FLEMINGTON SCHOOL

Wednesday 20th August Week 6 - Term 3 - 2025

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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:

- 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
- 29th Aug: Daffodil Day
- 3rd Sept: School Production 6pm at 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.

STRAWBERRY PLANTS

If anyone has any strawberry plants Sonia would love them for our vege gardens ③

FRIDAY 22nd LUNCH MENU

Duty Person - Cookie Clark

Menu - Sausage & Bread

Kia ora koutou katoa

Winter is definitely 'Still Coming' as the Game of Thrones' characters would say – Mother nature has not given up on flexing her muscles. There was quite a good dusting of snow up on the Tourere range this morning from all accounts and sleet in Takapau. It is looking like a very cold day tomorrow for the CHB Cross Country so wrapping up well will be the order of the day. The most recent production practice was done with some costumes in play which definitely helps bring it to life for the kids. We'll have a break over the next few days and get back into it next week ready for the last push through to the performance night, 6pm on Wednesday, 3rd September – see everyone there!

With winter sport winding down the Pōrangahau Sports Club Prizegiving for the some of our primary school Hockey and Netball teams and all the primary school rugby teams is happening this weekend – First congratulations for all of those kids for being involved in sport and also if you are fortunate enough to receive a prize for the season. No matter what sport kids play it is great to have them out and involved in sport but I often recount the story of my daughter who was never a sporty person at primary school and less so at secondary school but ended up competing at an elite sporting level for NZ – so you never know what might be around the corner for any child in these young years – it can change dramatically if they find their groove.

All of the teaching staff, including the learning assistants, had a fantastic day of learning and development with Kristin Mason

last Thursday. She is a facilitator for structured Literacy under the

Liz Kane umbrella. Phil



<u>SCHOOL PRODUCTION</u> – 'A Fairy Tale Fiasco' There is one performance night – All friends and whanau are 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. Thank you to the PFG for funding the buses that will be used on both Monday and Tuesday to transport the kids there and back.

DAFFODIL DAY

This year we will be supporting Daffodil day on

Friday 29th **August**. Please encourage your child/ren to dress in daffodil colours - yellow, orange, green to show their support!

Please bring a gold coin donation to school or jump online to donate to the cancer society's annual appeal https://fundraise.daffodilday.org.nz/flemington-school









Archie de Lautour

For being a king and respectful friend to your peers in the playground.

Bailey Cosgrove

For being a great role model by enthusiastically singing the production songs.

Lewes Stewart

For showing respect for our sports equipment by putting it away after play.



INTERSCHOOL CROSS COUNTRY

Good luck to all our competitors representing Flemington at the Inter-School Cross Country tomorrow – run hard!

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When: Thursday 21st August (Postponement Day Friday 22nd August) **Where:** Lake Station – 477 Lake Station Rd

Wear: School uniform. Bring warm layers, change of clothes, towel.

The weather is looking passable for tomorrow **BUT VERY COLD** – so please make sure your child has plenty of clothing if they are competing or marshalling.

A final call on Postponement will be made in the morning as soon after 7am as possible – it will be on Central FM and email.

Year 4 & Under Boys	Year 5 & 6 Boys	Year 5 & 6 Girls	Year 7 & 8 Boys	Year 7 & 8 Girls
Jake Brennan	Finn Cosgrove	Maddi Miller	Hugh Paget	Paige Barrett
Colby Andersen	Francis Poi	Eleanor Paget	Ben Peacock	Pip Wilson
Archie Gunn	Beauden Wilson	Natalia Stewart	Lachie Croad	Bess Cullwick
Lewes Stewart	Miles Hall	Freya Meuli	Innis Hall	Verdi Ormond
Year 4 & Under Girls	Daniel Brennan	Bailey Cosgrove		Aimee-Lee Hema-Stewart
Molly Andersen	Wilbur Gunn			Chelsea Hartstone
Rebecca Moore	William Bennett			Charlotte Wilder
Georgia Brennan	Archie Wilson			
Evie Bennett				



<u>CHB RIPPER RUGBY TOURNAMENT – YR 3-8</u>

When: Thursday 18th September 9.30am-2pm

Where: Coronation Park, Waipawa.

Who: Yr 3-8 students who wish to take part.

This is a really fun ripper rugby tournament organised by Elsthorpe School. Teams are mixed 7 aside with rolling subs. The event follows a round robin format. Students who require transport will be transported by bus thanks to the PFG transport funds. We will need adult help to manage teams.

Please note that the postponement date for this event is Friday 19th September which is a Teacher Only Day for our school so if this event is postponed, we will not be taking part. **Please complete the permission slip available on the @school App.**

INTERSCHOOL TENNIS

Interschool tennis starts in Term 4. The season will begin on Monday 13th October, and runs for approximately 6 weeks. An email has gone home with all the information about this competition. If your child is interested in taking part, please complete the permission form on the @schoo app. Registrations close on 19th September.



SUMMER HOCKEY

Summer hockey starts week 2 of term 4. Grades are: Mini Sticks Year 2-4 (Thursday) and Kwik Sticks Year 5-8 (Wednesday). An email with more information has been sent home. If your child is interested in playing please let the office know. Registrations close 12th Sept.

PET DAY REMINDER FOR THIS YEAR

Just a reminder that we are having Pet Day again this year.

The date is Friday 10 October – this is in the first week of Term 4

Jess and Geordie are working on the final format for the day and we'll be able to get that out to everyone very soon.

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









Summer Thomson

SPORTS UNIFORM RETURN

Remember to return your Flemington netball dresses.



SPORT DRAWS

Hockey

Kwik – 3.45pm 20th Aug, Finals

Mini - BYE 21st Aug

Kiwi - Yr5 5.10pm 21st Aug

- Yr6 3.45pm 21st Aug



Evie Bennett

Greg McGrath