

14<sup>th</sup> April 2021

**Wonderful Wheels Day #2** – After our successful Wonderful Wheels day earlier in the term, we are holding another one this Friday 16<sup>th</sup> April. Students can bring along their own “wheels” transportation devices, such as bikes, scooters and skateboards. They can also bring along “wheeled” toys such as remote control vehicles and models.

Children can also wear mufti on the Friday. We would like the Room 2 children to wear mufti suitable for cleaning jobs and our PE shed sort out.

**Food parcels for Whiska** – We have already had some generous donations for Whiska’s food supply after the Facebook post yesterday. If you would like to donate a food item, you’re welcome to drop them into our office. Thanks.



**Room One Activity Corner** – The corner equipment is building up for next term’s focus. Thanks to all those school family members who have donated items. Mrs Small is still after a toy horse if you have one gathering dust somewhere.

**Sunhats** – Children will take home their sunhats on Friday as these aren’t required in Terms 2 & 3. Please tuck them safely away until Term 4 rolls around.

**Pie warmer** – This is available for heating up items for children’s lunches in Terms 2 & 3. Please make sure the lunch item is not frozen, wrapped in tin foil and clearly named in vivid marker.

**Health reminder** – There have been a nasty couple of stomach bugs about. Just a reminder that your child shouldn’t be returning to school until at least 48 hours after they were last vomiting.

Also with winter just around the corner, please keep any unwell children safely tucked up at home to avoid spreading any coughs, colds and flu.

**Fairton Flyer** – If you have any classified advertisements, notices or Birthday/Anniversary notifications please contact our office, as the Fairton Flyer #22 is due out on the first week of Term 2.

On behalf of the Staff here at school we wish you all a safe and refreshing holiday break. Look forward to seeing you all on Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> May 😊

Take care out there  
Mike

Principal  
Fairton School

## Dental Care during the School Holidays

The Community Dental Service will be providing dental care for children enrolled with our service during the upcoming school holidays. The clinics will offer check-ups, treatment and relief of pain sessions by appointment only. To make an appointment please call/email our Contact Centre which operates between the hours of 8am and 4.30pm, Monday to Friday throughout the holidays.

The following Dental Clinics will be open during these school holidays:

- **Hornby Clinic, 2 Hei Hei Road, Hornby,**
- **Northcote Clinic, 24 Tuckers Road, Casebrook,**
- **Timaru Clinic, Level 1, 18 Woollcombe Street, Timaru**



The clinics will offer appointments between 8.15am and 4.45pm for school-age and preschool children. If your child has dental pain because of an accident, please contact your dentist in the first instance.



## Digital Detox

14<sup>th</sup> April 2021 6pm @ Mt Hutt Memorial Hall

👉 [FREE TICKETS HERE](#) 👈

Kia ora koutou

My name's Jess. I'm going to be speaking at this event and sharing my story on how I beat my screen addiction and changed my life. I'm going to share the tips and strategies I used to really limit my screentime, get more focused on the things that really mattered and ultimately achieved a more balanced and happy life.

Wellbeing Ōpuke and Mid Canterbury Timebank have collaborated to bring this event to you for free. Register your place by clicking the link above or you can email us:

[wellbeingopuke@gmail.com](mailto:wellbeingopuke@gmail.com) or [kate@connectingmc.org](mailto:kate@connectingmc.org)

\*If you live in Ashburton and want to attend there may be space in a car pool so get in touch with Kate.

Look forward to seeing you there

Ngā mihi

Jess and Kate 😊



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**PHOENIX**  
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**School Holiday  
Community  
Scavenger  
Hunt 2021**

Phoenix Preschool are pleased to bring back the Holiday Scavenger Hunt for another year.

Inviting everyone to join the hunt around central Ashburton.

**Monday 19th to Friday 30th April**

Identify different **farming images** on the posters in participating business windows, complete your map correctly and be in to win! Lots of prizes up for grabs!

**Maps \$5 (cash only).**

Available from Monday 19th from Phoenix Preschool, RMF Silva, & The Stork Network

Thank you to our generous sponsors:



The Big Little Theatre Company Inc. presents **The Importance Of Being Earnest**  
By Oscar Wilde  
Adapted & Directed by Nomi Cohen



**\$20/\$15**  
**21st April**  
**7.30pm**  
**Ashburton Trust**  
**Event Centre**  
[ateventcentre.co.nz](http://ateventcentre.co.nz)

**24th April**  
**7.30pm**  
**Winchmore Hall**  
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So what is the show about you ask? It's a comedy of falsehoods, wit and questionable societal norms, Big Little Theatre Company's reimagining of Oscar Wilde's the Importance of Being Earnest will have you laughing out loud and hungry for a muffin.

Jack is in love with Gwendolen. Algernon is in love with Cecily. Cecily is Jack's ward. Gwendolen is Algernon's cousin. Jack told Gwendolen his name was Earnest. Algernon told Cecily *his* name was Earnest. Neither Jack nor Algernon are actually called Earnest but of course Gwendolen and Cecily both think their love is called Earnest. Maddie and Morgan can't find Earnest anywhere on Instagram, someone misplaced a baby and Quin is just happy to be here.

Confused? Good. You'll just have to come along for a fun filled evening out to make sense of just who Earnest is and why he is so important.