



# Westport South School

## Newsletter

Week 11 Term 2  
23 June 2020

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The term has been a long one and children and staff are tired and ready for a break. We have found that most children's learning has not suffered because of the lockdown, some are still a little slow and reluctant to put pen to paper. I am sure that after the holidays we will back into the swing of things.

**There will be no fruit for the last week of term.** The suppliers are finding it hard to source at present.

Sorry we will not have subway orders at school until they start at 8am instead of 9am, as they can not promise the bread will be ready in time. You can order from Arkwrights on a Wednesday and Sausage Sizzle on a Friday \$2.00 for a drink and \$2.00 for a sausage.

I am once again urging you to look at the garments your children are wearing to school. Our colours are blue and red—Blue bottoms and jerseys and red shirts. There are far too many children not wearing what is expected with a rainbow of colours going past my office on a daily basis. Our uniform is not expensive so I feel there is no excuse. If your child has grown you will have the holidays to acquire bigger sizes.



School Cross Country will be held on Monday 29th June **Postponement Day: Tuesday 30 June, Thursday 2 July:**

Programme:

10.00am: Morning Tea

10.20am: Bell goes. Children to class.

10.22am: Race briefing: This will be completed via Google Meet (Craig will send the link).

10.30am: Race 1!

Children to wear HOUSE colours.

Children will race in their 'Year' group. Boys will start; girls will start one minute after the boys. Order of events - Year 8,7,1,2,3,4,5,6. Year 1, 2 and 3 students will have a Year 7 or 8 student run in front of them.

Children will watch from in front of their classrooms.

Parents will be able to view the races from the field.

Postponement: made by 8.30am.

House Lunch (after the last race – approx. 12.30pm): House lunch: Houhere: Under the scooter court tree; Rata: Middle school lunch area. Kowhai: Senior lunch area. Konini: Room 7 and 8. If the cross country is on but it is too cold - House lunch will be cancelled.

**Volunteer Week:** This week is volunteer week. We would like to thank all of our volunteers that help out with camps, sports teams, on trips and in classrooms. Without your help it would not be possible to run the events we do or give children the extra assistance to support their learning.



**Just a reminder that we have no problem with Parents paying off their account at the school office.**

**Bank account number 03 1354 0404349 00 please make sure that you put your child's name as the reference.**



**Room 6 creating awareness regarding 'POLLUTION- Types, Causes and Preventive Measures' through project work.**



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# Junior Winter Tournament

**SUNDAY 26 July 2020**

**CORONATION PARK  
(NEXT TO NORTH SCHOOL)**



Buller Junior football will once again be running a winter football tournament starting on Sunday 26th July 2020 .Registrations will be taken through each of the schools.

We will be taking registrations from players from year 1 to year 11 for the tournament . Cost is \$20 We will also be doing training and fun games for preschool children. Cost is \$5 per child.

Registrations can also be done by emailing me on : [bullerjuniorfootball1@gmail.com](mailto:bullerjuniorfootball1@gmail.com)  
Any queries contact Terry McLellan 0n 02102312588.





**Room 5 dressed up as Superheroes on Friday for letter S. They all had lots of fun completing missions and doing perimeter checks.**



29th June Whole School Cross Country.

30 June Board of Trustees Meeting 5.30

Term two finishes on Friday 3rd July

Term three starts Monday 20th July.



## Principal Awards:

Connor Ashton: A positive attitude towards school. Thanks for offering more ideas and completing work to a high standard.

Ayda Jackson: Great participation during maths lessons.

Rumer Avery: Making a huge effort with all written work! I love your stories Rumer.

Kieran Ashton: Working so hard to make very good progress in reading.

Rachael Craddock: Excellent understanding and standard of work in reading.

Morris Campey: His enthusiasm to learn in Maths and to articulate his learning.

Raymond Shierny: His excellent work effort and completing all tasks.

Asher Jones: Great work in reading and writing during Term 2.

Alex Marshall: Showing kindness and consideration toward others in the classroom. Thank you.

Jessie Barlow: Always showing HEART by helping others, taking responsibility for her learning and having a positive attitude at all times.

Maddox McLean: Making a huge effort with all written work this week.

Emily-Jane Walsh: Careful manipulation of maths activities.

Ava Olsen: Making a fantastic start back at Westport South School! Ka Pai!

Special Principal Awards: Archie Adams.

Reading Recovery Award: Lleyton Acklin.

Welcome To: Rachel Rockell .

The Buller Anglican Parish Messy Church:  
First Sunday of Month 4-6pm Now running again  
at COVID alert Level 1. St John's Anglican  
Church cnr Queen and Lyndhurst street.  
Open to all generations. Contact 789 8348 or  
bulleranglican@xtra.co.nz for further information.



Buller Hockey starts on Sunday 26th July at the PERC turf. Registration forms can be picked up from the office. Please contact Andrea Aitcheson 021 2077082 or andrea\_aitch@hotmail.com for more information.