



CUST SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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Friday, 16 August, 2019 - Week Four —Term 3

FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK

**BE INSPIRED
TO
BE YOUR BEST**

***SELF-MOTIVATED, POSITIVE AND RESPONSIVE CITIZENS
MANAAKITANGA
RESPECT, GENEROSITY AND CARE FOR OTHERS.***

Keep your behaviour positive, because your behaviour becomes your habits.

Kia ora,

Cust School Behaviour Statement of Purpose: At Cust School we are all responsible for developing a safe, respectful and inclusive community to support our quality learning environment.

Background:

A Positive Behaviour for Learning (PB4L) programme helps parents, whānau, teachers, and schools address problem behaviour, improve children's well-being, and increase educational achievement.

By strengthening relationships and creating more positive home and school environments we remove barriers to engagement and improve students' chances to achieve at school and beyond.

It's not about changing the students; it's about changing the environment, systems and practices we have in place to support them to make positive behaviour choices

What is PB4L?

A framework for enhancing the adoption and implementation of

A continuum of evidence-based interventions, to achieve

Academically and behaviourally important outcomes for

All students

- *Teach schoolwide positive behaviour expectations and routines*
- *Schoolwide positive reinforcement system*
- *Consistent consequences for problem behaviour*
- *Active supervision of non-classroom areas*
- *Effective instruction and classroom management*
- *Simple Functional Behaviour Assessment*

Cust School Musical – Tuesday, 27 August– keep this evening free so you can watch our production of “Panto Pandemonium”. *(Being held at the Rangiora Baptist Church Hall)*

Remember tickets for the musical are available from the school office.



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PROUDLY PRESENTS



“PIKO’S PANTO PANDEMONIUM”

**Rangiora Baptist Church
East Belt, Rangiora**

Tuesday, 27 AUGUST

7PM Start

Price \$5 a ticket

Tickets on sale from school office

- PTA Raffle - bring some loose change
- Surprise Performance?? - Be there and find out!!

School Donations and Activity Fees

A reminder about School Donations and Activity Fee. There are still a number of families who have not paid the activity fee component for Terms One and Two.

Term 3 invoices were sent out via email and hard copy earlier this term.

If you have any questions in regard to them please contact the school office, otherwise prompt payment would be appreciated. *(Cust School Board of Trustees Bank Westpac account No. 03 1592 0074218 00).*

Regards Robert

CERTIFICATES

- Room One: Student of the Week awarded to Jacob for always including others in the class and being a great friend. Well done Jacob.
Student of the Week awarded to Quayde for participating fully in reading and caring about his own learning. Awesome job Quayde. Keep it up!
- Room Two: Great work awarded to Izzy for consistently caring and sharing in Room 2. Keep it up Izzy.
Great work awarded to Howie for participation and co-operating with other superstars in Room 2. Well done Howie!
Great work awarded to Carlos for showing amazing co-operation and doing fabulous homework this week.
- Room Three: Well done to Willow for showing success in Piko's tips through including others in your games. Well done.
Well done to Fitz for showing success in Piko's tips through including others in your games. Well done.
- Room Four: Well done to Amelia for showing success in Piko's tips by being co-operative, able to share and include others in your games.
- Room Five: Kaitlin George – you have put a tremendous amount of effort into your Book Club tasks. You consistently strive to be your best. Keep it up Kaitlin!
Katelyn Gough – you put a huge amount of effort into your Book Club tasks, and you have a positive attitude towards challenges and opportunities. Well done Katelyn
- Room Six: Well done to Maisie for showing success in Piko's tips for great improvement in organization and time management.
Well done to Jodie for showing success in Piko's tips for great improvement in organization and time management.
- Room Seven: Well done to Oli for showing success in Piko's tips. Congratulations! Showing persistence and effort at school and home to ensure your assignments are completed on time.
Student of the Week awarded to Harry. Congratulations! Excellent effort both at home and school working on your Reading and Mapping!

ROOM ONE / TWO

Kia Ora,

As part of our intention to lessen general anxiety in students (particularly in tests, new situations and over friendships) we are regularly taking 'Go Noodle' activities in class to build resilience and coping strategies. Ask your children about the different methods they prefer to use for calming down and minimising worry and see if they can use them at home in different situations.

In class, over the past 2 weeks, we have been continuing our focus on fairy tales with the pantomime, writing time, reading contracts and a mini drama with Miss Jennison. As part of a sports/drama exchange with Room 1 and Room 2 Mr Jackman has also been taking some winter sports skills.

Please note all children should now have completed their goal setting for Term 3/4. This may include a maths and literacy goal, a pantomime participation and personal goal. Please discuss these goals with your children (Year 3's have paper copies in their homework packs, Year 4/5's are in their google accounts).

Now that the winter sports tournament has finished we will be full on with our Panto practices for the next 2 weeks and then it will be time for speech writing.

Keep warm and enjoy your weekend,
Eddie, Linda, Ros, Rupert and Laura

HEAD LICE

Please check your child(ren) as head lice is present at school, and treat accordingly. Thank you.

PTA NEWS

The PTA has closed their bank account with Heartland and has opened up a new one with BNZ. Please update your details with this new bank number.

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Cust School PTA

ROOM THREE

Kia ora parents/caregivers

Room 3 have been enjoying our topic so far and we were lucky enough to be visited by the Big Bad Wolf (Eddie) last week who talked to the students about life as a wolf living in the woods, although the costume was not quite convincing enough. I also encourage you to come and see the Little Red Riding Hood artwork that I have recently hung up, the students have done a terrific job. However, we have now moved on from Little Red Riding Hood and are now chasing down The Gingerbread Man where Room 3 will be making their own Gingerbread Man this week and other related activities.

Room 3 have been learning how to publish written work and in this case (Who Am I?) cards associated to topic and they have done an amazing job. We are still currently working through number in maths and finally we are making good progress in the school musical with our special part.

Nga mihi.
James

ROOM FOUR

Over the last two weeks we have been completing a number of activities about Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs. Writing letters to the Queen, and the dwarfs and deciding which dwarf they would rather be – Happy or Grumpy.

As part of our unit on Kia Kaha the children will be bringing home a quick activity to complete with you over the weekend please and return it to school on Monday.

With the whole school, we have been learning the songs and practising for the Pantomime. The words the children need to learn came home last week with their reading. Just wondering how the costumes were coming along? We are not having a dress rehearsal, so the costumes can stay at home and the children can come dressed in them on the night.

Have a lovely weekend,
Kennys

ROOM FIVE

Kia Ora,

We've been busy with our Pantomime singing practice over the past few weeks. A Room Five dance squad has been formed in preparation for the pantomime too.

Our fractions knowledge is coming along nicely, and Maths Week has seen us delve into some challenging problems this week, along with thousands of other children across New Zealand!

Book Club continues, and our inference skills are strengthening through weekly workshops.

We have begun independent artist study's this week with the plan of having an art exhibition towards the end of the term with our final products.

Have a great weekend!
Eleanor

ROOM SIX / SEVEN

Kia ora koutou,

A very busy week as we prepare for the musical. Excitement is building!!

On Thursday, Mr Schuyt took four class representatives - Alice, Emma Stephenson, Louisa and Max to the SPCA. We presented a very generous donation that was the profit earned from our Market Day. Well done Room 5, 6 & 7!! A very big thank you to our whanau for supporting us in making our goods to sell, and to everyone who came and purchased our products on the day.

Have a great weekend.
Nga mihi,
Miriam, Annmaree and Robert.

WANTED - NEEDED URGENTLY!!

ANY OLD REAL ESTATE BOARD PLEASE

We are busy preparing for the musical making props. If you have any of this type of board, please bring to school and give to Mr Schuyt.

FISH AND CHIPS, AMERICAN HOT DOGS – Thursday, 29 August (Week Five)

All orders need to be in the office by **9.00am**. No late orders as we will not be going down to the hotel.

Please note the following:

- All envelopes (no scraps of paper and notes left on the counter are acceptable), are to be clearly labelled with names (please put full names as we have several children at school with the same Christian names)
- Correct monies (as no change will be given)
- No add-ons of drinks, as this service is solely for the items listed below from the Cust Hotel.

Prices are as follows**:

1 scoop chips	\$2.00	½ scoop chips	\$1.50
Hot Dog	\$3.00	Fish	\$3.00
Sausage	\$3.00	American Hot Dog	\$3.50
Mince Pie	\$5.50	Mince & Cheese	\$5.50
		Hash Browns	\$1.00

COMMUNITY NOTICES

CUST'S NEW RURAL RECYCLING FACILITY

Come along to see Cust's new rural recycling facility organised and run by Waimakariri District Council. This is located behind [The Cust Hotel](#) and has mixed recycling, paper and cardboard bins.

The bins are open for use.

BABYSSITTER AVAILABLE

Hi my name is Paige Packham

I am a previous Cust student. I am 14 years of age and available for babysitting evenings, weekends and during holidays.

Please feel free to contact me at 021 047 5635



Schools orienteering training

Ideal for beginners and learners

19 August - 10 September 2019

Come and have a go! Events are on different evenings to help avoid clashing with other after-school activities. Make sure you sign up (as a school or individual) at papo.org.nz and we'll know to provide plenty of maps. Note: there could be changes to dates, so check the papo.org.nz webpage for the latest information.

Mon 19 Aug McCormacks Bay – Reserve carpark near rugby fields

Tue 20 Aug Halswell Quarry – Findlays Picnic Area 1

Wed 28 Aug Van Asch School – Wakefield Av entrance

Thu 29 Aug Hansen Park – Hansens Park Playground

Mon 2 Sep Old School Reserve – Mt Pleasant Scout Hall

Wed 4 Sep Bottle Lake Forest – North end of Bower Avenue

Mon 9 Sep Heathcote – Heathcote Domain Cricket Pavilion

Tue 10 Sep Hagley Park – Hagley Park Tennis Courts

Time: 4-5pm

Cost: After-school training is \$2 per child which you can pay at each event.

Make sure you get a map! Pre-register at papo.org.nz with the number of children you will bring to each training session.

Reserve the Canterbury Schools Orienteering Festival dates in your diary:

Saturday 14 September | Canterbury Schools Sprint | Avonside

Sunday 15 September | Canterbury Schools Long | Spencer Park

For more information go to papo.org.nz

Enquiries about the training or festival: powell.iona@gmail.com



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