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Newsletter

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Term 4 No 2

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From the Desk of the Principal

Kia ora Sara Cohen Whanau;

We have been enjoying the beautiful weather here at school and this has been reflected in many of the outdoor activities that the students have been taking part in.

We have decided to continue with our “softer” Level 2 protocols for our community access and EOTC (Education Outside of the Classroom) programmes. Our students will be able to access community resources like libraries, playgrounds and busses. If there is a more extensive outbreak of Covid in the Southern Region we will review these protocols and make changes accordingly.

Last week we cancelled our Teachers Only Day because the presenter could not attend from the North Island. We will now hold the Teacher Only Day on Tuesday 14th December. This means that the last day of school for 2021 for our students is Monday 13th December. I will inform the Go Bus of this change.

We have begun the transition of the students who are moving classes for 2022. This has gone very smoothly and the students are enjoying their time in the new classes.

We have our annual school Disco planned for Friday 19th November. This will be at our Riselaw Road site from 5.30pm – 7.30pm. (Please see the flyer attached to today’s newsletter for more details). It will be great to get as many families as possible to this very enjoyable event.

Another day to keep in mind is our Leavers Assembly and Xmas Party with a visit from Santa and lunch on Monday 13th December from 11.30am. This is open to all families. Teachers will be in contact with you to get numbers for catering purposes.

Have a fantastic weekend!

Ngā mihi nui,

Matt

HEADLICE

We have been notified that there are headlice around in some classes. Please check your child/children and treat if lice are present. Please contact the Office if you would like more information or treatment tips.

COMING UP

Disco & Market – Friday 19th November @ Riselaw Road 6-8pm BYO Dinner
Adventure Week – 29th November – 3rd December
Leavers Assembly & Christmas Party with lunch provided – Monday 13th December,
11.30 – 12pm – Leavers Assembly, 12pm Shared Lunch, 1pm Christmas Party
Tuesday 14th December – Teacher Only Day

TERM DATES 2021

Term 4: Monday 18th October – Tuesday 14th
December

ABSENCES

If your child is going to be absent, please make sure you contact the school to let us know. The absence line number is 03 4558347 extension 1. If we have not heard from you contact will be made to determine the whereabouts of your child. This is a very important safety matter for us all.

Term Dates 2022

- Term 1: Monday 31st January - Thursday 14th April
- Monday 31st January – Teacher Only Day
 - Tuesday 1st February – Teacher only Day
 - Wednesday 2nd February – Students Start
 - Waitangi Day observed - Monday 7th February
 - Otago Anniversary Day - Monday 21st March
 - Good Friday – Friday 15th April
- Term 2: Monday 2nd May - Friday 8th July
- Queen's Birthday – Monday 6th June
 - Matariki – Friday 24th June
- Term 3: Monday 25th July – Friday 30th September
- Term 4: Monday 17th October – Wednesday 14th December
- Labour Day – Monday 24th October

WANTED – Fabric Scraps for Christmas decoration making. Please send to the Office.



RUN, JUMP OR THROW? GIVE IT A GO!

To find out about your local club,
sprint to athletics.org.nz.

Thanks to our partners



A SAHARA BREEZE PRODUCTION
BY SPECIAL ARRANGEMENT WITH THE NEW ZEALAND PLAY BUREAU

DRACULA

THE BLOODY TRUTH

By Le Navet Bete
& John Nicholson

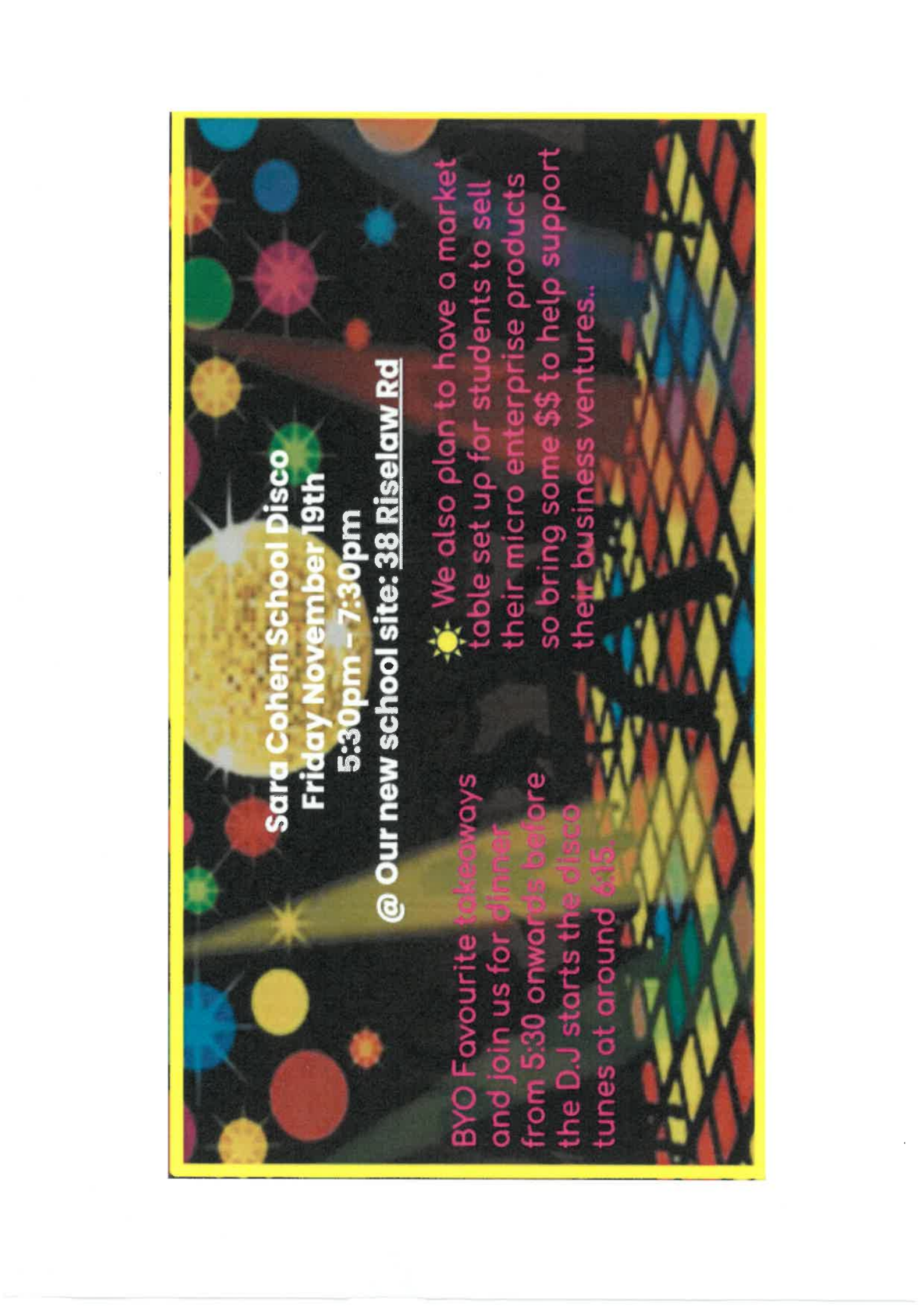
Directed by
Chris Cook



DROP
DEAD
FUNNY!

11-14 NOVEMBER 2021
MAYFAIR THEATRE DUNEDIN
TICKETS ON [EVENTFINDA.CO.NZ](https://www.eventfinda.co.nz)

Sahara BreeZe Productions will be bringing **Dracula – The Bloody Truth** by Le Navet Bete & John Nicholson to Dunedin, Arrowtown, and Wanaka: 11 Nov - 4 Dec 2021. *'side-splittingly funny.'* **Broadway World.** *'A Gothic madcap mixture of The Play That Goes Wrong, Noises Off, Grand Guignol, Monty Python and slapstick.'* **The Reviews Hub.** **Early Bird Tickets** and best seating available through Eventfinda now: <https://www.eventfinda.co.nz/tour/2021/dracula-the-bloody-truth>



Sara Cohen School Disco
Friday November 19th
5:30pm - 7:30pm

@ Our new school site: 38 Riselaw Rd

**BYO Favourite takeaways
and join us for dinner
from 5:30 onwards before
the D.J starts the disco
tunes at around 6:15.**

**☀ We also plan to have a market
table set up for students to sell
their micro enterprise products
so bring some \$\$ to help support
their business ventures..**