



TERM TWO, WEEK ONE 2016

Dear Parents/Caregivers/Whanau,

This week's memory verse is 'The Lord is near to all who call on Him, to all who call on Him in truth.' (Psalms 145:18) This verse is a wonderful promise and one that will help and sustain our children as they grow if we can help them to truly understand what it means. Our school has seen proof that the Lord is near to all who call on Him. We are constantly surprised by the blessings God gives us, though we shouldn't be, and I hope that this term we will all continually be reminded that the Lord is near to us if we call on Him, whether it be to help us in our learning, with our relationships or with the other things we are involved with over the coming months.

Next week our Year 7&8s head away to camp in Dunedin. We will be focusing on 'Access to Resources' through visiting the Otago Settlers Museum, visiting and staying the night at the Otago Museum, and spending time at the Orokonui Bird Sanctuary. We will 'endure' swimming/hydroskiing and ice-skating because we know it is important to exercise too. ☺ Prayers for a safe trip would be much appreciated.

Ma te Atua koe e manaaki

God bless,

Bethany Rentoul.

IMPORTANT NOTICES

Parent Bus Run

Please note that the school van is not available for the parent school bus run on Wednesday, Thursday or Friday of next week due to it being used for Year 7/8 camp.

Winter Uniform

A reminder about the winter uniform which is to be worn this term. Boys wear the long-sleeve school polo shirt, girls wear navy blue knee-high socks or tights, Year 9 students wear long-sleeve white shirts and the school tie. The Year 9 navy jersey is available at The Warehouse. Sandals are not to be worn in Terms 2 and 3.

FOR YOUR INFORMATION

Plastic Bags

This is a call-out for plastic rubbish bags again – these can be dropped to the office any time.

Sports Shed Monitors

Thank you to all our Sports Shed Monitors for Term One. This is an important job looking after our equipment in our shed. Special thanks to Amane Middlemass and Ashley Earl-Goulet who were nominated for their extra effort as Sports Monitors. Also a big thank you to Jordan Weaver and Peter Tafuniana for their help this term.

Swimming – Term 2

This term, students in years 0-3 only will be swimming on Thursdays, 11.00 – 11.30 am.

Basketball Draw 9th May

4:00 pm Boys v Sacred Heart Crt 2

4:45 pm Boys Duty Team Crt 2

7:00 pm Girls v Geraldine HS Crt 1

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Result from 2nd May: TCS Boys won 25-20.

Netball Draw for Friday 6th May

Court 5 – Rural Lightning v Rural Unicorns Year 4 (Mrs Thompson, Kaylee and Jemima)

Court 6 – Rural Stars v Bluestone Hurricanes

Court 7 – Rural Schools Shooting Stars v Sacred Heart Purple Year 3 (Mrs Dupont)

Meet 3.30pm for skills sessions before game. Finish at 4.45pm)

Years 5-8 for Saturday 7th May

9am – Court 7- Rural Black v Bluestone B2 (Mrs Goodger Years 7&8)

11am – Court 4 – Rural Mighty Magic v Opihi College 7A (Miss Phillips Years 7&8)

11am – Court 11 – Rural Mystics v Waimataitai C (Mrs Waldron Year 6)

11am – Court 12 – Rural Magic v Gleniti F (Mrs Bruning Year 5)

SCHOOL CALENDAR

9 May – Teacher Only Day

11-13 May – Yr 7/8 Camp

12 May – Swimming (Year 0-3)

PTA Meeting

19 May – Swimming (Year 0-3)



BoT Meeting 6 pm
23 May – Open Day 9-10.30 am
Year 9/10 Open Evening 7 pm
24 May – Rural Schools Cross country
25 May – world Vision assembly
25-27 May – Life Ed visiting
2 June – Swimming (Year 0-3)
3 June – St John in schools
6 June – Queen's Birthday (school closed)
9 June – Swimming (Year 0-3)
10 June – Hillview Visit
40-hour famine and sleepover
14 June – SC Cross Country
16 June – Swimming (Year 0-3)
17 June – Mufti Day
22 June – Jump Jam competition
23 June – Swimming (Year 0-3)
30 June – Swimming (Year 0-3)
7 July – Swimming (Year 0-3)

COMMUNITY NOTICES

Fusion Friday

Calling all Year 7 and 8's along to Fusion Friday!
This Friday (15th April) 4.00 to 5.30 pm at Connect HQ, Cantec House Level One.
Fun, food, games, GOD! Would love to see you there ☺

Pine Cones for Sale \$5/Bag

Large bag full of pine cones to light your fire with for \$5 each. Bags are 25kg stockfeed bags (but cones don't weigh that much!) Fundraiser for ex TCS pupil Nikita Kitchen. For orders text or phone Janina Kitchen on 021 188 7357 (landline 686 4745). Can bring to school car park after school for pick up by arrangement.

Mrs A's Music School

Mrs As Music School teaches various instruments every day after school on the top floor at 10 Quarry Road. Some classes may be taught during the day. Please make contact with Jannette Aldridge to enroll for next term.

* DRUMS * GUITAR * BASS * PIANO * BAND *
SINGING * CHOIR * THEORY CLASS * UKULELE *
RECORDER * VIOLIN

Paint a Plate

For some creative fun this holidays, come along to Paint a Plate! I have a huge range of pottery designs to choose from. Whether it's something for yourself or a unique gift for someone special,

there is something for everyone. Great for groups, clubs, birthday party activities, or come on your own for some creative therapy. Phone Karen 6860035 or 0277 245462 to book your place. Check out some ideas on my Facebook page.

Improvisation and Theatre Sports Classes

Hilarious, Spontaneous, Outrageous Fun
Students with little or no theatre or drama experience are welcome. Skills build incrementally.

Fridays @ Academy of Performance and Arts, Talbot St, Geraldine

3.15 – 4.15pm: Ages 9 to 12 \$80 for 8 week term

4.15 – 5.15pm: Ages 12 + \$96 for 8 week term

Email: inspired@mail.com or ph 03 693 9986 to register. Classes commence: May 27th: Term 2

Tutor: Kay Paterson

Give your Child a Head Start in the Water!

CBay Learn 2 Swim Programme enrollments are now open for term 2 and our Holiday Programmes
Swim School Office Hours & Administration:
Monday to Friday 9am to 2pm / Ph 03 687 7721
Or 03 687 7226 for information on the above programmes