



10th March 2021, Term 1 Week 6 Roll 361

Tena koutou, greetings to everyone,

Thank you to those parents and whaanau that were able to attend parent teacher interviews over the past two days. It is a great chance for teachers and yourselves to share how your child/ren have started the school year. If you have missed an interview opportunity then please email your child's teacher for a catch up.

Streets for People road changes. We are expecting these to start taking place from the middle of next week. We have again met with children today to go over the concept, which encourages safe routes for biking, scootering and walking to school. There are specific walking and cycling/scootering drop off points. Please refer to previous communications around these drop off points and how you may be able to assist with these. We have reminded children also that just because they are deemed safe corridors they still need to be vigilant, mindful and sensible road users to ensure their safety. There will be significant parking changes around school, so I encourage you to look through previous newsletters, the large signboard at the front of the school or go to the Waipa District Council website to gain further information. We will do all we can to help ensure this trial is a success for our children and families.

With **winter sports** a couple of months away, it was great to receive feedback that many of you were able to visit a club on the weekend or have enrolled your child online for either hockey, rugby or netball. These winter sports are no longer being run by schools and are being taken on by clubs. You can **continue to enrol your child/ren online at any of the three clubs.** If you have any further queries, please refer these to our sports coordinator, Marie Dale at; sport@cambridgeprimary.co.nz

We have **Hillary and Rutherford camps** coming up in week 6, so please ensure you have completed the documentation for this. Camps at CPS are built on from the age of 5 years old where children all do an overnighter here at school. It is part of us helping grow independent and confident learners and fits within our Key competencies of Adventuring and Exploring, Citizenship, Communication, Self-Identity and Thinking. Children love camps and remembering these fondly as part of their schooling experience at CPS.

Gala is fast approaching and I know classes are working on their stalls. Please ask your children what they are doing and if they need any help with their stall. We do also require general parent help at certain times throughout the day so any help to make this a successful day would be greatly appreciated.

Curriculum Corner

This Friday teachers will be participating in a Teacher Only Day. The focus of the day will be split into three areas, and will include two outside facilitators coming to speak to us about aspects of our practise and programmes.

Staff will be looking at:

- Literacy with Sue Dymock
- Maths with Bruce Moody
- Teachers Professional Growth Model

In addition to Friday's workshop, Bruce will be in on Thursday working with the Maths Lead Team as part of our internal coaching and mentoring programme.

Sports News

CPS SWIMMING SPORTS

Hillary (7 & 8 year olds) Swimming sports will be held on Wednesday March 17th starting at 9am.

Rutherford (9 & 10 year olds) Swimming sports will be held on Friday March 19th starting at 9am. Further information was sent to Hillary and Rutherford parents/caregivers on Wednesday 10th March. Parent help will be required and much appreciated if you are able to help please email Marie Dale sport@cambridgeprimary.co.nz





WAIPA FUN RUN

We have a new date for the Waipa Fun Run that was postponed on March 7th. New date is **Sunday March 28th**. I have reopened registrations for anyone that missed out or would now like to participate.

CPS will be entering runners into the Lugtons Waipa Fun Run, Kaz Design Schools Challenge 2km, being held at Victoria Square, Cambridge. The cost is \$7 per runner and all students from year 3 - 6 are able to participate. If your child(ren) would like to participate please enter at <https://enrolmy.com/cambridge-school> before Sunday March 21st 2021. More Information about the event can be found at www.waipafunrun.co.nz

WINTER SPORTS

Winter sports are being organised by clubs from the 2021 season. There are three clubs that have taken on Primary school sports, details below. Hockey will still be run by Cambridge Mini Hockey on Fridays at St Peter's Private school starting May 14th, Cambridge Netball Centre will run the Future Ferns programme, at the Netball courts on Scott Street, Leamington, years 0-2 on Wednesday afternoons starting on May 5th, years 3-6 on Saturdays starting on May 8th. Cambridge Junior Rugby will organise the primary rugby at Memorial Park, Taylor Street, Cambridge on Saturday mornings starting May 15th. Year 6 rugby players have the choice to play in the local competition through a club or to play in the Waikato Competition playing for CJRS. To register or more information, club contacts and registration details are below.

Hautapu Sports, years 3-8 hockey, years 0-8 netball and years 0-6 rugby, hautapujuniors@gmail.com, online registrations at www.hautapusports.com/junior-sport

Leamington Rugby and Sports, years 3-8 hockey, years 0-8 netball and years 0-6 rugby, leamingtonrugbysportsclubnz@outlook.com, online registrations at www.lrsc.co.nz

TVP Sports, years 3-8 hockey, tvjuniors@gmail.com, online registrations at <https://forms.gle/Cwdr5aP8bg5Vk2Px6>

Enviro

As a school we have been looking into our food waste and how we could reduce this. Litterless lunches, reducing food waste such as unwanted sandwiches and how to sustainably dispose of food waste such as banana skins and apple cores.

Notices

GALA

Surf 4 Turf Gala 2021

Gala Fun Passes

For the amazing value of \$10 this year's Fun Pass will include: sausage sizzle, lolly kebab, Nice Block or drink, a turn on spin-the-wheel, time on the HUGE Inflatable slide and all day entry into the Petting Zoo. Fun Passes can be pre-order through this link

[GALA FUN PASS - 2021](#)

50/50 Raffle

A raffle book has been provided to each CPS family. Please sell what you can and return all money and books to the front office by TOMORROW, 11th March. Book Stall Donations required.

- If you have any second hand Good Quality books that you would like to donate for the school gala book stall, please drop off at the school office or school library. Adults and children's books are needed. Many thanks in advance.

Prize Donations

We are seeking the donation of sauces, oils, chutneys and other condiments and hamper type goodies for tombola prize packs. We would also welcome the donation of any other prizes from our Cambridge community. Please leave donated goods in the marked box in the front office or drop an email to pta@cambridgeprimary.co.nz

Communications

Please like the Cambridge Primary School PTA Facebook page for information about Gala and look out for updates on the school Facebook page too!



Donations
wanted
Please



Bottle drop for our
Gala Prizes



*All bottles must be new and unused.
These are to be used for Tombola prizes,
and other fun games at our Enviro Gala*



Up Coming Events

MUFTI DAY

When: TOMORROW, Thursday 11th March

Description: Please bring a bottle donation for our school gala.

TEACHER ONLY DAY

When: Friday 12th March

Description: School closed for Students. Four Peaks Out of school Programme will be open and you make a booking [HERE](#)

HILLARY SWIMMING SPORTS

When: Wednesday 15th March

Description: School swimming sports for the Hillary team. Come dressed in house colours with togs, towel, sunscreen and hat.

RUTHERFORD SWIMMING SPORTS

When: Friday 17th March

Description: School swimming sports for the Rutherford team. Come dressed in house colours with togs, towel, sunscreen and hat.

PTA GALA DAY

When: Saturday 20th March

Description: See attached previous page for more information pta@cambridgeprimary.co.nz

HILLARY CAMP - KAUAERANGA

When: Wednesday 24th March - Friday 26th March

carmel@cambridgeprimary.co.nz

RUTHERFORD CAMP - TOTARA SPRINGS

When: Wednesday 24th March - Friday 26th March

If you have not yet filled our your child/rens consent form please do so before this **FRIDAY 12th March**. The link to the form is [HERE](#)

gareth@cambridgeprimary.co.nz

BOT MEETING

When: Monday 29th March @ 6pm

Description: CPS board room, all welcome

admin@cambridgeprimary.co.nz

WHOLE SCHOOL ASSEMBLY

When: Friday, 16th April, 2pm

Description: School hall, All welcome.

CPS BOARD OF TRUSTEES VACANCY

Cambridge Primary School Board of Trustees - Vacancy for a parent representative

A casual vacancy has occurred on the School Board for an elected parent representative, following our former Trustee moving to Wellington. The Board has decided to fill the vacancy by selection.

However, if 10% or more of eligible voters on the school roll ask the Board, within 28 days of this notice being published, to hold a by-election to fill the vacancy, then a by-election will be held.

Request for a by-election should be sent in writing to :
Andrea Twaddle (Board Chair)

Cambridge Primary School Board of Trustees

C/- Cambridge Primary School

Cnr Wilson & Duke Streets

Cambridge 3434

by: Wednesday 7th April 2021

BOARD OF TRUSTEES - COMMUNITY COMMUNICATION

The Board of Trustees values the input of our community in making important decisions on the future direction of Cambridge Primary School, and the education experience for your children. In week 9, we will be circulating some community questionnaires to offer you the opportunity to provide feedback about our School. We encourage you to let us know your thoughts so that we can make sound strategic planning decisions.

MOVE IT CAMBRIDGE

She Moves Fitness Collective now has face-to-face group fitness training in Cambridge at Cambridge Primary School.

Join Hayley She Moves fitness trainer for Monday and Wednesday evening fitness classes.

These sessions have an emphasis on fun and are suitable for all fitness levels and abilities. Each workout is categorised to get you sweating while having a good time! From the warm-up through to the playlist, we pride ourselves on going above and beyond for every single session.

Hayley runs these fitness sessions in 6-week blocks - the next block starting March 22nd, 2021!

These fitness classes are open to anyone, come and get moving!

For more info visit www.she-moves.co.nz