

# Newsletter Term 2 - Week 6

*Cornerstone Christian School - 11 June 2021*

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**Genesis: 12-16:** And God said, "This is the sign of the covenant I am making between me and you and every living creature with you, a covenant for all generations to come: I have set my rainbow in the

clouds, and it will be the sign of the covenant between me and the earth. Whenever I bring clouds over the earth and the rainbow appears in the clouds, I will remember my covenant between me and you and all living creatures of every kind. Never again will the waters become a flood to destroy all life. Whenever the rainbow appears in the clouds, I will see it and remember the everlasting covenant between God and all living creatures of every kind on the earth."



## PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Dear Parents/Kia ora te whanau/Malo e lelei/Talofa lava/Bula Vinaka/Konnichi wa/Kia orana/ Namaste/Welkom/Ni hao,

Today as I walked around Cornerstone Christian School, I was struck afresh by all of the fantastic students, teachers, office staff, caretakers and parents we have. I love working here and being a part of something that is greater than myself – a place where people try on a daily basis to do the best that they possibly can for God. We don't get it 100% perfect, but I do see people trying their best to live out the scripture in Colossians chapter 3, verse 23 that says:



*"Whatever you do, do your work heartily, as for the Lord rather than for men."*

Thank you everyone, for your work for the Lord here at Cornerstone.

I would like to draw attention to a group of parents doing an awesome mahi (work) on behalf of our school – the Cornerstone Fundraising Group or CFG as they are more commonly known. This group of parents and teachers meet once a month, with the sole purpose of raising funds to help make Cornerstone a better place.

A couple of weeks ago, a significant grant worth several thousand dollars was given to the school from the CFG to purchase a new digital sound desk. When our previous old sound desk decided that it had had enough earlier this year, two Year 12 students, Matthew Smith and Josh Ah-Chan

approached the CFG with a funding proposal for a new flash digital desk. The CFG considered the boys' proposal and felt this was a worthwhile project to fund.

Similarly the CFG donates money to a large number of sports events and trips through funds raised from various projects.

This year we made the decision not to run a Gala event in March, but rather, put on one school community fun event each Term. This Saturday, we have our Family Quiz Night in the School Gymnasium. Quiz Master, Mrs Vicki Campbell tells me that tickets are flying out the door, so if you want to be a part of this awesome event on Saturday night, get in quick and purchase your ticket/s. (Please see below for more information).

See you all there!

Blessings,

Chris Mitchell  
Principal  
[chris@cornerstone.ac.nz](mailto:chris@cornerstone.ac.nz)

## CFG - Quiz Night

Have you purchased your Quiz Night tickets yet? Don't forget it is on this **Saturday 12th June** in the school gymnasium. Doors open 6.30pm.

Tickets can be purchased from the school office today - eftpos machines available, or you can purchase tickets through myKindo. Please select **CFG Fundraising/Community Event Fundraisers** and then choose **Quiz Night**, then the + button to purchase tickets.

**Cost:** \$10 each (10 people per table).

**Who:** Ages 17 and up.

We are raising funds for school trips, extra-curricular activities and sports.

There will be yummy South African food available to purchase on the night, as well as yummy desserts, including brownie and cake as well as snack food, tea, hot chocolate and coffee. There will be GF and DF options also.

Cornerstone Fundraising Group

# QUIZ NIGHT

## The Countdown!

**3** days  **to go!**

Cornerstone Christian  
School Gym

Saturday 12 June

**6.30 -  
9.45pm**

Doors open at 6:30 PM Quiz starts at 7:00  
\$10 per person / Tables of 10 players

**Bring Cash / Eftpos available for Snacks, Drinks, Coffee & Dessert**

PURCHASE your ticket on MY KINDO or at the  
school office the week of the quiz. Door sales.

## SCHOOL NOTICES



### Welcome to Cornerstone!

We would like to warmly welcome Leah Rowland and Jaxyn Harman to Room A2 this week. We pray that you have many happy school days at Cornerstone!

### Not Returning to Cornerstone in 2022?

We are planning for 2022! If your child will **NOT** be returning to Cornerstone in Term 1, 2022, please let the school office know via email [office@cornerstone.ac.nz](mailto:office@cornerstone.ac.nz) as soon as you can. Thank you.





## Student Absences/Doctor/Dentist Appointments

If your child is absent due to sickness, please phone the school on 06 356 7326 and press 1 for absences. Alternatively email [absent@cornerstone.ac.nz](mailto:absent@cornerstone.ac.nz) or go to the Student App and click on the Absentee (phone) icon and email your child's name, classroom/lifelab and the reason for absence. Please ensure you do this before 9.30am.

***If your child is absent for 5 days or more, please provide a medical certificate.***

If your child has an appointment during school hours, please phone the office on 06 356 7326 and press 1 for absences and leave a message regarding your child's appointment and what time they will be collected or dropped off at school. Or email [absent@cornerstone.ac.nz](mailto:absent@cornerstone.ac.nz). Alternatively, please send a note to school regarding their absence.

***Please note: Students are not permitted to leave the school grounds without parental permission.*** (Apart from Year 13's who are permitted to sign out to go across to Countdown and adjoining shops at lunchtime).

Students **MUST** sign out at the office when leaving school for an appointment and sign back in upon their return. Thank you.

## Have you Moved Recently??

Please let us know if you have moved recently or changed your email address or contact phone numbers. It is important that we have the most up to date contact details, in case of an emergency. Please email [office@cornerstone.ac.nz](mailto:office@cornerstone.ac.nz) if your details have changed. Thank you.



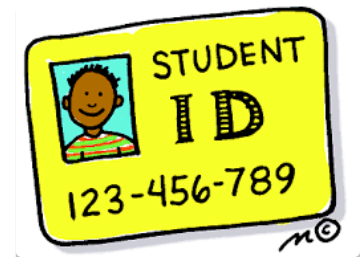


## New Entrant Students - Stationery Packs

New Entrant Students Stationery Packs are available to purchase from the school office for \$27 for students starting school in Terms 2 or 3.

## Student ID's (Years 7-13)

We are taking orders for Student ID's for Term 2. Students in Years 7-13 can collect a registration form from the school office which will need to be signed by both parent and student. The cost is \$10 each. These are not compulsory. Please place your order before Friday 18th June.



## Wanted

Quiet games for the library, eg chess, board games, etc. If anyone has any they would like to donate. They would be gratefully received. Thank you!

## Scholastic Book Club

The next Scholastic Book Club brochure for the year (#4) is available now.



Orders can be placed online only. **Orders for free delivery to school close at the end of Week 7 (Friday 18 June).**

View the brochure on the Scholastic website, or a paper copy can be collected from the Student Reception. Any questions, please see Mrs Sutherland in D3 or email [janes@cornerstone.ac.nz](mailto:janes@cornerstone.ac.nz). Thank you!



## Students of the Week - Primary

Congratulations to the following students who received the Student of the Week Certificate last week (Week 5):

### Aroha

A2: Elise Stephenson & Shaun Sanal

A3: Aaliyah Savea & Anja Bosman

A4: Ezra Wilkes & Mufaro Nhari

A5: Eden Taite & Theo Cooper

D1: Levi Taylor & Atticus Law

### Tumanako

C1: Nathaniel Cunningham & Joshua Randall

C2: Liam Prabaker & Nathan Thomas

C4: Ethan Thomas, Toby Wilkes, Joshua Murdoch & Sophie Simpson

C6: Alexis Pienaar & Noah Kerr

## Kapa Haka

From next week:

(Please note reduced times for Juniors and Year 3's to join Years 4-6)

Junior Kapa Haka – Years 1 & 2 - **Fridays 1.15pm-1.40pm in A1**

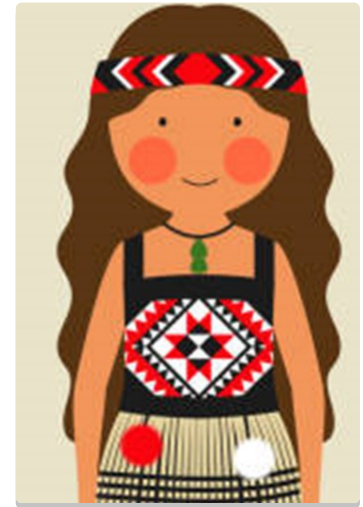
Middle Kapa Haka – Years 3-6 - **Fridays 1.15pm- 2.15pm in Library**

Senior Kapa Haka – Years 7-13 - **Thursdays 9am- 9.40am in Gym**

Thank you for your amazing support towards establishing kapa haka at CCS. If you have any questions, please contact me.

Whaea Nicola Waitoa (D1 Teacher)

[nicola@cornerstone.ac.nz](mailto:nicola@cornerstone.ac.nz)



## Lily McDonald - In Aladdin Junior

Lily McDonald is part of the cast for the upcoming Manawatu Youth Theatre production of Aladdin Jr. Aladdin Jr will be performed by a cast of locals aged 10-16 years. (See poster below).





## D3 - Learning about Shapes

D3 learning about shapes by using Mrs Christensen's shopping!





## How to Create an Account with myKindo

Please find below instructions on how to create an account with myKindo.

At the bottom of our newsletter you will find an Adobe version. Please open this document, where you will be able to click on the links.

## Personalised Accounts on Kindo

We've now linked our Kindo school shop and school records, so life just got a whole lot easier for you and us!

You can now view your family account and see any outstanding payments, plus you have the option of making full or part payments for these items.

**Already have an ezlunch or mykindo account?**

[Log in](#) to our Kindo school shop.

Click on the 'Student Accounts' icon.

You may be asked to link the students from your account to the Schools records.

Click on the link and match your child to the student record held by the school and you're done.

**Need to create an account?**

New users can [click here](#) to create your myKindo account.



Student Accounts

Enter in the email address the school has on file for you and click the 'next' arrow.

You'll then receive an email with a link.  
Click on the link and enter in a password.

"Tick" to agree to the Terms and Conditions and click 'Continue'.

You can now use your email and password to login to the school shop and view you family account.

**Viewing your personalised account.**

When you click on the 'Student Accounts' service, you will see what is currently owing on your family account, for each of your students.

You can then choose to pay the full amount owing for each item by clicking on the +, OR

change the amount to make a part payment, before clicking on the +.

The item and payment will be added to your shopping cart.

For optional items, you can still click on your student's initial icon to add to your cart.

Using the calendar icon, you can order the same item for a number of different lunch days.

Once you have finished adding items to your cart, you can select Checkout.

Then simply click Place order at the checkout and you're done!

**Need assistance?** Our Kindo helpdesk is open 8am to 4pm weekdays.

Freephone: 0508 4 KINDO (0508 454 636) Email: [hello@mykindo.co.nz](mailto:hello@mykindo.co.nz)

Online support: [support.mykindo.co.nz](http://support.mykindo.co.nz)



## Translate the School Newsletter to your own Language via School App

If English is not your first language, you can now translate our school newsletter to your own language:

1. Go into the School App (if you don't have this, please see the bottom of this newsletter for further instructions).
2. Click on newsletters.
3. Click on the newsletter you would like to view.
4. Click on the person icon on the bottom right.
5. Click on translate newsletter.
6. Click on the down arrow and select the language you would like it translated to.



## SPORTS NOTICES

### Congratulations Wynton Oldfield!

Congratulations to Wynton Oldfield (pictured 2nd from left) for placing 3rd in the recent Year 6 Boys Manawatu Interschool Cross Country.

Well done also to the rest of the Year 5-8 team who represented the school wonderfully amongst the other 800 runners.



### Emily Higgs - Future Ferns

Emily Higgs pictured at the Year 1 - 2 Future Ferns Competition this week.





## Upcoming Events

- **Year 5-6 Interschool Orienteering** - Friday 11th June - 10.20am
- **Secondary Assembly** - Friday 11th June - 10.20am
- **Kapa Haka** - Friday 11th June 1.15pm Year 1-2 & 3-6
- **Tumanako Assembly** - Friday 11th June - 2.15pm
- **Aroha Team Assembly** - Friday 11th June at 2.20pm in A3
- **CFG Quiz Night** - Saturday 12th June
- **Hastings/LAC Sports Exchange** - Monday 14th June - Tuesday 15th June
- **Choir** - Monday 14th June - 1pm
- **Manahau Team Assembly** - Monday 14th June - 1.45pm
- **Primary Kingdom Kid/Cornerstone Assembly in the Gym** - Wednesday 16th June 9am
- **Kapa Haka Year 7-13** - Thursday 17th June - 9am-9.40am

## COMMUNITY NOTICES



### Kelvin Kids - After School Care

We have our very own onsite after school care program here at Cornerstone from Monday to Friday 3pm-6pm.

We have been operating for 4 years and love serving our Community. Our staff have a heart for working with children, whilst honoring God. We love what we do, and would love to meet with you.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact **Chantelle** on **021 038 2661**.

**Cost:** \$21 per afternoon. This includes afternoon tea, homework, crafts and activities.

**We are Oscar approved.**

## Netball Manawatu School Holiday Programme



NETBALL MANAWATU PRESENTS...

# JULY HOLIDAY PROGRAMME

MONDAY, TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY

12TH, 13TH & 14TH JULY



**\$25 FOR 1 DAY**

**\$35 FOR 2 DAYS**

**\$50 FOR 3 DAYS**

NETBALL SKILLS  
NETBALLSMART DRILLS  
UMPIRING SESSIONS

**VAUTIER PARK  
PALMERSTON NORTH**

**9AM - 3PM DAILY**

# *The Feilding Craft Market*



Fri June 11 & Sat June 12  
9am - 4pm  
\$8 entry 12 & under free  
Manfeild Stadium, Feilding  
[www.feildingcraftmarket.co.nz](http://www.feildingcraftmarket.co.nz)

Full Calendar

Our Website



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One page guide for families Cornerstone Christian -  
electronic version (003).pdf

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## Year 5 & 6 Combined Schools Cross Country