

School Newsletter

Term 4 – Week 5

Cornerstone Christian School – 17 November 2022

Colossians 3:2

"Set your minds on things above, not on earthly things."

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PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Dear Parents, Caregivers and Whānau,

Last week I had the privilege of attending the year 6 camp at Camp Rangī Woods with Mr Henderson, Miss Tongs and a fantastic bunch of parents and students. Wow, what an awesome time was had by all - one that will no doubt form a whole lot of positive memories for our Cornerstone students in future years.

I wish you could have been there with us when we walked up to the glow worm grotto on Wednesday night and could have listened to our students giving thankful prayers to the incredible God who created such wonder!

Here are a few photos from the Year 6 camp



Tug of War



Tall tree



Water bomb catapult

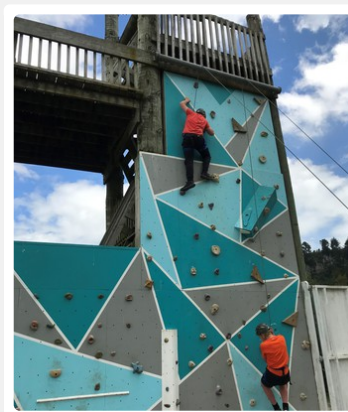
Yesterday our year 8 students returned from their camp at Mi-Camp at Whakamaru, and while I haven't caught up with the students themselves to hear their stories, I have heard snippets that likewise, it was an incredible time of fun, laughter and challenge (and perhaps a touch of sleep deprivation!).



Kayaking



Biking



Wall climb

Teacher Only Days Coming Up

Please don't forget that Cornerstone Christian School will be closed for instruction on Friday 25th November and Monday 28th November to allow our teachers to carry out programmes of professional development. Please contact Kelvin Kids After School Care (Ph 021 357 864) if you are stuck for supervision on these two days.

Appointments

I would like to take a moment to let our school community know about several staff and student appointments that we have made recently:

.Congratulations to year 12 student Caragh Aspden for being appointed as Student Representative to the Board of Trustees for the remainder of 2022 and 2023.

· Welcome to Mrs Rachel Hockly, our new year 5 teacher (room C2) for 2023. Rachel has been one of our incredible relievers this year at Cornerstone and a past staff member also. Welcome back Rachel!!

· Welcome to Mrs Tara Thomas who will relieve long term in year 5 during 2023 as Mrs Jae Lee goes on maternity leave at the beginning of 2023. Tara currently at North Street School in Feilding and has also taught previously at Cornerstone Christian School.

· Welcome to Mr Johan Oelofse who will teach mathematics and digital technology in the secondary school, replacing Mr Gareth Bell who will sadly be leaving us at the end of the year.

· Welcome back to Mrs Aileen Theron who will be teaching the new entrant class from terms 2 to 4. Aileen is currently teaching our littlies in room A1 and doing a fantastic job!

Next Friday we will be holding interviews for our new food technology teacher as we farewell Naomi Hall, Gosia Wiatra and Aneta Reuter. Please pray with us that we can appoint the right new person to our team from the candidates who have applied.

Have a great weekend!

Blessings,

Chris Mitchell

Principal

SCHOOL NOTICES

Primary School Student of the Week Certificates - Week 4

Congratulations to the following students who received the Student of the Week Certificate in Week 4.

Aroha

A1: Sophia and Jemimah

A2: Katie and William

A3: Ryan and Jericho

A4: Olive and Phineas

A5: Abigail and Aliya

D1: Alice and Aquila

Manahau

D2: Jack G and Kenzie G

D3: Liam S and Roman S

D5: Lakita L and Charlie W

D6: Amalie L and Elijah L



YES Awards

Business Studies Learners Excel at Manawatū Young Enterprise Scheme Regional Final Awards 2022

The annual Young Enterprise Scheme (YES) Manawatū Regional Finals event was held on 3 November 2022.

Learners were tasked to start and operate their businesses of choice as part of the business studies programme in collaboration with YES. The learners needed to create a marketing plan, design a logo, do market research, source suppliers, conduct marketing activities and sell their products at markets, online and/or in person. They also had to conclude the year with an annual review which was audited by businesspeople and auditors in the workforce.

On the night the finalists had to pitch their businesses and annual reviews in front of judges and guests.

Cornerstone Christian School's business studies learners represented 2 of the total 5 teams at this year's final. The two teams were Hannah Ashburner and Anna Taylor-Brock (i am) and Bethany Feldon (Words of Worth).

On this day the respective teams of Cornerstone Christian School received various awards. Diane and Loisi (Sei) received the Highly Commended Award.

Bethany Feldon (Words of Worth) received the Marketing - Social Media Award, Social Enterprise Award, and Top Score - Annual Review Award, as well as the Manawatū Whanganui Regional Runner-Up Award.

Cornerstone Christian School is very proud of these learners, for overcoming obstacles and managing their time effectively to operate a business and still fulfil all their other co-curricular activities. A huge

congratulations and thank you to every learner doing their utmost best throughout the year. You are true Cornerstone Christian School ambassadors.

Please feel free to continue supporting these businesses. You can find them on their respective social media profiles.




All School Uniforms - Monday 21st November

NZ Uniforms Ltd will take over the retail sales and supply of Cornerstone Christian School uniform from Monday 21st November. Their shop is at 589B Tremaine Avenue, Palmerston North. Contact phone number is 06 241 8017.

A limited supply of bucket hats and caps will be kept at school for emergency purchases only.

Order your 2022 Yearbook



The 2022 Yr 7-13 Yearbook


Sixty pages of Cultural Events,
Sports, Dress-up Days, Socials,
Tribes, Year 13s and Class Photos.


Price: \$15
Due Mon 5th Dec

Early Bird: \$12.50
Due Mon 28th Nov

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All School Teacher Only Days – Friday 25th November & Monday 28th November

There will be Teacher Only Days on Friday 25th November and Monday 28th November. School will be closed for instruction for all years on these days. There will be no onsite supervision for students on these days.



Kelvin After School Kids Open on Teacher Only Days

On Friday 25th November and Monday 28th November, Kelvin After School Kids will be open for the full days. Please contact Christina for more information and enrolment procedure.

Email: christina@afterschoolkids.co.nz or phone/text 021 357864.

Primary School Choir Concert – Monday 28th November



Private Music Lessons at Cornerstone Christian School 2023

Robyn Good (piano teacher-AIRMT) is offering piano lessons again at CCS in 2023. Lessons are individual half-hour sessions costing \$25 and will be held in school time in G1.1.

To find out more information, book a place for next year and start your child's musical journey please contact Robyn 021 046 3105 or goodonthepiano@gmail.com

Also, congratulations to Josh R for gaining Distinction in his recent Grade 1 Trinity piano exam and Nerine F for Merit in Grade 4. Best wishes also to Daniel S, David S, Luke F, Andrew I and Penelope W who will be taking part in the registered music teachers' Duet Fun Fest on Sunday 27th November at Freyberg High.



Scholastic Book Club #8

The LAST 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 to make sure we get the orders back before the holidays.** If your order is a GIFT you can email Mrs Sutherland and she will make sure it doesn't go to your child.

View the brochure on the Scholastic website or a paper copy can be collected from the student side of the school office while stocks last. Any questions? See Mrs Sutherland in D3 or email janes@cornerstone.ac.nz Thank you!

All School Breakfast Club on Friday Mornings

Breakfast Club is running again on Friday mornings this term. Students are invited to come to G2 from 8am on Friday mornings to enjoy some yummy breakfast together.

Thank you to Arise Church for assisting with this programme.



Primary School Aroha Children Being Collected After School

If you have arranged for someone different to collect your child from their Aroha class (year 1-2) after school, please notify their teacher so they can release your child knowing they are going home with the correct person. Aroha students can be collected by older siblings who are year 5 and up.



All School Planning for 2023

We are planning for 2023! If your child will **not** be returning to Cornerstone in Term 1 2023, please email enrol@cornerstone.ac.nz or let someone in the office know asap. Thank you.

Prayer Group

Parents and whānau are warmly invited to join our prayer group. This group meets between 9:00am and 9:30am on Monday mornings to lift the school and community before the Lord in prayer. Please join us in the Meeting Room off the main office reception area.



Prayer Items For Term 4

"I pray that from His glorious, unlimited resources He will empower you with inner strength through His Spirit." Ephesians 3:16

- * worship Him
- * look for praise points
- * Revival fire, Vision & Purpose for students, staff & families
- * Exams
- * hold fast to Faith & Truth

Preferred Payment Method

Our preferred method of payment is EFTPOS or online payments. Our account details are:

Cornerstone Christian School Account: 02-0727-0154852-00 (PLEASE DO NOT USE THIS ACCOUNT FOR ATTENDANCE DUES)



We can only accept cash if it is the exact amount of your payment. We are unable to give change as we no longer hold a cash float.

Please Support Our Valued Sponsors

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



SPORTS NOTICES

Marist Cricket - Tuesday Lunchtimes for Term 4

Neil Barnett from Marist Cricket is coming to school on Tuesday lunchtimes for the remainder of the term to run cricket skills and small games with any interested year 3-5 students. Meet him on the field by the senior playground.



Marist Cricket have spaces in their fast paced Dual Pitch format which features soft balls, plastic equipment, shirts provided and continuous play for 45 minutes. Beginners Years 3-5 are most welcome to join. Games begin on 1st November at 5pm at Ongley Park. Neil Barnett will be present.

See Marist Junior Cricket-Palmerston North Facebook page for more details.

Basketball Manawatu Mens/Boys Rep Read Sessions



**MENS/BOYS
REP READY
SESSIONS**

- FUNDAMENTAL SKILL DEVELOPMENT
- FUN AND GAMES
- PREPARE FOR REP TRIALS (TO BE HELD IN DECEMBER)

ATHLETES MUST BE 13 YEARS AND OVER
OPEN FOR U15, U17, U19 AND

\$20PP **friday november 18, 25 and december 2**
at cet arena

ARENA 4, GATE 4
PASCAL STREET
FOR MORE INFORMATION
TANIA HUNTER
BM DEVELOPMENT OFFICER
DEVELOPMENT@MANAWATU.BASKETBALL


**BASKETBALL
MANAWATU**

United Junior Cricket 2023



United Junior Cricket Club is a family-friendly club where children can learn and have fun playing cricket. We foster a strong team spirit, encourage excellent sporting conduct, and enjoy healthy competition. We have teams for years 2-8 with games on a Tuesday afternoon, Friday evening, or Saturday morning in 2023.

We'd love you to join us for the 2023 season, starting February.

Enquire now!

Email unitedjcc.pn@gmail.com Facebook [United Junior Cricket Club](https://www.facebook.com/UnitedJuniorCricketClub)

UPCOMING EVENTS

- **Primary School Athletics Day** - Friday 18 November
- **Yr 4-7 Swimming Lessons** - Monday 21 November
- **New Entrant Vision Hearing Testing** - Tuesday 22 November
- **BOT Meeting** - Tuesday 22 November - 6.30pm
- **All School Teacher Only Day - Friday 25 November - School Closed**
- **All School Teacher Only Day - Monday 28 November - School Closed**
- **Primary School Choir Concert** - Monday 28 November - 7pm - Central Baptist Church - Gold coin donation
- **PPTA Secondary Teachers Union Meeting** - Tuesday 29 November - 1:15pm - **School will remain open.**
- **Yr 6 Inter-school Athletics** - Tuesday 29 November
- **Road Patrol Orange Day Parade** - Friday 2 December
- **Yr 9 Activity Week** - Monday 5 December - Friday 9 December
- **Yr 4-7 Swimming Lessons** - Monday 5 December
- **Yr 10 Camp** - Tuesday 6 December - Friday 9 December
- **Yr 5 Beach Safety Trip** - Thursday 8 December
- **Yr 6 Beach Safety Trip** - Friday 9 December
- **Yr 7-8 Performance Evening** - Friday 9 December
- **Yr 13 Graduation Supper** - Saturday 10 December
- **Yr 4-7 Swimming Lessons** - Monday 12 December
- **Yr 10 Forestry Big Day Out** - Tuesday 13 December
- **All School Top Tribe Day** - Wednesday 14 December
- **Primary School Prizegiving** - Thursday 15 December - 1pm
- **Middle and Senior School Prizegiving** - Thursday 15 December - 6.30pm
- **Final Assembly & Carols** - Friday 16 December - 11.15am
- **School Finishes for 2022** - Friday 16 December - 12pm

2022/2023 TERM DATES

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

Term 1 2023: Monday 30th January - Thursday 6th April



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

City Library Summer Reading Programme 2022-23



TŪ MAI KITE TĀKARO! GAME ON!

Ngā Paki o Rēhua 2022-2023
Summer Reading Programme 2022-23



PĀNUI, TĀKARO, PIRO!
READ, PLAY, SCORE!

*THIS SUMMER
with our
reading programmes*

Summer Reading for ages 4-10
&
iRead for ages 11-13

Monday 5 December 2022 to
Thursday 26 January 2023

Registrations open
9am Monday 21 November 2022

visit citylibrary.pncc.govt.nz

Limited Places Available

PN Christmas Parade - Sunday 4th December



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 parade route (approx. 900m). 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.

4th December 2022

2pm Parade Start



Gumboots Brass and Wind Summer Camp 2023

GUMBOOTS BRASS AND WIND ENSEMBLE 2023

SAVE THE DATE SUMMER CAMP



Thursday 12 January to Saturday 14 January 2023

Where will it be? Help us choose the best spot for your band

Taihape OR Palmerston North OR ???

Cost per player \$100 for tuition and lunch over three days.

Seats are limited, so register your interest early

Register your interest **by 15 November 2022** to be in the draw
for a free lesson with Harmen Vanhoorne*

*details of lesson to be by mutual arrangement

REGISTER NOW Text your name, your choice of location and GUMBOOTS
to 021 689 005 or email us at gumbootsbrassandwind@gmail.com

About our lead tutor **Harmen Vanhoorne**

Renowned across the globe as one of the world's finest brass players and educators, Harmen conducts Auckland's premiere A Grade brass band, North Shore Brass and was the musical director of the 2020/2021 National Secondary Schools Brass Band. In September 2021, Harmen has partnered with a team of passionate individuals across the Lower North Island to create opportunities for young players in their region through a network of workshops, concerts and camps.

COVID-19 government guidelines will apply to this event.

For further information about the Gumboots Brass and Wind Ensemble project
e: gumbootsbrassandwind@gmail.com or Kathy 021 689 005



Palmy Kid's Tri Series - February 2023



I Tri'd the Tri Series

KIDS TRIATHLON

For Kids 4-12 Years

**Register at
www.triclub.co.nz**

Brain Play Online

Brain Play teaches online after-school science & technology classes to Kiwi kids aged 5 - 13, from right across the country! Online topics this term include 3D printing, coding, animation, STEM experiments, LEGO & more. Free trials available for new students. Check out our timetable on our website and use the form to get in touch - <https://www.brainplay.co.nz/>.



Saturday Music Enrolments - Early Bird Price Ends 27th November



Enrol Now!

**Earlybird subscriptions for
classes starting in 2023:**

\$120 for 27 lessons

These classes are available:

cello, choir, clarinet, drums, flute, french horn, guitar,
ukulele, junior flute (fife), keyboard, music basics, orchestra,
recorder, saxophone, trombone, trumpet and violin.

**Final enrolment day at PNINS on
11th February, 9:00am - 11:30am**

www.saturdaymusic.org.nz

contact@saturdaymusic.org.nz

Visit our website or facebook page for specific course details and updates!

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Has your tamariki got a sticky, puffy eye?

Bacterial Conjunctivitis is very common, particularly among younger children, and can be easily treated with eyedrops.

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You can get free treatment
for tamariki aged 2-13
from your local
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