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Dear Parents/Caregivers

Our Year 7&8 students had a truly wonderful ski camp last week! Our students progressed very well over the three days of lessons and free skiing time. Thank you for your prayers! Coronet Peak was transformed with a 20cm snowfall on our first afternoon/evening and this gave us great snow conditions for the second and third days of skiing. A very big thank you to our parent leaders who all contributed so positively into the lives of our students and made the camp possible.

This week we enjoyed a great afternoon for our cross country. Well done to all our students who raced and to senior students who also assisted our juniors around their course. A group of Year 5-8 students will attend the North Zone cross country on Monday next week with Mrs Jones.

You will notice several important dates have now been confirmed to our term 3 calendar. We have an open morning scheduled during week 5, our school wide production of Joseph will be performed during week 9 and student leadership awards presented in week 10.

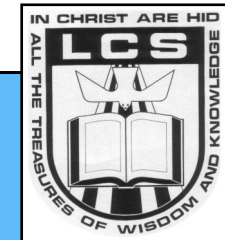
Serving Christ together

Ngā mihi nui | Warm regards

Fiona Sizemore (Principal)

Sibling Enrolments for 2020

If you have a pre-schooler that you expect to enrol at Liberton during 2020 please contact the office to get an enrolment form to complete at your earliest convenience. We are planning for a full roll and want to ensure that we do not miss any of our sibling enrolments.



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LCS Open Morning

We are holding an open morning on Wednesday 21 August 10.30am-12.30pm. Fliers are available at the office. 'Word of mouth' is our best advertisement, so please invite any contacts who may be interested in exploring Christian education, church leaders, and extended family members to visit and see our school in action!

Ski Camp 2019



World Vision Famine

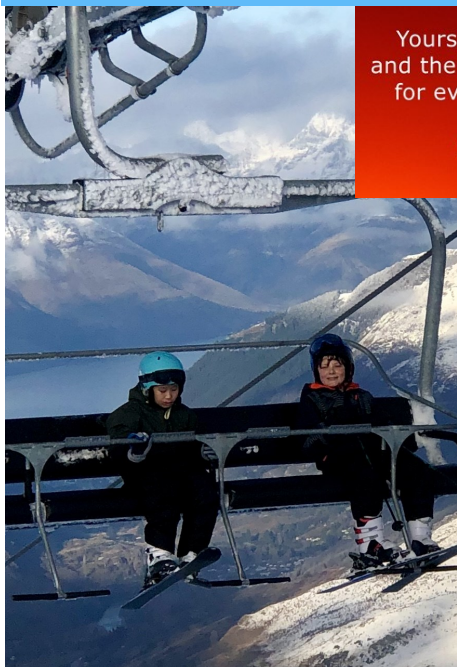
We have now banked over \$6000! Thank you to everyone who has been able to get their funds into the office. Please bring any remaining funds to the office asap.



Yours, Lord, is the greatness and the power and the glory and the majesty and the splendor, for everything in heaven and earth is yours.

Yours, Lord, is the kingdom; you are exalted as head over all.

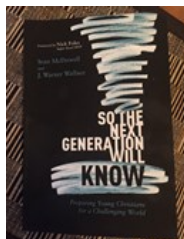
1 Chronicles 29:11



Term 3 Value Focus: HONESTY AND TRUTHFULNESS

Love expressed through Honesty and Truthfulness – A willingness not to steal, cheat, lie, or be unfair

Psalms 25:4-5 Show me your ways, O LORD, teach me your paths; ⁵ *guide me in your truth* and teach me, for you are God my Saviour, and my hope is in you all day long.



Book Recommendation:

So the Next Generation Will Know by Sean McDowell and J. Warner Wallace.

Due to high demand, we are adding a second copy to our parent library. It is also available through Manna Books.



Attitude Intermediate Programme: Friendship Factor

Our year 7&8 students will enjoy a presentation from the Attitude Team on Thursday 22 August. The Attitude Team is part of The Parenting Place group, and provides energetic programmes to encourage, inspire and equip youth. This session will be on friendship. Content includes friendship tips, overcoming shyness, being yourself, friendship warnings, bullying, and arguments. Students will have a take home page to support a reflection conversation with parents after the session.

Liberton Fundraisers

The Liberton Fundraisers team are looking for new members. If this could be you, please contact the office and we will put you in touch!



School Diary

Term 3 Calendar

12 Aug	North zone cross country
13 Aug	No DNI Technology
15 Aug	Basketball 1.30pm R2,3
16 Aug	Ukulele Jam @ Town Hall 10-12
21 Aug	Kahurangi Dance Show 9-10am
21 Aug	LCS Open Morning 10.30am-12.30pm
22 Aug	Attitude Programme Y7&8 1.30pm
23 Aug	Y7&8 netball tournament @ Edgar 9-3
29 Aug	Swimming #1
30 Aug	Otago Cross Country (PP 6 Sept)
5 Sept	Swimming #2
12 Sept	Swimming #3
17 Sept	Production dress rehearsal @ LPHS auditorium
17 Sept	BOT meeting 7pm
18 Sept	Joseph Matinee performance @ LPHS auditorium
19 Sept	Swimming #4
19 Sept	Joseph evening performance @ LPHS auditorium
20 Sept	Late start for students 10am
23 Sept	Special Leadership Awards Assembly 9.15am
26 Sept	swimming #5
27 Sept	Last day of term 3

Frost or Snow Days

It's the time of year when heavy frost or snow may occasionally make travel to school difficult. We will send a text message to you as soon as the call to cancel or make a late start due to weather is confirmed. Local radio stations continue to broadcast cancellations and any calls that are for all primary and intermediate schools relate to us. The most important point is not to attempt travel if you feel unsafe on the road due to frost or snow.

School closure text messages – these are sent from a private phone number as our best method to notify (at often quite short notice) of a late start or snow day. Please do not reply or leave school messages on this number as it could easily get missed. Please use the school phone to report absences or notify other messages for students.

Term 2 Winter Sports Dates

Tuesdays: Year 1-6 netball, Year 7&8 badminton
Thursdays: Year 7&8 netball and Year 5&6 basketball
Year 5&6 soccer
arranged by
Mr Robertson

Let's
Pray!

Jeremiah 29:12-13 (ESV)
“Then you will call upon me and come and pray to me, and I will hear you. ¹³ you will seek me and find me, when you seek me with all your heart.”

POP in and PRAY Tuesday mornings 9.00am – 9.20am in the staffroom

Whether you can give ten or twenty minutes, come and join us as we pray for our school as it seeks to live out its vision in our community and for the kids, families and staff that are part of it. We are very grateful to all those who uphold the school in prayer.

Prayer Points

Give thanks for: -

- each one of our students and families
- our dedicated teachers, support staff and volunteers
- for a wonderful senior class ski camp

Please pray for:-

- our students to demonstrate God's love through honesty and truthfulness
- Families who face challenges and changes, that they will find strength in the Lord
- our school to glorify God in **all** ways and remain faithful to the vision set down by our founders