FLEMINGTON SCHOOL

Wednesday 6th August Week 4 - Term 3 - 2025

FRIDAY 8th LUNCH MENU

SPORTS UNIFORM RETURN

Please remember to return the

Flemington rugby tops used at

Onga 7's and as our netball teams

finish up please return the dresses.

Menu - Pie

Duty Person - Charlotte Bennett

Our Vision:

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

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RISE

Respect - Integrity - Success - Empathy

DATES TO REMEMBER:

- 6th Aug: Board Elections Nominations Close 12pm
- 6th Aug: CHB College Open Evening 6.15pm-8.30pm
- 7th Aug: EZ Cross Country Week 4 (PD 8th Aug)
- 13th Aug: Year 7-8 Technology
- 19th Aug: Board Meeting 6.30pm
- 21st Aug: CHB Cross Country Week 6 (PD 22nd Aug)
- 27th Aug: Sports Academy
- 27th Aug: Year 7-8 Technology
- 1st-3rd Sept: School Production in CHB College Hall
- 10th Sept: Year 5-6 Mathletics Waipukurau
- 17th Sept: Year 7 & 8 Mathletics Hastings
- 18th Sept: CHB Rippa Tournament Waipawa
- 19th Sept: TOD with a Maths Focus School is Closed Last Day Term 3

All dates are loaded or will be loaded onto the eTap calendar - which is in the @School App.



Well, the Ongaonga 7s of 2025 will be one that will be remembered and talked about for many, many years if not decades!! The kids did exceptionally well under very trying conditions – it was mud soup underfoot and the gazebos were really challenged keeping the rain at bay – they didn't. The junior rugby team had a very successful day taking out their grade with determination, effort and flair. The senior netball players were very unfortunate to miss out on the final on count back – they were playing some great netball. Junior netballers had the best assembly spot of the day in one of the classrooms out of the weather – they had lots of fun and played some great netball but faced some challenging opposition. It was a similar story for the senior rugby team – they played some great footy but faced some tough teams. The hockey team really displayed our RISE values – they played teams that had senior players in them but they played as a team and never gave up which they were rewarded with by making the final. They faced a team with mainly senior players and held their own to come up with the very deserve second place – an awesome effort.

We are starting to get into the pointy end of brining the production together with Jo Paget putting them through their paces. The Hall is marked out to the size of the College stage and getting their placements and movements right is happening along with learning and remembering their lines.

We are still looking for big pieces of cardboard and egg cartons as the construction of the set gets underway - Phil

MINIBALL INTEREST

Year 1-4, 3 a-side, played at the Memorial Hall on Fridays.



Year 5-6, 5 a-side, played at the Main Stadium on Thursdays. Year 7-8, 5 a-side, played at the Main Stadium on Fridays. Registrations are now open for the Miniball 2025 season. Please let me know if your child is interested in playing so they can be registered. If we have enough players, we can enter a team otherwise I can try and find another schools team for your child to join. Registrations close Sunday 24th Aug.

LEVY ACCOUNTS DUE

Term 2 levy account payments are now due for payment. If you would like to set up an automatic payment for your account please let Abby know when it starts.

Good Citizens







Marlee Neho

For showing empathy by being a kind and thoughtful friend.

Olivia McLean

For respecting school grounds by helping with the gardening.

Ben Peacock

For always being polite and using beautiful manners when speaking to adults.

2025 TRIENNIAL SCHOOL BOARD ELECTIONS - Nominations Close today at 12pm

We had 5 parent elected positions vacant as part of these Board triennial elections.

At this stage there have been 4 nominations received for the 5 vacant parent positions and 1 nomination for the staff representative position on the Board.



Once Anton Croad, as the Board's Presiding Member, receives official notification from Sue Hewitt as our Election Returning Officer an official update will be sent out to all Flemington families/whanau. There are some requirements that Sue Hewitt has to complete as part of the process so the notification from her will not come through until those have been completed – probably later today or this evening.

TRAINEE TEACHER - LEANNE HUTCHINSON

We are looking forward to having Leanne Hutchinson join as for 5 weeks as part of her teacher training programme. Leanne, as a past parent, PFG and Board member, will be known to many of you. She is in her last year of training and this is her last school placement, which is very exciting for her. She will be joining Jess and Geordie in Ngahape from next Monday.

EASTERNZONE CROSS COUNTRY

Who: All of Flemington School and all of Porangahau School

When: Thursday 7th August (Postponement Day Friday 8th August) 9.45am

Where: Porangahau Golf Course at the Country Club

Wear: School uniform

Bring: Packed lunch box and water bottle.

Porangahau fundraising committee will have a hot lunches and baking available to purchase. Please bring cash. Event information and transport list has been emailed and sent home as a hard copy. If you are transporting your child to this event, they do not need to come to school beforehand. Please be at the Country Club at 9.45am. Races Start at 11am.



Who: A selected team in three different grades after the EZ Cross Country - Yr4 & under (some Yr 3s), Years 5-6, Years 7-8

When: Thursday 21st August (Postponement Day Friday 22nd August)

Where: Lake Station - 477 Lake Station Rd

Flemington School hosts this event for all other CHB Primary Schools with a group of our parents helping to set up the course and marshalling on the day. We also hold a BBQ food stall at this event as a school fundraiser.

Please complete the help form on the @school App for this event.

<u>WINTER SPORTS PRIZEGIVING'S</u> - As winter sports draws to a close we are now getting organised for prizegiving! JUNIOR NETBALL & HOCKEY

Acknowledgment of our junior players participation in netball and hockey this season will be presented at school assembly on **Friday 15th August, 2pm**. This includes Yr 1-2 and Yr 3-4 Netball teams and all Fun Sticks and Mini Sticks hockey players. Everyone welcome!

KIWI & KWIK STICKS HOCKEY, YR 5-8 NETBALL & ALL RUGBY GRADES

Prizegiving for our hockey (Kiwi & Kwik Sticks) players and netball (Yr 5-6 & Yr 7-8) players and all rugby grades will be held at the Pōrangahau Sports Club on **Sunday 24th August at 1pm**.

Please bring your clean rugby jersey to return on the day if you haven't done so already.

Bar will be open and there will be a sausage sizzle for the players. Everyone welcome!

CATTLE SCHEME

The PFG cattle scheme is looking for any of our school whanau who would be willing to raise a cattle beast on behalf of the school as a fundraiser. If you have any questions or can help, please contact Andrew McLean our PFG Cattle Scheme co-ordinator on 021 204 5229 or amclean100@gmail.com

A huge thank you to our wonderful families who are currently grazing one of our cattle or have done so in the past. This contributes considerably to our funds and is truly appreciated!



'Gotcha!' Awards

Students caught displaying the school values in the playground



Elizabeth Moore



Archie Clark



Brooke Miller





SPORT DRAWS

Netball – For game times or follow this link - https://www.hawkesbaynetball.co.nz/centralm eff

Rugby – Follow the Junior Rugby Facebook page, visit https://www.sporty.co.nz/chbjrc/# for games times

Hockey –Kwik – 5.25pm 6th Aug (Packdown)

Mini - 3.45pm 7th Aug

Kiwi – Yr5 5.10pm 7th Aug (Packdown)

- Yr6 5.10pm 7th Aug

Football – Follow the CHB Junior Football Club Inc Facebook page to keep informed.