

Staff changes @ SLC... two teaching positions soon to be appointed

Introducing Stephanie Kitto...



South Learning Centre has been fortunate in arranging the secondment of Stephanie Kitto, primary teacher at St Peter's School, to work as a teacher at South Learning Centre. Stephanie will start in term four and work here full time for four weeks. This will relieve the absences of Andrea Wylie and Nick Ford, pending the staff recruitment for two new teaching positions at SLC.

Our best wishes to Andrea

After nearly three years as a South Learning Centre Manager, Andrea Wylie is leaving on 21 October for seven months maternity leave. Andrea has made an integral contribution to the set up of the Learning Centre and has worked closely with the Opawaho Cluster teachers.

Andrea and her husband, Neil are joyfully expecting their first baby in December.



We wish the three of you every sweet blessing in your new journey together



Create+

multimedia design

combine your creativity with computer aided techniques

Digital Video Basics

- Basic use of camera and tripod
- Filming & composition techniques
- Story boarding and sequencing scenes
- Introduction to Movie Maker II
- Shooting a basic movie and creating effects

5 sessions: 17 October to 14 November

7pm to 9pm

Course fee: \$50

Digital Movies

- Work on your own movie project
- Transferring video footage to Movie Maker II
- Importing sound
- Transitions and basic editing

Pre-requisite: knowledge of content covered in Digital Video Basics programme

3 sessions: 21 November to 5 December

7pm to 9pm

Course fee: \$30

Rave reviews for Movie Maker II

Using Movie Maker II has become popular at South Learning Centre and used by students in a variety of ways. Examples of ways used:

- Paint pictures to show the seed to flower cycle, year 1 to 4 students
- Claymation, year 3+ students
- Using scanned photographs to tell a story, year 3 students to adults
- Photographs with music and poetry, year 3 & 4 students
- About Me stories using digital photography
- Digital Video photography, year 7 students

Movie Maker II is a simple to use, exciting presentation tool. It incorporates picture effects with transitions, music, titles and credits. Finished work can be saved to CD and shared with family and friends.



Check out our website:

<http://learningcentre.christchurch.org.nz>

Professional Development *for* Teachers

Expo *for* teachers @ SLC

Wednesday 16 November, 3:30 to 5:30pm

After two years we've seen some amazing work produced by students and innovative teachers. So it's time to share this work with you, inspire, and guide you into some new ideas for your 2006 planning. South Learning Centre staff are committed to helping you to enjoy and develop ICT learning experiences. This expo will be a great source of ideas and further planning meetings can be arranged with SLC teachers.



Expo Objectives:

- Share successful examples of use of ICT in classroom learning programmes
- Provide an informal outline of the planning and teaching involved in the process
- Inspiration and assistance for teachers and their 2006 planning

Share in teachers' successes and enjoy afternoon tea on us.

RSVP by 9 November p: 941 5140

Newsletter Design

**Tuesday 25 October
7pm to 9pm**

Learn the basics of good document design and the tools to produce spectacular newsletters. Fee: \$5

Producing a Xmas Newsletter

**Tuesdays, 8 & 22 November
7 to 9pm**

Using Microsoft Word or Publisher produce a Christmas themed newsletter for yourself, your family, club, business or organisation. Fee: \$10



**6, 20 & 27 November
Sundays 2 to 4pm**

Learn how to make a mini movie to enchant family and friends

Use photographs and Movie Maker 11 to express your year and personal Christmas greeting.

Copy to CD and make a snazzy cover to send out this Christmas.

Suitable for adults
Course fee: \$15
Bookings: 941 7923

Sibelius Music Workshops *for* teachers

**Wednesdays 3:30pm to 5pm
19, 26 October 2 & 9 November**

- Interested in extending your knowledge of using Sibelius?
- Need to show students how to write and print sheet music?
- Or do you want to learn for yourself?

Learn how at South Learning Centre with tutor, **Hamish Oliver**

Course fee: \$40
Limited to nine teachers - make your booking now!
Bookings e: andrea.isitt@ccc.govt.nz

for Students

Term 4 Horizons

Fully booked Programmes @ SLC

Maths is Cool – Tessellations
Young Entrepreneurs
What makes Christchurch, Christchurch?

Limited places available @ SLC:

Music Composition using Sibelius @ SLC
Maths is Cool – Multiplication Learning Support
Reaching Reluctant Readers

Limited places available @ Waitikiri LC:

What makes Christchurch, Christchurch?
Maths is Cool – Tessellations

Be quick! Bookings p: 941 5140

After school Programmes

Waitikiri Learning Centre Workshop Club

Tuesday Workshop Club @ WLC

Starting 1 November to 13 December

Thursday Workshop Club @ WLC

Starting 3 November to 15 December

Based on the success story of South Learning Centre's Workshop Club, Waitikiri Learning Centre is now enrolling founding members to join this weekly technology club.

During this term students will make animated movie stories, original music and Christmas calendars

Fee: \$ 5 per term

Bookings p: 941 7923

