

THE TARRAS CHURCH SERVICE
IS THE FIRST SUNDAY OF EVERY
MONTH AT 11AM

UPCOMING SERVICE:

3RD DECEMBER 2023

DUTY: HELEN PLEDGER & DONNA GODDARD

Services lead by Damon Plimmer - all welcome

Gardener wanted!

Looking for someone to help
with our garden in Ardgour Rd
Ph Anne 027 2206582

Book Club

Date: Wednesday 8th Nov

Time:- 730pm

Hosted by: Spin

Tarras Talk

Find us online at www.tarras.org.nz



Tarras Community Plan Launch

Thank you to everyone who has participated in the development of the Community Plan to date.

We are excited to announce that the launch of the Tarras Community Plan will take place in the Tarras Community Hall on Tuesday 21 November 2023, commencing at 5.00pm. Light refreshments, including tea / coffee and juice will be served.

Come along and hear about the feedback received on the draft plan and pick up your copy of the final version.

An update on how the community will ensure the plan is put into effect will also be discussed.

At the launch, there will also be an opportunity to become part of the community response group for the Tarras Community Emergency Response Plan. This is a community driven project and Jacqui Lambeth, the Emergency Management Advisor for Central Otago / Upper Clutha, will be on hand to respond to any questions people may have.

Finally, Peter Kelly, the new CEO of the Central Otago District Council will be attending the launch and is looking forward to meeting the Tarras community.

Rebecca Williams, Community Development Advisor CODC



Rural Women October 2023

Tarras Rural Women enjoyed a spring visit to local gardens. The weather and the gardens were just perfect.

NEXT MEETING:-

November dinner -
Day TBC

Tarras Golf Club News

We wish to thank the following for their sponsorship towards our September Tournament

Ravensdown and Honda and Yamaha Store in Wanaka

Galloway Cook Allan, Upper Clutha Transport

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Wanaka Spraying Ltd., Green to Gold,

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Wanaka Golf Club, Cromwell Golf Club, Moore Golf,

Scapegrace, Famous Grouse, Highland Park,

Hancocks Wines and Spirits, Rockburn Wines,

Devils Staircase Wines, Brandhouse Wines,

Albert Town Liquorland, Albert Town 4 Square,

Robbie Gibson, C. & M. Hyndman, Annabel Spiers,

Honest Wolf, Thieving Kea, Hair Culture, Perriam,

Armadillo, Albertine, Tarras Cafe, Tarras Store,

Wanaka Paper Plus, Mrs Robinson Store

Wanaka Soap Kitchen.

School Photos



TARRAS SCHOOL

Kia ora,

A final message from Rachelle,

After over 60 editions this will be the last time I write the school round up for Tarras Talk - thank you to all those community members who read this each month. I would like to thank everyone who has supported Tarras School whilst I have been in the principal role. It has been a great privilege to hold this position and I will take learnings and memories from my 6 years here forward into my life. I will ensure I follow the Facebook Page and read the Tarras Talk each month to ensure I am up to date on what everyone is doing at school.

Kia ora,

I would like to take this opportunity to sincerely thank you for the warm welcome, kindness and aroha you have shown me as I settle into life in Tarras. It is a real privilege to live and work here - you have such a neat community, a great staff at school (you're incredibly lucky) and I've enjoyed getting to know those I have met. For those I haven't yet, do pop in and say hi!

At the beginning of the term, we ventured out into the community to practise our photography skills as we entered the Central Otago 'Heritage in Focus, Photography Competition. Here are some of the shots we entered (opposite)

Friday the 27th of October was 'World Teacher Day'. We completed a secret project for Mel Fisher and Chrissy Gibson, writing and creating big cards to show our gratitude to them and discussed how lucky we are! Thanks Mel and Chrissy for all that you do in our place - we're really lucky to have you.

On the 31st, Halloween, the tamariki (children) dressed up and visited the Cafe. After a fright and a hand in a slimy bag, we ate delicious pizza and received a very generous gift from Paul, Antonia and Stacey. Thanks very much for a lovely visit.

We owe a special thanks to Kathryn, Michael and the students at Otago Polytechnic for kindly donating vege plants for our School gardens. We're looking forward to being able to eat, cook and sell some of the produce in the stall in due course!

Lock the date into your calendars:

Monday the 20th of November - Pet Day - we'd love to have any Community and Playgroup members join us

Thursday 14th of December - we will be performing our end of year Nativity play, 'A Midwife Crisis'. 1pm and a 6:30pm performance. We look forward to seeing you all there!

Make sure you check out our School Website! It has undergone a transformation and is now managed by an outside agency, which is kindly supported by Skool Loop. The following companies support the Skool Loop app which makes it free for us as a school to use - we are incredibly grateful to you!

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Tarras talk by email!

Anyone in the community who would like to receive Tarras Talk via email to send their email address to Tarras Rural Women: tarrasruralwomen@gmail.com

Have news for Tarras Talk?

Please continue to email tarrastalk@gmail.com by the 30th of the month. If you too would like to be included in the reminder email, send me an email and I will add you to the list.