

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 26 Oct**
 - Swimming Hārewa 1-7
 - Kārearea Assembly with K4, 11:50am in the Junction Suite
 - SOKs Disco - payment before school outside Ako
- **Mon 29 Oct**
 - Swimming Hārewa 1-7
 - School Athletics trials 7-11 yr olds 9:15am-11am
- **Tues 30 Oct** - School Athletics trials 7-11 yr olds 9:15am-11am
- **Wed 31 Oct**
 - School Athletics trials 7-11 yr olds 9:15am-11am
 - Scholastic Book Club Orders due in
- **Fri 2 Oct**
 - Science Road Show, Yrs 5&6 at Cromwell College
 - Swimming Hārewa 1-7
 - SOKs Sausage Sizzle. \$2 per sausage to outside Ako before school

BUS

We have been advised that the bus company is looking at their procedures with regards to children being met by parents when getting off the bus. The recommendation is that they are to be met by a caregiver, but this may become a requirement. Please let your bus driver know if you are happy for your child to get off the bus without a parent meeting them.

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.

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.

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.

CROMWELL STREET PARTY AND FIREWORKS

It's time to welcome the summer months with the annual Cromwell Street Party and Fireworks on Friday, 2 November. This fun family event starts at 5:30 pm with a vibrant night market in the Heritage Precinct. There will be a great assortment of food to cater to everyone's taste, and also a range of entertainment and fun activities to keep the kids busy! Many of the shops and restaurants will also be open. Once the sun has set, the festivities will culminate in a fantastic fireworks display over the Kawarau arm of Lake Dunstan.

CROMWELL BIKE PARK FUNDRAISER

Cromwell Bike Park fundraiser to up-grade tracks. A fun, family event in Cromwell on 11 November. If your family loves the bike park, we'll see you there! See details and an image here https://m.facebook.com/story.php?story_fbid=10156138609093920&id=135763483919

PIPPINS

Looking for adventurous 5 and 6 year old girls to join Cromwell Pippins. At Pippins, girls develop awareness of the world around them, learn new things about themselves, other people and the environment. We meet on Thursdays at Lowburn Hall from 4.00 to 5.00pm. Fees are \$85 per term. Please contact pippins.cromwell@gmail.com.

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

CROMWELL FARMERS & CRAFT MARKET - HALLOWEEN MARKET

The Cromwell Farmers & Craft Market is back this Sunday, 28 October with a themed market of "Spooky Sunday". Join us this Sunday at the Market for our special Halloween market where children dressed in costumes can visit stall holders for some trick or treating. Our stall holders will be there to sell their products including local cheese, produce, lamb, eggs, plants for the garden, baked goods, yummy preserves, and quality crafts. If you are hungry, there will be take away food and drinks available with tables and chairs spread throughout the precinct to encourage people to relax and enjoy the market atmosphere. Our live entertainment this week is with talented musician Emma Rankin from 10 am to 12 noon. We encourage all locals to regularly enjoy the Sunday morning markets with the unique and beautiful setting of the Cromwell Historic Precinct every Sunday through Easter. For more information about the market, visit the market's Facebook page or email cromwellmarketnz@gmail.com

TENNIS

If you are interested in: Friday After school 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

HOME BASED AFTER SCHOOL 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