

FLEMINGTON SCHOOL

Wednesday 13th August Week 5 – Term 3 – 2025

Our Vision:

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

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DATES TO REMEMBER:

- 20th Aug: Board Meeting 6.30pm ===== **Change of Date** =====
- 21st Aug: CHB Interschool Cross Country (PD 22nd Aug)
- 27th Aug: Sports Academy
- 27th Aug: Year 7-8 Technology
- 3rd Sept: **School Production 6pm at CHB College Hall**
- 10th Sept: Year 5-6 Athletics Waipukurau
- 17th Sept: Year 7 & 8 Athletics 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.

Kia ora koutou katoa

What a great day out in Pōrangahau at cross country last week. The kids did so well with their running, competing with effort and enthusiasm. Thanks to Pōrangahau School for doing a great job of hosting us. A very different looking course with all the trees gone – I think the course this year will be the one for a few years now – great for the spectators to track the kids as they are running. Fingers crossed for the weather next week for the CHB Interschool Cross Country event!!

We started doing the full run through of the production on Friday and the kids did really well – it is just a case of refining timings and being organised for the next scene coming up. They have all done really well in learning their lines and all of this will keep progressing as we do more complete practices. **We are still looking for big pieces of cardboard and egg cartons as the construction of the set gets underway – if you are able to help please drop it off at school.**

As per my email last week we have a new Board that are keen to get underway and help guide the school into the future. Our first meeting is on Wednesday next week, where there will be a lot of getting to grips with the background stuff that happens in a school, ranging from curriculum, staffing, property and funding – and many bits in between.

Have a great rest of the week and weekend - **Phil**

SCHOOL PRODUCTION – ‘A Fairy Tale Fiasco’

A big Shout Out to Jo Paget for putting the script together with Mrs Cosgrove and working with all of us, teachers and children
THANK YOU – we are starting to get to the pointy end now!

There is one performance night – All welcome:

- **Date:** Wednesday 3rd September
- **Time:** 6pm
- **Where:** CHB College Hall

Rotohiwi will be going into the College on **Monday 1st Sept, for sound and lighting checks.** The whole school will head into the College on **Tuesday 2nd Sept, for dress rehearsal.**

Information about costumes has been distributed a few times – **If you have any queries, please contact your child's teachers.**

EASTERNZONE CROSS COUNTRY PLACINGS FOR FLEMINGTON RUNNERS

Year 0/1 Girls 1 st Elizabeth Moore 2 nd Emerson Willis 3 rd Penny Johnston Year 0/1 Boys 1 st Manaaki Makea-Vella 3 rd Mason Walker	Year 2 Girls 1 st Emily Haswell 2 nd Isobel Hobson 3 rd Tessa Johnston Year 2 Boys 1 st Jake Brennan 2 nd Enzo Miller 3 rd Archie de Lautour	Year 3 & 4 Girls 1 st Rebecca Moore 2 nd Georgia Brennan 3 rd Evie Bennett Year 3 & 4 Boys 1 st Lewes Stewart 2 nd Colby Andersen	Year 5 & 6 Girls 1 st Bailey Cosgrove 2 nd Natalia Stewart Year 5 & 6 Boys 1 st Miles Hall 3 rd Daniel Brennan	Year 7 & 8 Girls 1 st Verdi Ormond Year 7 & 8 Boys 1 st Hugh Paget 2 nd Lachie Croad 3 rd Ben Peacock
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RISE

Respect - Integrity - Success - Empathy

FRIDAY 15th LUNCH MENU

Duty Person – Ione Hodge
Menu – American Hotdog

STRAWBERRY PLANTS

If anyone has any strawberry plants Sonia would love them for our vege gardens 😊

ATTACHMENTS (digital)

- Structured Literacy
Informed Consent Letter

Good Citizens



Penny Johnston

For being a kind and helpful friend to new members of the class.



Archie Gunn

For making great choices and taking charge of your learning.



Natalia Stewart

For showing great integrity and sportsmanship at cross country.

CHB INTERSCHOOL CROSS COUNTRY

Who: A selected Flemington team will be notified this week

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.



2025 TRIENNIAL SCHOOL BOARD ELECTIONS

A very warm welcome to our new Board members and a very big **thank you** to all our Board members who have given their time and energy over the last 3 years. Sue Hewitt has completed the election process and **no election is required.**

At the close of nominations, the following valid nominations were received for the parent representatives:

<u>Parent Representatives:</u>	<u>Staff Representatives:</u>	<u>Other Board Members:</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Bennett, GrantClark, SamHoyt, SuzannePaget, Thomas <p><i>With 4 nominations for 5 vacant positions, they are duly elected as parent representatives and the School Board is formed with a casual vacancy.</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">von Dadelszen, Paula <p><i>There being only one nomination for staff rep, Paula von Dadelszen is duly elected as the staff representative on the School Board.</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Ben Percival continues as a co-opted board member.Phil Bourke as the Principal (this is an automatic position on the Board) <p><i>There is a process to fill the casual vacancy which the new Board will work through.</i></p>

On behalf of Sue Hewitt

Returning Officer

PROFESSIONAL LEARNING AND DEVELOPMENT - PLD

We have the pleasure of Kristin Mason's company and expertise tomorrow. Kristin is a professional learning facilitator for Liz Kane and we have engaged her as a follow up from the two lots of MOE Structured Literacy PLD the Year 1-3 team did last year and the Year 4-8 team did earlier this year. All the teachers are released for the day with 3 relievers and myself (Phil) covering the classes. All the teachers and learning assistants will be engaging with her for the day with modelling of practice and lots of discussions and reviewing what we are doing.

MOE Collection of Data from Structured Literacy PLD

As part of engaging the MOE Structured Literacy PLD we will be gathering assessment data which is sent to the MOE. Liz Kane, along with all providers of SL PLD, have sent through an *Informed Consent Letter* for families/whanau of the children at school outlining what is happening. This will be emailed to all Flemington School families/whanau, with this newsletter (digital).

WINTER SPORTS PRIZEGIVING'S - 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 this **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!



'Gotcha!' Awards

Students caught displaying the school values in the playground



Penny Johnston



Oscar McLean



Lewes Stewart



Paige Barrett

SPORTS UNIFORM RETURN

Remember to return your Flemington netball dresses.



SPORT DRAWS

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

Hockey – Kwik – 4.35pm 13th Aug, Semi final
Mini – 4.25pm 14th Aug

Kiwi – Yr5 3.45pm 14th Aug
– Yr6 3.45pm 14th Aug

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