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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

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House Results

POINTS FOR TERM 1 (08.02.2023)

Pride (Yellow) 25 pts

Integrity (Blue) 32 pts

Excellence (Green) 20 pts

Strength (Red) 22 pts

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We welcome Jude Irwin our fabulous new Principal along with Gabi who has started in Room One as a Year 1 and Hailey who has started in Room Two as a Year 2.

School Calendar

February

15th Welcome back to School BBQ *5.30pm -7.00pm*

17th Scholastics book orders due back

22nd BoT meeting



Hi from Jude Irwin

Pupils have settled well back into school and routines. We are making full use of the school pool on these very hot days, and children are often choosing the classroom and shade to play in at break times. In this newsletter we are sending out some information for new parents on using Skool Loop. This is a great way to report when your child is absent. We will be sending out notices and permission slips via this app.



Staff Professional Development

On Tuesday February 7, the teachers took part in a Professional Development training day on using Google Docs. This will become a very useful tool in sharing work and collaboration.



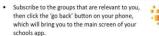
Structured Literacy

The teachers of our school are all excited about beginning our learning journey on the teaching of structured literacy. Children will be starting to do this each day in class. We will be having a parent meeting soon explaining how structured literacy works, and we will keep you updated regularly with information on this.



Once you have downloaded the Skool Loop App, via either your Google Play or App store, please follow the below instructions to select your school -

- Open the Skool Loop App you will land on a welcome page
- Click the 'Select your schools' this will bring you to a menu you can either search your school
 or follow the country/region prompts.
- Once you reach your school, select it with the tick on the righthand side.
- Tap the 'select schools' button in the top right corner.
- Tap the big orange choose button. This will load your school and bring you to the settings page.











Personal Profile

Name: Jude Irwin Job: Principal

Nickname: Not that I know

of....yet! **Age:** 50+

Birthday: 26th March Place of Birth: Lower Hutt

Height: 5.5

Hair colour: Brown/blonde Talents: Problem solving,

writing

Top TV show: Seinfeld Great movie: Recently -

Penguin Bloom

Delicious meal: Gourmet

pizzas

Smooth Drink: Thick shake -

vanilla or chocolate

Tasty dessert: Chocolate mousse and all ice cream

In my spare time: Read, go to motocross, walking, tramping,

exploring, adventures

What's cool: Being helpful and

kind to others

What's not cool: Littering My earliest memories:

Zooming around outside my family's house on my tricycle.

Favourite things at School:

Conversations

Things that frighten me:

Rats and Mice!

Something I'd love to do:

More travelling to exotic places

Editor





LAZINESS, LIES, ARGUMENTS, WORRY, ANXIETY, ANGER, SELF SABOTAGE, LACK OF MOTIVATION

Sound like familiar struggles that happen in your home with your child?

Motov8 and Savage Angel events are about inspiring, informing & instructing teenagers and their parents to make smarter, more informed decisions in life.

rasting time hoping for things to magically change, ecome the change your family needs - The Rev

See what others are saying:



nd: Nelson 28th April, Christchurch 1st & 2nd May, Dunedin 4th May, Invercargill 5th May







Birthdays & Anniversaries



BIRTHDAYS



Mackenzie Doyle - 20th Jan - 8 years old Faith Colgan - 14th Feb - 8 years old















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Tuning Into Kids™

DATE, TIME & LOCATION*

23 February–30 March (6 weeks)

Presbyterian Support 215 Tancred Street, Ashburton

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

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



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