# FLEMINGTON SCHOOL

## "To inspire confident, resilient and innovative learners to be successful in a fast changing world."

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### DATES TO REMEMBER:

Our Vision:

- 6th March: BOT Meeting 6.30pm
- 13th March: HB Rugby Coaching at school
- 14th March: PAL (Physical Activity Leadership) Training Sport HB Year 8's
- 19th March: Bus Monitor Training Constable Chē
- 25th March: William Pike talking to all the children/tamariki undertaking the WPC this year
- 27th-28th March: St John First Aid Training for the children
- 29th March: Good Friday School Closed
- 1st April: Easter Monday School Closed
- 2nd April: Easter Tuesday School Closed
- 4th April: Year 7-8 Tech Full Day
- 5th April: Year 7-8 Tech Half Day (am)
- 8th April: EZ Swimming Centralines Pool with Porangahau School
- 10th April: BOT Meeting 6.30pm
- 11th April: CHB Interschool Swimming Competition
- 12th April: Last Day Term 1

You can find these dates on the eTap calendar on our eTap @school Parent App.

### LIONHEART WORKSHOPS

LionHeart workshops for children are workshops that teach children how their brain works when they are anxious. Children will be taught strategies to use when they are anxious and identify emotionally safe places through art. This programme is free and runs during school time. The programme consists of 3 x 1.5 hour sessions. All art resources are supplied.

If you would like your child to participate in these workshops please email jessh@flemington.school.nz or the school office asap.

### YEAR 8'S PALS TRAINING - PHYSICAL ACTIVITY LEADERS

WHO: All Year 8 students WHEN: Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> March, 9.30am – 2pm WHERE: Centralines Sports Stadium Please complete the permission slip on the @school app



FRIDAY 8th March LUNCH MENU Duty Person - Patience Gunn Menu – Burger



# **CRUTCHING BEE!**

Calling all families to come along and help

WHEN: THURSDAY 14TH MARCH WHERE: 803 BUSH ROAD TIME: 5.00PM

Post beers and saussies provided. If you can't attend but would like to contribute please drop some baking or beers into Abby at school.

### **CRUTCHING BEE FUNDRAISER!**

It's been a while since we have had a school crutching bee fundraiser! They are a fun, social way to make some money for our school.

We would love a solid turn out to this so please prioritise it on your calendar and see you next Thursday!

If you could RSVP to the office so we have an idea of numbers that would be great.

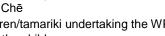
### **EZ SWIMMING SPORTS**

WHO: Whole School – ALL STUDENTS with Porangahau School WHEN: Monday, 8th April , 10.30am - at Centralines Pool. A permission slip will be available closer to the time on the @school app.

**CHB Interschool Swimming Competition:** WHO: Selected school team WHEN: Thursday 11th April - at Centralines Pool.

### Wednesday 6th March Week 6 – Term 1 – 2024





RISE Respect - Integrity - Success - Empathy

### WHAEA CHERIE AND MRS TONI TRENT

This first 6 weeks has gone by so fast! Whaea Cherie finishes with us at the end of the week and we have really appreciated her professionalism and the effort she has put in to make sure the children are ready for the year ahead! Her experience and knowledge has been a great addition to the team and school. Whaea will be in for a couple of days next week to help transition over to Mrs Trent, which is awesome. We are excited to have Mrs Trent join the team and she is really looking forward to becoming part of the Flemington team.

### **CHB COLLEGE TEACHER VISIT**

As part of the Kāhui Ako (Community of Learning) work programme we had Mrs Kayla de Lange visit Mrs Cosgrove's class on Monday. Mrs de Lange is a math's teacher at the college and she is out seeing how a senior class (Yrs 6-7-8) in a primary school operates. There were some other teachers visiting some of the other senior primary school classes in CHB this week as well. She really appreciated having the opportunity to make this connection and seeing a senior class in action and is looking forward to building on the connection that has been made.

### <u>WINTER SPORTS PERMISSION</u> - Please return your child's winter sports permission form by Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> March. *REGISTRATION LINKS ARE AS FOLLOWS:*

RUGBY – Please follow this link to register online: <u>https://www.sporty.co.nz/chbjrc</u> -

If you played rugby last season, you should receive an email to register again for the 2024 season. **Please choose P**orangahau as your **rugby Club**. The Porangahau Club delegates are Rob Tennent <u>robtennent@hotmail.com</u> and Ben Wills <u>benjohnwills@hotmail.com</u>

- FOOTBALL Please follow this link to register your child <a href="https://www.sporty.co.nz/chbjuniorfootball/registrations-1">https://www.sporty.co.nz/chbjuniorfootball/registrations-1</a>
  - HOCKEY (registration links to come)

MINI STICKS - Years 3-5 Season runs from 9<sup>th</sup> May – 27<sup>th</sup> June (Term 2) and 25<sup>th</sup> July – 22<sup>nd</sup> Aug (Term 3) KWIK STICKS - Years 6-8 Season runs from 8<sup>th</sup> May – 26<sup>th</sup> June (Term 2) and 24<sup>th</sup> July – 21<sup>st</sup> Aug (Term 3) FUN STICKS – Years 0-2 Season runs from 11<sup>th</sup> May – 29<sup>th</sup> June

### SCHOOL CAMPS 2024

### Rotohiwi Class - Years 6-7-8

The senior camp is heading to 'El Rancho' on the Kapiti Coast in Term 4 this year.

- o It is a 4-day camp in the week before Labour Weekend
- Mon 21st Oct to Thursday 24th Oct
- Mrs Cosgrove will give more detailed information out towards the end of Term.

### Ngawaka Class – Years 4 & 5

- Ngawaka is heading to Camp Wakarara this year.
- Wed 27th Nov to Friday 29th Nov
- Mrs Trent will give more detailed information out towards the end of Term.

## William Pike Year 8 Wilderness Camp

- This is a 3 day camp up at the Guthrie Smith Opouahi Lake outdoor adventure camp near Tutira
- Wed 27th Nov to Friday 2th9 Nov (The same dates as the Yr 4-5 Camp)

**CELEBRATING SUCCESS!** Great to see our past pupils achievements in sports. Congratulations to Ella von Dadelszen, Anna Wilson and their team on their win of the Saba Sam Shield at Horse of Year this week. Congratulations to Franca and Ottalie Morrah who got on the podium several times at the recent North Island Secondary School Rowing Competition.

### WAKARARA CAMP COMMITTEE - A message from Clint Deckard on behalf of the Camp Committee

For over 40 years Camp Wakarara has provided a valuable facility for students and others to experience the Ruahine Forest Park and its environs whilst enjoying an authentic 'old school' camping experience.

The success of the camp has largely been down to a small, dedicated team of volunteers who oversee the running of the camp. The camp requires a number of new people to join our committee to ensure the survival of this unique facility. Our monthly meeting will be available via Zoom in order to allow those unable to attend a face to face meeting to take part.

If you value the place of Camp Wakarara in our community I would urge you to contact Clint Deckard (details above) to discuss how you might be able to help. <u>clint.deckard@frontiers.co.nz</u> 021 2075004

### SHEEP MANURE NEEDED

Our raised vege gardens are in need of some sustenance so we are on the hunt for some well-rotted sheep manure. It is possibly that collection of the manure could be done by our Year 8's as volunteer hours for William Pike. If you can help us with this please contact the office.

### PINECONES

The Wilder girls are selling pinecones to fundraise for camp. \$5 - 20kg sized sack or \$8 for a 25kg sized sack.

To order contact Rose Wilder 0277 622 276



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