



The Big Christmas Give Mufti-Day Thursday 13th Dec.

Supporting the Nelson Foodbank.

We hope to make up a large hamper of food and essential items to help make it a little easier for Nelson Families this Christmas time.

Each room is collecting a different item. Check them out.

Room 2 Spreads

Room 3 Cans - Sweet

Room 4 Sweet Treats

Room 6 Cleaning and Hygiene

Room 7 Nibbles and Snacks

Room 8 Cans & Jars- Savoury

Room 9 Dessert

Room 10 Drinks

**Room 11 Packaged Biscuits,
Cakes and Slices**

Room 12 Sauces and Dressings

Room 13 Pantry Essentials

Room 14 Pasta and Rice

Room 15 Breakfast Cereals

Donations of blue council rubbish bags also very much welcomed



Expanding Horizons

For Your Diary

Tues 4 Dec	Interschool Athletics
Thurs 6 Dec	Interschool Athletics (Postponement)
Thurs 6 and Fri 7 Dec	Middle School Sleep Over (Pool closed Thursday night)
Fri 7 Dec	Class Lists Displayed
Thurs 13 Dec	Christmas Sing-a-long 7pm start
Fri 14 Dec	Certificate Assembly
Mon 17 Dec	Junior School Corder Park Trip
Wed 19 Dec	Year 6 Leavers Assembly 9.15
	Tabloid Sports (Afternoon)
Thurs 20 Dec	Last day of Term 4 (12 Noon Finish) Buses will be running

Library Hours Over the Holidays

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library@cliftontce.school.nz

Thurs 7 Feb

Day 1 Term 1, 2019

Kia ora koutou,

Welcome to Week 8 on The Terrace.

Thanks For Hosting Our Assembly Room 2

Last week, Room 2 beautifully hosted our assembly. Thank you to our youngest children in the school for showing us your learning. It really was a lovely assembly.

Ava Lawlor: Ava, you have only been at school for a few weeks but in that time have shown yourself to be a responsible, respectful learner who is always ready to help out and be a good friend. We are so proud to have you in Room 2- Miharo Ava!

Lola Zeewoldt: For your enthusiasm and zing in the classroom. You are a superb learner and role model.

Otilie King-Turner: You have such a great sense of humour! You have come in leaps and bounds with your learning and we love having you in Room 4!

Zariah Wells: Zariah you have made such wonderful progress this year. You have a fabulous positive attitude and always have a smile on your dial.

Brandon Nees: It's great to see your enthusiasm around learning more about your interests. Thank you for sharing some of this with us all. You have become an active group member and contribute many useful ideas. You can be proud of your progress this year both socially and academically.

He whakamataku koe! You're awesome.

Sansinee Wolf: Sansinee it has been wonderful to see your growth this year. You have become more confident and a great asset to our class. Your sense of humour is showing through. You always strive to do your best.

Arlo Radford: You are such a wonderful member of our class. You're kind, helpful and friendly to all. You listen carefully to instructions and give 100% to everything you do. Tino pai rawa!

Liv Carlsson: Liv, your talents in songwriting are amazing and I am looking forward to everyone getting to experience it. You have worked incredibly hard on a special project and should be extremely proud of what you have achieved. You always work with a smile on your face and strive for your best. Keep being you and reaching for the stars! Kei Runga Noa Atu!

Mitch Laird: Mitch, well done on a fantastic year in Room 11. You have worked extremely hard and it shows! I love how you have gained confidence and now share your ideas with the class and during Buzz Groups. You are a kind friend and a great sportsman. You will do great things in the senior syndicate. I am very proud of you!

Ben, you have such a wonderful year. You think hard about what you are learning and always try your best. Your listening skills have improved greatly and you are now a role model to others. Thank you for being such a great helper and a kind friend. Tino pai!

Reuben Jones: For giving your very best to all your learning! You are a learning superstar!

Khloe Solloway-Sigley: What a great year you have had Khloe. You now have such a can-do attitude and are prepared to give everything a go. This means your learning has taken off and you are always ready to tackle the next thing. Ka pai Khloe.

Dylan Patchett: Dylan you've had a fabulous year in R15. You've really stepped up and been a great leader and role model.

Congratulations to all the above children who keep on livin' the vision!

Room 9s Athletics Day Poetry

Nice work kids.

Athletics - The High Jump

My heart pounding
Sweat running down my face
The bar goes higher
Legs are trembling
I find myself in front of the line
Mrs Howard nods for me to go

Arms are pounding
Heart is fuzzing
I slip over
My leg goes towards my face
I made it!

We switch sides to the left
side
My heart beats faster
I run, I made it!

By Yasmin

400m SPRINT

'3, 2, 1, Go'
I run as fast as a cheetah
Heart pounding
Dreadfully hard
Birds saying 'go go go'

Half way
I'm walking so slow
People saying 'come on
Arizona'
I'm close to the finish line

There's a girl next to me
Running like the wind
I try to keep up
Yay, I'm at the finish line
So exhausted

By Arizona

Long Jump-Athletics

Heart pumping
Big butterflies in my stomach
Line's getting shorter!
My turn
Butterflies getting bigger
Three, two, one...GO!
Running fast
Mats are getting closer
Jump
Soaring through the air like an eagle
Feel Earth again
I'd done it!

By Jaya

Hard Athletics

I'm ready to sprint for the 400m run.
My hearts pounding, harder than ever!
My legs aching.
My knees are bruised... 3,2,1, GO!
I ran, ran like the wind
I was coming second but
I slowed down, I felt so thirsty
I came seventh or eighth

Breath used so much in the race
Huffing and puffing.
I made it YAY!
I looked at my scorecard
I got a 2.

Then I caught my breath.
I started practising running when I got home,
For next Year.
Keep running,
Hope its good next year

By Sativa

100m Sprint

Panic was all I felt
When I was waiting,
I was talking about how I was
scared,
That I was going to come last place
My heart was beating
Listening to Eva
She said 'ready, set, go'
Taking off like a race car
Running out of gas
I came 7th
Sweat dripping down my face
So hot that I felt like I was on fire

By Brooklyn

Congratulations Hannah and Ben

To the right is one of the cards which is going to be made into a card to be sent out by the Prime Minister. Hannah and Ben have the satisfaction of knowing that all four of the cards they created are going to be made into one tile card to be sent out by the PM.

The kids have already been selling these cards (to friends/family and parents work colleagues) in order to raise money for Christmas food hampers for St Stephen's Church. They have already raised enough money for an entire hamper all by themselves. They hope that after this that they may sell a few more cards and be able to give more hampers out to families in need in Nelson.

What a wonderful thing to do. Well done Hannah and Ben.



Class Lists for 2019

This Friday, the 2019 class placements will be posted on the notice board on the south side of the office block. These class placements are made by teachers for a variety of reasons including but not limited to social, academic and family reasons. We have also taken into account family requests that were asked for back at the end of last term. Considerable thought is given to class placements. Please respect this when considering the placement. Sometimes children are not with all their friends and there may be good reason for this. Thanks for your understanding.

Bus Cost Increases 2019

From next year the cost of the buses will be going up to \$160.00 per year so \$40.00 per term. You can pay this off or pay on a termly basis if it makes it easier.

Please note that these are SBL charges and the result of rising fuel and maintenance costs. We always count ourselves lucky to have the buses available and if you work it out on a cost per day basis it is still cost effective.

Summer Reading in the Library

For the first time we are offering summer holiday issuing from the library.

You can go to the CTS library catalog to register

<http://www.library.clifontce.school.nz>

Or here is the direct link to the permission [form](#) Welcome to the CTS Summer Reading Programme.

This Summer CTS Library is offering each child the opportunity to have up to 10 books out over the holidays.

We have an amazing selection of books in our library and this additional issuing gives students extended reading opportunities during holidays. The holidays can be a time when reading achievement gained during the previous school year can slide so it's important to keep reading.

We'd love your family to join us in supporting reading over the summer break. This programme is open to all family members so feel free too, also register your preschoolers and your intermediate aged children should you wish to do so (you just need to have at least one child enrolled at CTS in 2019).

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Pattison Swim School

Please note the first 2 week block for Swimming lessons started on Monday 3rd December. This runs from 3pm-4.45pm please do not use the pool during this time. The pool will also be closed Thursday night for the Middles Overnight Camp.

Have a great week. Remember the door is 'nearly' always open for a chat!

Clifton Terrace School Phone: 5450532 Web address: www.clifontce.school.nz

Library Books! Library Books! Calling All Library Books!

Its time to return all books to the library. Books need to be returned now. Audio books and e-books can still be issued. Go to the library catalogue for information on summer reading. If a book is permanently lost it can be replaced with a good quality book from home (approved by the librarian). Any questions regarding library books pop in and see Sarah in the library.



Scholastic Book Orders

It's the last Scholastic Book Club for 2018! There are some fantastic books in this issue, including the new David Walliams and the new Diary of a Wimpy Kid. Be sure to check out the \$2 books as well. If you are stocking up for Christmas there is a gift function on online ordering or clearly label on the paper form and your order will be kept aside to be picked-up.

You can order online or drop your order into the office (<https://mybookclub.scholastic.co.nz/Parent/Login.aspx>).

You can also pay for your order by eftpos at the office

Please place orders by
Thursday 6th December
Email: library@clifontce.school.nz

SUMMER READING BOOSTER PROGRAMME

for 5-9 year olds. Individual tailor made programmes to suit the needs of your child. Proven results.

Starts **Jan 2019**. I am a fully qualified Early Years Literacy Specialist.

Let me help your child get back on track with reading for the new school year.

Limited places available

Testimonials available on request.

Enquiries: Call **Elaine** on **5480994**

email: readingnelson@gmail.com

Table Tennis School Holiday Program January 2019

Tuesday 15th, Thursday 17th,
Tuesday 22nd and Thursday 24th,
09:30 –

12:00 at Saxton Table Tennis
Stadium. Cost is only \$5 per session
or \$15

for all four sessions. Bats and balls
provided. Bring something to eat
and drink for a short break at half
time. For further information phone
Ted 027 522 0979.

Uniform Sales

Any surplus uniforms that parents wish to donate to the school can be dropped at the office for H&S to sell for fundraising. **Second hand uniforms @ www.clifontce.school.nz**

Absences from School

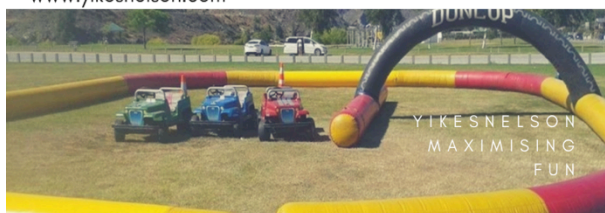
You can advise school of absences by e-mail: office@clifontce.school.nz or text: **027 516 3989 (TEXTS ONLY)** Phone **545 0532** (Leave a message)

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KAYAKING MINIJEeps AND MORE

Summer Holiday Programme
www.yikesnelson.com



HOLIDAY PROGRAMME

Nelson Heat is offering a three-day junior holiday skills programme for players aged 8 - 12 years, including those new to the sport of baseball.

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday 18 - 20 December, 9am - 3pm

Registration fees \$130/ 3 days or \$50 / day

Camp will be held at Champion Green Tuesday & Wednesday and Tahunanui beach Thursday. A wet weather venue will be determined and communicated if needed.

Please contact the club on nelsonbaseballNZ@gmail.com if you would like to book a spot for your child.



Legend Kids

Christmas Holiday Programme:

20 Dec Vertical Limits & 21 Dec Hydroslide at Tahuna

Summer Holiday Programmes: 7 Jan – 1 Feb 2019. We will be making the most of our beautiful region, getting out there and active, enjoying classic

summer fun. Join us to build dens, have a bbq, swim, kayak, bike, explore and play. Have fun getting creative with print making, sand-art, circus skills, tie-dye, soap making, cardboard challenge and more. We have some awesome trips lined up and a fantastic team of staff. Bookings open Mid Dec. Can't wait to see you soon!

For more information please check out our website www.legendkids.co.nz

Email: info@legendkids.co.nz or contact Cathy on 021 1750013.

The Giggling Pony Equestrian Centre

Summer Holiday Pony Camps and Programmes 2019

We are now taking bookings for this coming summer holidays.

Please visit our website for dates and times or contact us for more information and bookings. Limited numbers spaces available
thegigglingpony.com
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