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# Cheviot Express

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NEWSLETTER 12

JULY 2010

## TERM DATES 2010

Term 2 19 April 2 July  
Term 3 19 July 24 Sept  
Term 4 11 Oct 10 Dec, *to be confirmed*

## TERM 3 DATES

29 July Home & School Meeting 7.30pm  
2 Aug Student of the Month Assembly 12.15pm  
4 Aug CCHS Indoor Tournament  
5 Aug Board of Trustees Meeting  
9 Aug Years 7-13 Ski Trip (pp 16 Aug)  
12 Aug Years 3-6 Ski Trip (pp 18 Aug)  
19 Aug Rehearsal Day for Music Festival  
Learning Staircase Talk 7.00pm  
Community Room (Home & School)  
30 Aug Student of the Month Assembly 12.15pm  
9 Sept Board of Trustees Meeting  
10 Sept Canterbury SS Orienteering Champs  
16 Sept Home & School Meeting  
22 - CASAFEST (Yrs 7-13)  
24 Sept

CCHS = Canterbury Country High Schools  
SS = Secondary Schools  
HPSSA = Hurunui Primary School Sports Association  
NZSS = New Zealand Secondary Schools  
NZAS = New Zealand Area Schools

## PE UNIFORM

From the beginning of term 3 the PE uniform for years 7-13 is compulsory. Please ensure that your child/ren have the regulation PE shirt and black drill shorts. Both of these items of uniform are available from the school office.

## SCHOOL PHOTOS

This year's school photos are being sent home with the children this week. If you wish to order please fill in the details on the envelope provided and return to the school office with payment. **These orders will be sent away 30 July 2010. No late orders will be accepted.**

Group photos are on display in the school foyer.

The Annex Craft Shop  
Leithfield Beach  
Car Boot Sale

**Celebrate our first birthday!**  
10.00am Sunday 1st August 2010  
Food & Entertainment available

Car Boot or Stall \$10 each  
Pay on the day at The Annex Shop  
Enquiries: Phone 03 3148518

## SHOLASTIC BOOK CLUB

Issue 5 has been given to children this week. These orders are due back at the office on Friday 30th July. All orders in a named envelope please.

**Home & School Meeting**  
Thursday 29th July  
Staffroom  
7.30pm  
All welcome

## DEFENSIVE DRIVING COURSE

Another NZ Defensive Driving Course is scheduled for December this year. It consists of 4 Night Classes (2 hours each) and a 1 Hour driving assessment in Rangiora. If you will have held your restricted licence for at least six months by December you will be eligible. Book for in for this course now to secure your place.

**Contact Sam** 027 427 1087 or email [hyp@hurunui.govt.nz](mailto:hyp@hurunui.govt.nz) for any further information or to register.



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For all 12-18 year olds from the Hurunui District

## MOVIE NIGHTS THIS TERM

6.30pm, \$3, Cheviot Community Room  
Cheviot- Friday 30th July

## BLUE LIGHT DISCO—CHEVIOT

Friday 27<sup>th</sup> August  
Cheviot Community Room  
7-9.30pm  
\$5 Ticket  
Spot Prizes  
Tickets will be on sale soon.

## HYP LEADERSHIP 2010

Are you going into Year 12 or 13 next year?  
Does going on a three day Youth Leaders Camp sound like fun?  
Then we want you to come to Boyle River from 6-8 December 2010 for the HYP Leadership Camp.  
Collect a registration form at your school office,  
Or contact Sam 027 427 1087 027 427 1087  
or email hyp@hurunui.govt.nz

Registrations Close 1<sup>st</sup> September.

## Japan Fundraiser— Burger Sizzle



**Wednesday lunchtimes**  
**\$3.00**

Couplands jumbo cookies \$1.50

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## AFTER SCHOOL SOCCER

NO SOCCER AFTER SCHOOL ON THURSDAYS 22ND AND 29TH JULY. IT WILL RESUME THURSDAY 5TH AUGUST.

## TICKETS TO THE RUGBY

The school has been given a number of tickets to the ITM Cup round robin matches at "AMI stadium". We have two tickets to each of the following Canterbury home games.

Canterbury VS North Harbour	Fri 13th Aug, 7.35pm
Canterbury VS Auckland	Fri 28th Aug, 7.35pm
Canterbury VS Bay of Plenty	Fri 3rd Sept, 7.35pm
Canterbury VS Wellington	Fri 25th Sept, 7.35pm
Canterbury VS Counties	Fri 16th Oct, 7.35pm

If you would like a pair of tickets please have your child/ren pass in their NAME and PHONE number to the school office by MONDAY 26th July. The draw will be made Tuesday morning and winners advised the same day.



## JAPAN FUNDRAISER—MARKET DAY

The students travelling to Japan in September are holding a market day in the community room on Tuesday 27th July at lunchtime. This is a fun event with many goodies on sale. Junior children can bring some spending money in a named envelope to hand to their classroom teacher for safekeeping.



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## Update from the medical centre—HAND, FOOT AND MOUTH DISEASE

Hand, foot, and mouth disease is generally caused by coxsackievirus A-16, which is a member of the enterovirus family. There are other types of enteroviruses that can cause the symptoms as well, but these are less common. Children usually become infected with the virus from other children in an oral-faecal pattern; that is, from exposure to oral secretions (nasal discharge, saliva, etc.) or to stool. The incubation period (time between exposure and symptoms) is usually five days.

## GATEWAY FLYING HIGH



Gateway Co-ordinator Claire Shipston took the aviation students to another interesting Monday at the Christchurch Airport. This week they visited Air New Zealand Engineering Hangar and Airport Crash Fire Emergency Services.



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## THREE WAY CONFERENCES

Our second 3 way conference for this year are on Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> August. These are an important opportunity for students to inform their parents / caregivers about their progress at school so far this year and to go over goals for term three and four.

Please note these are conversations about **learning** and what the next steps are. We are educating our students in the language of assessment and it is important that parents / caregivers are involved in this learning partnership. Therefore we strongly encourage all parents / caregivers to attend.

Given that the 3 way conference is about **learning and next steps**, conversations pertaining to other issues i.e. behaviour or social issues should be arranged for another meeting with the teachers of your child to discuss. Remember our teachers are always able to be contacted for these issues.

School will be closed from 12.35pm on Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> August. Buses will run at this time and the first interview will be available from 1.00pm. Booking a conference time with teachers can be done easily by going online from 22 July (see the attached information guide) or phoning the school office if you do not have internet access.

Please note that online (Internet) bookings will close at 3pm Friday 30th July, and if you wish to change or add an interview after this date you will need to contact your child's teacher directly.

Please read you child's school reports before the 3 way conferences as elements of the reports will be discussed during conferences.

Note: (Senior reports year 9-13 were sent home at the end of the term two (2) and year 1 to 8 reports will be posted home Friday 23rd July.)