

Friday 19 February 2021, Term 1 Week 2: No.02

Fordell Flyer

Community partnership creating confident, connected life-long learners.

Tēnā koutou, nau mai, harere mai. It is hard to believe we are already at the end of Week 3. What an enjoyable evening it was for

the Fordell **School Picnic in the Park.** The weather really put it on as it was a beautiful summers evening for everyone to sit and enjoy their picnics, students playing sport, jumping on trampolines, digging in the sandpit, completing the scavenger hunt and of course chatting and catching up with each other. Thank you to everyone that



managed to come along, it is always a great low key start to the year.

Fordell School Swimming Gala and Cluster Swimming Competition – Friday 26 February, week 4, is our Fordell Swimming Gala at the Fordell Community Pool, starting at approximately 12.30 with the Junior Hub. This is an opportunity for you to see what your child has been learning at the pool – a mixture of swimming lessons, confidence, water safety skills and of a course a few races. The Cluster Swimming Competition is Friday 5 March, week 5. If your child is entered in races a note

will come home with the information. The racing for the Cluster Competition starts at 10.30am at the Fordell Community Pool. We would love help with running this cluster event.

Fordell Lowdown 2021 – This is what we have instead of "Meet the Teacher" at the start of each year. The date for this will be Wednesday 24 March, week 8. We will be holding two sessions, you can either participate in the after school or the evening times. These sessions will start with each team, Senior and Junior Hub, sharing information about how classes run, planned programmes, activities and of course expectations. It will then break into classrooms where your child can talk you through their learning and social goals and share class work. Their class teacher will rove around the room making contact with you. On your child's goal

Fordell School Lowdown 2021	
Wednesday 24 March, week 8	
After School Times	
3.15–	Junior Hub
4.00	starting in Room 3
4.00-	Senior Hub
5.00	starting in Room 5
Evening Times	
5.15–	Junior Hub
6.00	Starting in Room 3
5.45 –	Senior Hub
6.30	Starting in Room 5

sheet there will be a section where you can also share a goal or expectation for your child. You can also indicate if you would like to make a further 1-1 time with your childs teacher – this could be either face to face or a phone call. **Your child will need to attend** as they will be explaining their goals and classwork. Closer to this date a notice will come home with more information.

Have a fabulous weekend and see you at the swimming gala next Friday, ngā mihi nui. -Yvette Moorhouse, Principal

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OUR VALUES These are our expectations

### Compassion Aroha

- Show empathy.
- **Pride** for myself and school.
- Work as a **team**.

## Courage Toa

- Persevere.
- Make good and honest choices.
- Show confidence.

## Respect Whakaute

- Speak with and show respect.
- Let others learn.
- **Caring** for equipment and property.

## Responsibility Kawenga

- Ready to learn.
- Be committed.
- Take **ownership** for my choices.

## THE 4Rs

Our Learning Muscles How we do things around here

- Resilience
- Reciprocity
- Resourcefulness
- Reflectiveness



# Term | Week 2

Term | Week 3 🔍

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#### Senior Hub

Carter Watkins-Oxtoby for his positive contributions during class discussions. Luca Kuehne for being a helpful member of the class.

Annabelle Spetch for managing her time well and getting tasks competed to a high standard.

#### Junior Hub

Macey Spicer for being a caring and hard-working class member. Te Ao Marama Hiroti-Waitai for being an awesome role model in Room 2 and having a 'can-do' attitude when writing. Charlie McCracken for consistently showing the Respect Value.

#### **Fordell Value Badges:**

BRONZE BADGE – Alice McCartie BRONZE BADGE – Lyric Cooper

#### 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: Felix Brotherton, Lincoln Pratt, Maddix Watkins-Oxtoby, Zara Laird, Maggie Wright, Hudson Spetch, Aston Hayward, Tatum Williams, Alice McCartie, Grace Auker, Sienna Rossiter, Lyric Cooper, Emily Mackintosh, Kobi Auker, Samuel Macrae, Ellie Simpson, Daniel O'Neill, Indigo Hayward, William Gilberd, Abi McLeay, Evie Mulford.

Student

#### Senior Hub

awarde

Kindle Alderton for having a positive learning attitude.William Gilberd for trying hard with all his learning.Jonty Ryan for having a positive can-do attitude towards his learning.

#### Junior Hub

Rory Heron for showing courage and a great attitude in the pool. Zara Laird for always giving her best and having a 'can-do' attitude in her learning.

Hamish Perkins for active listening and effort in his writing.

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VALUES BADGE – Marcus Smith

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Marlowe Crothers, Braxton Auker, Marcus Smith, Esme Crothers, Aubrie Sollitt, Greta Gill, Ricki Nessling-Papara, Josiah Martin, Matthew Grice, Caleb Houlahan, Caleb McCracken, Nathan Cook, Edward Wright, Abigail Glasgow, Izrael Nahona-Osborne, Emma Vincent, Savannah Cherrington, Hamish Perkins, Maks Reitsma, Ma Kendrewaca, Kiana Te Kahika.

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#### **Dates Coming Up**

These dates are also on our school calendar which you can find on the Fordell School website: wwwfordell.school.nz

Term 1 Week 4

Friday 26 Feb – Fordell School Swimming Gala Week 5

Friday 5 March - Cluster Swimming Competition (back up

date 12/3) Week 7 Bike Skills Week for whole school Friday 19 March – Fordell School Do-Athlon Week 8

Monday 29 March – BoT Meeting, 5.30pm Tuesday 23 March – Weetbix Tryathlon in PN Tuesday 23 March – Interschool Swimming Wednesday 24 March – Fordell School Lowdown Week 9 Life Education for whole school

Friday 2 April – NO SCHOOL, Easter Friday Week 10 Monday 5 April – NO SCHOOL, Easter Tuesday 6 April – NO SCHOOL, Easter Week 11

Friday 16 April – Last Day of Term 1

**Term 2** Monday 3 May – Friday 9 July

Term 3

Monday 26 July – Friday 1 October **Term 4** Monday 18 October - Wednesday 15 December.



This week we warmly wish the following students a very happy birthday. Sunday 14 February – Julian Dunn Tuesday 16 February – Kodi Richards Thursday 18 February – Carter Watkins-Oxtoby

Sunday 21 February – Mason Gardiner Sunday 21 February – Indigo Hayward Wednesday 24 February – Caleb Pratt Sunday 27 February – Grace Auker

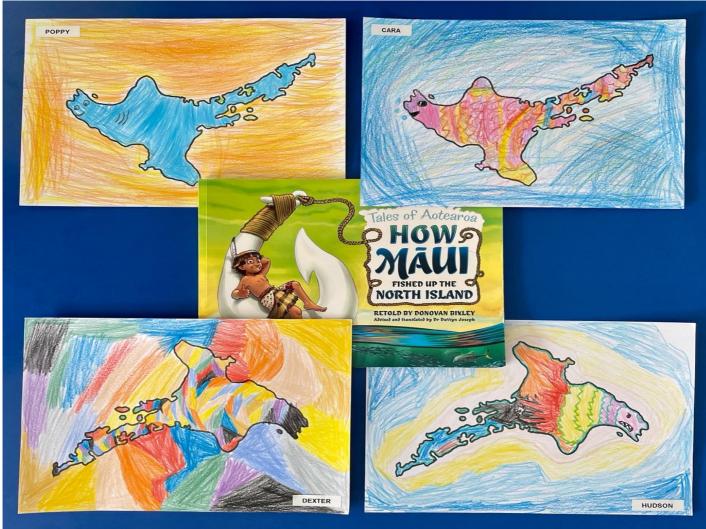
### **Carpark Safety**

A reminder to all families and visitors to the school, that the saftest way into the school is to use the pathways. We encourage you not to walk through the carpark to drop off or when collecting your child/children. Our road has become very busy.



## **ROOM ONE ART & LITERACY**

After listening to Donovan Bixely's re-telling of how Māui fished up the North Island, Room One students have been flexing their resourcefulness learning muscles by visualising the North Island as Te Ika a Māui (the Fish of Maui). Here is some of our work.



Check out the Room 4 deck! The tradies have been working extremely hard to have this project completed for us to use.



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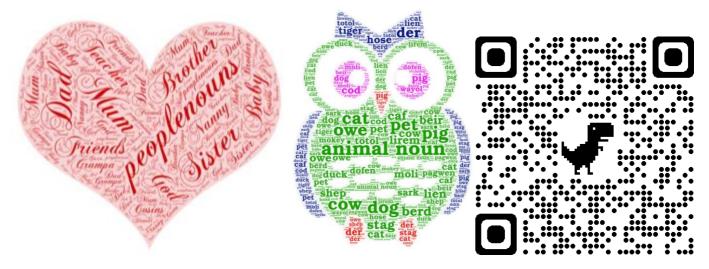




Room 6 has had a busy start to the year. We started the term off by setting our class treaty and learning about the Treaty of Waitangi.

For maths we have been learning some games to help us practice place value.

This week we are learning all about sentences and using mentor sentences to help us with this. We can name the different parts of our sentences and what they tell us. We have also been learning about nouns. We created word clouds to show different nouns.



Scan the QR code to view our other word clouds

The territying tomado spun terociousily through the tiny town.\* gont thau the sky athan Emi

Working on our sentence with a buddy.

What we noticed about the sentence.

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