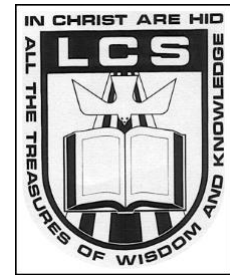


LIBERTON CHRISTIAN SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

25 June 2021
Term 2 Week 8



Dear Parents and Whānau

Thank you to everyone who was able to join us last Friday for our special celebration assembly to mark the official opening of our new junior classrooms. It was a wonderful occasion for our school and wider community.

We have a faithful group of students participating in the World Vision 40 Hour Famine over the weekend. Today at school we held a Famine Friday Fun Day as we showed our support for the nations of sub-Saharan Africa who are suffering from increased hardship due to the Covid-19 pandemic. Millions of children in sub-Saharan Africa face aching hunger as the shock waves unleashed by the pandemic worsen the damage that extreme poverty, climate change and decades of conflict have already done to children's lives. If you would like to support the Famine appeal, go to <https://my.worldvision.org.nz/ss/Qy6qL4/liberton-christian-school> to either find a LCS student to sponsor or to make a general donation.

The teaching staff is pleased to have the opportunity to meet with you to discuss your child's progress and achievement via the formal parent/teacher conferences being held over the next two weeks, as a follow up to the mid-year written report. Parent/teacher conferences are one of the ways we can nurture the positive partnerships we enjoy at Liberton. Please remember to get in touch with your child's teacher if you have any questions or concerns at any time throughout the terms ahead.

*Blessings in Christ,
Ngā mihi nui | Warm regards
Fiona Sizemore*

Ross and Catherine Pettigrew with three of their daughters and eight of their grandchildren who have attended LCS, or are current students, before cutting the ribbon for our Junior Classroom Official Opening on Friday 18 June.



TERM 2 VALUE: KINDNESS

Love expressed through Kindness – A willingness to help and show concern for others

“Be kind and compassionate to one another, forgiving each other, just as in Christ God forgave you.” Ephesians 4:32

WINTER SPORTS TEAMS

The \$10 fee for sports team membership can be paid into the Liberton Christian School Board of Trustees account 02 0908 0263142 00.

Students playing in more than one team only need to pay for one team.

FROST OR SNOW DAYS *(It could happen!!)*



It's the time of year when heavy frost or snow may occasionally make travel to school difficult. We will send an email 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.

HONEY FUNDRAISER

Orders are being taken at the office for the popular **Pure Taieri Honey** once again. Please have your order in by 30 June.

Online payment can be made to the Liberton Fundraisers account 11 8337 0088665 11



HOT LUNCH WEDNESDAY (CAMP FUNDRAISING)

We have hot lunch options happening each Wednesday. This is a fundraiser for the senior camp and will continue through term 3. The main option will be Jimmy's Pies.

If parents would like to be involved by preparing and serving alternative options, please contact Fiona or Karen.

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If you have paid for multiple lunches, please either email the office or submit the hot lunch form each week so we know to provide the lunch for your child.

PRAYER POINTS:

Please keep praying for us! We are very grateful to all those who uphold the school in prayer.

Give thanks for: -

- each one of our students, families and staff members
- those whom God has used to pave the way for our time at LCS
- our parents who serve in various ways to support our school
- the opportunity to teach our children more about the kindness of God this term

Please pray for:-

- our school to glorify God in all ways and remain faithful to the vision set down by our founders
- the year 7&8 ski camp to be a time of spiritual growth for our students (and for snow!)
- our students to show kindness to one another and their neighbour

SPORT SHIRTS AND HOODIES

We will have a new order of sport shirts and hoodies available at the office now.

TERM 2 CALENDAR

25 June	World Vision famine weekend
29 June	St Mark's Pentecost Service 1.30pm Board of Trustees meeting 7pm
1 July	Dunedin Gymnastics Academy sessions Rooms 4 and 5 Parent/Teacher conferences 3.15-7pm
6 July	Toitū Otago Settlers Museum EOTC Rooms 3 and 6 Parent/Teacher conferences 3.15-5pm
7 July	Toitū Otago Settlers Museum EOTC Rooms 1 and 2
9 July	Last day of term 2

TERM 3 CALENDAR

26 July	First day of term 3
2-6 August	Y7&8 ski camp Queenstown
3 August	LCS Year 1-6 cross country
10 August	Board of Trustees meeting 7pm
17 August	North Zone cross country Year 5-8
1 October	Last day of term 3





MATARIKI WHANAU HUI

- KAPA HAKA & PERFORMANCES FROM LOCAL SCHOOLS
- KAI - SOUP & BUNS
- SPEAKERS - SHARING ABOUT THE MEANING OF MATARIKI
- CRAFTS & ACTIVITIES
- OTAGO MUSEUM STARLAB

**FAMILY FRIENDLY EVENT
ALL WELCOME!**

PLEASE BRING A KOHA (FOOD OR MONEY) FOR THE DUNEDIN
FOODBANK

**SATURDAY
3RD JULY
3PM-6PM**



DUNEDIN CITY BAPTIST CHURCH 19 MAIN SOUTH ROAD, CONCORD



Matariki Whanau Hui Program

Main Auditorium

Mihi Whakatau
He Waka Kōtuitia Kapa Haka
What Matariki Means to Me (Cindy Kerr)
Green Island School Kapa Haka
Concord School Waiata
Kai is served
Maori Musical Instruments by Byron
Waiata by Mia
Fire Poi
Matariki Light and Lantern Parade

Ako (Learning) Street

Lantern Making
Weaving
Matariki Colouring-in
Kite making
Star crafts
Maori Musical
Instruments

Otago Museum's Star Lab

Sign up for a 20 minutes star
show and explanation of the
night sky!

2021 BASKETBALL HOLIDAY CAMP INFORMATION

Ages 8 to 13. No experience necessary.

Go Media Otago Nuggets Coach Brent Mateheare will be running the camp. So come and see if you like basketball or continue to hone your skills if you're already into the game with our Go Media Nuggets, Firebrand GoldRush Players!!

Cost: \$250 for all 3 days of \$85 per single day.

Limited entries: If you wish to be included, please register as soon as possible!!

Register here: <https://membership.sportstg.com/regofrm.cgi?formID>