School Newsletter Term 4 - Week 5

Cornerstone Christian School - 19th November 2021

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Do not be anxious about anything, but in every situation, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God. And the peace of God, which transcends all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus. **Philippians: 4:6-7**



PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Dear Parents and Whanau,

It's a short blurb from me today! I just wanted to take a moment to celebrate a couple of events here at Cornerstone Christian School over the past week:

Cultures Day

I love or yearly celebration of culture at Cornerstone Christian School. We have such a rich representation of culture in our school and I like to think that this is a little slice of what heaven will be like. In the book of Revelation 7 and verse 9 it gives this description of heaven:

9 After this I saw a vast crowd, too great to count, from every nation and tribe and people and language, standing in front of the throne and before the Lamb. They were clothed in white robes and held palm branches in their hands. 10 And they were shouting with a great roar, "Salvation comes from our God who sits on the throne and from the Lamb!"

It interesting to think that in heaven there will be represention from evey tribe and people and language. I personaly believe that the rich representation of God's nature and character can be found in the breadth of cultures here in our school. It was so good to see so many students (and teachers) came to school dressed in their national dress, sharing dance and music and food last Friday. We have included a bit of a photo montage of this day later in our newsletter.

Music Recital

A huge thank you to Mrs Robyn Good, our itinerant music teacher for hosting our Cornerstone music recital in rooms G1 and G2 this past week. It was great to sit and listen to our student's growing mastery of the keyboard (piano) under Robyn's tutelage. Thank you too to Dr Bronwyn Boddy for the time she has taken to mentor students learning the flute.

Office Help

Thank you to everyone who offered to help out in the school office while we work through the challenging process of finding a replacement for our lovely Jean Wilkins. A big thank you to Mrs Gaylene Mason-Hollier and Mrs Rebecca Jorgesen for stepping into this temporary role until the end of term 4. Thank you too to Mrs Ilona Shewell for going above and beyond over the past week as we find a new normal in the school office.

Have a great weekend! Blessings,

Chris Mitchell
Principal
principal@cornerstone.ac.nz





SCHOOL NOTICES



Planning for 2022

We are planning for 2022! If your child will **not** be returning to Cornerstone in Term 1 2022, please let the office know ASAP. Thank you.



Cleaning Staff WANTED

We are seeking four friendly, motivated persons to form our cleaning team at Cornerstone Christian School commencing January 2022. The positions are part time, working 3 – 4 hours per day Monday to Friday mainly outside school hours. One of the positions may include team leader. Extra hours during school holidays may be required but are negotiable.

The successful applicant must:

- Support and uphold the Special Character of the school.
- Be honest and hardworking and take pride in their work.
- Have a high level of attention to detail.

- Have a 'can do' attitude.
- Be a team player, flexible, organized, can multi-task and have a good sense of humour.
- Some experience is preferred but training will be provided and certification can be attained.

The successful applicants will need to be police vetted in accordance with school policy and be fully vaccinated under the Government mandate requirements for Covid 19.

Remuneration will be paid in accordance with the School Caretakers', Cleaners' and Canteen Staff Collective Agreement. If you would like to become a member of our passionate staff then please email a cover letter outlining your suitability for the role along with your CV to: accounts@cornerstone.ac.nz.

Applications close December 15th 2021.



Primary Athletics Day - Friday 19th November

Primary Athletics Day will be held on Friday 19th November. Children will need to have a hat, drink bottle and sunscreen and come to school wearing their tribe colours. Unfortunately, due to Covid restrictions, parents <u>are not</u> able to attend the athletics day this year. Thank you for your understanding.

Year 10 students Olivia Stewart and Olivia McIntyre extracting DNA from kiwifruit.



Student of the Week Certificate

Congratulations to the following students who received the Student of the Week Certificate:

Manahau

- D2 Mikaylah Meyer and Rosy Chan
- D3 Eli Van der Werff and Gabriella Varghese Bose
- D5 Rozlyn Wucherpfennig and Isabella King
- D6 Cody Measey and Judah Reid



THE 2021 CORNERSTONE YEARBOOK

Over 50 pages of sporting, and cultural events.

Tribe days and dress up days. Class photos and
Year 13 quotes. Balls and ball games.

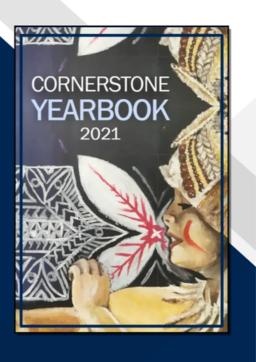
And maybe even Tiger.

Order now. Pickup at Prize Giving

ORDER BY 22ND NOV

Order at kindo.co.nz

\$10





Juicies for Sale - Every Friday

The CFG will be fundraising for the school by selling Juicies every Friday for the remainder of Term 4. These can be purchased via myKindo for \$2 each. (NOT THROUGH THE SCHOOL OFFICE)

Please order before Thursday's 6pm in order to receive them the following day.

Payment Preferences

Whilst cash is still 'Legal Tender' in NZ, we would prefer where possible that you use eftpos or Direct Debit to Cornerstone Christian School: 02 0727 01548520 00. Please use your child's name as the reference and what the payment is for. This is for anything you usually pay at the school office, eg uniform. *Please do not pay Attendance Dues to this account.* Sports fees and other miscellaneous items are to be paid via myKindo. Thank you.



Christmas Boxes

A5 were learning about the value of kindness last term, and the children came up with the idea of filling a shoebox with toys to give to children in need in Palmerston North. Over the last few months, they collect things and filled up shoeboxes to give away. On Tuesday, Teriria from He Kete Aroha Backpack Outreach, came to collect the shoeboxes to take to the Women's Refuge for the children who have had to leave their homes.



Scholastic Book Club

The final Scholastic Book Club brochure for the year (#8) is available now. Orders can be placed online only. **Orders for free delivery to school close at the end of week 6.** Please note the short window for <u>ordering this time around.</u> View the brochure on the Scholastic website or a paper copy can be collected from the student side of the school office. Any questions? See Mrs Sutherland in D3 or email <u>janes@cornerstone.ac.nz</u> Thank you!

We recognise that some of the themes in the Scholastic Book Club do not meet with our Christian principles. Can parents please exercise discretion around what your children are choosing to purchase.

Harriet Oldfield D3

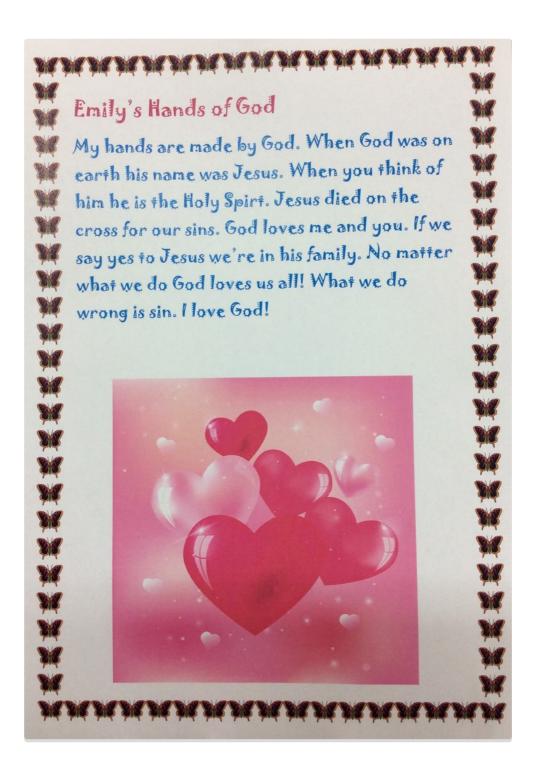


Lost PE T-Shirt

Charlotte Hince's PE T-Shirt has been misplaced. It has the number 49 on the back of it. Please check your child's PE T-Shirt. If found, please return to Charlotte in 8TR or to the school office. Thank you.

Lost Polar Fleece

Kaylee Waller has lost her size 12 Polar Fleece in the Gym. It has her name written in silver marker inside. Could you please check your child's polar fleece in case they have picked it up by mistake. If found, please return to Kaylee in C4 or to the school office. Thank you





Computer Monitors for Sale

The school is in the process of changing over from desktop to laptop computers, for classrooms.

We have lots of 19" LCD Monitors that we would like to sell, to help pay for laptops.

These can be purchased for \$20 each.

Please contact Paul Jorgensen (<u>paul@cornerstone.ac.nz</u>) if you are interested.

The music rooms have two upright pianos that we would like to have taken away.

One has two of its original candle holders.

Both are cast iron frames which are around 120kg.

The tone of the newer one isn't bad but the 3 lower keys actions don't work.

The older one is fully playable and would also be ok to learn on at the beginning stages.

Alternatively you can get \$20 or \$80 for them if you scrap them depending on metal prices but there is some labour involved.





Used Toys Needed

One of our gateway employers, St Vinnies', are in need of good quality secondhand toys to make available for parents struggling to afford Christmas presents this year.

If, during any spring cleaning or clear outs you may be having of children's bedrooms, you come across toys you feel would be suitable, St Vinnies' opposite-ish KFC on Rangitikei Street would be most grateful. ©

Cultures Day 2021







Please Support Our Valued Sponsors

Please support Streetwise Coffee and Mouthwater Coffee Company, valued sponsors of Cornerstone's Positive Behaviour for Learning (PB4L) programme!



Order online by 9am for delivery Friday

ezlunch MENU

Cornerstone Christian School / Term 4 2021



43 Princess Street Palmerston North 06-355 2787

6 INCH SUBS	(3.50)
Ham 6 inch	\$6.90
Roast Beef 6 inch	\$8.50
Turkey 6 inch	\$8.70
Veggie Delight 6 inch	\$7.00
Pizza 6 inch	\$7.10
Chicken Strips 6 inch	\$8.90
Veggie Patty 6 inch	\$8.50
FOOTLONG SUBS	
Ham Footlong	\$11.00
Roast Beef Footlong	\$13.20
Turkey Footlong	\$13.70
Pizza Footlong	\$12.00
Veggie Delight Footlong	\$10.80
Chicken Strips Footlong	\$13.80
Veggie Patty Footlong	\$13.20
MINI SUBS	
Ham Mini	\$4.40
Roast Beef Mini	\$4.40
Turkey Mini	\$4.40
Pizza Mini	\$4.40
Veggie Delight Mini	\$4.40
6 INCH WHITE WRAP	
Ham White Wrap	\$6.90
Roast Beef White Wrap	\$8.50
Turkey White Wrap	\$8.70
Pizza White Wrap	\$7.10
Veggie Delight White Wrap	\$7.00
Chicken Strips White Wrap	\$8.90
Veggie Patty White Wrap	\$8.50

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Ham GF Wrap	\$8.40
Roast Beef GF Wrap	\$10.00
Turkey GF Wrap	\$10.20
Pizza GF Wrap	\$8.60
Veggie Delight GF Wrap	\$8.50
Chicken Strips GF Wrap	\$10.40
Veggie Patty GF Wrap	\$10.00
EXTRAS	
Cookies	\$1.30
SPC Fruit Crush	\$2.70
Mini Water Pump 400ml	\$3.20
Primo Chocolate 325ml	\$3.20
Primo Chocolate 500ml	\$4.00

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Need help? Visit support.mykindo.co.nz or call toll free 0800 EZLUNCH (09-869 5200) 8am-4pm Mon-Fri (except public holidays)

SPORTS NOTICES

Year 6 Table Tennis Team

Congratulations to our Year 6 boys Table Tennis team, who have been placed in the recent interschool competition.



Summer Adults/Secondary Netball

For more info check out the Netball Manawatu website: <u>Netball</u> Manawatu - Home



Netball Umpires Wanted

Are you keen to continue developing your umpiring skills, receive umpire coaching if requested, and join us for some netball fun this off-season?

The team at Netball Manawatu are looking for umpires for our up-and-coming InspireNet Summer Social Competition.

Tuesday Evenings (Starting 2nd November for 6-weeks).

For more information or to sign up to umpire this fun social competition please email rebecca@netballmanawatu.org.nz.

* Umpires who are keen but are also playing in the competition will be allocated games in the round that they are not playing!



Hockey Manawatu Summer Camp

Hockey Manawatu are having an Under 18 Summer Camp over the Christmas holidays. If you are interested please go to www.hockeymanawatu.org.nz to register.

UPCOMING EVENTS

- Year 1-6 Athletics Friday 19th November
- Last Day of School for Year 11-13 Students Friday 19th November
- TEACHER ONLY DAY Tuesday 30th November
- Year 1-6 Prizegiving Monday 13th December 1.00pm-3.00pm (Parents not Permitted under Level 2)
- **Year 7-13 Prizegiving** Tuesday 14th December 1.00pm-3.00pm (Parents not Permitted under Level 2)
- Top Tribe Event Wednesday 15th December



2021 & 2022 TERM DATES & PRIZEGIVING DATES

2021 Term Dates

Term 4: Monday 18th October - Wednesday 15th December (Finish at 12pm)

(Please note the below dates have been switched, so that the Primary Prizegiving is first)

Year 1-6 Prizegiving: Monday 13th December - 1pm in the School Gym Year 7-13 Prizegiving: Tuesday 14th December - 1pm in the School Gym

2022 Term Dates

Term 1: Friday 4th February (Finish at 1.30pm) - Thursday 14th April

Term 2: Monday 2nd May - Friday 8th July

Term 3: Monday 25th July - Friday 30th September

Term 4: Monday 17th October - Friday 16th December (Finish at 12pm)



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.

COMMUNITY NOTICES

Community based Conservation Study

I'm Charlotte Sextus, and as part of my PhD in Environmental Management at Massey University, I would like to invite you to participate in a survey exploring environmental volunteering in the Manawatu.

Community-based environmental groups make a significant contribution to biodiversity conservation in New Zealand. This survey aims to help us understand why people volunteer for environmental groups. These findings will be useful for groups seeking to recruit more volunteers to help protect our local environment.

The survey should take about 10 minutes to complete. Participation is <u>completely voluntary</u>, and all responses will remain <u>completely anonymous</u>.

To participate please use the link below:

https://massey.au1.gualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_87fjPQkllVZ8T8g

If you would prefer a printed version of the survey please just email me at charlotte.przybylski@gmail.com or you can pick one up from the ENM office on 145 Cuba St, Palmerston North.

Many thanks for your help, without which this research would not be possible.

Reusable Face Masks for Sale \$10 each

3 layered Cotton facemasks for sale with adjustable ear elastic & mouldable wire over the nose.

4 sizes available:

XS - 3 - 7 years

S-8-12 years

M - Teenager & Ladies

L - Men

Available at George Street Collective (opposite the back of the Library)

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.**



PALMERSTON NORTH CHRISTMAS PARADE

Hey kids! Want to take part in the Christmas Parade?

We have a category for decorated bikes. So get you and your bike all looking like Christmas and you could win a prize. All entrants get to take part in the parade.

Entry conditions—you need to be between 4 and 12 years old, and have a bike that you can ride around the speedway track. (You can bring a big person to walk with you if you need one). You will need to wear a helmet, so plan your design around that.

Only 50 bikes can go in the parade, so be quick to save your place! Go to **www.pnchristmasparade.org.nz** to enter online.

5th December 2021 2pm Parade Start





United Junior Cricket Club

United Junior Cricket Club is a family-friendly club where children can learn, love, and have fun playing cricket. We foster a strong team spirit, encourage sportsmanship, and enjoy healthy competition. We have teams for years 2-8, with games on a Tuesday afternoon or Saturday morning. We'd love you to join us for the 2022 season, starting February.

Enquire now! Email <u>unitedjcc.pn@gmail.com</u> Facebook United Junior Cricket Club.

School Bus Drivers Wanted!



- A Class 2 Licence or P endorsement preferred or
- A Full Class 1 Licence for at least two years. (Full training provided)

To apply call Craig on

027 287 2747





Enrolments Open for 2022

\$130 per child for 26 lessons!

Or \$120 if enrolled and paid before Saturday Nov 27th.

Year 3 - 8 children learn to play:

cello*, clarinet*, drums, flute*, french horn*, guitar, ukulele, junior flute (fife), keyboard, recorder, saxophone*, trombone*, trumpet* and violin* (with specific* instruments available to hire for \$85)

And Music Basics lessons for ages 4-6

Information and enrolments at:

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contact@saturdaymusic.org.nz

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