

SCHOOL WEBSITE (www.cromprimary.school.nz) and SCHOOL FACEBOOK PAGE (Cromwell Primary School)

School newsletters, what's happening this week, classrooms blogs and more can be found on the website. Important information is posted on the facebook page. Please check here for information first!

COMING UP

- **Fri 28 Sept**
 - **MUFTI DAY!!!! Gold Coin Donation**
 - Hārewa 1 & 2 Assembly, 2:30pm in The Hub
 - Hārewa 4 & 5 Assembly, 2:30pm in H4
 - SOKs Sausage Sizzle. \$2 per sausage to outside Ako before school
 - Permission slips due back for Kapa Haka Central Lakes Polyfest
 - Last Day Term 3
- **Mon 15 Oct** - First day Term 4
- **Sun 21 Oct** - Cromwell Half Marathon
- **Thurs 25 Oct** - Murihiki Polyfest in Queenstown
- **Fri 26 Oct** - Disco
- **Tues 6 Nov** - School Athletics
- **Thurs 20 Dec** - Last Day Term 4

CONSTRUCTION SET TO BEGIN

Please be aware that the construction for the new classrooms is about to commence. This will mean the following:

- A safety fence will be erected around the whole site which will clearly mean that the site is out of bounds both during and outside school operating hours.
- The trees from the Junction Suite down to Austin Place will be removed during site preparation.
- Parking spaces have been organised as follows:
 - Monaghan Street - both sides of the street from the crossing to Ray Street will be available for drop off/pick up.
 - Molyneux Ave - the area between the entrance to our school car park and the corner of Monaghan Street (school side) will be available for drop off/pick up. NO long term parking please.
- Staff have agreed to leave the above areas free for pick up/drop off and are using alternative parking spaces during the construction period.
- There will be more traffic due to our construction site so please **don't**:
 - Double park
 - Park on yellow lines
 - Park on the opposite side of the road to school and call your children across the busy road
 - Long term park in our pick up/drop off areas that have been created to keep everyone safe and to keep traffic flowing

FIREWOOD FOR SALE - Fundraiser for School Camps 2019

The Silver Birch and Cedar trees that have been removed due to construction site preparation, have been cut up into rings and are available for purchase by the trailer load (\$60/m³). Please contact the school by 3pm tomorrow (Friday) to register your interest in purchasing a load. We will contact people in order of their registration based on how much wood is available. Wood will be available for pick up from school on Saturday 29 September. Cash payment only.

SENIOR SCHOOL CAMPS 2019

Due to our growing roll, we are having two separate camps for our Years 5&6 students in Ako from 2019 onwards.

The Year 5 students 2019 (current Year 4 students) are invited to attend a five-day camp at Camp Columba from Monday 18th March to Friday 22nd March 2019. Details about this camp will be available at the beginning of Term One, 2019.

The Year 6 students 2019 (current Year 5 students) are invited to attend a camp at Aoraki/Mt Cook, from Tuesday 19th February to Friday 22nd February 2019. As this camp is very early in Term One, the organisation for this camp is starting now.

Thank you to all the parents who have offered their time to come on camp as parent helpers. We have had over 20 offers but only 7 parent helpers are required. We will be holding a ballot early in Term 4 to determine parent helpers for the camp and will let you know the outcome then.

Full or part payments for camp are welcome any time from now as per details in the camp notice. Should you require financial assistance, please get onto this early and make contact with Wendy, Tegan or Louise. Anyone interested in fundraising to reduce the amount to pay, please contact Louise Haig.

KAPA HAKA

All children involved in kapa haka have been working together for the last two weeks in preparation for the Central Lakes Polyfest in Queenstown on Thursday 25th October, next term. Permission slips to attend this performance MUST be returned by Friday 28th September (last day) so arrangements can be completed!

LOST PROPERTY

The lost property bin is overflowing. All items will be placed on the tennis courts today and tomorrow for parents to come and check if any belong to their children. Un-named uniform will be donated to the second-hand uniform shop and non-uniform items will be donated to the Salvation Army Shop.

GUITAR

Guitar Lesson fees will be increasing next term to \$45 per term (8 lessons minimum).

ACROSS THE BRIDGE - Cromwell Primary mural painting

A group of 10 students from Cromwell Primary School will meet to paint their mural design under the guidance of Clyde artist Maxine Williams at the Bannockburn Community Church, 33 Hall Road, Bannockburn Sunday 30th September @ 10.00am – 12 noon and 1.30 – 3.30pm, children to be there by 9:30am. Bring a packed lunch and drink. Sunscreen and everything else will be supplied. Anyone who wants to help finish it after lunch is welcome.

DISCO

Friday 26 October, Halloween Disco, Cromwell Sports Club – Barry Ave. Permission slips (to be issued next term) and money to be brought in on Friday morning before school outside AKO (opposite tennis courts). Juniors (Yr 0-3) 5:30pm - 6:30pm, Seniors (Yr 4-6) 6:45pm - 8pm. \$3 per child or \$5 per family, \$1 lolly mixtures, \$1 & \$2 flashing toys available.

FOUND

At Cadrona in the snow centre, a white helmet with Grant – Cromwell Primary on it. It's ready to be collected. Contact Lauren Teasdale NZSki Ltd, T: 0800697547, Email: info@nzski.com.

JEWELLERY AND BEADING WORKSHOP

Kate is holding a fun jewellery and beading workshop in the Presbyterian Church, Cromwell, for 5 yrs and upwards.

Thursday 4th October, Junior session 5 - 7 yrs 10am - midday \$20. 7 - 12 years 1pm - 3.30pm \$25.

Thursday 11th October 10am - 3.30pm 6yrs - 12yrs \$45, half session \$25.

Friendship and unisex Survival bracelets, earrings, pendants, crystal sun catchers, bracelets etc. All materials supplied. Limited spaces, booking essential. 03 445 4482 or txt Kate 0278464579 for more info.

CENTRAL OTAGO SWIM SCHOOL

Central Otago Swim School is running holiday lessons from 1 October to and including the 5 October 2018. If you would like to enrol please email us at centralswimschool@codc.govt.nz or phone or text us on 021 490 264.

ATHLETICS IN ALEXANDRA

Athletics in Alexandra is starting on 15 Oct with registration and activities at the Stadium at 5.45 – 7pm 2nd club night is 29th Oct (due to Labour day 22nd) then weekly to Dec 10th

Also AGM for club on 1st October 7.30 at the Stadium Tavern, we need new committee members and helpers, For info or apologies contact Norman Marsh on 0274320691

CROMWELL HOCKEY CLUB KIDS SUMMER LEAGUE PROGRAMME

Ideal for anyone wanting to try hockey or existing players to keep your skills up. For students Year 3-8. \$20. Tuesdays 3.30-4.30. Commencing 30 October - 27 November. Sticks available to borrow. To register email the following details to Cromwellhockeyclub@gmail.com; Name, Age, School year, Club player: Y/N. Inquiries to Viv Buchanan 027-649-1074

TENNIS

If you are interested in: Friday Afterschool Competition, Afterschool Group Coaching, Saturday Morning Club Coaching or Saturday Morning Beginners Learn to Play Games Group, please register your interest with Coach Wally at wallyandmaria3@gmail.com or 0274368562

AFTERSCHOOL CARE

Spaces available for Home-Based AFTER SCHOOL CARE, for Cromwell Primary students. (situated very close to the school). 3pm - 5.30pm on Monday, Wednesday, Thursday. I have a lot of experience in child care, and can provide a warm secure home environment, with daily activities for your child in the afternoons. Taking bookings for up to 4 children per day only. Please text or phone me to discuss further. Rachel - 027 684 2680