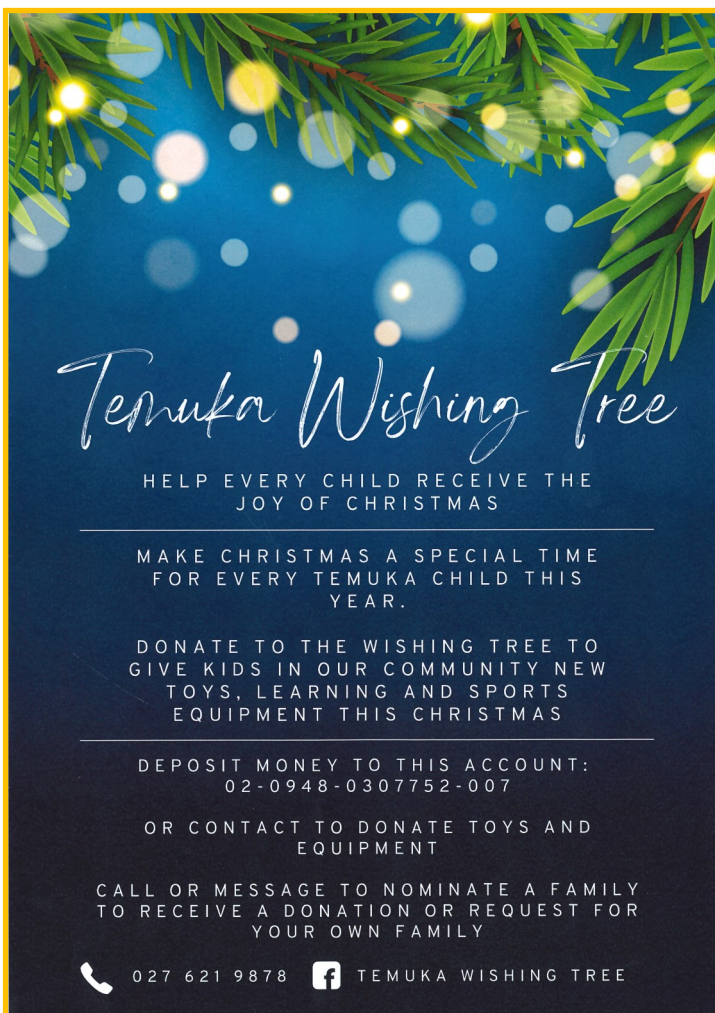
They are such a credit to their families and to our school. Their year has been disrupted yet again by Covid, but they have not let that affect them in any way. They have continued to be their happy energetic selves and even pulled off some fabulous pranks earlier in the week. You are all amazing and we cannot wait to hear about all of your successes in the years to come. Good luck for your exams. (Sorry a couple of students were missing from the photo).

Right: Our junior students enjoying learning about plasma in their science class recently.





Some of our senior art students (Rexxa, Grace and Bryett) busy completing their art portfolios.



Temuka Wishing Tree

HELP EVERY CHILD RECEIVE THE JOY OF CHRISTMAS


MAKE CHRISTMAS A SPECIAL TIME FOR EVERY TEMUKA CHILD THIS YEAR.

DONATE TO THE WISHING TREE TO GIVE KIDS IN OUR COMMUNITY NEW TOYS, LEARNING AND SPORTS EQUIPMENT THIS CHRISTMAS

DEPOSIT MONEY TO THIS ACCOUNT:
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OR CONTACT TO DONATE TOYS AND EQUIPMENT

CALL OR MESSAGE TO NOMINATE A FAMILY TO RECEIVE A DONATION OR REQUEST FOR YOUR OWN FAMILY

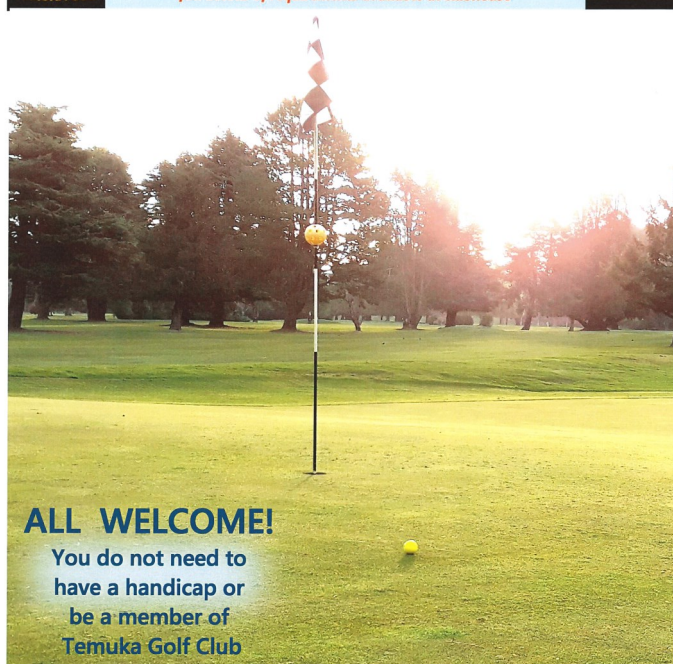
027 621 9878  TEMUKA WISHING TREE

TEMUKA GOLF CLUB TWILIGHT GOLF

We would like to welcome golfers of all ages and abilities to our Tuesday night social competition!

Season begins Tuesday 5th October 2021

Competition held according to current COVID protocols – full details of requirements available at clubhouse



ALL WELCOME!

You do not need to have a handicap or be a member of Temuka Golf Club

9 hole competition -

Stableford competition, and Lucky Draws for players without handicaps.

Tee off between 5 and 6pm – Play in your own group, or meet at 4.45pm and we will arrange a group for you.

Competition will run every Tuesday night until March - Enter at the clubhouse on the night. Entry fee \$7.00 per person (includes complimentary snack in the clubhouse afterwards)

Any queries please phone: Ian 022 676 3551 or Sharyn 027 911 8680