

FRIDAY FLYER

SOUTHLAND GIRLS' HIGH SCHOOL

TERM 1 / 17 February 2023



WEEK 4: 20th – 24th February 2023

Mon 20 Feb	
Tues 21 Feb	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Year 12 English classes 'Writing Trip' – various locations around Invercargill, 9am – 12noon.Year 12 Agricultural trip to Crunchy Microgreens, 9am – 10:30am.
Wed 22 Feb	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Year 9-13 Southland Tennis Champs, Waihopai Tennis ClubYear 12 Agriculture trip to Waihopai River, 10:30am – 12:30pm
Thurs 23 Feb	
Fri 24 Feb	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Year 7 – 13 Southland Tri Champs, WintonYear 9-13 Aiga Trip to Adventure Southland, 12:45pm – 1:50pm

WEEK 5: 27th February – 3rd March 2023

Mon 27 Feb	<ul style="list-style-type: none">
Tues 28 Feb	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Year 8 HPV vaccinationsYear 12 Biology (Mrs Bierlin's class), Thomson's Bush
Wed 1 Mar	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Year 9 Adventure Based Learning Day (9AW/9LG/9RM/TMK) - click HERE for the permission formYear 12 Biology (Mrs Young's class). Thomson's Bush
Thurs 2 Mar	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Year 9 Adventure Based Learning Day (9GL/9LV/9RS/Aiga) - click HERE for the permission formYear 12 Biology trip to Thomsons BushYear 12/13 Enterprise trip to Coin SouthSenior A Volleyball team attending Mainlands Tournament until 6 March, Christchurch
Fri 3 Mar	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Year 9 Adventure Based Learning Day (9KG/9MP/9ST) - click HERE for the permission formYear 13 – Otago Polytechnic Visit, 12:50pm - Connexions

REMINDERS AND UPDATES

NCEA Achievement Booklet 2023 / NZQA Website

Click [HERE](#) to find important information regarding NCEA processes for students at SGHS. If parents/whānau would like to know more about NCEA please visit the website that has a page dedicated for parents/whānau [HERE](#)

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KEY DATES

March

7th Southland Touch Champs Y9-13

8th House Sport Day – all students

8th School Board meeting

10th House Sport Day – postponement day

14th ARA Polytechnic Visit – Year 13

16th PPTA Nationwide Teacher Strike Day – **school closed.**

20th Personal Learning Conferences (PLCs) – **no classroom teaching**

22nd – 24th Level 2 PE trip to Alexandra

27th Mar – 2nd April Summer Tournament Week

April

4th – 5th Year 11 Geography trip to Dunedin

6th Term 1 ends

24th Term 2 starts

25th Anzac Day (*Public Holiday*)



Performing Arts @ SGHS

We have various opportunities available to SGHS Students throughout the year. Please click [HERE](#) to read the latest news from our Performing Arts Centre and how your child can get involved.

School Photos

Ordering information will be sent home with your child in the coming weeks. All ordering is made directly with the photograph company; PhotoLife.

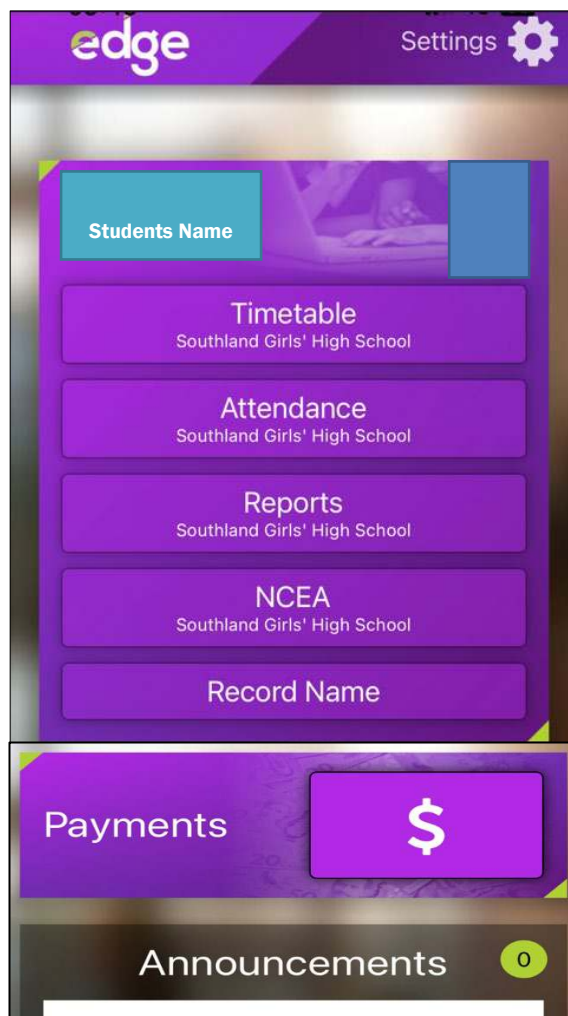
PPTA Nationwide Teachers Strike Day

We have been advised that this is scheduled for Thursday 16 March. School will be closed on this day for classroom teaching. We appreciate that for some parents, having to provide supervision for their child on this day maybe an issue, hence our early notification of this.

EDGE Parent App



Reminder for all our parents and students to download the free EDGE app to your mobile devices from the Google Play Store or the Apple App Store.



Parents/Caregivers can access their child's timetable, reports, NCEA and attendance records. You can also view charges and payments made on your child's account.

Another great feature of the Edge app is you can see the Student Notices each day and any important announcements from the school.

(Please note we do not have access to record student absences)

Instructions how to access the Edge App once downloaded to your device are available on our website [HERE](#).

Students: can view their timetable, daily student notices and any important school announcements.

Homestays Wanted

Short term homestays wanted from 20 March – 1 May 2023. The payment is \$280.00 per week. Please contact our Homestay Co-ordinator, Kelly Oliver at kelly.oliver@southlandgirls.school.nz for further information.

May

19th Pink Shirt Day – All students

19th Showquest

29th May – 1st June Senior Production "Back to the 80's"

31st School Board Meeting

June

5th King's Birthday (*Public Holiday*)

28th School Board meeting

30th End of Term 2

For more dates please visit our website:

www.southlandgirls.school.nz

BYOD – Bring Your Own Device

All Year 7-13 students are expected to bring a device to use in their classes. We are committed to using a device as a tool to support the students' learning. We have 100+ Chromebooks available for students to borrow who do not have a device.

These are available each day from the Library between 8:30 am – 8:50 am. They must be returned at the end of the day.

It is probably timely to remind students to charge their devices each night.