

# Kaikoura High School TE PANUI RIKIRIKI



7 April 2011 – No. 08

Tena koutou katoa nga Matua,

## 'The only real disability is your attitude.'

If you're 25 or under, come and listen to Jason Barrell, motivational speaker at our School assembly on Wednesday 13 April 2011, commencing at 10:30am.

Jason Barrell's story makes compelling listening. It's an amazing story of an extraordinary man. It tells of the courage and strength an individual can find when life deals out some cruel blows. Most of us find excuses in every day occurrences, excuses to stop us from challenging ourselves, excuses which stop us from going through the pain barriers. Jason hasn't.

Please ring the School office 319-5138 to confirm your attendance, which is free of charge.



## The PTSA urgently need you!!!

Our recipe book to fundraise for the hospitality suite is well underway but we really desperately need everyone's help to get things to a finished stage. We would love input just until the end of the project in the following areas:

- More recipes particularly in the categories of sweets (desert/cakes etc), wild pork, venison, honey or anything else that uses local supplies!
- Sponsorship – co-ordination of and investigation of sources
- Marketing the finished product
- Someone to compile the text regarding iconic spots of Kaikoura, history of hunting and fishing
- Cooking of recipes (watch this space!)

We will be launching a photo competition for students shortly to get some input into the book from them.

If you can help in any way please contact the School office. You may also approach Helen Parkinson or Jo Fissenden directly.

## Kaikoura High School Kids Dancing up a Storm

2011 is the first year that Kaikoura High School has a Dance class. This is an NCEA Level 1 course that involves some of our Year 11, 12, and 13 students. These students are pioneering a new way of dance and are showcasing this talent on Thursday 14 April at 7.00pm in the School gymnasium. Entry is a gold coin donation. Students will be displaying their term's work with a performance of a Hip Hop dance as well as their own choreographies that they have created over the last few weeks.

### Reminders

#### After School Tutorials

- **Maths** – Thursday afternoons 3.00 to 4.00pm run by Bill Lonsdale, Head of Mathematics.
- **Art** – there will be no more classes on a Tuesday evening for art students. Next term there will be an alternative time immediately after school. The day and time of this will be advised in the newsletter early in Term 2. Helen Parkinson, Head of Art.

#### Provider Presentations 2011

We have a range of speakers over the rest of the Term and it is expected that Year 12 and 13 students will attend these – even on a Friday afternoon.

- 8 April Stephanie – Community Law & Police
- 20 June Kaikoura Career Expo (*to be confirmed*)
- 1 July Air Force – Year 12 Physics class
- 1 August Nick Williams – Telford, Agriculture Class and Tourism class

Yours sincerely

**Werner van Aswegen**

Principal

Coming up:	
Thurs 7 & Fri 8 April	Yr 9 Camp – Hanmer Springs
Tues 12 & Fri 15 April	Sport Tasman Skills & Drills – Yr 7/8
Wed 13 April	Jason Barrell – Inspirational Speaker
Fri 15 April	<b>END of Term 1</b>
Mon 25 April	ANZAC Day celebrations
Mon 2 May	<b>Term 2 Commences</b>
Sat 7 May	KKHS Ball
Wed 11 May	Kaiapoi Exchange
Thurs 12 May	YES Business Presentation ( <i>tbc</i> )
Tues 17 May	Cross Country
Wed 18 May	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Cheviot Rugby – Jnrs &amp; Snrs</li><li>• Yr 9 Paintball</li></ul>
Thurs 19 May	Yr 9 Paintball
23 - 27 May	Yr 12 Biology Camp Lake Rotoiti
Wed 25 May	CCHS Outdoor Tournament ( <i>tbc</i> )
27 & 28 May	Yr 11 & 12 History Trip to Picton
Tues 31 May	CCHS Cross Country ( <i>tbc</i> )