



Fordell School

Fordell Flyer

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Tēnā koutou, nau mai, harere mai. Wow the end of the year is quickly approaching and like usual



Fordell style we keep on ensuring that the learning and fun continues right to the end of the year. A personal highlight for me was seeing all of our students engage in the **Fordell School Athletics Day** last Friday. This day replaced our planned annual Cluster Athletics which was cancelled. It was a fantastic day that was thoroughly enjoyed by everyone. All staff commented on how proud of our students we were. It was a day that showcased our Fordell School Values and Learning Muscles in action. It was also a day where we

could give our House Leaders the opportunity to use their leadership skills and organise a 'Fun House Relay' at the end of the day. What we were proud of was how they recognised this as also an opportunity for students who may not be normally selected for such events a time to participate and be cheered on by their house and peers – well done House Leaders! We hope you enjoyed the many photos we uploaded to our Fordell School Facebook page.



Fordell Garden Ramble – What a great success the Fordell Garden Ramble was on Saturday 20 November. The weather couldn't have been more perfect for a ramble. We sold 250 tickets and rambblers got to visit 14 beautiful gardens and properties. A huge shout of thanks to our fabulous fun group of parents on the Fundraising Committee. You did an outstanding job organising this ramble and getting everyone behind it. Thank you to Bayleys Reality for again continuing to support Fordell School. And of course thank you to everyone one of our Fordell families who helped in many different ways – from helping with gardening,



baking,
supplying
food, and
helping on the

day. The ramble raised \$10,500 which is going towards science and technology equipment for our students.



Thank You Morning Tea –

Usually at this time of the year we have our Thank You Morning Tea for all wonderful helpers that have given their



time to support us in many different ways; from coaching and managing sports teams, support on trips, camps, production, Ag and Pet Day, BBQs ... and the list goes on. Unfortunately, we are unable to hold our morning tea but all of Fordell School say a huge THANK YOU to all of you.

Last Day of the School Year – The last day for 2021 is Wednesday 15 December at 12pm. 2022 starts on Wednesday 2nd February. We will have one more Fordell Flyer this year ☺

Ngā mihi nui - Yvette Moorhouse, Principal

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**

Student of the Week awards for Term 4 Week 5

Senior Hub

Jessica Kuehne for her positive contributions during class discussions.
Samuel Macrae for showing responsibility in your learning. You have been really focused and on track with your tasks.
Indigo Hayward for a positive attitude in all that you do. You showed such positivity during camp and while working on your CO2 car project.

Junior Hub

Ricki Nessling-Papara for showing responsibility and compassion in class.
Jasmine Robertson for her can-do attitude and resilience when writing.
Anarca Torrance for showing resilience and enjoyment in reading.

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:

Elisha Kedrewaca, Jaxson Smith, Marlowe Crothers, Ella van Dalen, Zara Laird, Jackson, Angus Gordon, Annie Wright, Keegan Spicer, Sienna Rossiter, Xavier Gardiner, Emily Bell, Eddie Wright, Ma Kedrewaca, Chase Rowe, Patrick McCartie, Blaire Webby, Luther Khetpal, Remus Khetpal, Lyric Cooper.

Student of the Week awards for Term 4 Week 6

Senior Hub

Caleb McCracken for having a positive can-do attitude towards his learning.
Jonty Ryan for showing courage by giving everything his best effort at athletics.
Kobi Auker for having such a positive attitude in all that you do.

Junior Hub

Poppy Bradey for showing resilience and courage in reading.
Tom Pankhurst for his enthusiasm and can-do attitude.
Campbell Loader for showing courage and resilience in his writing.

Fordell Value Badges:

VALUES BADGE – Angel Landon-Lane
SILVER BADGE – Emma Vincent

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These students have received a certificate for displaying the school values on a consistent basis. Congratulations to the following Fordell School students:

Kirra Price, Braxton Auker, Lincoln Pratt, Marcus Smith, Connor Greenwood, Esme Crothers, Charlie McCracken, Kahukura McMenamin, Charlotte Wenn, Maks Reitsma, Caleb Houlahan, Daniel O'Neill, Livi Gordon, Angel Landon-Lane, Patrick McCartie, Emma Vincent, Kiana Te Kahika, Elizabeth Macrae.

Fordell Dates Coming UP

Term 4

Week 8

Thursday 9 December – Year 7&8 Dance Lessons
 Thursday 9 December – Senior Hub trip to The Splash Centre
 Thursday 9 December – Junior Hub trip to Bason Botanical Reserve
 Friday 10 December – End of Year Reports Home
 Friday 10 December – Year 7&8 Dinner and Dance

Week 9

Monday 13 December – Fordell School End of Year Prize Giving (10.00 Junior Hub and 1.00 Senior Hub)
 Tuesday 14 December – Fordell School Fun Day
 Wednesday 15 December – Last Day for 2021(12pm Finish)

2022 School Dates

Term 1: Wednesday 2 February – Thursday 14 April
Term 2: Monday 2 May – Friday 8 July
Term 3: Monday 25 July – Friday 30 September
Term 4: Monday 17 October – Wednesday 14 December

Student of the Week awards for Term 4 Week 7

Senior Hub

Kindle Alderton for painting a picture in the mind of the reader with her descriptive writing.
Annabelle Spetch for showing responsibility by completing her set tasks on time and to a high standard.
Julian Dunn for working hard while designing and making your CO2 car.

Junior Hub

Cara Venter for showing responsibility and a can-do attitude on camp.
Zara Laird for always trying her best and having a can-do attitude.
Lily Gollan for 100% attendance at school this year!

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VALUES BADGE – Caleb Pratt

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Juliet Glasgow, Campbell, Lachlan Higgie-Tweeddale, Maddix Watkins-Oxtoby, Axel Michie, Isabelle Gilberd, Caleb Pratt, Daniel Robertson, Soren Walker, Annabel Dwyer, Caleb Houlahan, Daniel O'Neill, Pippa Beatson, Eli McLeay, Rhiannon Walker, Janke Venter, Nathan Vincent, Hudson Spetch, Mason Gardiner, Henry Kedrewaca, Cara Venter, Keegan Spicer.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

We warmly wish the following students and teacher a very happy birthday.

Sunday 21 November – Tristan Dunn
 Wednesday 24 November – Ella van Dalen
 Thursday 25 November – Ellishay Goff
 Friday 26 November – Pippa Beatson
 Saturday 27 November – Gracie O'Neill

Thank you to all senior camp helpers

To Year 5 & 6 parents
Thank you for coming to
camp and being one of my
group leaders

THE BIG SPLASH

I could hear the sound of water splashing against the sides and a huge splash at the end. I sat at the top and the water wasn't as cold as I expected. All clear I thought three, two, one, go WHOOSH Arrrrrrrrrrrr I yelled as I rushed down the steep slope. Splow lololololo went the water as I crashed into it as fast as the eye could see. I took a deep breath as my head popped out of the water. I jumped out of the side and ran up the hill I wanted to go on the waterslide again.

Thank you again for helping
with camp.



01/12/2021

DEAR YEAR 7-8 PARENTS,

Thank you so much for attending and being a big help with our 2021 year 7-8 school camp. I had a great time and hope that you as a parent had fun as well. Even though I have a lot of favourites the one that stood out the most would have to be the jet boating. It was an exhilarating experience and it did result in very wet people but it was exciting nevertheless.

The Spin

The still water on the river was glistening in the sunlight. Still like resting prey only to be disturbed by a predator, the jet boat was like that, interrupting the water with the rough waves of the boat's wake. The boat's engine roaring and vibrating as it slows slightly in preparation for the spin. Squinting my eyes as we speed through the wind I see the instructor signaling a spin then 3,2,1. In one swift movement the tail of the boat spins round splashing up a mini tsunami of water, showering me in cold, mud smelling liquid. As I sit there in my saturated clothes I wonder eagerly when we would be doing it again.

Thanks again for giving us an amazing time.

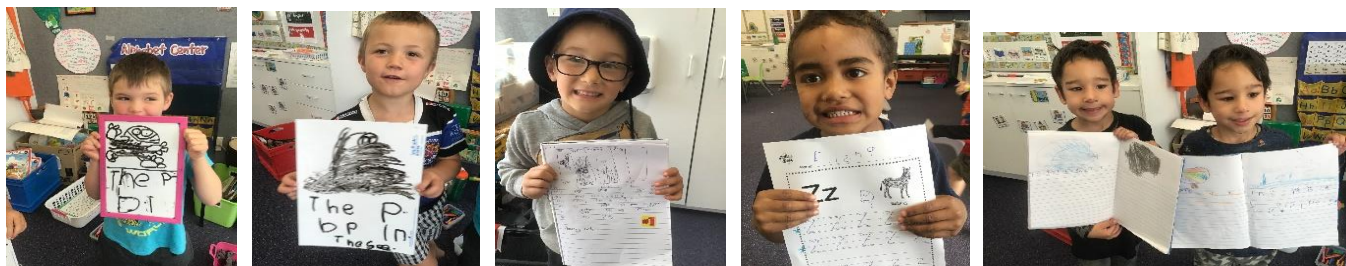
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Room Five



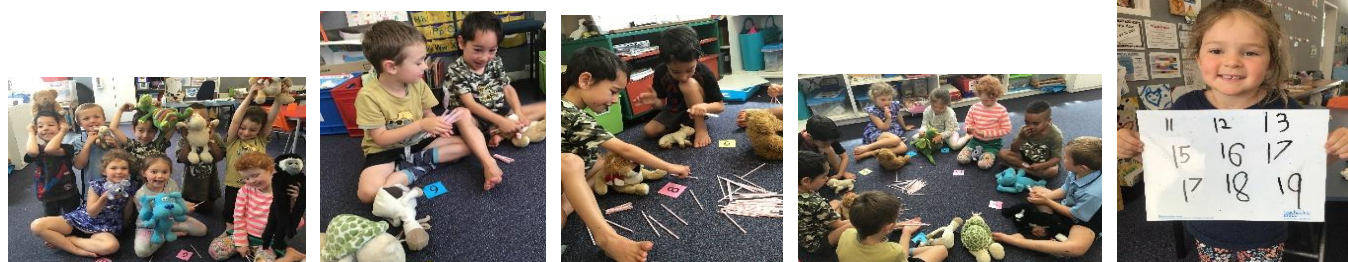
Room 3 News

In Room 3 we are busy with our learning and having fun. Here are a few snapshots.

Literacy: We are writers!



Maths: Feeding time at the zoo!



Discovery Time: We are creators!



Athletics: What a great day we had!

