



NEWSLETTER

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Important Dates

3 rd Sep	Interschool Football
4 th Sept	Home and School Meeting
14 th Sept	Y6 Fundraiser-SV Pool (more info to come)
16 th Sept	Science Roadshow - Seniors
17 th Sept	Interschool BMX
18 th Sept	Board of Trustees Meeting
19 th Sept	DanceSplash
23 rd Sept	School Assembly 2pm
25 th Sept	Upper Hutt Cultural Festival
27 th Sept	Last Day of Term 3
14 th Oct	First Day of Term 4
25 th Oct	School Closed, Upper Hutt Teacher Only Day



From the Principal

Awesome Work

Over the past few weeks I have had numerous children share their amazing work with me. Some children have **Strived for Success** in class and have moved up several levels with their learning, while other students have been going the extra mile at home with projects or various Fraser Quests. I really enjoy it when the children stop by my office and share what they have been working on with me. Keep up the fantastic effort kids!

Basicfactsathon

Our 2019 Basicfactsathon is in progress with the sponsor forms being sent home in the first week of the term. The Basicfactsathon is the biggest fundraiser for our Home and School Association each year and all the money raised goes to purchase all the extra bits that we need for our children at Fraser Crescent School. Please return your sponsorship forms and money as soon as possible to the school office. Many thanks for all your support with our Basicfactsathon.



School News

Toastie Tuesday

Our Hub will be running Toastie Tuesday for most of the term. Please ask at the office or the Hub if you would like further information. Separate notices about Toastie Tuesday are sent home each Wednesday.

Year 6 Camp Fundraiser – Stokes Valley Pool

Come along for a fun night with your family at Stokes Valley Pool to support our camp fundraising. Tickets available from the office. A big thank you to Jess Setu from Ray White Real Estate, UH for sponsoring the event.

What's on in the Hub?

This term the Hub will be running a number of different activities each week at lunchtimes. There is a theme for each week (see below). Children are encouraged to pop in and take part in the various activities that are on offer.

Week	Theme/Activity
7	International Day of Happiness
8	Maori Language Week
9	Loud Shirt Day – Deaf Awareness
10	Teacher Appreciation

Home and School Movie Night Fundraiser

Many thanks to everyone who attended our Movie Night fundraiser. I would particularly like to acknowledge the hard work of Sarah Millar who organised this event.



From the Board

August Board of Trustees Meeting Update

There are a few items of interest from our August Board meeting to share with our community. Firstly we are about to purchase a number of iPads and Chromebooks, in order to update the devices that we currently have within the school. This is timely with the launch of the digital curriculum which came out last year. I also mentioned in the previous newsletter that we are looking at purchasing some robotics and creative technology equipment for the students. The Hub 5 Report was shared with the Board which is showing a continual increase in the positive learning opportunities being offered in the Hub, and a reduction in the need to provide behavioural support for our students. Finally, a mid-year Progress Report was shared with the Board, providing an update on our 2019 Annual Plan goals which focus on our curriculum development, creating positive classrooms and student and staff well-being. A copy of the Hub 5 Report and the mid-year Progress Report are available to our community. Please feel free to email me at principal@frasercres.school.nz if you would like a digital copy of either of these documents.



Student News



The lunchtime activities in the Hub are proving very popular with the students. The photo on the left shows some children taking part in a Daffodil Day activity.

Another initiative that the Hub will be running shortly is a pop up Fraser Quest about the 2019 Rugby World Cup in Japan. This exciting Quest will provide a range of fun activities that the children can complete at home. We will also do a few optional things in school for the Rugby World Cup. A newsletter about the World Cup pop up Quest is attached to this newsletter. There will be a few spot prizes for children who take part in the Quest.



Community Notices

Upper Hutt Multicultural Council

Upper Hutt Multicultural Week 2019

Sep 30th - Oct 4th 10.30am - 12pm (School holidays)
Upper Hutt City Library (1st Floor/101, Cassie Road)

- Chinese Day – Sep 30th, Monday
- Indian Day – Oct 1st, Tuesday
- Japanese Day – Oct 2nd, Wednesday
- African Day – Oct 3rd, Thursday
- Russian Day – Oct 4th, Friday

Bring along your children. We have lots to learn & enjoy!

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TOTARA PARK SOFTBALL CLUB

2019/2020 REGISTRATIONS!

WEDNESDAY 11 SEPTEMBER 6PM-8PM

SATURDAY 14 SEPTEMBER 9AM-11.30AM

AT THE UPPER HUTT COSSIE CLUB

PAYMENT INFORMATION TO COME

WE'RE AN

ANZ OLYMPIC SCHOOL

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Ngā mihi nui,
John Channer
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