



# Newsletter

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Principal David Graham

Term 1 - Week 4

Thursday 23 March

Newsletter No: 02 /17

Kia ora ki nga whanau me nga hoa o te kura tuatahi o Goodwood. Greetings to all families and friends of Goodwood School.

We have had a very exciting first few weeks back at Goodwood, with so many amazing things happening at your school.

As you read this our Year 3 and 4 explorers are enjoying a wonderful time at Camp Raglan and our Year 5 and 6 explorers are very eagerly anticipating their camps away at Camp Waihi.

Thank YOU for the essential role that you play in allowing these experiences to happen by supporting us in delivering happy and safe camps.

Thank you also to everyone who came along to our John Parson's Internet Health and Safety evening. John's messages were well received as good practical ways to keep your family safe. We will be sending home the parenting tips John covered during his presentation. As always, it is great to have home and school working together to support learning and safety.

We would also like to acknowledge all of those children who have put their names forward as house captains, learning agents, school councillors and enviro warriors. We are so impressed at your willingness to contribute to our school and with the high calibre of your applications.

We would also like to thank everyone who has put their hand up to be a part of our PTA. Congratulations to our new PTA chairperson Bjorn Kraur, secretary Kathy O'Dwyer and treasurer Julia Murphy. Look out for our PTA at our breakfast bar next week, our new families morning tea on Tuesday 28 February and / or our PTA family fun night on Thursday 9 March. Better still why not join us on the PTA.

Kind Regards  
David Graham  
PRINCIPAL

## **TERM DATES – 2017**

**Term 1 Wednesday 1 February – Thursday 13 April**

**Term 2 Monday 1 May – Friday 7 July**

**Term 3 Monday 24 July – Friday 29 September**

**Term 4 Monday 16 October – Friday 15 December**

## **Upcoming Dates to Diary**

**New Parents Morning Tea - Tuesday 28 February**

**Year 5 and 6 Camp Waihi Parent Information Evening**

Wednesday 1 March – 7.00 pm

**Breakfast Bar Meeting Thursday 2 March — 7.30–9.00am**

**Senior Swimming Sports at St Peters School – Monday**

6 March 9.30am – 2.00pm

**Junior Swimming Display – 8 March at Goodwood**

**Family Fun Evening - Thursday 9 March**

**PTA Meeting - Wednesday 19 March at 7.30 pm**

in the staffroom.

**Year 5 and 6 Camp Waihi 2017 – Camp 1, Tuesday 14**

March to Friday 18 March: Camp 2 Tuesday 21 March to Friday 24 March Waihi

**Interschool Swimming – Friday 31 March – Cambridge Town Pools**

**Goodwood Trail Ride – Sunday 2 April – More info to come**

**Ice Skating Tour – Goodwood School April 20 – 23**

**The perfect holiday activity**

Dates can also be found on calendar [www.goodwood.school.nz](http://www.goodwood.school.nz)

And also on Facebook page

**PLEASE NOTE THERE  
WILL BE NO SAUSAGE  
SIZZLE UNTIL FURTHER  
NOTICE**



**ITS THAT TIME OF YEAR  
AGAIN WHEN NITS ARE OUT  
IN FORCE, WE HAVE HAD A  
FEW REPORTS OF CHILDREN  
WITH THEM.**

**PLEASE CHECK YOUR CHILDS  
HAIR ON A DAILY BASIS**

**We would like to extend a very warm  
Goodwood School  
welcome to...  
Loki Richmond-Pooley and  
Nathan Hollands**



## **School Donations**

**We will not be asking for school  
donations until Term 2 as we  
acknowledge that stationery and  
camp fees can put some pressure  
on finances at this time of year.**

## **Rugby Muster and Netball registration for 2017**

**All interested players for rugby and netball to register for  
upcoming season.**

**Rugby will be in Kereru  
Netball will be in the library.**

**Wednesday 1 March - 3- 4pm  
Friday 3 March - 8 - 9 am.**

**Rugby registration also needs to be completed on CJRS  
website**

**<http://cjrs.co.nz/online-registration-form/online-registration-form>**

**This is in addition to registering at school.**

**If interested in coaching a rugby or netball team please  
email: [marsha@goodwood.school.nz](mailto:marsha@goodwood.school.nz) (for Rugby)  
[carmel@goodwood.school.nz](mailto:carmel@goodwood.school.nz) (for Netball)**

## **Goodwood School Yearbook**

**The Goodwood School  
Yearbook is a bumper edition  
and features all the news and  
photos from an action packed  
2016 year**

**The cost of the yearbook is \$15.**

**We have copies available from  
the school office.**

## **Newsletters, Facebook, Website, Blogs**

**This newsletter is one of the ways that we communicate with you.**

**Look in your email inbox for your newsletter every second Thursday. The newsletter  
can also be accessed from our website at [www.goodwood.school.nz](http://www.goodwood.school.nz).**

**This site also links to our facebook page and classroom blogs which also provide news  
and events from our school.**



## Know someone who'd appreciate a night off from cooking?

Pay it Forward Goodwood has hit the ground running this year and already, many Goodwood School families have been gifted a delicious meal.

### Be the reason someone smiles today

You can nominate a family for any reason; if someone is working extra hard for instance, or has done wonderful things for the community. Or it could be someone who could use some TLC, perhaps an illness in the family, a new baby or a job loss. Perhaps you know a family who could really just use a night off from cooking.

BE THE REASON  
SOMEONE  
SMILES TODAY.



### How to nominate

Nominating is easy and anonymous too, if you wish. Simply drop the nomination form in the PIF box in the school office, or private message on facebook.

<https://www.facebook.com/GoodwoodPayItForward>



### Pay it Forward

This initiative is made possible with the overwhelming generosity of Goodwood School's community. If you'd like to pay it forward, we love receiving donations of vegetables, fruits, butter, flour and eggs and are always looking for new cooks to help prepare meals and baking. Get in touch via facebook.

#### PAY IT FORWARD NOMINATION

Family Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
would really appreciate a gift of a meal right now.

There are \_\_\_\_\_ members in the family.

They can be contacted on \_\_\_\_\_

## Returning and new Parents morning tea

We would like to invite all new (and existing!) parents to this term's new parents morning tea. This is a very informal opportunity to catch up with other parents and our school leadership team for a coffee on Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> February 9-10 am.

# Welcome Morning



## For new and returning families

## In the staffroom



Mornings that begin with a cuppa and chat with friends are always better. With this in mind, our Welcome Morning for new and returning families begins again next Tuesday. Can you make it?

Mr Graham and Ms Copping will be there. We'd also like it if existing parents/caregivers joined us because it is a great opportunity to share your experiences about raising a family in Cambridge. Younger siblings are welcome. We will have toys to keep them entertained while you socialise.

Come along and enjoy some home baking at 9am in the staff room on Tuesday, 28th February.



## Fencourt Road

The Waipa District Council is completing substantial remodelling, widening and resurfacing of Fencourt Road over the next few months.

This is to improve safety for all road users. The entrances to, and frontages of, Goodwood School are a major part of the development.

The work has already started and will continue until 17 March for the first phase. There will be some disruption including stop / go signs and single lanes during this time. Particularly between State Highway 1B and our school.

This is likely to cause some disruption and the council has asked for our patience and cooperation.

The council have kindly scheduled the major work on our school entranceways and surrounds for the April term break to minimise inconvenience for us but as the work is expected to take longer than two weeks they will start a few days before and finish a few days after the break.

Please take extra care over this time period to help ensure the safety of road workers and members of our school community.



## School Camps - 2017

Thank you for all of your expressions of interest to attend Senior Camp as a parent helper this year.

We will be changing coasts to explore Waihi and surrounds. We will be taking all Year 5 and 6 boys to camp from 14 - 17 March 2017 and all Year 5 and 6 girls to camp the following week 21 to 24 March.

We are REALLY excited by the possibilities camps with smaller numbers may bring. We will be holding a camp information evening at 7.00 pm on Wednesday 1 March in the library to talk about organisation and risk management.

## Breakfast Bar

Our popular breakfast bars will start up again this year,

The first 'bar' is scheduled for next Thursday 2 March from 7.30 am - 9.00 am. This is an informal chance to chat about current school plans and issues with our leadership team, PTA and Board of Trustees. We will meet in the library and free childcare will be available.

We will be discussing ...Digital fluency, Student agency - choice/voice/use of space through collaborative teaching and Resilience as a key competency. There will also be a Q & A bar and a PTA / BOT bar. Feel free to drop in for a snack and a chat and stay / leave as your time allows

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Come and  
explore  
Goodwood  
School.

If you have any questions  
please contact the school  
on 827 6817 or email our  
Junior Team Leader  
Anna Gerritsen  
[anna@goodwood.school.nz](mailto:anna@goodwood.school.nz)

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# GOODWOOD SCHOOL

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**GOOD START  
OPEN MORNING**  
15 MARCH 2017  
9-10:30AM

What makes a Good  
Start to school?

Come along to  
Goodwood School and  
find out.



Starting School is an exciting time for children and their families. At **Goodwood School** we like to meet the individualised needs of our learners and their families to ensure they have a **Good Start** to schooling life.

We are having an **Open Morning** where parents and children can come and see our junior school in action on **15 March 2017 from 9-10:30am**.



**SATURDAY, MARCH 11TH**  
**VICTORIA ST. CAMBRIDGE**

**KIDS BRING YOUR BIKES. RIDE THE STREET COURSE. THEN PARK UP AND WATCH SOME OF THE BEST CYCLISTS IN THE WORLD !**

**KIDS EVENTS FROM 4PM**

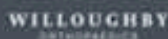
**KIDS EVENTS & OBSTACLE COURSE, SCHOOL RELAY, OLYMPIC MEDALISTS & WORLD CHAMPIONS RACING AND GIVEAWAYS!**

**\$2 TO ENTER**

ALL PROCEEDS GOING TO:



**Cambridge Family Health**  
Under 5's



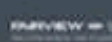
**Willoughby Orthopaedics**  
5-7 year olds



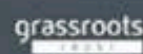
**Waikato Orthodontic Centre**  
8-10 year olds

**Waikato Orthodontic Centre**  
Battle of the Schools Team Relay

THANKS TO ALL OUR AMAZING SPONSORS AND SUPPORTERS!!



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**ENTER ON THE DAY AT VICTORIA SQUARE FROM 2:45PM OR ENTER ONLINE AT**  
**WWW.CAMBRIDGECYCLINGFESTIVAL.CO.NZ**



# Have a night off cooking!

Monday 27th Feb



\$1 donated  
for every  
pizza sold

Grab a pizza from Dominos Cambridge between 4-7pm and help support  
Cambridge Playcentre



# Playcentre

Whānau tupu ngātahi - Families growing together



## WAIKATO girls golf academy

**Wednesday's 4pm-5.15pm**

**Dates: March 1<sup>st</sup>, 8<sup>th</sup>, 15<sup>th</sup>, 22<sup>nd</sup>, 29<sup>th</sup> 2017**

**Cost: \$25 (5 week programme)**

**Venue: Cambridge Golf Club**

**Hosted by Waikato Golf  
For all Girls aged 8-14years  
(all equipment provided)**

### **Coaches:**

Jason Boobyer (SportsForce Golf Officer)  
Melissa Shea (Kiwi Sport Golf Officer)

**To register contact: Melissa Shea  
Waikato Golf Association  
PH: 07 849 1328  
E: melissa@waikatogolf.co.nz**





## GOODWOOD SCHOOL MOTO CROSS TEAM

**Goodwood School are putting a team together for the Interschool Motocross Challenge to be held at Rotorua Motorcycle Track on Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> March**

**This event is both Trail and MX bike classes and is run under Motorcycle New Zealand regulations.**

**If you are interested in racing this event please contact Rachel or Damien King for more information and entry forms. Damien: 021 076 4327 or Rachel: 021 043 0471**

**Entry forms are also available from the school office**

## Supporting success in your school.

If you are a parent, staff member or member of the school community and you draw down a new ASB home loan of \$250,000 or more, ASB will donate to your chosen participating school:

# \$500

ASB lending criteria and terms apply. Fees may apply. To be eligible for this donation your new home loan application must be received, approved and then documented in a facility agreement, along with the completion of a school donation voucher, between 1 January 2017 and 30 June 2017. A minimum of 20% equity is required in the security property provided to ASB. This home loan offer is only available on loans secured by an owner-occupied residential property. Only one donation will be given per customer. Donations will be made by ASB on behalf of the customer to the chosen school upon full draw down of the new home loan. This offer excludes loans for business purposes and bridging.

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## FREE EAR CLINIC SERVICE FOR CHILDREN Term 1(2017)

**All children must be accompanied by parent or caregiver**

For enquiries regarding this service please contact the phones listed or Hamilton – phone 838 3565

Visit the ear nurse for advice on

Glue ear assessment and management    Wax/Foreign body removal  
Grommet Check    Treatment of discharging ears

Please note clinics may be cancelled without notice due to unforeseen circumstances

AREA	DATE	VENUE	TIME
Cambridge	Monday 13 <sup>th</sup> February	Leamington Primary – Lamb Street	8.15am – 2pm (closed lunch 12-1pm)
	Tuesday 28 <sup>th</sup> February	Cambridge Primary – Wilson Street	
	Tuesday 14 <sup>th</sup> March	Leamington Primary – Lamb St	
	Monday 10 <sup>th</sup> April	Cambridge Primary – Wilson Street	

# Art Smart

Art lessons for children aged 6 – 12ish years old  
Held at 'The Painting Place' on Thornton Road  
Monday afternoons from 3.30pm – 5pm starting Monday 13<sup>th</sup> Feb  
For more information contact

**Hilary Brown**

[kidsartsmart@gmail.com](mailto:kidsartsmart@gmail.com)

021 022 22579



# Piano Lessons

I am a year 13 female student at Cambridge High School. To earn finance for university next year I am advertising music lessons (Piano) to primary students.

After passing Grade 8 Piano with distinction at age of 12, I have gained an ATCL piano diploma at 14. I am now preparing for LTCL piano diploma. I have experienced students from primary to intermediate students last year. I am also part of Cambridge High School's Extension 4 class set for advanced students.

Music will extend the language of a soul, fun will be found exploring 88 black and white keys. I am looking for a small number of students.

Julia Y.

[minyoovine@gmail.com](mailto:minyoovine@gmail.com)

021 043 7066



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**PLEASE CHECK YOUR  
CHILD FOR SCHOOL  
SORES, WE SEEM TO HAVE  
A FEW CASES AT THE  
MOMENT.**

**THEY CAN BE TREATED  
WITH CRYSTACIDE CREAM  
AND COVERING THEM UP  
UNTIL THEY ARE ALL  
BETTER**

## FRENCH LESSONS

Would you like your child to learn French? The chance is here now!

Learning a foreign language is a great way for children to explore another culture, opening the world up for them and talking hold of the future.

Small classes of 10-12 students.  
Term 1 \$50 - Be in quick

Louisa Mulligan

marielouisemulligan@gmail.com

022 619 3037  
(MA French)

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TRAVEL BROKER - WAIKATO

## Young Engineers –Term 1 2017

Young Engineers is an after-school programme that is a fun and engaging. Young Engineers teaches children about the basic principles of engineering and physics using motorised Lego!

Children from Year 2-Year 8 will enjoy the practical hands-on learning environment which lasts for 75mins.

Young Engineers is held every Monday afternoon (starting from 3.30pm onwards) at the Fencourt Hall, right next to school!

To register or find out more – go online to [www.youngengineers.nz](http://www.youngengineers.nz) or contact Ariana on 021-2424567 or [ariana@youngengineers.nz](mailto:ariana@youngengineers.nz)