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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 1 (05.04.2023)

Pride (Yellow) **235** pts
 Integrity (Blue) **160**pts
 Excellence (Green) **210** pts
 Strength (Red) **235** pts

The house winners will be revealed tomorrow!

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Mackenzie, Harrison, Kourtney and HAL Expo helper Pippa at the Fairton School Recharge Station.

School Calendar

April

- 6th Last day of Term 1
- 7th Good Friday
- 9th Easter Sunday
- 10th Easter Monday
- 24th Teacher Only Day
- 25th ANZAC Day
- 26th First day of Term 2



From The Principal

Thank you to all the parents who attended the meeting after school on Monday on Structured Literacy. The children were delighted to hear their parents did a structured literacy lesson! We are looking forward to building our resources in the school and purchasing some decodable readers in the near future. We have used some of our scholastic book money towards some non-fiction decodables, and are looking forward to the arrival of these.

The **school van** is still for sale. Come and take a look at it on the school field. \$4500 or near offer.

EASTER DAY- The last day of school is going to be Easter Fun Day. Children are able to wear dress ups. It is Wheels Day so clothing will need to be suitable to wear on a bike, skateboard, scooter or skates. There will be Easter activities all day, including some baking, decorating, a Kiwi Kids Quiz and an Easter egg hunt.

House winners will be having Pizza with the Principal on Thursday as well. We will let you know the children involved on Wednesday afternoon once we tally the points.

Livia McGregor (Office) and Angela Muckle (Room 2) attended a **First Aid** certificate course on Tuesday April 3. It is important in schools that staff keep their certificates up-to-date. I did my refresher course last year. Louise Smith (Room 1) is booked on a course in Term 2.

Thanks to Nick McKain for fixing the roof piece that had come unstuck on Room 2's roof, and for giving the school the pieces of material necessary for this repair. We very much appreciate you for this.

Children are happy, settled and working hard as we near the end of Term 1. Values are being demonstrated well through good behaviour in both the classrooms and playground. **Great to see!**

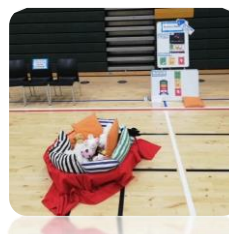
Fairton School Pool

The swimming pool is now officially closed. If you have purchased a key, please return it to the school office at your earliest convenience. Thanks to everyone who purchased a key.



HAL Expo

The children had a very successful day out at the HAL Expo at the EA Networks Centre last Wednesday. A great event with lots of interactive activities on Active Healthy Learning. Fairton School's Recharge Station was a hit!



For Sale

Our School Van is for sale as it is now surplus to our needs. It is a 2006 Mazda E2000 Van. Please phone the school office on 03 308 9205 for more information.



Basketball NZ and Basketball Mid Canterbury are excited to bring Girls Got Game to Oxford Stadium in the April School Holidays! This is Free of charge, sign up NOW!

When:
 18th & 19th April
 Year 2/3 @ 11.45am-12.30pm
 Year 4/5 @ 12.45pm - 2.15pm
 Year 6/7/8 @ 1pm-2.30pm





Personal Profile

Name: Grace
Job: Fairton School Senior student
Nickname: Squidly
Age: 9
Birthday: 10th Nov
Place of Birth: Christchurch
Height: 143cms
Hair colour: Brown
Talents: Horse riding
Top TV show: Shortland St
Great movie: Minions
Delicious meal: Dominos pizza
Smooth Drink: Coca cola
Tasty dessert: Chocolate ice cream
In my spare time: Colouring and watching tv
What's cool: Horses
What's not cool: Gluten
My earliest memories: Riding a horse for the first time
Favourite things at School: Art
Things that frighten me: Whitetail spiders
Something I'd love to do: Drive trucks when I'm older

■ Editor

*Disclaimer: The free starter pack for new participants is limited to the first 100 registrations. After this, a discounted rate will be applicable.

GO HOCKEY HOCKEY
New to Hockey?
 THANKS TO MID CANTERBURY HOCKEY PICK UP YOUR
FREE STARTER PACK

Any new players to hockey this year will receive a free starter pack to get them started on their hockey career!

Starter Packs include:
 Junior Stick
 Junior Ball
 Mouthguard
 Junior Shinpad

Normal price \$44.90

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Birthdays & Anniversaries



BIRTHDAYS



Addison Page - 7th April - 8 yrs old
Poppy Colgan - 25th April - 6 yrs old

Noticeboard

Scentsy catalogues are available for viewing at the Fairton School Office or on

Facebook

<https://nicolesullivan86scentsy.com>

Ashburton PUBLIC LIBRARY
 12 - 21 April School Holiday Programme
Going Deep Ages 5-12

Wednesday 12 Ocean Life Collage Craft
 Friday 14 Minecraft Torches
 Monday 17 Under the Sea Dioramas
 Wednesday 19 Human Battle Ships Game
 Friday 21 Earth and Strata Globe Craft

All activities run 10.30 - 11.30am

Ashburton PUBLIC LIBRARY 100 Huxford Street, Ashburton

HAVE YOU BEEN THINKING ABOUT HOCKEY FOR YOUR CHILD?

Registrations are now open for all ages.

WAKANUI HOCKEY

Register via PlayHQ.com
 Search 'Wakanui Hockey' to sign up.

Search for Wakanui Hockey on Facebook

OR contact Liz 0272303574
 wakanuihockey@gmail.com

FREE safety gear!
 The first 100 players registering for the first time get a FREE stick, ball, mouth guard and shinpads!

A big thanks to Mid Canterbury Hockey for the starter packs!

PHOENIX Preschool Inc.
 School Holiday Community
Easter Hunt 2023

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

Inviting everyone to join the hunt around central Ashburton.
Thursday 6th April to Wednesday 26th April

Find the images and answer the **EASTER QUESTIONS** on the posters in participating business windows, complete your entry form and be in to win great prizes!

Maps \$5 (cash only).
 Available from Thursday 6th April from Phoenix Preschool and Humunculus (Tancred St end of Arcade - old Tots to Teens)

Thank you to all our participating businesses and generous sponsors

UNDER 13 GIRLS ONLY RUGBY

MONDAY NIGHTS
22 MAY - 19 AUGUST
 Ashburton Showgrounds
 5-6pm

NO EXPERIENCE NEEDED
 FULL TRAINING PROVIDED BY FEMALE COACHES

LOVE EVERY MINUTE! PLAY A GAME EVERY 2ND WEEK IN TEMUKA

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 kirsty@midcanterburyrugby.co.nz

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