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office@fairton.school.nz

House Results

POINTS FOR TERM 1 (27.03.2024)

Pride (Yellow) **112 pts**
 Integrity (Blue) **63 pts**
 Excellence (Green) **90 pts**
 Strength (Red) **104 pts**

■ Publisher



A huge welcome to our new students for 2024. Isabella, Mason, Frankie, Addison, Ben, Lucy, Bjorn and Cooper

School Calendar

March

29th Good Friday
 31st Easter Sunday

April

1st Easter Monday (School closed)
 2nd Easter Tuesday (School closed)
 3rd BoT meeting
 9th Cross Country
 10th Assembly
 12th Last day of Term 1
 29th First Day of Term 2

From the Principal

Children are happy and settled as we get near to the end of Term 1.

Choir: Room 2 children have been involved in the massed choir practices held at the Ashburton Intermediate School. This is for the 2024 Music Festival held in June. The next practice will be happening tomorrow afternoon at Fairton School.

Cross Country: This is coming up on Tuesday 9th April at Chertsey School. We will be taking a bus to and from this event. We do require parent helpers for marshalling and the BBQ lunch. Please get in touch with Livia if you can help. The postponement day for this event is Thursday 11th April

Assembly : Please join us for the final Assembly for Term 1 on Wednesday 10th April. We will be having a cuppa and a biscuit following the Assembly.

Last day of Term 1: On Friday 12th April, the last day of Term 1 we will be having a mufti day in your child's house colour. The winning house will be having Pizza with the Principal on this day too. YUM!

Easter break: Easter has rolled around very quickly. Our School will be closed from Friday 29th March and reopening on Wednesday 3rd April. We hope you all have a wonderful Easter break with your families.

■ Jude Irwin Principal



Save our Pool

Our Fairton School pool needs repairs and over the coming months we will be fundraising. Check out our awesome fundraising board donated by Karley and Seth Darrell.



Fairton School BBQ/Picnic

We recently held our School picnic on a gorgeous evening. We had a great time filled with games, food, lollies and good old fashioned fun. Thanks to our awesome families for coming.



Fairton Flyer

Unfortunately due to excessive printing costs, we will be putting out a Fairton Flyer once per term. If you would like to put an advert in the Flyer please contact Livia in the School Office office@fairton.school.nz

Over the next few Fairton Flyers we will be introducing you to our Board of Trustees members

Principal of Fairton School - Jude Irwin

I have been Principal of Fairton School for 5 terms now as I started at the beginning of 2023. It is a unique and wonderful school to work at. My other half Rob is a plumber in Christchurch, and I have 2 children and 2 step-children. Flynn, my son is 19, at University, and now flatting. Polly is in Year 13 at Lincoln High School, and works as a waitress in a hotel in Christchurch. Katya has just joined the Navy in Auckland, and Roman the Army in Waiouru. In our spare time you will often find Rob and I at the Motocross. I love spending time with family and friends, and enjoy walking, movies and reading. We live in Rolleston so I have a long commute every day, but it's worth it to be at this fabulous place of learning.



BoT member - Emma Haskett

Hey there! I'm Emma, mum of two awesome girls and the proud owner of a buzzing beauty salon. Married life keeps me busy, but nothing beats those precious moments with my family. When I'm not glamming up clients, you'll find me soaking in the love and laughter at home with my crew.



Birthdays & Anniversaries



BIRTHDAYS



Faith Colgan

14th February - 9 years old

Isabella Lake

4th March - 8 years old

Angela Muckle

4th March

Frankie Ball

14th March - 5 years old

Jude Irwin

26th March

Addison Page

7th April - 9 years old

Fairton School Pool

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



To all RuralCo card holders. RuralCo is holding a promotion which offers you the chance to win \$500 for our school. For every 10 transactions with businesses who accept the RuralCo card you get one entry into the prize draw. For more information please follow the link

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HAVE YOU BEEN THINKING ABOUT HOCKEY FOR YOUR CHILD?

WAKANUI HOCKEY

Fun Sticks (Yr 0-2) Saturday Morning
Mini Sticks (Yr 3-4) Saturday Morning
Kiddi Sticks (Yr 5-6) Friday Afternoon/Evening
Kulih Sticks (Yr 7-8) Wednesday Afternoon/Evening

Registrations are now open for all ages.

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

Search for Wakanui Hockey on Facebook

OR contact Kim 0224642797
wakanuihockey@gmail.com

The hockey season runs during Term 2 starting in the first week of May

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