

# Soaring to Success

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NEWSLETTER: TERM 1, WEEK 6 March 12th 2025

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**Hello • Bula • Kia Ora • Namaste • Kamusta • Talofa Lava**

Welcome to week 6.

Over the past few days I have been talking to a number of children about their use of cell phones and how they are communicating with their peers. It is a hard job these days being a parent and society and the concept of everyone having a 'right' just makes it harder. With 'rights' comes responsibility and it is this responsibility that people seem to forget about. Please can I encourage you to be your child's parent and not their friend. This doesn't mean you can't be their friend but you need to also be their parent and make decisions that they may not like. Don't be afraid to check your child's phone or what they are doing on social media or the internet. You tube is a world unto itself - we have stories of kids telling us they are tired as they are on it until midnight. They wake up late in the night and use their phones or gaming devices. Don't be afraid to ban them from bedrooms, after a certain time of the night or that they can only be charged in the living room. With this in mind, I strongly encourage you to come along to the FREE evening at Te Matapihi led by Rob and his team around cyber safety. 27th March from 6-8pm. Seating is limited and so you need to let us know if you intend to come so that we can ensure you have a seat. Tickets available in the office.

In week 9 of this term we have our first set of parent interviews. These are held on Wednesday 2nd and Thursday 3rd of April. These will be able to be booked through the Skool Loop App from next week. They will be 10 minutes long and will be based around how your child has settled and what we as home / school partnership expect from the year. I would like to make note that Room 7 interviews will be need to be on Tuesday 1 April and Thursday 3rd as Anna Cullen is unavailable on the 2nd. Please keep an eye out for this on the App next week.

Have a good week.

Ngā mihi

*Adrian Burn*

*Principal*

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Friday 21 Mar .....	Friendship Club - Rm 3
Thursday 27 Mar.....	Parents Cybersafety Evening, Te Matapihi 6PM
Tuesday 1 Apr .....	Parent Teacher Interviews - Rm7
Wednesday 2 Apr .....	Parent Teacher Interviews
Thursday 3 Apr .....	Parent Teacher Interviews
Thursday 10 Apr .....	Easter Bun Delivery
Friday 11 Apr.....	END TERM 1
Monday 28 Apr .....	TERM 2 BEGINS

# Congratulations to our Most Valuable Pupils



## TE RUMA KERERU

Laykin Climo for comforting and supporting your Class mates when they are feeling sad.

## TE RUMA TŪI

Reef Kear for fantastic listening and participation. Ka Pai!

## TE RUMA PIWAKAWAKA

Manatea Palmer for contributing fantastic ideas everyday.

## TE RUMA TĪEKE

Peter Lambrecht for his enthusiasm in being the Class leader.

## TE RUMA KIWI

Darcie Herdson for showing great commitment to your learning.

## TE RUMA KĀREAREA

Emily Whiteside for diligence and effort in learning.

## TE RUMA KĀKĀPŌ

Caitlin McDonald for being a focused learner.

**KEI RUNGA NOA ATU KOUTOU**



# HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

On Friday  
Harrison Norris  
Rm 3  
Turns 7 years old



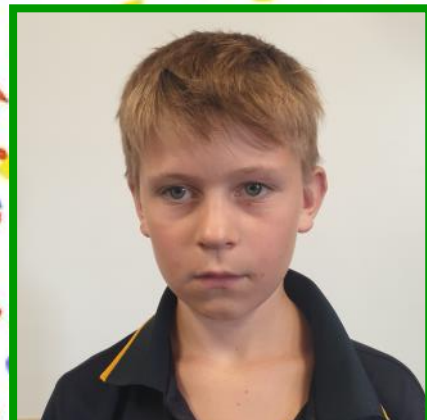
On Sunday  
Azalea Cornish  
Rm8  
Turns 11 years old



On Monday  
Conor Butcher  
Rm 5  
turns 9 years old



On Tuesday  
Lucas Gates  
Rm 4  
turns 9 years old



**Do you have a child turning 5**

**Book an enrolment  
interview with our  
principal by calling  
the school office on  
063221544**

**POOL**

**CLOSED FOR THE SEASON**

**From Wednesday 19th March**

# CLOTHING

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CLIFTON SCHOOL DC  
5 CLIFTON STREET  
FRIDAY 14<sup>TH</sup> MARCH  
FROM 2PM - 6PM  
**SIZES 6-26**

**WOMENS CLOTHING**

**CASH ONLY**

**CLIFTON SCHOOL FUNDRAISER**

# PARENTS CYBERSAFETY EVENING

**THE ULTIMATE PARENTS GUIDE TO UNDERSTANDING OUR KIDS ONLINE WORLD**

BOUGHT TO YOU BY SOUTH RANGITIKEI KĀHUI AKO AND PRESENTED BY ROB COPE - FILMMAKER & AUTHOR.

**FREE ENTRY**

THURSDAY 27TH MARCH 2025 6PM - 8PM  
@ TE MATAPIHI COMMUNITY CENTRE IN BULLS

THE BULLS SCHOOL SUPPORT GROUP WILL BE SELLING REFRESHMENTS & RAFFLE TICKETS.

FUNDS WILL GO TOWARDS FURNISHING OUR NEW LEARNING SPACE UNDER CONSTRUCTION THIS YEAR.

TICKETS LIMITED

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

Tickets available from the school office

South Rangitikei Kāhui Ako presents:

## The Ultimate Parents Guide to...

Understanding our kids **Online World**  
and how to keep them safe.

**Cyberbullying**  
**Social Media**  
**Gaming**  
**Online Predators**  
**Online Porn**  
**Smartphones**  
**Filters**  
**Boundaries**

Come and hear Filmmaker & Author Rob Cope in what promises to be a hilarious, straight talking Parent to Parent talk  
Watch the promotional video here - [Our Kids Online Parent Evening.](#)

THURSDAY 27TH MARCH 2025 | 6PM - 8PM  
TE MATAPIHI - BULLS COMMUNITY CENTRE  
4 CRITERION STREET, BULLS

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# SCHOOL of ROCK

THE MUSICAL

**18 APR - 3 MAY**

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REGENT ON BROADWAY | CARTOWN | orthodontic centre | ACT THREE PRODUCTIONS



## THE EGG PROJECT

### CLIFTON SCHOOL

Order your eggs on the website below (and use your code) before midnight Tuesday and they will be delivered super fresh to collect on Thursday from the school office.

**Free Range Dozen - \$9.50**  
**Organic Dozen - \$11.50**



We will give back \$1.00 per dozen to help fundraise as well!

**YOUR CODE is SCH-012**

**SUPPORT LOCAL - EAT SUPER FRESH - SUPPORT COMMUNITY**



[www.theeggproject.co.nz](http://www.theeggproject.co.nz)



# 2025 Model Railway Show

Brought to you by Bulls Air Scouts

**Bulls Scout Hall**  
**30 Wilson Street,**  
**Bulls**

Sat - April 12,  
10am-4pm  
Sun - April 13,  
10am-3pm

Onsite Product Sales

**Cash Only**

Door entry:  
Adults \$5  
Under 15 \$2  
Family \$12  
(2 Adults & 2 Children)

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