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# THE Fairton Flyer

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## Free classifieds and notifications

To place a free classified or notification of an event, birthday or anniversary in the Fairton Flyer please call **03 308 9205** office@fairton.school.nz

## House Results

### POINTS FOR TERM 2 (11.05.2022)

- Pride (Yellow) **15 pts**
- Integrity (Blue) **24 pts**
- Excellence (Green) **17 pts**
- Strength (Red) **22 pts**

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We welcome Lelia, Poppy, Sophie and their families to Fairton School. Leila and Poppy have started as New Entrants in Room One. Sophie has started as a Year 6 in Room Two.

## School Calendar

### May

- 16<sup>th</sup> FoF meeting 7.30pm
- 20<sup>th</sup> Pink Shirt Day (Antibullying)
- 24<sup>th</sup> Cross Country
- 25<sup>th</sup> Postponement date for Cross Country
- 31<sup>st</sup> Counties Cross Country

### June

- 6<sup>th</sup> Queens birthday
- 8<sup>th</sup> BoT meeting
- 13<sup>th</sup>-17<sup>th</sup> Swim week
- 24<sup>th</sup> Matariki Holiday

## Fairton School helpers

Last week we had two special visitors Abby & Kate (former Fairton School pupils). They gave up their time to help and play with the Room One and Two children. Great to see you girls!



**NOMINATE SOMEONE NOW!**

# YOUTH VOLUNTEER RECOGNITION AWARDS 2022

OPEN NOW UNTIL 14TH OF MAY

OPEN TO THREE CATEGORIES:  
SPORTS  
COMMUNITY AND SOCIAL SERVICE  
CULTURAL AND ENVIRONMENT

NOMINATION FORMS AVAILABLE FOR PICK UP AT COMMUNITY HOUSE MID CANTERBURY, 44 CASS STREET ASHBURTON METHVEN 1 HR, 160 MAIN ST METHVEN, CONTACT DELWYN MOYLAN- MANAGER VOLUNTEERING MID AND SOUTH CANTERBURY- FOR DIGITAL COPY.  
Email: manager-mid@vmsc.org.nz

Volunteering Mid & South Canterbury

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## Whole School

This year our inquiry topic is Communication!

This week it is New Zealand Sign Language Week and we have been learning how to sign the alphabet. We have been trying to sign and finger spell out our names and small words.

Can you guess what word we are spelling? Hint: it is an animal.



## Kanuka Trust Planting Day

Our native planting day was a huge success. All the plants were in the ground before lunchtime!

Thank you to all our parents and grandparents who came out to help and to Lisa, Val and Steve from the Kanuka Trust! Your efforts were much appreciated!



**MANA AKE**

**Tuning Into Kids™**

**DATE, TIME & LOCATION\***  
17 May – 21 June (6 weeks)  
10am – 12pm  
Community House  
44 Cass Street, Ashburton

**COURSE DETAILS**  
Be better at talking with, and understanding your child.  

- Help your child learn to manage their emotions
- Help teach your child emotional intelligence skills
- Make a positive difference to your child's development

**REGISTRATION**  
Please refer through www.psuppersouth.org.nz or visit Presbyterian Support to complete a referral form.

NB: Changes can occur depending on registration numbers. \* Spaces are limited. However, you can request to be placed on the waitlist.

**MANA AKE**

**Seasons For Growth**

**DATE, TIME & LOCATION\***  
17 May – 5 July  
3.30pm – 4.30pm  
Presbyterian Support  
215 Tancred Street, Ashburton

**COURSE DETAILS**  
Change and loss are part of life and grief is a normal response to these losses.  

- For young people aged 6-12 years
- Uses imagery of the seasons to illustrate the experience of grief
- Helps young people deal with death, separation and divorce

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### Personal Profile

**Name:** John Hooper  
**Job:** Relieving teacher  
**Nickname:** Hoops  
**Age:** 21+++  
**Birthday:** 24<sup>th</sup> December  
**Place of Birth:** Ashburton  
**Height:** 1.64 metres  
**Mass:** 54kgs  
**Hair colour:** Brown  
**Talents:** Salmon fisherman, gardener, skier.  
**Top TV show:** Dr Martin  
**Great movie:** Everest  
**Delicious meal:** Roast lamb  
**Smooth Drink:** Cup of tea, glass of merlot.  
**Tasty dessert:** Apple crumble & ice cream.  
**In my spare time:** Hunting, fishing, relaxing, cooking, gardening.  
**What's cool:** Helping the planet, caring for the environment.  
**What's not cool:** Covid ☹️  
**My earliest memories:** At the bach at Rangitata.  
**Favourite things at School:** Cricket, hockey and the other kids.  
**Things that frighten me:** Russia bombing Ukraine.  
**Something I'd love to do:** Teach my grandchildren to be gardeners, hunters and fishermen.

### NOTICES

**Bookcases wanted** – If you have any unwanted wooden bookcases, we are after two.

1. Narrow 600-650W
2. Large size

Please contact Mike 0277818780  
 You can never have too many books!



### Birthdays & Anniversaries



### BIRTHDAYS



**Poppy Colgan** - 25<sup>th</sup> April - 5 years old  
**Leila Hands** - 6<sup>th</sup> May - 5 years old  
**Eevee Perriton** - 17<sup>th</sup> May - 7 years old  
**Mrs R (Jo Rattray)** - 21<sup>st</sup> May  
**Austin Masters** - 23<sup>rd</sup> May - 10 years old



## HOMWORK HUB

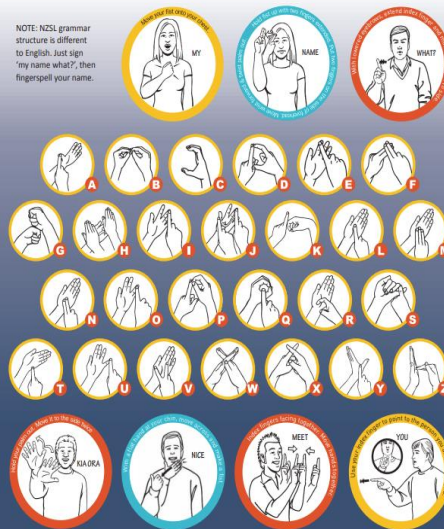
4:00pm - 5:30pm  
 Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday during term time  
 All ages welcome  
 Teacher help during the session

Drop in if you would like help with your homework!



### NZSL ALPHABET

Have fun with your whānau, family and friends. Learn your name and teach others theirs!



deaf.org.nz



### SUPPORTING OUR RURAL COMMUNITIES



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 MID CANTERBURY  
 0800 787 254  
 Press 3,4, then 2 for Mid Canterbury  
 0278787254

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**RuralSupport**  
 MID CANTERBURY

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## HARVEY'S Bakehouse

Fresh, local and delicious

Located at the Creek Road Shopping Centre & State Highway One Rakaia.

\* BREADS \* SAVOURIES \* PIES \*