



Fordell School

Fordell Flyer

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Tēnā koutou, nau mai, harere mai, welcome to the Fordell Flyer for Week 4. We are starting to get to the busy time of the year so please keep an eye on the "Dates for Your Diary" section and notices that come out either via Seesaw or paper copies. We have dancing starting Week 5 on Thursdays for the rest of this term for our Year 5-8s. This is leading into an Interschool Dance Competition to be held in September.

Fordell School Fun Mathex Quiz Night - A great night was had by all at the Fun Mathex Quiz Night last week. We had approximately 80 join us. A shout out to you



all for going the extra mile and coming dressed in your team costumes and colours - you all looked great. This night was a great opportunity to celebrate Maths Week and recognise that maths is a fun engaging subject. Miss Mair shared some fun ways that teachers use maths in the classroom (the move and prove part of the evening). We hope your take home packs have supported you all in continuing on with some maths fun at home. Why not start up a family games night - this is a great way to introduce small maths skilled games and then build up to more complex

strategy-based games. 😊

Interschool Football - On Tuesday we took two teams to the Primary Interschools Football tournament. Both teams played well, with our team playing in the B Grade winning this grade. Thank you to all our families that helped with this day in supporting on the side lines and transport to the venue.

2022 Fordell School Board Elections - At the close of nominations, as the number of valid nominations was equal to the number required to be filled, our Elections Officer (Anne Knapp) announced that the following are duly elected: Kelly Glasgow, Darryl Vincent, Amy Ryan, Hayden McCracken and Matt Johnston as the staff trustee. Congratulations to our new Fordell School Board. I would also like to acknowledge the outgoing Fordell Board members Linda O'Neill (who has been the Board Chair for 6 years), Nicky Gill and Stacey Houlahan who have been outstanding Board members. Fordell School has continued to hold high expectations, offer an excellent education with numerous opportunities to all our children under your governance. We wish you all the best with your next adventures and thank you for your time.



Have a great weekend – 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 3 Week 3



Senior Hub

Grace Glasgow for consistently completing her learning to a high standard.

Pippa Beatson for being a responsible and helpful class member.

Henry Kedrewaca for showing respect by looking and listening when others are speaking.

Junior Hub

Kemueli Kedrewaca for settling an example with our Fordell Values in the classroom.

Elsie Mackenzie for being a kind and compassionate classmate and always trying her best in her learning.

Esmé Crothers for showing respect and responsibility in her math's tasks and group work.

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, Madison Simpson, Felix Brotherton, Oscar Laird, Eva McEwen, Tom Pankhurst, Jackson Loader, Daniel O'Neill, Caleb McCracken, Matthew Grice, Lyric Cooper, Eli McLeay, Miley Michie, Cara Venter, Josiah Martin, Isla Hamblin, Annabel Dwyer, Angus Perkins, Rhiannon Walker, Noah McEwen, Kaihau Hunapo,

Student of the Week awards for Term 3 Week 4



Senior Hub

Caleb McCracken for showing responsibility when managing and reffing the football team.

Korbin Gabbott for showcasing his excellent football skills.

Anthony Rowe for showing responsibility by being organised for his learning.

Junior Hub

Lockie Simpson for showing resourcefulness and responsibility with his math's tasks and group work.

Kirra Price for taking responsibility for her learning and always trying her best.

Arthur Badger for his enthusiasm and courage for learning.

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Harrison Shaw, Acton Mackenzie, Evie Mulford, Elsie Mackenzie, Marcus Smith, Isabelle Gilberd, AJ Ngamu, Wyatt Alderton, Annabelle Spetch, Jessica Kuehne, Julian Dunn, Angel Landon-Lane, Rhys Pullen, Greta Gill, Keegan Spicer, Mason Gardiner, Mason Aiken, Lucas Sollitt, Ma Kedrewaca.

Fordell School Fundraiser

The fundraising team are running a raffle to help raise money for a new turf and would appreciate donations of items to place in the raffle from families. We will draw this on AG Day. It would be great if we can have enough items for a first, second and third place raffles. Please drop items into school office for the fundraising team. Thankyou.

Fordell Dates for Your Diary Term 3

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

Week 6

Friday 2 September - Fordell School Cross Country

Sunday 4 September - Father's Day

Week 7

Wednesday 7 September - Wig Wednesday

Friday 9 September - Cluster Cross Competition

Week 8

Tuesday 13 September - Fordell Speech Competition

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.

Sunday 25 September - Daylight Saving starts

Week 10

Friday 30 September - Last day of Term 3

Term 4

Week 1

Monday 17 October - start of Term 4

Week 2

Fordell School AG Week

Week 4 - Camp Week

Monday 7 November - Wednesday 9 November - Year 7&8 Camp to Vertical Horizons

Wednesday 9 November - Friday 11 November - Year 5&6 to Camp Makahika

Week 7

Friday 2 December - Tough Kids at Cooks Gardens

Week 9

Tuesday 13 December - Fordell School End of Year Prize Giving, at the Fordell Hall

Wednesday 14 December - Last Day of Term 4



We warmly wish the following Fordellians a very happy birthday:

Wednesday 10 August - Mason Aiken

Wednesday 10 August - Luther Khetpal

Wednesday 10 August - Remus Khetpal

Tuesday 16 August - Angus Perkins

Saturday 20 August - Mr Tom Abraham

Winter

I see the warm steam from the hot chocolate. I see the dry leaves fall from the dead trees. I see smoke coming from crackling fires. I feel goosebumps crawl down my shivering back. I feel the cold gentle breeze against my numb face. I feel the wet drops of rain drip down my arms and legs. I taste hot chocolate and warm cookies fresh from the oven. I smell the damp leaves that lay on the wet ground. I smell smoke from the warm fires. I smell the steaming tea. I hear the howling wind dancing around the trees. I hear the rain dripping off the leaves. I hear the crackling fire and the birds chirping.



By Cara



WINTER

I SEE SNOWY ROOFTOPS WITH SNOW-FILLED GUTTERS. I HEAR SLEDS SPEEDING DOWN STEEP MAGNIFICENT MOUNTAINS. I SMELL HOT COCO AND SMOKE POURING FROM CHIMNEYS. I TASTE HOT CHOCOLATE I MEAN BOILING HOT CHOCOLATE. I FELL CHILLY BUT THE FIRE IS KEEPING ME WARM.

BY WILLIAM

Room 2 Winter Poems

Room 2 have been learning about using our senses in poetry.

LAIKYN'S WINTER POEM

I SEE SNOWFLAKES FALLING ON THE GROUND.

I HEAR RAIN RAGING AND WIND BLOWING.

I SMELL SWEET HOT CHOCOLATE.

I FEEL WARM BLANKETS ON ME.

I TASTE HOT DRINKS AND HOT FOOD.

WRITTEN BY LAIKYN

ROOM 6

Arrgh! A blob fish! It lives in the midnight zone. It looks like jelly. They float on the bottom of the sea. I dont like them!

Braxton

I am a rainbow starfish. I eat little bits of seaweed. i live in the bit whhere the sun can reach. I am a sticky starfish. Big fish go past me they dont see me I am camouflaged.

Lily



In Room 6 we have been having fun learning about 'under the sea' We are looking at the different zones of the ocean and what lives there. Come in and check out our awesome work!



I am holding onto two jellyfish. I am holding onto their sticky tentavles so I cant fall into the deep dark sea. I see blue fire spreading waves splating in the twilight zone.

Felix

Jellyfish do not have eyes and no brain. They look like sea Jelly. They sting with tentacles. I think they are scary.

Jack

Eek! I am scuba diving in the middle of the sea. I can see coral and I can hear sharks. I can feel crabs eating my hand.

Oscar



Be protected against **Meningococcal disease**

It's a really serious disease that could affect you – but you can be protected.

It's **FREE** for people aged **13-25** in their first year of living in a boarding school, hostel or university hall of residence.



For more information about getting immunised against meningococcal disease:

**Talk to your doctor, nurse or health centre, or
phone Healthline's 24-hour service – 0800 611 116**

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o Aotearoa**
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Te Whānau Ora
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