



The Fordell Flver



What a fabulous afternoon we had for the Fordell School Cross Country last Friday. Thank you for turning out and supporting our young runners. Our Fordell students showed great Commitment and Courage during the training for their running and especially on the day – well done to all our students. The official results are on the next page – congratulations to all our place winners. Aranui Inter-School Cross Country is next Tuesday; we will be entering a team of runners.

I hope you noticed that last week we included a "Fordell Community News" page on our back page. On here we will post anything that is happening in and around our community – keep an eye out for what is happening and how we can continue to support one another. One event to mention is that Fordell Preschool is having their family portrait fundraising on Saturday. It is a fantastic opportunity to have that family portrait taken, it makes a great Christmas present for family. Details are on the back page.

Room 1 Camp – Next week Mr Reddish and Room 1 head off on their Ski Camp. A lot of effort has gone into their fundraising and preparations – well done Room 1 and families. Have a fabulous time on the mountain. We look forward to seeing the photos and hearing about your adventures.

Fordell School Production – we are performing our production of Robin Hood and the Sherwood Hoodies during the last week of term, Wednesday 21 September. We have two times – 11.00am and 6.30pm. We will send home information about times for children

to arrive closer to the date. This is going to be great, don't miss out.

Netball – congratulations to our wonderful netball team who won their Saturday morning grade. This team has shown Commitment throughout the season – in turning up for practices and their games. It was fantastic to see so many families and friends there to support their final. A big thank you to Robyn and Sharron for all their time coaching these wonderful girls.

Mathex – This year we entered a Year 5 team, Year 6 team, Year 7 team and Year 8 team. We were proud to see our Year 5 and Year 7 team for winning first place – awesome maths teamwork.

Speeches – What a great effort and thought everyone put into writing their speeches. It was delightful hearing our students present these with Courage, Confidence, Compassion and Pride. Congratulations to our winners: Year 1 & 2 Olivia Campbell, Year 3 & 4 Hamish Cranstone, Year 5 & 6 Sam Cranstone, and Year 7 & 8 John Bryant. John and Sam will go on to represent Fordell School at the Cluster Speech Competition on Monday 12 September. Congratulations to all our winners and good luck to our cluster finalists.

Have a "Fordellastic" weekend.

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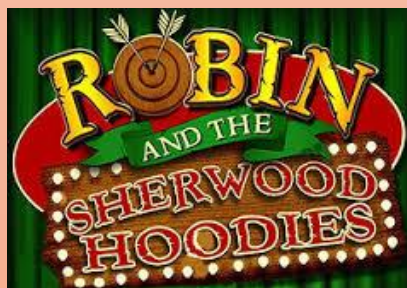


Our **VALUE** we are highlighting this week is...



Our values are our Fordell School Expectations (rules) and they are part of our everyday language. Language is the carrier of our culture, the more we speak it the more it becomes part of our second nature.

Fordell School Production
of...



Wednesday 21 September

Matinee: 11.00

Evening: 6.30

At the Fordell Hall

Gold coin donation at the door

Our Values

- Commitment
- Compassion
- Courage
- Confidence
- Respect
- Responsibility
- Honesty
- Pride



Dates Coming Up

Week 7

9/9 – Union meeting for all teachers from 1.00.

Week 8

12/ 9 – Cluster Speeches at Kaitoke School, 5.30.

13/9 – 15/9 – R1 Ski Trip.

13/ 8 – Aranui Inter-School Cross Country (if wet back up date 15/9).

Week 9

19/9 – BoT Mtg, 6.30.

21/9 – Fordell School

Production at Fordell Hall

23/9 – Fordell School

photos, wear school

uniform.

23/9 – Last day term 3

Term 4 starts on 10 October

Week 7 in assembly we celebrated our
"Student of the Week" awards:



Room 1: Alesha Todd for a cheerful and enthusiastic approach to everything.

Room 2: Niko Te Kahika for a great attitude at doing his best all week.

Room 3: Livi Gordon for being a fabulous helper.

Room 4: Grace Aufer for always approaching her work with a positive attitude.

Room 5: Charlie Ross for a determined effort.

Fordell Value Badges Awarded to: Bronze Badge – Farren Rowe

Fordell Value Awards: *These students have received a certificate for displaying the school values on a consistent basis.*

Congratulations to the following Fordell School students:

Xavier Gardiner, Olivia Campbell, Matthew Grice, Nathan Vincent, Darline Sklenars-Quilter, Wyatt Alderton, Bridie Knapp, Ella Tunbridge, Seth Forlong, Farren Rowe, Chloe Harrison, Jayden Bourke-Wharearere, Angela Pritchard, Kindle Alderton, Eddie Wright,



Congratulations to our 2016 Fordell School Cross Country Winners

Year	Girls			Boys		
	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	1 st	2 nd	3 rd
1	Sophie Cranstone	Angela Pritchard	Livi Gordon	Daniel O'Neill	Jack Pullins	Xavier Gardiner
2	Kiana Te Kahika			Maks Reitsma	Matthew Grice	Charlie Ross
3	Maggie Pearce	Eva Ashworth	Catie McGregor	Hamish Cranstone	Caleb Houlahan	Scott Hughes
4	Shakila West	Darline Sklenars-Quilter	Hannah Benn	Andrew Grice	Blake Sollitt	Niko Te Kahika
5	Katelin Perkins	Danielle Houlahan	Stevie Benefield	Angus Pearce	Lennox Brotherton	Sam Cranstone
6	Frankie Carston			Heike Reitsma	Ben Mackintosh	Kyle Dickon
7	Lauren Phillips	Elena O'Leary	Kayla Lazarevich	Michael O'Neill	John Bryant	Seth Forlong
8	Gemma Shaw	Grace Walford	Bella Lamont	Caleb Todd	Liam Hughes	Jordan Solomona

Cross country was part of our House Challenges this term and the winning house was...

MIRO



Go in the draw for a prize!

Since changing our system to emailing out the Fordell Flyer we hope that it is still reaching you. **If you have read this Flyer please write your children's name on a piece of paper and count how many Robin's (like the one above with the arrow) you can find in this Fordell Flyer. Drop it into the school office. We will draw a winner 😊**



Happy Birthday To...

3 September – Andrew Grice

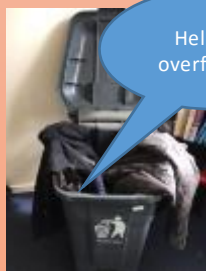
4 September – Bridie Knapp

10 September – Charlie Morris

Have a "Fordellastic" birthday!

Lost Property!

This is starting to build up again. When you are next in school please have a look in the bin to see if any of the clothing is yours.



Help I'm overflowing

Presenting Fordell School Speech Winners



Year 7 & 8: John Bryant



Year 3 & 4: Hamish Cranstone



Year 6 & 7: Sam Cranstone
Campbell



Year 0 – 2: Olivia

Lunch Box Idea

Potato Chips

While children love potato chips these foods should be seen as 'occasional' foods and are not suitable for the lunch box as they are saturated fats and sodium. Here are some ideas to swap:

- Popcorn
- Cheese cubes
- Natural nuts
- Wholegrain crackers
- Trail mix
- Vegetable sticks with hummus
- Left over roast vegetables.



At Fordell School we show
Compassion by working together
– look at our amazing huts.



Issues from an 11 Year Olds Perspective (Y7 & 8 Speech) by Ari George

Treat myself to a plate of cookies, pour myself a cup of tea. Turn on the television. But out of the darkness my mother appears, and this dreadful noise comes out of her mouth. "Is your room clean?" And I'm left thinking what to say, either way I get in trouble. "Yes," I reply and hope she doesn't go and check.

You know what's even grosser than messy rooms? Clean rooms. Everything has its spot. To me even seeing the floor in my room is gross. So why should I mess up my natural habitat by cleaning it? My room my rules. "No cleaning. It's like taking a jungle away from a monkey. It's like taking away ice from the polar bears. If you swap, give the ice to the monkeys and give the polar bears the jungle, they would surely die. If you swapped my room for a clean one, I would surely die. Taking their natural habitat would kill them. That's my natural habitat and I would die without it.

My mum is always asking where my homework is, the simple answer to that is "on the floor" I've always wondered why she gets so angry. I mean it's the truth, it's on the floor, and then I end up told to clean my room. Everything has its place. The rubbish is over there, the pile of clothes is over there, the bed is over there. So what's the problem? If I want some clothes, I go over to the clothes area and find some clothes. If I get told to get the dirty washing, I pick up biggest pile of clothes and hand it to mum, simple as that. Then she gets angry for giving her clean clothes. It's like she wants me to put my clean clothes in the drawers, or something.

Some good ways to try to get out of cleaning your room. Number one: Simply burn your clothes and the sheets on your bed. They just disintegrate like there was nothing there, and your mum will never know.

Warning: May cause the whole house to catch on fire

Secondly: Throw everything out the window. It works like a charm, if your mum doesn't look out the window, you're fine.

Thirdly: Put everything in the rubbish, and then take it to the dump. All you have left over is your spotless floor.

Fourthly: Bury it in the ground. Your mum will congratulate you for good work for the clean floor.

If you see a pile of clothes outside the window, then you know Ari was here. If you hear a fire engine you will know Ari did that. If you read about the dirtiest room in history in the Guinness World Records you will know, Ari's done it again.

Fordell School Wins at Mathex



Mathex Winners for Year 5

Max McGregor, Angus Pearce, Sam Cranstone, Lennox Brotherton



Mathex Winners for Year 7

John Bryant, Michael O'Neill, Lauren Phillips, absent Elena O'Leary



Test Your Skills with These Mathex Problems

Year 7: Five presents were bought for Christmas. They were then wrapped in coloured paper. The red and purple presents together cost \$36, the purple and blue presents together cost \$24, the blue and yellow presents together cost \$24, the yellow and green presents together cost \$27, the green and red presents together cost \$27. What is the total cost of all five presents?

Year 8: Suppose 6 wolves catch 6 lambs in 6 minutes. How many wolves will be needed to catch 60 lambs in 60 minutes?

Answers next Fordell Flyer ☺



Room 1
creating their
own mosaic
tiles – can't
wait to see the
finished
product.



Fordell Community News

Support Fordell Preschool

ALYS DAVIDSON PHOTOGRAPHY
FAMILY PORTRAITS
ON
SATURDAY 10th SEPTEMBER
AT FORDELL PRESCHOOL

20 minute sessions (5 images shot outside)
Two packages available, (view packages at the
Fordell School
Office window or at the Preschool window).
\$20 non-refundable deposit.
For booking contact Amanda Spetch @
0211836199
View photographer at www.alysdavidson.com
15% of proceeds goes to Fordell Preschool



Children's Shemozzle Race At the Hunterville Shemozzle and Huntaway Festival

When: Saturday 29 October
Who: It is open to 200 children, they must be 9 years
old and up (9-13 years)
What: If you have not heard of this festival, it is an
exciting and fun event.

Here is a link to the website so you can check it out:

www.shemozzle.co.nz

Wanganui Motorcycle Club Natural Terrain Series Round 1

Brought to you by Matthews Agriculture

WHEN: Sunday 18 September 2016
Sign in 7.30am – 8.45am sharp

WHERE: 919A State Highway 3, Wanganui
Front paddock

CLASSES: **Minis racing – 4yr-11yr olds**

Separate easy track

50cc-65cc bikes

Juniors – 12yr-16yr olds

Separate races on the main track

85cc-250cc bikes

Seniors – 17yr - ???

Main track, all classes catered for.

Novice thru to 'A' Grade and VET's (35+)

COST:

Minis - \$15 club members, \$20 non

Juniors - \$20 club members, \$25 non

Seniors - \$25 club members, \$30 non

EVERY rider must have either a current MNZ licence or purchase a Day
Licence. These will be available on the day - \$30.

More details found at www.wanganuimcc.co.nz and www.Silverbullet.co.nz

There will be a harvester, couple of big tractors with machinery behind them
and a big truck on display. Great fun for the young kids to have photos.



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Do you need to buy any farm gates? PGG Wrightsons Wanganui supporting Fordell School

PGG Wrightsons Wanganui have put together a special
offer for farming customers and would like to offer these
customers the advantage to help out their local school –
us at Fordell School. For every specific farm gate you
purchase (813465 – 3.66 Hayes Med barred Gate and
813467 – 4.27 Hayes Med barred Gate) you nominate
Fordell School and we will receive \$15 for every gate.

Please phone Fordell School for more information or
Duane Bovey PGG Wrightsons 06 345 0710.