



Fordell School

Fordell Flyer

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Tēnā koutou, nau mai, harere mai. We have a lot of new families join Fordell School in the last couple of weeks, including a lot of curious and fun five-year-olds. We warmly welcome the following to Fordell School: Madison, Ariston, Declyn, Lydia, Eleanor, Luke, and Riley.

Parents are Welcomed into our Rooms: To all our Fordell parents you do not have to stay at the gate, you are all welcome to come onto the school grounds and into the classrooms, we enjoy sharing your children's learning and adventures with you.

Fordell Fundraising Committee: Our fabulous Fundraising Committee held an afternoon on Wednesday 8 June to share the recent technology they have fundraised for our tamariki. Room 4 students put on an amazing display of this technology which was thoroughly enjoyed by those who attended. We are very lucky to have this wonderful group of parents who put on some amazing events to not only raise funds for the extras here at Fordell School



but to create events where we can all come together. If you are interested in joining this fun group (they put the 'fun' into Fundraising) their next meeting is Tuesday 5 July, 3.15pm in the school staffroom, or if you would like more information, please ask at the school office. Thank you, Fundraising Committee, for the super cool technology. Keep an eye out for some other cool new things popping up at school soon.



Growth Mindset: You will have heard your child and teachers talking about using a "Growth Mindset". There are two types of mindsets – a fixed mindset or a growth mindset. People with a fixed mindset believe they are born with a certain amount of

intelligence. People with a growth mindset know that intelligence is not fixed and that you can "grow" your intelligence. Brain research has confirmed this. We know that the brain can be developed like a muscle, changing and growing stronger the more it is used. Carol Dweck explains the two mindsets in simple terms as:

Fixed Mindset (Performance orientation)	Growth Mindset (Learning orientation)
Intelligence is static. I must look clever.	Intelligence is expandable. I want to learn more.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Avoids challenges Gives up easily Sees effort as pointless Ignores useful criticism 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Embraces challenges Persists in the face of setbacks Sees effort as the way Learns from criticism
Likely to plateau early and achieve less than full potential.	Reaches ever higher levels of achievement.

A fixed mindset is the result of a continual focus on ability rather than on achievement and effort. A growth mindset is when students compete against themselves and their own previous achievement. Our Fordell School Learning Muscles are an important part of developing a Growth Mindset with our students. In the next Fordell Flyer look for examples that you can help develop a Growth Mindset in your children.

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**

Have a fantastic Matariki Weekend with your family and friends – Yvette Moorhouse, Principal

Student of the Week awards for Term 2 Week 7



Senior Hub

Jonty Ryan for his can-do attitude and never giving up when things become tricky.

Daytona Torrance for being a respectful and helpful member of the class.

Lucas Sollitt for having a great attitude and being responsible for his learning.

Junior Hub

Axel Michie for always leading our karakia with respect and responsibility.

Jaxson Smith for his awesome writing about the sun and for his helpfulness in the classroom.

Lily Gollan for courage and growing her knowledge in maths.

Fordell Value Badges:

VALUES BADGE – Ula Kedrewaca

BRONZE BADGE – Dexter Brotherton

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:

Lydia van Dalen, Ariston Adelman, Campbell Loader, Macey Spicer,

Ricki Nessling-Papara, Maddix Watkins-Oxtoby, Semi Kedrewaca,

Ruby Williamson, Annabelle Spetch, Riley Walker, Abi Glasgow, Pippa Beatson,

Lily Aiken, Annie Wright, Dexter Brotherton, Henry Kedrewaca, Ma Kedrewaca,

Xavier Brotherton, Lucas Sollitt, Ula Kedrewaca, Elishay Goff, Henry Beatson,

Mason Aiken, Maks Reitsma.

Fordell Dates Coming UP

Term 2

Week 8

Friday 24 June – Matariki Day (no school public holiday)

Week 9

Monday 27 June – Fordell Board Meeting, 5.30pm

Week 10

Fordell School Book Week

book activities, Book Fair in the office, (lots of fun).

Friday 8 July – Character Dress Up and invite your VIP to school.

Tuesday 5 July – Fundraising Committee Meeting 3.15pm, Fordell Staffroom

Friday 8 July – last day of Term 2

Term 3

Week 1

Monday 25 July – start of Term 3

Week 3

Monday 8 August – Board Meeting, 5.30pm.

Week 5

Thursday 25 August – Dance Lesson for Year 5-8 start (goes for 5 weeks each Thursday)

Week 9

Monday 19 September – Board Meeting, 5.30pm.

Thursday 22 September – Cluster Speech Competition.

Sunday 25 September – Group of Year 5 – 8 compete in the Whanganui Dance Competition.

Week 10

Friday 30 September – Last day of Term 3

Student of the Week awards for Term 2 Week 8



Senior Hub

Emily Bell for showing great collaboration skills when working with others.

Lily Aiken for always striving to do her best and trying new ways to present her learning.

Soren Walker for showing courage by asking questions if he needs help or clarification with his learning.

Junior Hub

Dallas Gibson for showing determination and resilience with his writing.

Marlowe Crothers for her resilience and determination in reading.

Jack O'Neill for showing resilience learning to read more fluently.

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Emma Vincent, Samuel Macrae, Coby Cooper, Kaihau Hunapo, Elizabeth Macrae,

Angel Landon-Lane, Keegan Spicer, Emma Hughes, Noah McEwen,

Xavier Hamblin, Jaxson Smith, Madison Simpson, Emily Bell,

Lily Gollan, Elliott Oxtoby, Kirra Price, Angus Worrall, Blake Chambers,

Jasmine Robertson, Aston Hayward.



We warmly wish the following Fordellians a very happy birthday:

Wednesday 15 June – Kaihau Hunapo

Friday 17 June – Matthew Grice

Friday 17 June – Kiana Te Kahika

Sunday 19 June – Dallas Gibson

Tuesday 21 June – Jackson Loader

Thursday 23 June – Greta Gill

Yr 7 & 8 Cooking from Technology – Lemon Slice

250gm butter, 2 cups sugar, 4 eggs, 1 ½ cups self-raising flour, 1 cup desiccated coconut, 1 Tbsn freshly grated lemon rind, ¼ cup fresh lemon juice.

Pre-heat oven to 180c, line a 20x30 slice pan, melt butter in a saucepan over a medium heat, remove from heat and stir in sugar and mix well.

Add eggs one at a time, mixing well until mixture is thick and glossy.

Sift the flour over the egg mixture and stir until well combined.

Stir in coconut, lemon rind and lemon juice. Pour mixture into the slice pan and bake for 30-40 minutes or until a skewer inserted into the center and comes out clean and bounces back slightly to a gentle touch.

Set aside to cool completely and cut into slices and dust with icing sugar to serve.

Store in an airtight container for 3 days.

Enjoy!

The Fordell School Book Fair is now in the school office. All proceeds from the sale of the books will go towards new books for our school library. You can either pay by cash or online banking. Come and check out the huge range of books that we have!

ROOM 4 SPACE FACTS


DID YOU KNOW...



70% of the Earth surface is water
The Earth is 4.5 billion years old
By Rhys

Mercury is the closest planet to the sun being
63.944 million km
By Kaihau


Mercury also is shrinking every day.
Mercury has the most craters in the solar system having
763 craters. By Kaihau



Uranus was discovered in 1781.
It has 13 rings around it.
It has 20 moons.
By William

Uranus is the coldest planet in the solar system.
Uranus is often referred to as the ice giant
By Julian

Saturn is the most distant planet that can be seen with a
naked eye.
Saturn is 58,232km big
By Elizabeth



Deep within Neptune and Uranus it rains diamonds.
Neptune's has the strongest wind in the solar system Winds whip clouds of
frozen methane across the planet at speeds of more than 1,200 miles per hour
(2,000 kilometers per hour)
By Lily

What a Great Achievement Grace – Congratulations!

Our very own Grace Glasgow has been invited to go into the National Swimming Junior Squad. This will mean she is now training 3 to 4 times a week. This involves 90 minutes in the pool plus dry land training. At her last meet she dropped close to 20 seconds off her 100m backstroke. Her coach is very impressed with Grace's commitment which has helped her with this fantastic progress. At Grace's first competitive meet a couple of weeks ago she came away with two bronze medals! Congratulations Grace, we are super proud of your commitment and achievements. We look forward to hearing about your next competition.



ROOM 2 CONSTELLATIONS

IN OUR PLANET, EARTH
AND BEYOND INQUIRY,
ROOM 2 HAVE BEEN
LEARNING ABOUT
CONSTELLATIONS. CHECK
THESE OUT.

