



CUST SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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Friday, 4 May, 2019 - Week One —Term 2

School Focus for the Year INSPIRATION / RANGA WAIRUA

FROM THE DEPUTY PRINCIPAL'S DESK

With Robert and AnnMaree still away on their trip, Ros and myself are taking over the newsletter for the next couple of weeks and would like to welcome everyone back to Term 2. I hope everyone had an enjoyable and relaxing break. This term we have a lot of exciting things happening.

The children have settled back into the routines quickly and already Term 2 is busy and I know teachers have a lot planned and are expecting children to rise to the challenges set before them.

Piko's TIPS (Key for Success) for this term is –

- Be – INDEPENDENT**
- CONFIDENT
 - RESILIENT
 - ORGANISED

These will be discussed within each class and will also be the focus for our weekly assembly awards.

CLASS NEWSLETTERS:

Term 2 newsletters from class teachers should have been emailed to you. These outline the Term's expectations and the teaching and learning that will take place. If you didn't receive one see the class teacher.

PAID UNION MEETING

On Thursday 9 May, teachers from Cust School will be attending paid union meetings in Rangiora. This is to discuss outcomes of the teachers new collective contract. School will be as normal for students with a plan in place for teachers to attend the meetings.

Any questions please see me.
Eddie

CLASS CERTIFICATES

- Room One: Excellence awarded to James T. for being a great help around Room 1 and being an independent worker.
Excellence awarded to Sam for being independent and organised when working in Room One.
- Room Two: Student of the Week awarded to Reuben for great work in writing this week. Keep up the awesome focus Reuben.
Student of the Week awarded to Callum for making a great start to Term 2. Keep it up Callum.
Welcome to Cust School Caitlyn McColl. We know you will be a fanblimintastic Superstar.
- Room Three: Excellence awarded to Levi for your amazing progress in your reading. Keep it up.
Excellence awarded to Jacob for your fantastic contributions to topic. Well done.
- Room Four: Welcome to Cust School Harper, Tom, Addison, Lacey and Hunter.
- Room Five: Excellence awarded to Harvey who has such a positive attitude, you're happy to help your classmates and are an all-round hard working student.
Excellence awarded to Louisa who has set such high standards for yourself and work tirelessly to achieve them. Keep it up.
- Room Six: Student of the Week awarded to James B. for making a conscientious start to Term 2.
Student of the Week awarded to Connor L. for fantastic improvement in cross country running.
- Room Seven: Student of the Week awarded to Harper for a wonderful piece of ANZAC art, well designed and laid out.
Student of the Week awarded to Sophie for a super start on your Reading Unit – you are flying. Well done.
Student of the Week awarded to Tasi for fabulous ANZAC art and a fantastic start to our Piko's Reading Unit.

Upcoming Dates for Term 2

Monday 29 April	Term 2 Starts
Thursday 9 May	Paid Union Meeting (school as normal)
Tuesday 14 May	PTA meeting
Thursday 16 May	School Cross Country
Friday 17 May	Girls Have Ago Rugby
Thursday 23 May	Eyre Cluster Cross Country Rangiora High School open day
Friday 24 May	Weekly Sports Starts
Tuesday 28 May	Rangiora High School open day (second one)
Wednesday 29 May	Rakahuri Cross Country
Thursday 30 May pp day	Rakahuri Cross Country
Monday 3 June	Queen's Birthday
Wednesday 26 June	BOT meeting
Monday 1 July/Tuesday 2 July	Three Way Conferences
Tuesday 2 July	Winter Tournament
Wednesday 3 July pp day	Winter Tournament
Friday 5 July	End of Term 2.

SCHOOL DONATION AND ACTIVITY INVOICES

We do ask that you pay your donation and activity fee either by cheque or through internet banking – Cust Board of Trustees ref School Donation 03 1592 0074218 00. Tax deductible!

If payment of any school activity is an issue, you are welcome to pay it off in smaller payments. Parents/caregivers are welcome to contact me for a private discussion on how we can help.

CUST SCHOOL CROSS COUNTRY

Thursday, 16 May, at Cust Domain. (postponement day to be advised)

Start Time: Assemble in cars 10.10 am at school
Instructions 10.30 am at Domain
First Race 10.40 am

Race Times / Distances (approx.)

Year 7/8 Boys/Girls	10.40 am	(3 km / 3 laps)
Year 1/2 Boys	10.50 am	(500m / 1 lap)
Year 1/2 Girls	10.55 am	(500m / 1 lap)
Year 6 Boys/Girls	11.00 am	(2km / 2 laps)
Year 3/4 Boys	11.15 am	(1km / 2 laps)
Year 3/4 Girls	11.20 am	(1km / 2 laps)
Year 5 Boys/Girls	11.25 am	(2km / 2 laps)

Finish approximately 12 noon.

We will be timing this year’s event using times from the North Canterbury Sports Trust.

Runners to wear suitable footwear and have named warm clothing for after their race.
Children should have a light morning tea. All children should bring a drink for after the race.

Please complete the transport slip below and return to school by **Monday, 13 May**.

NOTE: If not taking your own child and they require a car seat, please send theirs along with them that morning. Thank you.

CROSS COUNTRY – CUST DOMAIN

PUPIL’S NAME:.....

ROOM:.....

I can / cannot assist with transport to / from the Cust Domain and can provide transport for [] children.

My car has a current WOF, registration and I am a licensed driver.

Signed.....

FISH AND CHIPS, AMERICAN HOT DOGS – Thursday, 9 May (Second week back Term Two)

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

**Note prices for some items have increased.

BOT ELECTIONS:

Election theme

The 2019 election theme is "Step forward for our schools". We aim to encourage potential candidates to think about the difference they can make in the lives of Kiwi children.

KEY DATES

11 April	Main Roll open for inspection
8 May	Close main roll
8 May, after noon	Open supplementary roll
10 May	Call for nominations
22 May, noon	Close supplementary roll
24 May, noon	Nominations close
By 29 May	Post voting information (if necessary)
7 June, noon	Election Day – close voting
13 June	Votes counted
	Declare final results
14 June	Board takes office

Jennifer Thompson
Returning Officer

PTA NEWS

Entertainment Membership Fundraiser

Cust School PTA receives 20% from every Membership sold so tell your family and friends to support us as well.

Still only \$70. Every sale contributes to our cause.

Enjoy thousands of offers for everything you love to do – 2-for-1 offers, special rates and up to 50% off on activities, dining, shopping, travel and leisure.

You can order online at www.entbook.co.nz/136p123 or from the school office.

For more information or to arrange collection contact Kate Powell, 0272295026 email oldschoolpowells@xtra.co.nz

Cust Community Cookbook

The Cust Community Cookbook is still available to purchase. (Copy in the school office)

Books are \$25 each, or 5 for \$100, and they will make an awesome present!!

Payment options are cash, cheque made out to Cust School PTA, or by direct credit into the PTA bank account - 03-1783-0502131-03

If you have any queries, please contact Kathryn Taylor at kathrynkingsbury@hotmail.com

Second Hand Uniform

Second hand uniform is available from the small room opposite the office.

See Mrs Thompson for the key. Items are available for a gold coin donation. If purchasing, please pay at the school office, and don't forget to relabel these items.

If donating items, please leave them at the school office - clean and in good used condition (no stains or holes). Remove the name tags.

For more information/contact details:

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