

7th September 2022

Teacher Only Day – We had a very worthwhile Digital Technology workshop day for Staff on Monday. Thank you for making alternative arrangements with our school classes not operating. One of the things we focused on was internet safety, accompanying this newsletter is an Online Safety Parent Toolkit as well as information on Staying Safe online. Please check out this website too

<https://www.digitalwaitaha.org.nz/post/stop-block-talk>



Rippa Rugby – Today we have had Kirsty, the R.D.O for Mid Canterbury visiting us for some Rippa rugby training. These are great opportunities for both children's fitness as well as learning game skills.

Cluster Schools Athletics – Please mark down the following dates on your calendar: **Wednesday 26th October** Athletics. Postponement date **Thursday 27th October**. We are beginning training for the various events with this and upcoming visits from various sports agencies. Could you please make sure children wear appropriate footwear to school. Thanks.

Heritage Day – This year we are having a different focus for our Heritage Day. Going home with children today is a survey for children to complete with their Great grandparents or grandparents if they're able to.

The aim of this is to have a greater understanding of our heritage across the school. Your help with getting your children to complete this would be much appreciated.



Swim week – Week Nine (19th-23rd Sept), our children will be having their scheduled Swim week programme between 11am and 12 noon each day of this week. We will be travelling by bus to and from the EA Networks Pool.

Fairton Flyer – Our next issue is due out next week. If you have a notice or advertisement, please contact Livia by 12 noon Tuesday 13th September.

FRIENDS OF
**FAIRTON
SCHOOL**

A message from Friends of Fairton

Popcorn fundraising forms are coming home in bags today. Can orders and payments please be returned to school no later than **Wednesday 21st September**, to allow the dispatch of orders to be on time (this will be the last day of Term 3)

There will be a prize for top seller in Room One & Room Two, so ask around friends, family, work colleagues, sports teams, dance groups, anyone you think might like to buy some yummy popcorn!

Extra forms can be collected from the school office.

If you have any questions, feel free to chat to any of the FoF members or Livia at the office.

Happy Selling Everyone!

Upcoming Movie Night: A fun evening for the whole family! **Friday 9th September @ 5.30pm**, Fairton School Library.

Popcorn and ice cream provided. Bring your choice of light snack/tea. If you have a bean bag, large cushion or something soft to sit on at home feel free to bring it along.

Stay safe out there

Kind regards

Mike Hill

Principal

Fairton School

