



MOSSBURN SCHOOL

Attitude is Everything

Term Two - Week Two - 9th May 2024

Important Dates

May

10 Friday Assembly 2:30pm
19 Sunday Southland Primary Schools' Swimming Sports
22 Wednesday Mid Dome Cross Country
29 Wednesday Northern Cross Country
30 Thursday BOT Meeting 5:30pm

June

3 Monday King's Birthday (School closed)
4 Tuesday TOD (Govt Mandated - School closed)
28 Friday Matariki (School closed)

July

4 July TOD (Structured Literacy)
5 Friday Term 2 Ends

Kia ora koutou,

Welcome to Week Two's newsletter.

Science

What a fantastic week we have had with Dr Sue Galloway (ex Mossburn Student - and Dux in 1972) spending a day and a half with our tamariki inspiring them with science. Science terms such as pipette, beakers, H₂O, dissolving, solutions, soluble, force, motion, mass, acceleration and diffusion were investigated. Huge thanks to REAP and our Balege Fundraiser for funding this amazing programme.



Cross Country Training

If you are able to come and help us walk to the water tower tomorrow afternoon (1.30-2.30pm), please let us know by Friday 8am so we will know whether we have enough parents or whether we will just run around the golf course as usual. Either text me (0272856252) or send a message through on HERO please.

As always, please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions, queries or concerns.

Nga mihi nui,
Tracey

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* **The Mossburn District Charitable Trust and the Whitehill Windfarm Classic Trust** for donating \$1000 each towards the cost of the Term 1 swimming lessons with Britney from Johnston Waters

Science with Sue Galloway

Kākāriki

Yesterday we did Science with Sue. We learned how to do chemical reactions. We made a solution and we put food colouring in a cup. My favourite part was when we had to mix baking soda and vinegar in a bag and watch it explode. - **Tom**

Yesterday we did science and learned how to explode things. My favourite part was when I mixed blue and green together in a test tube. I loved when we exploded the bags. -

Thea

Yesterday we did science and learned how to mix colours. My favourite part was when we mixed up colours. The colours were red, yellow, blue, green and orange. We also got coloured pens and paper towels and made patterns. There was so much to learn. -

Indie HW

Yesterday we did science. We met a lady called Sue, she taught us excellent experiments. We did a chemical reaction and we learned new science words like H₂O means water. In the end we made an explosion. It was fun and we said bye bye to Sue. - Senuli

ASSEMBLY AWARDS - Week One

Congratulations!



Pippa Klein - The Trusler Attitude is Everything Trophy for being such an amazing helper and so responsible in class

CHARM Cards completed: Jorja, Kaitlin, Arabella, Lucian, Indie, Charlie., Rubi, Hayden, Luke, George, Chloe Anne, Molly, Tawhiri and Louie.



Kākāriki class certificates:

Marcos - Making awesome basic facts progress
Vaila - using amazing wow words in her writing
Charlie - Writing some amazing stories this week



Kikorangi class certificates:

Rubi McGhie - for making great sound progress

Indie, Pippa, Kaitlin, Chloe Anne, Rubi, Skyla, Hayden and Luke for completing their holiday reading challenge



Today we created planters for our strawberries. This group of boys were able to finish theirs. Hopefully we will have plenty of strawberries to eat in the summer. - Mrs Hellewell

Cross Country training



Scholastic Bookclub

I'm away on Friday 10th May. I won't be able to process any cash orders that haven't already been sent in but will process any Loop Orders and Cash Orders already received.

Cheers
Midge

Small Sticks Hockey is back for Term 2!

Come along on Monday's 4-5 pm to the Fiordland College Artificial Turf to learn the lifelong skills of hockey.

All children are welcome from Years 3 - 8.

Starting Monday 20 May for 6 weeks excluding King's Birthday Weekend.

Cost: \$20 per person

Please register your interest to Jo Marsh by emailing fiordlandhockey@gmail.com.

Hockey sticks are available to borrow. Shin Guards are optional. Mouth guards are required.

Any questions or if you are able to help out please get in touch with Jo Marsh on 027 323 1545.

Recorder Lessons

Learn as part of a small group on Friday afternoons
3:30pm- 4.30pm at Adamson Hall, Lumsden.

Learn the basics of playing recorder and reading music.
Learn to play as in a group, keep time and play different parts. Learn about musical elements with a range of games and activities.

For 8 weeks of Term 2 - starting May 3rd, 2024.

Pupils will need their own recorder.

Cost: \$50 to \$80 per term depending on numbers.

Please contact Judy on 027 2604415 to register.