

# Limehills School Newsletter

8 May 2019

## FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK

Reminder that school is closed tomorrow for a Paid Union Meeting. School will close at 12.30pm. All students need to be picked up or be on the school buses by 12.30pm. There will be no late bus to Winton and no After School Care.

## Teacher/Parent/Student Conferences

These will take place on 14th and 16th May for Rooms 2-8, except Room 4 (Mrs Brand) and Room 5 (Ms Brown) who will be running interviews on 14th and 15th May.

Please go to [www.schoolinterviews.co.nz](http://www.schoolinterviews.co.nz) and enter the event code **6n83q** to book a slot.

## FROM THE BoT

Please find below details of the election process. If you would like to discuss these elections further, please contact me via email, [peteh@limehills.school.nz](mailto:peteh@limehills.school.nz) or on 027 2297271.

Pete Hammond  
BOT Chair

## What's On Diary

### May

9 - PUM for teachers - school closes at 12.30pm  
9 - Home and School Meeting, 7pm  
10 - Ronald McDonald House Day  
10 - Yr4-8 Reports go home  
14,16 - Teacher/Parent/Student Conferences  
16 - Year 7 Vision screening  
17 - Book Club #3 due  
20 - BOT  
23 - Book Bus  
24 - Cross country Dipton  
29 - Jenny Tebbutt - 6pm (TBC)  
31 - NYLD - Dunedin

### June

3 - Queen's Birthday - school closed  
10-13 Star Dome Week  
14 - Central Cross Country  
14 - Home and School Meet and Greet  
17 - BOT  
18 - Social Science Fair  
20 - Book bus  
21 - Southland Cross Country  
28 - Winter Tournament

### October

14-18 - Deep Cove (Y8s)  
14-18 - Wellington (Y7s)

## Parent Election Notice

Limehills School Board of trustees' election

Nominations are invited for the election of three parent representatives to the board of trustees.

A nomination form and a notice calling for nominations will be posted to all eligible voters on Thursday, 9 May 2019.

You can nominate another person to stand as a candidate, or you can nominate yourself. Both parts of the form must be signed.

Additional nomination forms can be obtained from the school office.

Nominations close at noon on Friday, 24 May 2019 and may be accompanied by a signed candidate statement and photograph.

The voting roll is open for inspection at the school and can be viewed during normal school hours.

There will also be a list of candidates' names, as they come to hand, for inspection at the school.

Voting closes at noon on Friday, 7 June 2019.

Signed, Jasmine Hamilton  
Returning Officer

## Alerts!!!!

- ▶ Home and school meeting tomorrow, Thursday 9th May at 7pm.
- ▶ Please update the office with any allergy or health/medical issues that we need to be aware of.
- ▶ Any ice-cream containers for Ronald McDonald House food would be gratefully received.
- ▶ The students will be training for cross country (24th May) over the next few days so please send them to school with appropriate footwear.
- ▶ Remember high viz vests and warmer layers.
- ▶ Education Consultant Jenny Tebbutt will be at school for the evening of May 29th. Jenny will talk to us about how to help children who are struggling with literacy and answer questions from 6.00pm (TBC).

## Thank you

Thank you to Kristy and Ross Conder for donating a bull to our school. UpperCuts are happy to slaughter and process the animal and we have some freezer space lined up. The patties and sausages will be sold at school to raise money for our school camps and outdoor education programmes.

Thanks again for your kind donation. We really do appreciate it.

## Co-op

The Co-op is back up and running for the term. We will have scrunchies, caramel and white chocolate fudge and hopefully some other treats available at the Co-op on Friday. Everyone is welcome to bring their things to sell and encourage students to bring their money to have a spend up, Please see Olly and Ben in Room 5 with any items for sale or questions.

Thanks

Ben C and Oliver

**Entries welcome!** This is a great way to support us, have yourselves a fun night out and get one up on the neighbours! Please contact Alice on 027 890 5562 for details or to enter.

Limehills Home and School Association  
present the

# CENTRAL SOUTHLAND CROP COMPETITION

Entry classes: Fodder Beet,  
Swede, Kale, Turnips, Other.

Entries close  
mid-May.  
Judging  
early June.

**\$50 entry fee**  
(includes ticket to Gala event!)

## GALA PRIZEGIVING

Saturday, 6th July 2019 - Winton Memorial Hall  
Prizes, Auctions, Cash Bar, DJ, Supper  
Tickets \$40 each. Table options available.

To enter or for more information  
contact Alice on 027 890 5562  
or email  
[homeandschool@limehills.school.nz](mailto:homeandschool@limehills.school.nz)

## Agrikids

Our Agrikids champions (Cooper, Danny and Ben C) are fundraising to get to the national finals in the North Island. They are selling sacks of kindling for \$10 a sack. If you are able to buy a sack or two to support these boys, please let me know or email [cooperm@limehills.school.nz](mailto:cooperm@limehills.school.nz)



# The Journey

YOUTH Junior Edition

FRIDAYS (DURING TERM TIME)  
FROM 3PM-4:30PM FOR AGES 10-12

@ CSPP Church

GAMES, FOOD, SPORTS, COMPETITIONS  
AND SO MUCH MORE!

11 MELDRUM ST WINTON  
FOR MORE INFO CONTACT AMY WILLIAMS  
0212286479

## ENTERTAINMENT BOOKS

Remember to go to the link below to place your order. A great fundraiser for our school.

<https://www.entertainmentbook.co.nz/orderbooks/2606k30>

SEEKING  
ACCOMODATION  
Looking for House/Single  
Accommodation to rent in  
the Central Southland  
District please phone  
Emma 0273104364.

Heart Foundation

## MOTHER'S DAY TO MUM WITH LOVE

(OR SOMEONE WHO IS LIKE A MUM TO YOU)

| GIFTS FROM YOUR HEART   | GIFTS FOR HER HEART  |
|---|--|
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Make her a card.</li><li>Draw her a picture.</li><li>Write her a song and perform it for her, get some friends and family to be the band.</li><li>Write her a short story about how special she is.</li></ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Take her for a walk around the neighbourhood to look at the autumn trees.</li><li>Take her for a walk to the park.</li><li>Go on a family bike ride.</li><li>Play a game in the backyard and invite the family or neighbours to join in.</li></ul> |

For more information, visit [www.heartfoundation.org.nz](http://www.heartfoundation.org.nz)

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## FOOD ALLERGY AWARENESS WEEK 12-18 MAY

Fact: Food allergy affects 1 in 10 children under five\*

But did you know it is rare for a child to develop an allergy to a food they have previously eaten without problems?

What's the difference between a food allergy and a food intolerance?

- A food allergy is an exaggerated response by the immune system to a food protein. Reactions usually happen within minutes of eating a food that contains the allergen. Symptoms can include hives, itching, swelling, vomiting, abdominal pain, diarrhoea and nausea, and in some cases anaphylaxis (life-threatening).
- A food intolerance is an adverse reaction to certain foods, not involving the immune system. Reactions can be immediate or happen up to 20 hours after a food is eaten. Symptoms can include (but are not limited to) bloating, wind, diarrhoea, nausea and indigestion.

If you think your child has a food allergy or intolerance see a doctor.

For more information on food allergies, visit #AllergyNewZealand